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**T**HREE EIGHTH VOLUME OF THE STATUTES OF THE REALM CONTAINS the Statutes from the COMMENCEMENT of the Reign of Queen Anne, A. D. 1702, to the End of the Sixth Year of the same Reign.

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LONDON,  
June 1821

JOHN RAITHBY,  
SEN. COMMISSIONER



# CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE

OF THE TITLES OF ALL

## THE ACTS OF PARLIAMENT

PASSED IN THE REIGN OF QUEEN ANNE,

FROM THE FIRST TO THE SIXTH YEARS, BOTH INCLUSIVE.

DATE.		TITLE OR DESCRIPTION OF THE ACT	NUMBER			PAGE OF THE VOLUME
A.D.	REG.	IN CHANCERY.	Of the Chapter as printed	Of the Roll as Chancery	Of the Original Act as Enrolled	
1700.	ANNO. AN. 1.	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the better Support of Her Majesties Household and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown.	I.	p. 1.	9	1
		<sup>1</sup> The Calendar at the Back of this Chapter is bound thus: <i>Second page Anno Regni Anne Regine</i> press 10. <i>Page 1 p. 12</i> 4 11 <sup>th</sup> of 27 <sup>th</sup> and which 1st Part contains the Chapter, and the several printed Edicts hereafter inserted into the Chapter at Chapter 7. <i>Ann. 1.</i> and contains the same Edicts in the Number of each throughout the whole of 1st Ann. Stat. 1.				
		An Act for explaining a Clause in an Act made at the Parliament begun and holden at Westminster the Two and twentieth of November in the Seventh Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King William the Third intitled <i>An Act for the better Security of His Majesties Royal Person and Government.</i>	II.	1	18	5
		An Act for continuing the Act made in the Eighth Year of His late Majesties Reign for better preventing the counterfeiting the Current Coins of this Kingdom.	III.	3	11	7
		An Act for taking examining and minding the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom.	IV.	4	10	8
		An Act for reviving the Act intitled An Act for exempting Apothecaries from serving the Offices of Constable Scavenger and other Parish and Ward Offices and from serving upon Juries	V.	5	13	9
		( <sup>2</sup> )	VI.	p. 3.	22	9
		<sup>2</sup> No Title in this Act in the Roll. The Title entered in the Original Act is "An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by several Subsidies and a Land Tax"				
		An Act for making good Deficiencies & for preserving the Publick Credit.	VII.	p. 4. 6	23	40
		An Act for enabling Her Majesty to appoint Commissioners to treat for an Union between the Kingdoms of England and Scotland.	VIII.	7	24	41
		An Act to ascertain the Water Measure of Fruit.	IX.	8	25	42
		An Act for the enlarging and enlarging the Greenland Trade	X.	9	27	43
		An Act for continuing and extending the Act made in the Ninth Year of His late Majesties Reign intitled An Act for the mending and adjusting the Preparation of Fine Silver and Silk and for the better making of Gold and Silver Thread and to prevent the Abuse of ( <sup>3</sup> ) Wire drawn.	XI.	10	30	44

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DATE		TITLE OR DESCRIPTION OF THE ACT	NUMBER			Page of the Volume
Year	Month		Of the Chapter or part	Of the Part or Chapter	Of the Original Act in Parliament	
IN CHANCERY						
1706.	June.	<i>An Act to explain and alter the Act made in the Two and twentieth Year of King Henry the Eighth concerning repairing and amending of Bridges in the Highways and for repealing an Act made in the Twenty third Year of Queen Elizabeth for the re-edifying of Church Bridges in the County of Glamorgan and also for changing the Day of Election of the Wardens and Assistants of Rochester Bridge.</i>	XXI.	p. 4. 11	95	32
—	—	<i>An Act for the rebuilding and repairing the Piers of the Town and Port of Whitby in the County of York.</i>	XXII.	11	96	34
—	—	<i>An Act for making the River Darwent in the County of York navigable</i>	XIV.	13	99	36
—	—	<i>An Act for preventing Frauds in the Duties upon Salt and for the better Payment of Debentures at the Customs House.</i>	XV.	p. 4. 1	51	50
—	—	<i>An Act to declare the Abhorrence in the Oath appointed to be taken by the Act intitled An Act for the better Security of His Majesties Person and the Successors of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors and for declaring the Association to be dissolved.</i>	XVI.	2	59	66
—	—	<i>An Act for raising the Militia for the Year One thousand seven hundred and two notwithstanding the Months Pay formerly advanced be not repaid.</i>	XVII.	3	60	68
—	—	<i>An Act for the continuing the present Sheriffs in England and Wales until the First Day of Hilary Term next unless Her Majesty shall think fit to determine them sooner</i>	XVIII.	4	61	69
—	—	<i>An Act for the Relief of Poor Prisoners for Debt.</i>	XIX.	5	63	69
—	—	<i>An Act for the Relief of (') Masters of Ships and other Vessels carrying Corn and other Inland Provisions within the Port of London.</i> <i>* de G.</i>	XX.	6	65	71
—	—	<i>An Act for the Importation of Fine Italian Thrown Silk.</i>	XXI.	7	67	73
—	—	<i>An Act for importing into England Thrown Silk of the Growth of Sicily from the Port of Leghorn in Italy.</i>	XXII.	8	68	75
—	—	<i>An Act for the continuing the Imprisonment of Countess and others for the horrid Conspiracy to assassinate the Person of His late Sacred Majesty King William the Third.</i>	XXIII.	9	69	74
—	—	<i>An Act to oblige the Jews to maintain and provide for their Protestant Children.</i>	XXIV.	10	64	74
—	—	<i>An Act for making more effectual the Provision out of the forfeited Estates in Ireland for the building of Churches and augmenting small Vicarages in Ireland.</i>	XXV.	11	68	75
—	—	<i>An Act for the Relief of the Protestant Purchasers of the forfeited Estates in Ireland.</i>	XXVI.	12	69	75
—	—	<i>An Act for confirming a Purchase made by Her Majesty and an Exchange between Her Majesty and the Duke and Countess of the Kings free Chappell within the Castle of Windsor</i> <i>[From the Original Act in the Parliament Office, No 31.]</i>	XXVII.	—	31	80
THE TITLES TO THE PRIVATE ACTS.						
—	—	<i>An Act to enable the Right Honourable Lady Bevisia Chene Mober and Guardians of the Right Honourable Henry Earle of Thomond an Infant to make Lessee of his Estate in Ireland for the discharging of Debts due to them and of a Charge of Four thousand Pounds for his Sines Person.</i>	L.	—	14	81
—	—	<i>An Act for the Relief of Frances Countess of Tyrconnel Widow of Richard late Earl of Tyrconnel of the Kingdom of Ireland.</i>	LI.	—	15	—

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DAY	MONTH	TITLE OR DESCRIPTION OF THE ACT.	NUMBER			Folio of the Volume
			Of the Chapter in which	On the Roll in Chancery	Of the Chapter in which	
		IN CHANCERY.				
1702.	ANNO. MAR. 1.	An Act for enabling Sir William Meredith Burnett to sell Part of a capital Messuage Lands and Households therein after mentioned to Ashley in the County of Chester he having agreed other Lands and Tenements in lieu thereof.	ii.	—	16	84
—	—	An Act to enable Trustees to sell certain Lands Tythes and Tenements for the Payment of the Debt of Francis Percival Esq. deceased.	iv.	—	17	—
—	—	An Act for vesting several Messuages Lands and Tenements in the Parish of Whitchurch in the County of Chester in Trustees to be sold for paying off the Incumbrances charged thereon and for other Uses therein mentioned.	v.	—	18	—
—	—	An Act to enable Warner Lee and Warner Warner to make a Joinder upon his Marriage.	vi.	—	19	—
—	—	An Act for the vesting and selling divers Messuages and Lands of Francis Wighams in an Infant lying in the County of Stafford in Trustees to enable them to settle and convey the same upon the Marriage of the said Francis Wighams to such Uses Intests and Purposes as shall be agreed upon.	vii.	—	20	—
—	—	An Act for confirming the Title of Thomas Rose Gent to Lands called Responsions and for Sale of Lands called Carrots Court in the County of Dorset for Payment of the Debts of William Rose Gent deceased and for settling the Messuage of Chedder Fitzwilliams in the County of Somerset with the Overplus on the said Sale on Mary Rose an Infant Daughter of the said William in lieu of Three thousand Pounds Portion for the said Infant.	viii.	—	21	—
—	—	An Act for confirming a Purchase made by Her Majesty and an Exchange between Her Majesty and the Duke and Countess of the Kings Free Chapel within the Castle of Windsor.	ix.	—	22	85
—	—	An Act for the Sale of certain Messuages and Lands of John late Earl of Essex for Payment of the Debts and Performance of the Will of the said Earl.	x.	—	23	—
—	—	An Act for vesting certain Lands and Tenements of Hastings Earl of Abingdon in Trustees to be sold and purchasing other Lands of equal Value and limiting the Lands to be purchased to the same Uses as the Lands to be sold are limited.	xi.	—	24	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Dorothy Baroness Browner of Upper Ossore and Captain James Roche with relation to the Irish Possessions.	xii.	—	25	—
—	—	An Act for the Sale of the Messuage of Attingham in the County of Salop and setting a Farm called Selly Hall and a Messuage of the Manor of Temple Lawton in the County of Worcester of better Value in lieu thereof.	xiii.	—	26	—
—	—	An Act for changing the Estate here of William Adams Esquire deceased with Portions and Maintenance for William Adams and Elizabeth Adams his younger Children.	xiv.	—	27	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of Stephen Bown Gent and Dorothy his Wife and for applying the Monies raised thereby for Payment of his Debts and for the Portions of Mary and William Bown Two of their younger Children.	xv.	—	28	—
—	—	An Act to enable Robert Apreece the elder and Robert Apreece the younger Esquires to raise Money out of their Estate for Payment of a Debt due to Her Majesty and other Debts.	xvi.	—	29	—
—	—	An Act for confirming and selling of divers Charters given by the late Will of Job Marston Gent deceased.	xvii.	—	30	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Thomas Knightley Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xviii.	—	31	—
—	—	An Act to enable Jeffery Palmer Esquire to make a Joinder upon Elizabeth his Wife.	xix.	—	32	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Hannah MacDonnell with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xx.	—	33	—

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DATE		TITLE or DESCRIPTION of the ACT.	NUMBER			Page of the Volume
Year.	Edg.	IN CHANCERY.	Of the Chapter in printed.	Of the Bill in Chancery.	Of the Original Act as Published.	
1798.	Ann. 1. continued	An Act for the Relief of Captain Thomas Bellow with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xxx.	—	43	89
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Edward Singleton Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xxx.	—	44	—
—	—	An Act for vesting the Estate of William Marlawa Gent and Katherine his Wife in Trustees to be sold for the Purposes therein mentioned.	xxxi.	—	45	—
—	—	An Act for the better Government of the Hospital of Balak in the County of Warwick founded by the Lady Katherine Lewson.	xxxi.	—	46	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Nicholas Bagnall Esq. with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xxx.	—	47	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Colonel Henry Latrell with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xxxv.	—	48	—
—	—	An Act to enable the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Saint Peter in Exeter and their Executors and Trustees to make Leases of and in the Manse of Colchester in the County of Devon.	xxxvi.	—	49	—
—	—	An Act for vesting in Trustees the Estate late of Sir William Pymel Baronet deceased for raising Portions for the younger Children of Sir John Williams and Anne Mary his Wife (Daughter of the said Sir William Pymel) and to enable William Williams their eldest Son to make a Lease to each Wife as he shall marry.	xxviii.	—	50	—
—	—	An Act for vesting certain Messuages and Tenements in the Counties of Bedford and Middlesex in Trustees to be sold and for purchasing Lands or Rents to be sold to the same Uses.	xxix.	—	51	—
—	—	An Act for the more effectual Settlement of the Estate of John Stone of Baldwin Brompton in the County of Oxford Esquire in his Family and Name.	xxx.	—	52	—
—	—	An Act to enable Trustees to make Sale of Part of the Estate of Humphrey Bury for paying off a Mortgage and a Pension charged thereupon.	xxxi.	—	53	—
—	—	An Act for erecting Hospitals and Workhouses within the Town of Sudbury in the County of Suffolk for the better employing and maintaining the Poor thereof.	xxxii.	—	54	—
—	—	An Act to vest several Lands and Tenements in the County of York in Trustees to be sold for the raising of a Pension for Elizabeth Trempen in Infancy.	xxxiii.	—	55	—
—	—	An Act to enable the Trustees of James Haas Esquire deceased to sell Timber for the Payment of his Debts and Legacies.	xxxiv.	—	56	—
—	—	An Act to enable Edward Masell Esquire to raise a further Sum of One thousand Pounds on a Mortgage of the Impropriate Rectory of Litherkirk for the Payment of his Debts.	xxxv.	—	57	—
—	—	An Act for enlarging the Time for John Lord Haveresham to make his Claim before the Trustees for the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xxxvi.	—	70	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Sir Thomas Donnell Baronet with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xxxvii.	—	71	83
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Francis Earl of Carlingford and others against several Outlaws in the County of Tipperary in Ireland.	xxxviii.	—	74	—
—	—	An Act for the making Provision for the Protestant Children of the Duke of Chancery and the Lord Begins.	xxxix.	—	75	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Thomas Earl of Lincolne of the Kingdom of Ireland and Elizabeth Countess Dowager of Lincolne with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xl.	—	74	—
—	—	An Act to enable Rebecca Windham to sell and dispose of an Estate late Sarah Verdine in the County of Norfolk.	xli.	—	75	—

## CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE of Acts passed in the Reign of Queen Anne.

DATE.		TITLE or DESCRIPTION OF THE ACT.	NUMBER.			Price of the Volume.
A.D.	Reign.		Of the Chapter in which passed.	Of the Year in which passed.	Of the Original Act in Parliament.	
	ANNE.	IN CHANCERY.				
1702.	AN. 1. continued.	An Act to enable the Bishop of Gloucester and his Successors to make distinct and separate Leases of the Manorial Lands and Premises therein mentioned.	xlvi.	—	76	82
—	—	An Act for the enabling Abraham Burwell to make a more ample Settlement of his Estate for the Benefit of his Family and to sell Part thereof for paying Portion for his younger Children in his Life time and for Payment of his Debts.	xlvi.	—	77	—
—	—	An Act for the better Improvement of Suffolk Place in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey.	xlvi.	—	78	—
—	—	An Act for settling the Estate late of John and Robert Winslow Gent deceased upon Trustees to be sold and the Purchase Money applied to the Uses therein mentioned.	xlvi.	—	79	—
—	—	An Act for vesting the Lands of Henry Powlett a Lunatick in Trustees in order to make suitable Provisions for him his near Heir and next Relations.	xlvi.	—	80	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Sir Richard Edward Peter Tegan and the Protestant Children of Sir Anthony Mallow deceased with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xlvi.	—	81	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of William Leel Viscount Montjoy of the Kingdom of Ireland with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xlvi.	—	82	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Robert Edgeworth Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xlvi.	—	83	—
—	—	An Act for vesting several Lands in the County of Surrey and Senex the Estate of Mary Johnson Wife of William Johnson Gent in Trustees to be sold for discharging several Mortgages and other Debts charged upon the Estate of the said William Johnson and vesting his Estate upon his said Wife and her Children by last clear of Incumbrances.	l.	—	84	—
—	—	An Act for enlarging the Time for John Hill Esquire and his Wife to cover their Claim before the Trustees for Sale of the forfeited Estates in Ireland with relation to a Judgment against Robert Gent and for the Relief of the Creditors of John Grace and the Widow Protestant Children and Creditors of the late Sir Patrick Traut with relation to the said forfeited Estates and for the indemnifying the Earl of Carlisle touching Mortgage Money by him owing to the said late Sir Patrick Traut.	l.	—	85	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Edward Nugent Esq. with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	li.	—	86	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Joseph Machel Esq. with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	li.	—	87	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Dennis Molesey Gent with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	li.	—	88	—
—	—	An Act for the enlarging the Time for Cesar Bradshaw Esquire to prosecute his Claim before the Trustees for the Irish Forfeitures.	li.	—	89	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Jane Lavelle with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	li.	—	89	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of James Easton of Yeoman Town Agnewsham Yeany Esquire George Fald and Thomas Briggs with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	li.	—	91	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Francis Spring and other Protestant Tenants of the forfeited Estates in Ireland in respect of their Real Improvements and for confirming a Protestant Settlement at Pomeroy and of a Charity at Mulliston in the County of Cork and for Relief of Alice Countess Dowager of Douglas and Sir John Dillon.	li.	—	92	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Agnes Gold and his Family with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	li.	—	93	—

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DATE		TITLE OR DESCRIPTION OF THE ACT.	NUMBER			Value of it.
A. D.	Reg.		Of the Chapter as passed.	Of the Roll as Chancery.	Of the Original as in Parliament.	
		IN CHANCERY				
1701.	ANNO. AN. 1. reigned.	An Act for the Relief of Sir William Ashurst Knight with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lx.	—	94	83
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Mary Vernon with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxi.	—	95	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Katherine Christen Widow and her Children with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxii.	—	96	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of William Spencer Esquire and the Wife and Children of the late Lord Esmaux of the Kingdom of Ireland with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxiii.	—	97	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Katherine Harris and Wife with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxiv.	—	98	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Susanna Smith Widow with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxv.	—	99	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Captain Richard Walsley and other Freeman Leases in Ireland.	lxvi.	—	100	84
—	—	An Act for enlarging the Time for Sir Stephen Fox to make his Claim before the Treasurers for the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxvii.	—	101	—
—	—	An Act for enlarging the Time for Rebecca Vincennes Foxfield of the Kingdom of Scotland to enter her Claim before the Treasurers for the forfeited Estates in Ireland to a Mortgage upon Part of the said Estates.	lxviii.	—	102	—
—	—	An Act for exempting and discharging of Arthur French and Sarah his Wife from accounting to the Treasurers for the forfeited Estates in Ireland for the Personal Estate of Iridi Farrel deceased.	lxix.	—	103	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Charlotte Talbot with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxx.	—	104	—
—	—	An Act to recompence Philip Savage Esquire for the Charge of Oathsworn and attending the Treasurers for the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxxi.	—	105	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Maurice Ansdley Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxxii.	—	106	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Thomas Lee Esquire and others Executors of Sir John Heley Knight and Peter Goodale Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxxiii.	—	107	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Thomas Pinshott Gentleman and Katherine his Wife with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland and for improving Her Majesty to great Writs of Error for reversing the Oathsworn against John Nagas and Lawrence Pin-Gerald.	lxxiv.	—	108	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of John Ellis Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	lxxv.	—	109	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Thomas Saint Leger de Berclon Joseph de Lamoignon Alexandre de Raquet Des Fourmeaux and others.	lxxvi.	—	111	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Stephen Beauvois John Girard and others.	lxxvii.	—	112	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Daniel Van Hyman and others.	lxxviii.	—	113	—



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DATE		TITLE OR DESCRIPTION OF THE ACT	NUMBER			PAGE OF THE VOLUME
A.D.	Reign.	IN CHAMBER	OF THE Commons passed	OF THE Bill in Chamber	OF THE Original Act in Parliament	
1700.	Ann.	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for granting to Her Majesty a Land Tax for carrying on the War against France and Spain.	I.	p. 1.	1	25
		<sup>1</sup> The Bill is intitled "A Bill to be enacted in Great Britain, for raising a Land Tax, and is here passed in the First Act passed in the First Parliament called by that Queen. The Bill of the subsequent Acts of the same are intitled "A Bill to be enacted in Great Britain, for raising a Land Tax, and is here passed in the First Act passed in the First Parliament, and the same is here called Chapter I. in conformity with the above Intendment, and is kept the Number of the Chapter as near as may be with those of the common printed Editions.				
		An Act for enabling Her Majesty to send a Revenue for supporting the Dignity of His Royal Highness Prince George of Denmark in case he shall survive Her Majesty.				
		An Act for granting a Supply to Her Majesty by several Duties imposed upon Milk, Must, Cyder and Perry.	III.	2	8	122
		An Act for [the ' <sup>1</sup> '] continuing the Duties upon Cosh Calves and Cynders.	IV.	3	7	151
		<sup>1</sup> G. cattle.				
		An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by Sale of several Antiquities at the Exchange for carrying on the War against France and Spain.	V.	4	3	163
		An Act for the better preventing Escapes out of the Queen's Bench and Fleet Prisons.	VI.	5	15	164
		An Act for explaining and making effectual a late Statute concerning the Houses and Fleets of the Borough of Great Yarmouth and for confirming the Rights and Privileges of the said Borough.	VII.	6	18	166
		An Act for Explanation of a Clause in One Act made in the Seventh Year of His late Majesty King relating to Bonds and to take off the additional Subsidy upon Irish Laces.	VIII.	7	14	167
		An Act for punishing of Assassins in Felonies and Robbers of stolen Goods and to prevent the wild burning and destroying of Ships.	IX.	8	16	168
		An Act for the better repairing and amending the Highways from the North End of Throeswood Common to Woodford in the County of Essex.	X.	9	17	169
		An Act for making the River Cam alias Great in the County of Cambridge more navigable from City-Hatch Ferry to the Queens Mill in the University and Town of Cambridge.	XI.	10	13	172
		An Act for the finishing and adorning the Cathedral Church of Saint Pauls London.	XII.	11	11	178
		An Act for continuing former Acts for exporting Leather and for Ease of Juries and for reviving and making more effectual an Act relating to Vagrants.	XIII.	12	18	180
		An Act for the encouraging the Consumption of raked Corn and for the better possessing the raising of French and Foreign Brandy.	XIV.	13	19	181
		( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for raising the Miths of this Kingdom for the Year One thousand seven hundred and three notwithstanding the Miths Pay formerly advanced be not repaid.	XV.	14	24	182
		<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXXI. in the Common printed Editions.				
		( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to oblige Edward Whittaker to account for each Sum of Publick Money as hath been received by him.	XVI.	15	26	183
		<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXXI. in the Common printed Editions.				

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DATE		TITLE OR DESCRIPTION OF THE ACT.	NUMBER			PART of the Session.
4th.	Reg.		Of the Chapter as printed.	Of the Bill as Chambered.	Of the Statute as Enacted.	
		IN CHANCERY.				
	ANNO.	THE TITLES TO THE PRIVATE ACTS.				
1702.	ANNO. REG. continued	An Act for vesting a Mortgage in a late Act inserted An Act to enable Sir Robert Marshall Knight and Baronet to dispose of Lands in Hertfordshire and to settle other Lands of better Value in Kent to the same Uses as the Lands in Hertfordshire are settled.	i.	—	4	184
—	—	An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate late of William Peachey Esq; deceased for Payment of Legacies charged thereupon.	ii.	—	5	—
—	—	An Act for settling divers Manors Lands and Hereditaments the Estate of Henry Duke of Beaufort according to the Agreements made upon his Marriage and for other Purposes in the said Act mentioned.	iii.	—	17	—
—	—	An Act to vest divers Lands and Tenements of Sir Thomas Brograve Baronet in the County of Hertford in Trustees to be sold and to settle other Lands and Tenements in lieu thereof.	iv.	—	18	—
—	—	An Act for giving further Title to John Lord Bishop of Chichester and his Successors to make Leases of certain Houses and Ground in and near Chancery Lane belonging to the Bishoprick of Chichester.	v.	—	19	—
—	—	An Act to enable Sir Edward Williams to sell certain Manors and Lands in the Counties of Brecon and Radnor for Payment of Debts.	vi.	—	20	—
—	—	An Act for the better collecting the Duties granted for making the Way out of Chancery Lane into Lincoln Inn Fields and for diminishing the said Duties when the Parties concerned are paid.	vii.	—	21	—
—	—	An Act to enable the surviving Trustees and Executors of the late WILL and Testament of Thomas Pine Esq; deceased to pay an Annuity unto Midway Pine Esq; for his Maintenance and Education until he shall attain his Age of One and twenty Years.	viii.	—	22	—
—	—	An Act to enable Richard Lord Bulkeley Viscount Cashell in the Kingdom of Ireland and Richard Bulkeley Esquire his Son to make a Settlement upon the Marriage of the said Richard Bulkeley.	ix.	—	23	—
—	—	An Act for confirming and establishing a Partition made by Sir Edmund Fowler Knight and Diana Ann his Wife and Elizabeth Eggleston Widow of certain Manors and Lands in the County of Kent in the Year One thousand six hundred and thirty four.	x.	—	24	—
—	—	An Act for incorporating certain Persons for the better providing for and setting at work the Poor in the City of Gloucester.	xi.	—	25	—
—	—	An Act to enable Andrew Hacker Esq; to dispose of several Messuages and Lands in the Counties of Stafford and Warwick and City of Litchfield for making Provision for his younger Children upon settling another Estate at Stratton in the County of Lancashire of better Value to the same Uses as the Messuages and Lands in the Counties of Stafford and Warwick and City of Litchfield were settled.	xii.	—	26	—
—	—	An Act for making Provision for the younger Children of Jonathan Cardenas of Canterbury in the County of Gloucester Esq; and for supplying an Omission in his Father's Will of a Power for making Leases.	xiii.	—	27	—
—	—	An Act to enable William Coleman Esq; and others to make Sale of Lands for Payment of the Debts and Legacies of William Sewell Esq; deceased.	xiv.	—	28	—
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—	—	An Act for the better settling the Real and Personal Estate of John Goddard Esq; deceased to and for the Benefit of John Goddard Jun Son and Mary Goddard his Daughter Infants during their Minority.	xvi.	—	30	—
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—	—	An Act for the better improving a certain Piece of Ground in the Parish of Saint Martin in the Fields for the Use of the Poor and for other the Purposes therein mentioned.	xix.	—	45	—
—	—	An Act to enable the Devisors of James Sappell and all claiming under them to make Leases for the Improvement of the Estate devised.	xx.	—	46	—
—	—	An Act concerning the Exchange of certain Lands lying in or near Hampton in the County of Northampton for Lands lying in or near Wicks in the County of Lincoln.	xxi.	—	47	—
—	—	An Act for the better Execution of the Will of John Loose Esq; deceased and for Sale of Part of his Estate to pay his Debts and Legacies for preserving the Residue thereof.	xxii.	—	48	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of divers Lands in the County of Kildare and Kingdom of Ireland being the Estate of Agnesdellum Vesey Esq; and his Two Daughters Ann Vesey and Henrietta Vesey for the paying of Debts and clearing Incumbrances charged thereon and also for improving the said Agnesdellum Vesey to make Leases for any Term not exceeding One and twenty Years.	xxiii.	—	49	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of several Estates for Payment of Debts charged thereon and for disposing of the Residue of the Money at Interest for the Benefit of Giles Luttrell and other Infants pursuant to their Fathers Will.	xxiv.	—	50	—
—	—	An Act to enable John Arden Esq; to pay his Fathers Debts and make Provision for his Brother and Sister.	xxv.	—	51	—
—	—	An Act for raising Fifteen hundred Pounds by Mortgage of Lands in the County of Dorset for Payment of Debts and for a further Provision and Maintenance for the younger Children of Philip Callicott Esquire.	xxvi.	—	52	—
—	—	An Act for charging the Estate late of Thomas Lister Esq; deceased with Maintenance for his Nine younger Children.	xxvii.	—	53	—
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—	—	An Act for vesting divers Lands and Tenements of Edward Owen of Eaton Muscott in the County of Salop Esq; in Trustees to be sold for Payment of his Debts.	xxix.	—	55	—
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—	—	<sup>c</sup> This is Chapter XX in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>c</sup> ) An Act for advancing the Sale of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland and for vesting such as remain unsold by the present Trustees in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for such Time as the same were before vested in the said Trustees and for the more effectual selling and raising the said Estates to Protestants and for explaining several Acts relating to the Lord Bishop and Sir Richmond Estlin.	XVIII.	2	3	203
—	—	<sup>c</sup> This is Chapter XXII. in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>c</sup> ) An Act for preventing Frauds in Her Majesties Duties upon stamp Vellum Parchment and Paper.	XIX.	3	10	240
—	—	<sup>c</sup> This is Chapter XXIII. in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>c</sup> ) An Act for punishing Officers or Soldiers who shall mutiny or desert Her Majesties Service in England or Ireland and for punishing false Monitors and for better Payment of Quarters in England.	XX.	4	18	209
—	—	<sup>c</sup> This is Chapter XXIV. in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>c</sup> ) An Act for enlarging the Time for taking the Oath of Abjuration and also for reciprocating and indemnifying such Persons as have not taken the same by the Time limited and shall take the same by a Time to be appointed and for the further Security of Her Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for continuing the Honors of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors.	XXI.	5	51	218
—	—	<sup>c</sup> This is Chapter XXVII. in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>c</sup> ) An Act for the more effectual preventing the Absence and Frauds of Persons employed in the working up the Woollen Linnen Fustian Cotton and Iron Manufactures of this Kingdom.	XXII.	6	13	220
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—	—	( <sup>c</sup> ) An Act for taking examining and stating the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom.	XXIII.	7	10	221
—	—	<sup>c</sup> This is Chapter XXX in the Common Printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>c</sup> ) An Act for renewing and continuing the late Acts for appointing Commissioners to take accounts and discharge the Debts due to the Army and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the late War.	XXIV.	8	15	222
—	—	<sup>c</sup> This is Chapter XXXI. in the Common printed Editions.				
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1703.	AN. 4th.	An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Years One thousand seven hundred and four.	I.	p. 1. 1.	1	246
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—	—	An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty for carrying on the War and other Her Majesties Occasions by selling Assizes at several Rates and for such respective Terms or Estates as are therein mentioned.	III.	3	4	246
—	—	An Act for the publick registering of all Deeds Conveyances and Wills that shall be made of any Houses Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within the West Riding of the County of York after the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and four.	IV.	p. 2. 1.	3	247
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—	—	An Act for the erecting a Workhouse in the City of Worcester and for setting the Poor on Works there.	VIII.	5	9	164
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the better and more regular paying and adjusting the Accounts after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum payable to several Bankers and other Patenters or those claiming under them. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XX in the Common printed Edition.	IX.	6	40	169
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the Discharge out of Prison such Involuntary Debtors as shall serve or procure a Person to serve as Her Majesty's Fleet or Army. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXV. in the Common printed Edition.	X.	7	48	171
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for better charging several Accompanys with Interest Monies by them received and to be received. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXVIII. in the Common printed Edition.	XI.	8	45	173
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the farther Explanation and Regulation of the Privilege of Parliament in relation to Persons in Publick Offices. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXX. in the Common printed Edition.	XII.	9	43	174
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for raising Recruits for the Land Forces and Marines and for disposing with Part of the Act for the Encouragement and Increase of Shipping and Navigation during the present War. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXX. in the Common printed Edition.	XIII.	10	46	175
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—	—	An Act to enable the Guardian of the Earl of Warwick and Holland during his Minority to make Leases of several Messuages in or near West Smithfield.	ii.	—	10	—
—	—	An Act for settling and confirming several Exchanges with Ralph Earl Montagu of several Lands and Cities of Simon Manton and others lying in Gillingham in the County of Northampton for several Lands of the said Earl's lying near to the same and for confirming several Agreements relating to the said Exchanges.	iii.	—	11	—
—	—	An Act for confirming the Execution of a certain Agreement made between Ralph Lord Grey Baron of Wike and Charles Lord Ouseburne and the Lady Mary his Wife touching certain Manors Lands and Tenements in the Counties of Northumberland Middlesex and City of London and also between Lawrence Earle of Rochester and the said Lord Grey concerning other Manors Lands and Tenements in the said County of Northumberland County Palatine of Durham and Town of Berwick upon Tweed.	iv.	—	12	—
—	—	An Act for vesting several Estates in the Counties of Cornwall and Devon and several Leasehold Estates as Trustees to be sold for raising Parliaments for the younger Children of George Lord Carteret deceased and for laying out the Overplus of the Money raised by such Sales in purchase of other Lands.	v.	—	13	—
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—	—	An Act to discharge the Governor and Company for making Hollow Sword Blades in England the Sum of Eighteen thousand eight hundred and sixty four Shillings Seven Shillings and One Penny Half pence by mistake overcharged in the Purchase Money for several forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland purchased by them.	xii.	—	20	—
—	—	An Act for vesting several Estates of Sir Charles Biskessell Knight in Trust to be sold for Payment of Debts and making Provision for his Wife and Daughter.	xiii.	—	21	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of certain Lands in Cheshire in the County of Northampton of William Adams Clerk for Payment of Debts and of Portions to his younger Brothers and Sisters and setting other Lands of greater Value upon his Wife and Children in life thereof.	xiv.	—	22	—
—	—	An Act for vesting the Estate of Thomas Leigh late of Ridge in the County of Chester Esquire deceased in Trust for the Payment of his Debts perfecting his Purchases and better effecting the Purposes in his Will.	xv.	—	23	—
—	—	An Act for the making void certain Uses Estates and Trusts limited in the Marriage Settlement of Henry Austley Esq <sup>r</sup> of certain Manors and Lands contained in that Settlement and setting other Manors and Lands of better Value to and for the same Uses Estates and Trusts.	xvi.	—	24	—
—	—	An Act to enable Robert Carew Esquire to settle Part of his Estate (which he has improved) for raising Portions for his younger Children.	xvii.	—	25	—
—	—	An Act for vesting Lands in Trust devised by Sir Robert Kemp Knight deceased to the Children and Grand Children of Elizabeth Outter one of his Sisters and Coheirs in Trust to be sold for the Benefit of the Debts.	xviii.	—	26	—
—	—	An Act for the vesting of Nine Messuages in the Parish of St Giles's in the Fields in the County of Middlesex being the Estate of William Jernam and Mary his Wife in Trust to be sold, and for setting in lieu thereof a Messuage and certain Lands in Whipsnade Tottenham and Bradham in the County of Bedford.	xix.	—	27	—
—	—	An Act to enable John Jenkins Esquire to sell Lands in the Counties of Durham and Northumberland for Payment of Debts charged thereupon.	xx.	—	28	—
—	—	An Act for vesting in Trust Part of the Estate of Thomas Haddockenden Bowen Esquire for Payment of the Debts and Legacies whereof the said Estate is charged and for preserving the Residue clear of Charges for the Benefit of Thomas Bowen an Infant.	xxi.	—	29	—
—	—	An Act to enable Ambella Pace to lay out Monies belonging to her Son Topham Pace in Purchase of Lands for his Benefit.	xxii.	—	30	—
—	—	An Act to enable the Lord High Treasurer of England or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with John Ferris Esquire for a Debt due from him as Surety for John Mason Gentleman late Receiver General for the County of Cambridge and Isle of Ely.	xxiii.	—	31	—

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1703.	Ann.	An Act for the vesting the Manors of Michael Church in the County of Rutland and other Lands in the County of Salop. of Mary Bowdler and William Bowdler Gentlemen in certain Trusts for Payment of the Debts and making Provision for the younger Children of the said William Bowdler.	xxiv.	—	37	477
—	—	An Act for settling the Manors of Church in the County of Somerset in Trusts to enable them to raise Loans for the Maintenance of the younger Sons of William Kept Esquire deceased during their Minority.	xxv.	—	33	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of some Part of the Estate of John Holden Gentlemen and Robert Holden his Son for Payment of their Debts and for disposing of younger Children Apprentices.	xxvi.	—	34	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Isaac Kept.	xxvii.	—	35	—
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—	—	An Act for naturalizing Henry Belmond de Saint Leger Four de la Courge Lewis Wadden and others.	xxix.	—	37	—
—	—	An Act to vest the Manors of Harleap and Gattelthorp and all other the Lands and Hereditaments of Sir Peter Tyrrell Baronet and Thomas Tyrrell his Son in the County of Bucks in Trusts to sell Part thereof for Payment of Debts and to settle other Lands and Hereditaments there being of an equal Value in lieu of Lands to be sold.	xxx.	—	38	—
—	—	An Act to enable Sir John Cooper Knight and Anthony Heady Esquire to make a Partition and grant Building Leases of several Mannors and Towns in Lincolnshire Fields in the Parish of East Glean in the Fields and Saint Clements Dunes in the County of Middlesex.	xxxi.	—	39	—
—	—	An Act to vest Part of the Estate of Sir Christopher Phillips Knight in Trusts to be sold for Payment of Debts and for charging Part thereof with Maintenance for a Daughter who is a Lunatick.	xxxii.	—	40	478
—	—	An Act for vesting the Manors of Yoxlinton in the County of Somerset and other Lands therein mentioned of William Curry Esquire in Trusts for discharging Incumbrances and making Provision for his younger Children and selling other Lands in the County of Devon in lieu thereof.	xxxiii.	—	41	—
—	—	An Act for vesting divers Mannors and Lands of Matthew Holworthy Esquire in Trusts to be sold and purchasing other Mannors or Lands of equal Value and leaving the Mannors or Lands to be purchased to the same Uses as the Lands to be sold are limited.	xxxiv.	—	42	—
—	—	An Act for enabling Bernard Cotton Esquire to sell some Part of his Estate for Payment of his Debts and for confirming several Conveyances already made of several other Parts of his Estate by himself and Trustees to several Purchasers thereof.	xxxv.	—	43	—
—	—	An Act to charge the Estate of Ambrose Andrews Gent. with Marriages for Payment of Debts and for supplying some Defects in the Settlement of the said Estate for making a Jointure and Leases upon the said Estate.	xxxvi.	—	44	—
—	—	An Act to establish and confirm a Partition and Agreement of and touching the Estate of Sir Thomas Style late of Waterbury in the County of Kent Baronet.	xxxvii.	—	45	—
—	—	An Act for selling the Estate of Doctor Thomas Lamplugh deceased pursuant to his Marriage Articles and Settlement prepared for that Purpose and for Provision for his younger Children.	xxxviii.	—	46	—
—	—	An Act for the better vesting in Giles Frampton Esquire the Manor and Farm of Moorston alias Morton and Ham in the County of Dorset in Possession and for the better securing the same and the other Mannors Farms Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments late of William Frampton Esq. deceased to him the said Giles Frampton and such as are intended in remainder after him upon the Death of Tregowell Frampton Esquire.	xxxix.	—	47	—
—	—	An Act to enable George Evelyn Esquire to raise Portions for his Brothers and Sisters according to his Father's Will.	xli.	—	48	—

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—	—	An Act to subject the Estate of Robert Coke of Tinsley in the County of Derby Esquire and William Coke his Son and Heir Apparent to the Payment of the said Robert Coke Debts and to make Provision for the Wife and younger Children of the said Robert Coke.	xli.	—	65	—
—	—	An Act for the setting aside a voluntary Settlement made by Mary Ferrar Widow and for raising a Portion made of the Manors of Moulton and Pitt and divers Lands in the County of Sussex between her and Bartholomew Walsley Esq' and others.	xlii.	—	65	—
—	—	An Act for the Improvement of the Estate of John Briscoe Esquire in the County of Cumberland.	xliii.	—	64	—
—	—	An Act for making good the Provision intended for Captain James Roeb out of the forfeited Estates in Ireland and for restoring to the Bishoprick of Cloyne in the said Kingdom the Manor and Lands of Devenem.	xliii.	—	65	—
—	—	An Act for setting aside voluntary Settlements made by John Howe Gent of Estates in the Counties of Stafford and Warwick and setting aside Part of his Estate upon the said John Howe and his Son and for making Provision for the Maintenance of his Son and Daughter and raising a Portion for each Daughter and settling the Residue for Payment of his Debts.	xliii.	—	66	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of the Estate of John Digby Esquire deceased in the County of Buckingham and dividing the Money between Sir John Conway Baronet and Richard Morry Esquire and for settling the Estate of Sir John Conway in the County of Flint and making Provision for his Son and Daughter according to an Agreement to that Purpose.	xliii.	—	67	—
—	—	An Act for the farther accompaning of John Baker Gentleman and his Family for the Service of Colonel Baker at Londonderry in Ireland and for settling the Accounts of the late Receiver of the Rents and Profits of the forfeited Estates in Ireland.	xliii.	—	68	—
—	—	An Act that the Ships the Golden Breeze and Bell being taken as Prize and condemned may have Freedom of trading as English Ships.	xliii.	—	69	—
—	—	An Act to naturalize Daniel Barber John Kerran du Champs and others.	l.	—	70	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Henry de Haro George Chibot and others.	l.	—	71	—
—	—	(*) An Act for raising the Militia for the Years One thousand seven hundred and four notwithstanding the Monthly Pay formerly advanced be not repaid.	XIV.	p. 3.	44	279
—	—	* This is Chapter XLII. in the Common printed Edition.				
—	—	(*) An Act for prolonging the Time by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign for Importing Thrown Silks of the Growth of Sicily from Leghose.	XV.	3	45	279
—	—	* This is Chapter XLII. in the Common printed Edition.				
—	—	(*) An Act for the better securing and regulating the Duties upon Salt.	XVI.	3	46	280
—	—	* This is Chapter XLV. in the Common printed Edition.				
—	—	(*) An Act for punishing Mutiny Desertion and false Murders and for better paying of the Army and Quarters and for settling divers Accounts and for a further Continuance of the Powers of the Five Commissioners for the examining and determining the Accounts of the Army.	XVII.	4	48	284
—	—	* This is Chapter XX. in the Common printed Edition.				



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—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to enlarge the Time for [the <sup>1</sup> ] Purchasers of the Forfeited Estates as Ireland to make the Payment of their Purchase Money. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter X. in the Common printed Edition. <sup>3</sup> inserted in the Roll.	XIX.	6	47	301
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the making more effectual Her Majesties gracious Intention for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy by enabling Her Majesty to grant in Perpetuity the Revenues of the First Fruits and Tenths and also for enabling any other Persons to make Grants for the same Purpose. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XII. in the Common printed Edition. <sup>3</sup> from the Original Act in the Parliament Office, No. 23.	XX.	7	39	393
—	—	An Act to discharge the Governor and Company for making hollow Sword Blades in England of the Sums of Eighteen thousand eight hundred thirty four Pounds Seven Shillings One Penny Halfs penny by Making overcharged in the Purchase Money for several Forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland purchased by them.	XXI.	—	20	304
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1704.	An. 3 & 4.	An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and five.	I.	p. 1. 1	1	306
—	—	An Act for raising Monies by Sale of several Annuities for carrying on the present War.	II.	p. 2. 1	5	397
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for granting to Her Majesty a further Subsidy on Wines and Merchandises imported. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter F. in the Common printed Edition.	III.	2	15	350
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the better enabling Her Majesty to grant the Honor and Manors of Woodstock with the Household of Waite to the Duke of Marlborough and his Heirs in Consideration of the eminent Services by him performed to Her Majesty and the Publick. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter VI. in the Common printed Edition.	IV.	3	14	336
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for providing Mintage and Decrees and False Masters and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter VII. in the Common printed Edition.	V.	4	45	339
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the effectual securing the Kingdom of England from the apparent Danger that may arise from several Acts lately passed in the Parliament of Scotland. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter VIII. in the Common printed Edition.	VI.	p. 3. 1	17	343
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to punish the Exportation of Irish Linen Cloth to the Plantations and to prohibit the Importation of Scotch Linen into Ireland. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter VIII. in the Common printed Edition.	VII.	5	49	351
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for giving full Remedy upon Promissory Notes as is now used upon Bills of Exchange and for the better Payment of inland Bills of Exchange. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter IX. in the Common printed Edition.	VIII.	3	18	353
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for encouraging the Importation of Naval Stores from Her Majesty's Plantations in America. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter X. in the Common printed Edition.	IX.	4	65	354

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Year.	Page.	IN CHANCERY.	Of the Chapter in which printed.	Of the Roll in Chancery.	Of the Original Act in Parliament.	
1704.	Ann. 5 & 6. continued.	( ) An Act for the better securing Her Majesty's Laid Forces and the Manner for the Year One thousand seven hundred and four. <i>* This is Chapter XL in the Common printed Editions.</i>	I.	7-5-5	20	346
—	—	( ) An Act for the Relief of the Creditors of Thomas Prida a Bankrupt and for the apprehending of him and the Discovery of the Effects of the said Thomas Prida and his Accomplishes. <i>* This is Chapter XLII in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XL.	6	25	348
—	—	( ) An Act for prohibiting all Trade and Commerce with France. <i>* This is Chapter XLIII in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XLII.	7	24	350
—	—	( ) An Act to prevent all treasonable Correspondence with Her Majesty's Enemies. <i>* This is Chapter XLIV in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XLIII.	8	23	351
—	—	( ) An Act for [the] Relief of Paul Ernes Gent <sup>d</sup> and others who had elapsed their Terms either for paying their [Mortgages] or assuming their Mortgages for purchasing Annuities and also for Relief of Sir John Wood Knight and Baronet who had elapsed his Time for paying Part of his Purchase Money for a forfeited Estate in Ireland and also for Relief of Dorothy Ireland and others in respect of several Tickets for Payment of Annuities for several Milton Lottery Tickets (*) and Exchequer Bills and Debentures to the Army which have been burnt or lost. <i>* This is Chapter XLV in the Common printed Editions.      * D reads Money D      * and "Milton Lottery" D &amp; King's Printer's Copy</i>	XLIV.	9	25	352
—	—	( ) An Act for raising the Writs for the Year One thousand seven hundred and five although the Month Pay instantly advanced be not repaid. <i>* This is Chapter XLVII in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XLV.	10	25	353
—	—	( ) An Act for making personal an Act for the more easy Recovery of Small Tithes and also an Act for the more easy dividing Partitions of Lands in Coparcenary Joint Tenancy and Tenancy in Common and also for making more effectual and amending several Acts relating to the Revenue of James. <i>* This is Chapter XLVIII in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XLVI.	11	24	354
—	—	( ) An Act for continuing the Duties upon Salt Marsh Cyder and Perry for One Year. <i>* This is Chapter XLIX in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XLVII.	12	6	358
—	—	( ) An Act for continuing Duties upon Low Wines and upon Coffee Tea Chocolate Spices and Peppars and upon Hawkers Pedlars and Petty Chapmen and upon Musins and for granting new Duties upon several of the said Commodities and also upon Cakes Chocolate Ware and Drags. <i>* This is Chapter L in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XLVIII.	13	22	370
—	—	As Act for selling the Right of several Parcels of Land and other Tenements and of certain Holdings and Tythes of Fishings in the Society of the Governor and Auditors Lodges of the new Flanahan in Ulster within the Realm of Ireland and their Successors and for settling a Rate Charge of two hundred and fifty Pounds per Annum upon the Lord Bishop of Derry and his Successors for ever. <i>From the Original Act in the Parliament Office</i>	XIX.	14	2	376

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		IN CHANCERY.				
		THE TITLES TO THE PRIVATE ACTS.				
1704.	ANNE. An. 3 B 4 continued.	An Act for settling the Right of several Parcels of Land and other Tenements and of certain Fishings and Tithes of Fishings in the Society of the Governor and Assistants London of the new Plantation in Ulster within the Realm of Ireland and their Successors and for settling a Rentscharge of Two hundred and fifty Pounds per Annum upon the Lord Bishop of Derry and his Successors for ever.	L.	—	3	27 <sup>b</sup>
—	—	An Act for establishing Thomas Livingston Viscount Teviot in the Kingdom of Scotland.	K.	—	3	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Louisa Mary Countess the Wife of James Countess Esquire.	L.	—	4	—
—	—	An Act to enable Thomas Pile Esq. and Elizabeth Foster to make Loans for Loans of the Estates of Thomas Foster of Inverness Courtney Esq. deceased in also the Son of George Pitt Esq. so to do when married and in actual Possession of the Premises and that he may be entitled to make a Jointure upon any Woman he shall marry out of the same and for establishing a School in Inverness Courtney and augmenting the Vicarage of Carnock in the County of Ross.	iv.	—	7	—
—	—	An Act to enable Agnes Hache Widow and other Trustees to make Loans and sell Lands in the County of Devon for the Payment of the Debts and Liabilities of Robert Hache Esq. deceased and for the Maintenance and Advancement of his Daughters Portion.	v.	—	8	—
—	—	An Act for confirming an Agreement between the Executors of Moses Gould Esq. deceased and his Relict for Payment of the Debts and Maintenance of the younger Children of the said Moses Gould and for settling other Part of his Estate.	vi.	—	9	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of the Estate of Thos. Deane Gent deceased for the Provision of his Widow and Children according to his Will.	vii.	—	10	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Henry Bowman.	viii.	—	11	—
—	—	An Act for vesting in Trustees certain Messuages and Lands of William Deane of Devonshire and William Cavendish commonly called Margins of Harrington to enable them to manage the same for Payment of Debts and subject themselves to settle the same to the like Uses as the same are now settled.	ix.	—	17	—
—	—	An Act to enable the Right Honourable John Lord Poulett and Bridgett Lady Poulett his Wife with the Consent of their Trustees to sell their Shares and Interest of and in certain Messuages and Lands in the County of Kent and to purchase other Lands or Hereditaments of the like Value to be settled to the same Uses.	x.	—	28	—
—	—	An Act to vest the Estate of Charles Lord Howard Baron of Essex in Trustees to sell the same for Payment of Debts.	xi.	—	33	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of several Estates in England and Ireland for Payment of the Debts of Charles late (*) of Bostington and Corkin.	xii.	—	36	—
—	—	An Act for confirming an Agreement made by certain Articles by and between John Earle of Kilmore Richard Lord Bellom both of the Kingdoms of Ireland and France his Lady Charles Countess of Newburgh of the Kingdom of Scotland and William Rowley Esq. and for selling Part of the Estate of the said Earle of Kilmore for the Purposes therein mentioned.	xiii.	—	51	—
—	—	An Act for Confirmation of an Agreement made between Thomas late Lord Bishop of Carlisle and Thomas Coke Esq. for vesting the Rectory of Melborne in the County of Derby in the said Thomas Coke and his Heirs upon Agreement of the Rents to the Bishoprick of Carlisle and of the Bishop to the Vicar of Melborne.	xiv.	—	39	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of several Messuages and Lands in the Counties of Hereford Radnor and Brecon for Payment of the Debts of Richard and Thomas Williams late of Cardigan in the County of Radnor Esquires deceased.	xv.	—	47	—

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A.D.	Reg.		Of the Chapter in which printed.	Of the Session in which passed.	Of the Chapter in which printed.	
1704.	Ann. 3 & 4.	An Act for vesting in Trustees all the Estate of Baldwin Malet Esq <sup>r</sup> , and William Malet his Son and Heir Apparent for Payment of the Debt of the said Baldwin Malet to Her Majesty as he was Receiver General for the County of Somerset and City and County of the City of Bristol and for settling the Rents on the said William Malet his Heirs and Assigns for ever as by Agreement between the said Baldwin Malet and William Malet.	xvi.	—	44	379
—	—	An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Richard Cobb Esq <sup>r</sup> , as One of the Sureties for Thomas Cobb Gardiner deceased Receiver General for the County of Southampton and Isle of Wight.	xvii.	—	40	—
—	—	An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with John Deike John Huxton and Edmund Cooke as Sureties for Augustine Briggs Receiver General for the County of Norfolk and City of Norwich.	xviii.	—	43	—
—	—	An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Sir Michael Biddulph Bart <sup>r</sup> as he was One of the Sureties for Mungo Whitley Esq <sup>r</sup> , Receiver General for the Counties of Chester and North Wales.	xix.	—	33	—
—	—	An Act for settling of the Tythes of certain Lands in France in the County of Warwick upon Simon Biddulph Esquire and his Heirs and for settling a Rent Charge in lieu thereof upon the present Recusant there and his Successors for ever.	xx.	—	64	—
—	—	An Act for the Augmentation of the Vicarage of Grixstonow in the County of Lincoln.	xxi.	—	76	—
—	—	An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Thomas Whitley Esquire as he was One of the Sureties for Mungo Whitley Esquire late Receiver General for the Counties of Chester and North Wales.	xxii.	—	48	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of the Estate of Ambrose Scudamore Esquire deceased for Payment of the Mortgage Money and Debts thereupon and paying out the Overplus Money to the Uses therein mentioned.	xxiii.	—	67	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of certain Lands and Tenements in Hamon in the County of Middlesex late the Estate of Matthew Lister and his Wife and Timothy Whitfield and his Wife for the Purposes therein mentioned.	xxiv.	—	61	—
—	—	An Act to enable James Lockhart Esq <sup>r</sup> , and his Wife to sell certain Lands Tenements and Hereditaments in the County of Essex late of Sir Thomas Lockin Baront deceased for Payment of their Debts and to purchase other Lands with the Overplus of the Money to be settled to the like Uses.	xxv.	—	51	—
—	—	An Act for raising Money by a Mortgage of a Farmhouse in the Barbadoes to pay the Debts of Robert Hooper.	xxvi.	—	74	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of Edward Baines Gent for Discharge of a Mortgage thereupon and making Provision [thereupon] "for his Daughters" &c.	xxvii.	—	70	—
—	—	An Act for severing and dividing the Church or Chapel of Home from the Church or Chapel of Hoxeysley in the County of Surrey.	xxviii.	—	71	—
—	—	An Act to enable Trustees to raise Money to pay the Debts of Mark Dalry Esq <sup>r</sup> , deceased.	xxix.	—	73	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of several Lands late of Thomas Goddard of Radlow in the County of Wilts Esq <sup>r</sup> , deceased for Payment of his Debts and for settling the Overplus upon Ambrose Goddard for the Purposes therein mentioned.	xxx.	—	63	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of several Lands and Hereditaments of George Noden Esq <sup>r</sup> in the County of Hereford for Payment of his Debts and the Debts of George Noden Esq <sup>r</sup> his Father deceased charged thereupon.	xxxi.	—	38	—

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		IN CHANCERY				
1704.	ANNE. 3 & 4 continued.	An Act to enable Joseph Hinman of North Hams in the County of Southampton Esq <sup>r</sup> . to sell some Estates in Andover in the said County and for the selling other Estates in the said County of a better Value in the same Uses.	xxxix.	—	53	379
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—	—	An Act for Sale of several Lands in the Counties of Durham and Northumberland late of Pandolfus Crowe Esq <sup>r</sup> . deceased for the raising the Portion charged thereon for his younger Children.	xl.	—	54	—
—	—	An Act for vesting an Estate managed in Fee by Thomas Burr to Anthony Tomkins (now an Infant) in Trust to receive the same to the said Thomas Burr or as he shall appear upon Payment of all the said Monies due on the said Mortgage.	xli.	—	64	—
—	—	An Act for confirming and making good the last Will and Testament of Hugh Murray Esq <sup>r</sup> . deceased.	xlii.	—	75	—
—	—	An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with John Mason Gent who was Receiver General for the County University and Town of Cambridge and his of Ely and also with John Pickering Solicitor One of the said John Mason's Servants to be was such Receiver.	xliii.	—	41	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of the Estate of Charles Madworth Esq <sup>r</sup> deceased for Payment of his Debts.	xliiii.	—	73	380
—	—	An Act for vesting the Estate late of Thomas Grey Gent deceased in Trust to be sold for Payment of his Debts.	xlv.	—	68	—
—	—	An Act to enable John Proctor of Rock in the County of Northumberland Esq <sup>r</sup> to sell or otherwise dispose of his Lands in Shewdon Shewdon Woodhouse and Crawley upon selling Lands of like Value in the said County where thereof.	xlv.	—	68	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of John Sands Esq <sup>r</sup> . in the County of Surrey for Payment of his Debts and raising a Portion for his Daughters.	xli.	—	56	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of the Estate of Richard Ball in Little Appleby and Great Appleby in the Counties of Derby and Litchfield and for laying out so much of the Money as will purchase another Estate of equal Value to be settled to the same Uses and the Residue in making Provision for younger Children.	xli.	—	49	—
—	—	An Act to enable Edmund Waller Esq <sup>r</sup> . to charge his Estate (not settled on his Wife in Jointure) with a Sum of Money for Payment of his Debts.	xli.	—	77	—
—	—	An Act for raising Money for Payment of the Debts of Thomas Fletcher Esq <sup>r</sup> . by Sale or Mortgage of some Part of his Estate and for the better Execution of several Powers in his Marriage Settlement.	xli.	—	59	—
—	—	An Act to enable John Green of Garsellacre in the County of Southampton Clerk to sell some Estates in Haddesdon in the County of Wilts and for the selling other Estates in Garsellacre in the County of Southampton of a better Value in the same Uses.	xli.	—	60	—
—	—	An Act to enable Margaretta Condit Calogon Wife of Benjamin Condit Calogon Gilbert Alcock and John Herman Lewis.	xli.	—	78	—
—	—	An Act for enabling Trustees to make Leases of Part of the Manor of Dingley and Lands there for Payment of the Debts of James Griffin Esq <sup>r</sup> . and raising Portions for younger Children.	xli.	—	34	—
—	—	An Act for the better Explanation of the Settlement of the Estate of William Trafford Gent and Clara his Wife and William their eldest Son and for making more effectual a Provision for younger Children according to Agreements between them.	xli.	—	50	—
—	—	An Act for vesting the Equity of Redemption of the Manor and Capital Messuages of Litchfield with the Appurtenances and down Freehold Messuages Farms and Lands in Litchfield and Hamby in the County of Oxon late the Estate of William Lenthall Esq <sup>r</sup> deceased in Trust to be sold for discharging of Incumbrances thereon.	xli.	—	53	—

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A.D.	Reign		Of the Chapter printed.	Of the Book in Chancery.	Of the Original Act in Parliament.	
1704.	Anno. An. 3 & 4. continued	An Act to enable William Cavendish Esq <sup>r</sup> to make a Settlement in Jointure upon any Wife he shall marry and for the better raising the Portions charged upon his Estate and for conferring Infranchisements of several Copyhold Estates made by his Father within the Manor of Dovebridge in the Counties of Stafford and Derby.	xliv.	—	37	380
—	—	An Act to enable Sir George Warburton Bart <sup>l</sup> to sell the Manor or Lordship of Pelford in the County of Chester to perform an Agreement made upon his Marriage for Payment of several Portions charged upon his Estate and also to pay some Debts which his Father had Power to charge.	l.	—	38	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of several Lands and Chancel Estates in the County of Devon and City and County of Exeter of Joseph Place for Payment of his Debts and Legacies charged upon his Estate and for a Provision for himself his Wife and Family.	k.	—	65	—
—	—	An Act to marshall Andrew Girardot also Deservincourt Francis Banello and others.	li.	—	79	—
—	—	An Act to make some Alterations and Amendments in an Act of Parliament passed the last Session by Sir Peter Tyrrell and Thomas Tyrrell his Son in order to enable (1) to sell several Lands in Hunslop and Cusworth in the County of Bucks which were seized upon the Marriage of the said Thomas Tyrrell and Dorothy his Wife and to sell other Lands in lieu thereof.	lii.	—	35	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of Baptist May Esq <sup>r</sup> deceased for redeeming Charles May Esq <sup>r</sup> his Nephew such Money as he has expended for discharging the Debts Legacies and Funeral Charges of the said Baptist May.	liv.	—	43	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of the Estate of Thomas Holford Esq <sup>r</sup> in Plumby and elsewhere in the County of Chester consisting chiefly in Reversions to raise Money for Payment of his Debts and purchasing an Estate in Possession to be settled to the same Uses as the other Estate was used.	lv.	—	57	—
—	—	An Act for confirming a Lease heretofore made of certain Messuages and Lands in Epson by Sir Joseph Shelden and Sir James Edwards to Humphrey Benn and agreed to be assigned to Sir Thomas Cooke Esq <sup>r</sup> and for outlying a Lease of other Lands adjoining to the same to be made to him.	lv.	—	33	—
—	—	An Act for vesting in Trustees the Estate late of Sir Thomas Warring Kn <sup>t</sup> and John Warring Esq <sup>r</sup> his Son deceased in Parbury Fields or Moorfields in the Parish of St. Andrew in the County of Middlesex to be sold for the Payment of Debts and Legacies and the Overplus of the Money remaining to be laid out for the purchasing of Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of Inheritance in the Kingdom of Ireland to be settled as in the Act is particularly mentioned.	lvii.	—	38	381
—	—	An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Thomas Knayson Esquire of Lake Lloyd Esq <sup>r</sup> as he was One of the Sheriffs of Morgan Whitley Esq <sup>r</sup> as he was Receiver General for the Countess of Chester and North Wales.	lviii.	—	46	—
—	—	An Act for vesting the Estate of Joseph Grange and Elizabeth his Wife in Trustees to be sold and to dispose of Part of the Money arising by such Sale for the Maintenance of the said Elizabeth pursuant to their Marriage Settlement and to apply the Residue to the Payment of the Debts of the said Joseph Grange.	lix.	—	32	—
—	—	An Act to enable Thomas to sell such Part of the Estate of Richard Lister Esq <sup>r</sup> and Frances Parr Lister his Wife sole Daughter and Heir of Sir Thomas Smith Bart <sup>l</sup> deceased in the County of Chester and City of Chester as remains unsold in order to raise Money for the Payment of the Debts of the said Sir Thomas Smith and for Provision for younger Children of the said Frances Parr Lister and for applying the Overplus in the Purchase of other Lands to be settled to the same Uses as they are now settled and otherwise for conferring such Leases and Sales as have been made towards Discharge of the said Debts.	lx.	—	58	—
—	—	An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Michael Wicks Esquire late Receiver General of the Plantation Duties in the Port of London.	lxi.	—	42	—

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1705.	Anne.					
—	An. 4th 5.	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax [to be <sup>2</sup> ] raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and six. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter II. in the Common printed Editions. <sup>2</sup> inserted in the Act.	I.	p. 4.	3	381
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for making the River Stour Navigable from the Town of Maccles- tree in the County of Essex to the Town of Sudbury in the County of Suffolk. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XX. in the Common printed Editions.	II.	p. 4. 1	11	451
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the Amendment of the Law and the better Advancement of Justice. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXII. in the Common printed Editions.	III.	2	30	453
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to prevent Frauds frequently committed by Bankrupts. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXIII. in the Common printed Editions.	IV.	3	34	461
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for enlarging the Pier and Harbour of Porton in the County of Cumberland. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXIV. in the Common printed Editions.	V.	4	37	465
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the Encouragement and Extension of Science and for the better and speedier Mending Her Majesty's Fleet. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXV. in the Common printed Editions.	VI.	5	41	468
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the better building the Master Wardens and Assistants of Trinity House to rebuild the Light-House on the Edystone Rock. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXVI. in the Common printed Editions.	VII.	6	35	474
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the Encouragement and better Preservation of Salmon and other Fish in the Rivers within the Counties of Southampten and Wilts. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXVII. in the Common printed Editions.	VIII.	7	40	475
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to issue out of the Monies arising by the Coyage Duty any Sum not exceeding Five hundred Pounds over and above the Sum of Three thousand Pounds yearly for the Use of the Mint. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXVIII. in the Common printed Editions.	IX.	8	34	477
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for raising the Mithra for the Year One thousand seven hundred and six notwithstanding the Mithra Pay formerly advanced be not repaid and for an Account to be made of Treasury Monies. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXIX. in the Common printed Editions.	X.	9	38	477
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to oblige the Yeas for registering unsatisfied Debentures upon the Solemnized Estates in Ireland and for removing of other Debentures which have been lost burnt or destroyed. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXX. in the Common printed Editions.	XI.	10	33	493
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the paying and clearing the several Regiments commanded by Lieutenant General Stewart Colonel Hill and Brigadier Heit and for supply- ing the Defect of the Muster Rolls of those and several other Regiments. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXXI. in the Common printed Editions.	XII.	11	44	499
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for making offered a Grant of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary of the Town and Lands of Satterton to the Archbishoprick of Dublin and for reserving the same to the said Son. <sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXXII. in the Common printed Editions.	XIII.	12	32	480

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		IN CHANCERY				
		THE TITLES TO THE PRIVATE ACTS.				
1705	Ann. An 4 & 5. continued.	An Act for Sale of the Estate of Thomas Chute Esquire in the County of Warwick and buying out the Mortgages arising thereby in the Purchase of other Lands and Hereditaments in the County of Stafford to be settled to the same Uses as the Warwickshire Estate aforesaid.	i.	—	5	484
—	—	An Act for restoring William Hamet Esquire.	ii.	—	6	—
—	—	An Act for restoring Peter Adewale Doctor of Physick.	iii.	—	7	—
—	—	An Act for restoring Adolphus Deichem of Shrewsbury.	iv.	—	12	—
—	—	An Act for exchanging the Parsonage House and certain Glebe Lands belonging to the Rectory of Watton at Stone in the County of Hereford for a certain other House and Lands of greater Value lying in Watton at Stone aforesaid of and belonging to Philip Boswell Esquire.	v.	—	13	—
—	—	An Act to enable Sir Thomas Case Baronet to sell certain Lands in the County of Northampton to raise Money to pay his Debts and Suits Portions and settle other Lands in the said County of Northampton and County of Leicester of better Value to the same Uses.	vi.	—	14	—
—	—	An Act for confirming an Agreement made upon the Marriage of Charles Owen Esquire and Dorothy his Wife of Bath in the County of Pembrokeshire.	vii.	—	15	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of James Hamilton Esq; a Minor for Payment of his Debts and for raising Portions for younger Children and for making Free Farms and Leases for Lives during his Minority.	viii.	—	16	—
—	—	An Act for supplying a Defect (by the Death of a Trustee) in the Appointment of Provision for the younger Children of Henry Goodman Esquire deceased and for making the said Provision more effectual for such younger Children.	ix.	—	17	—
—	—	An Act to enable John Edwards Gentleman to sell certain Lands in the County of Norfolk for Payment of Debts.	x.	—	18	—
—	—	An Act to permit the making up of Cloaths with Barons of Cloth for Re-paration for clothing the Army of the Allies notwithstanding the Act against Cloth Barons.	xi.	—	19	—
—	—	An Act for Relief of Sir Stephen Druce Knight and Henry Cornish Esquire.	xii.	—	20	—
—	—	An Act for Relief of John Angell Esq; in relation to his Purchase of Part of the Refused Estates in Ireland.	xiii.	—	21	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing William Lewis Legend.	xiv.	—	22	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Colonel Samuel Venner.	xv.	—	23	—
—	—	An Act for restoring Jacob Prochalla and others.	xvi.	—	24	—
—	—	An Act for enabling James Duke of Ormond and Charles Earl of Arran to settle Free Farm Rents in the County of Tipperary in the Kingdom of Ireland pursuant to an Agreement upon the Marriage of the said Earl of Arran and for making good several Orders made by the said Earl in Free Farm.	xvii.	—	25	485
—	—	An Act for vesting the Inheritance of a Messuage and Gardens in Action in the County of Middlesex purchased by the Right Honourable Evelyn Earl of Kingess upon Hall in Trust for the said Earl and his Heirs.	xviii.	—	26	—
—	—	An Act for making the Exemplification of the Will of Edward late Earl of Conway under the Seal of the Court of Chancery in the Kingdom of Ireland and the Depositions relating to the same Evidence on Hearings in Equity and Trials at Law.	xix.	—	27	—
—	—	An Act to enable Scrope Lord Viscount Howe of the Kingdom of Ireland to make a certain Provision for his Daughters by his first Wife that which was intended being as expressed in the Marriage Settlement aforesaid and consequent.	xx.	—	28	—



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A.D.	Reg.		Of the Crown in Great Britain.	Of the King in Great Britain.	Of the Bishop of London.	
1705.	ANNE.					
—	AN. 4 & 5.	<i>An Act to enlarge the Power of Richard Lord Bulkeley Viscount Castle in the Kingdom of Ireland of leasing his Estate in Cheshire for Performance and Satisfaction of the Trust upon the said Estate.</i>	xxx.	—	42	485
—	—	<i>An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of Henry Lord Coleraine Baron of Coleraine in the Kingdom of Ireland and supplying the Want of Inheritance of a Dotal concerning other Part of his Estate.</i>	xxx.	—	43	—
—	—	<i>An Act for the supplying the Defect of a common Recovery suffered by Philip Smith Esq; Viscount Strangford of the Kingdom of Ireland and George Smith Esq; his eldest Son and of the Debt which declared the Uses of the said Recovery.</i>	xxx.	—	49	—
—	—	<i>An Act for Sale of the Manour Temple Dunsley alias Dunsley and other Lands in the County of Hertford for the Payment of the Debts of Sir Edwin Sadler Baronet and other Purposes.</i>	xxx.	—	50	—
—	—	<i>An Act to enable Sir John Hambro Baronet and his Trustees to settle several Messuages Lands and Householdings lying in the Counties of Lincoln Surrey and Kent pursuant to the Articles and Agreements made upon his Marriage with Diane Sarah his now Wife.</i>	xxx.	—	51	—
—	—	<i>An Act for vesting the Estate of Richard Bald Esq; in Trustees to be leased sold or mortgaged for raising the Portion Debts and Monies to which the same is liable.</i>	xxx.	—	52	—
—	—	<i>An Act for vesting certain Terms for Forty Years in Trustees which were granted by John Abington Esq; deceased and to empower them to grant renew and fill up Leases according to the Usage of the Manor therein mentioned and for raising Portions for the younger Children of the said John Abington.</i>	xxx.	—	53	—
—	—	<i>An Act for vesting the Equity of Redemption of the Lands and Tenements lying in the County of Lancashire late the Estate of John Digby Esq; deceased in Trustees in the Nature that the same may be sold for the discharging of the Mortgages and other Incumbrances thereon.</i>	xxx.	—	54	—
—	—	<i>An Act to empower Thomas Gay and George Hatley of London Merchants to export the Remains of a Quantity of French Wines from Copenhagen contracted for before the First Day of January One thousand seven hundred and four.</i>	xxx.	—	55	—
—	—	<i>An Act to enable Trustees to make Provision for Payment of Debts of William Haggerson Esq; and for raising Portions for his younger Sons and for making good the intended Satisfaction upon the Marriage of William Haggerson the younger Gent.</i>	xxx.	—	56	—
—	—	<i>An Act for Sale of Lands in the Counties of Southampton and Dorset late the Estate of Thomas Dimes Esquire deceased for Payment of the Debts and Legacies charged thereupon and for other Purposes therein mentioned.</i>	xxx.	—	57	—
—	—	<i>An Act for settling the Inappropiate Tythes of the Parish of St. Bridget alias Brides London.</i>	xxx.	—	58	—
—	—	<i>An Act for augmenting the Number of Canons Residentiary in the Cathedral Church of Lincoln and for improving the Decary and Prebends of the said Cathedral.</i>	xxx.	—	59	—
—	—	<i>An Act for Relief of Non Commission Officers and Private Soldiers of the Lord Drogheda's and Colonel Galt's Regiments.</i>	xxx.	—	60	—
—	—	<i>An Act for Sale of the Manor and Estate of and in Hathersedge and Dore in the County of Derby the Estate of Christopher Pegg Esq; and mortgaging Part of his Manor and Estate of and in Beauchell and Strawberry Lee in the same County for raising Money for Payment of Debts and Incumbrances thereon and for making Provision for his Family.</i>	xxx.	—	61	—
—	—	<i>An Act to enable William Gosseldon Esq; to sell a Farm in Kent to discharge an Incumbrance upon the same and to apply the Proceeds of the Sale among by such Sale in Payment of the said William Gosseldon's Debts.</i>	xxx.	—	62	—

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		IN CHANCERY.				
	Anno. 1702.	An Act for vesting a Mortgage of Hampshire Courtenay Esq; deceased in Trustees to be sold to discharge the Mortgage Debts and Incumbrances on the said Estate.	xxvii.	—	63	483
	—	An Act for vesting in Trustees the Estate of Morris Goulet Esq; for the raising his Sister's Portion and Payment of Debts and other Purposes therein mentioned.	xxviii.	—	64	—
	—	An Act for vesting certain Messuages and Lands in the Countess of Devon and Cornwall of Nicholas Rew Esq; in Trustees to be sold and applying the gross Part of the Purchase Money to the Use of his Marriage Settlement and the Remainder for Payment of Debts.	xxix.	—	65	484
	—	An Act for the Relief of Colonel John Rice.	xl.	—	66	—
	—	An Act for the removing all Doubts touching the saving Clause of One Act of Parliament intitled An Act for vesting diverse Messuages and Lands of Nathaniel Holworthy Esq; in Trustees to be sold and purchasing other Messuages or Lands of equal Value and leaving the Messuages or Lands to be purchased to the same Use as the Lands to be sold are limited.	xli.	—	67	—
	—	An Act for Sale of the Manor of Berwick Hall and other Lands in the County of Essex the Estate of William Forbes Esq; and for purchasing other Lands to be settled to the same Use.	xlii.	—	68	—
	—	An Act to vest certain Lands and Tenements in the Countess of Kent the Estate of Richard Thoresby Esq; in Trustees to be sold for the Payment of Debts and his three Portions charged thereon and for securing the Remainder of the Purchase Money to the Use of his Marriage Settlement.	xliii.	—	69	—
	—	An Act to enable John Brett Fisher Esq; and Judith his Wife to sell Lands for the Payment of his Debts and making Provision for his Wife and Children in case they shall have any.	xliii.	—	70	—
	—	An Act to enable John Williams an Infant notwithstanding his Infancy to renew a Lease of the Parsonage of Bagden held under One of the Prebendaries of the Cathedral Church of Lincoln and also for settling the Parsonage of Bagden to an Augmentation for the Vicar of Bagden and vesting the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction of the Parish of Bagden in the Bishop of Lincoln.	xliv.	—	71	—
	—	An Act for the Sale of Lands in the County of Lincoln here the Estate of John Bunsboppe Esq; deceased for Payment of his Debts.	xlv.	—	72	—
	—	An Act for taking the Estate in Law of a Mortgage made by John Smith Esq; which is decreed to the Daughters and Coheirs of John Parpiter deceased (who are Infants) they being only Trustees for Henry Roper Merchant.	xlv.	—	73	—
	—	An Act to improve the Lord High Treasurer of England or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with Thomas Tomkins and John Chapman and their Securities for the Debts owing by them respectively to Her Majesty.	xlv.	—	74	—
	—	An Act to enable Trustees to sell several Houses and Lands in and near Portsmouth here the Estate of Elizabeth Hicks for Payment of a Debt and Interest charged thereon and for laying out the Remainder of the Money in other Lands to be settled to the same Use.	xlv.	—	75	—
	—	An Act for vesting the Freehold and Copyhold Estate of Thomas Gomer Esq; deceased in Trustees to be sold for Payment of Debts and settling the Remainder for the Benefit of his Daughters.	l.	—	76	—
	—	An Act for vesting the Estate of Valentine Cruise of Maiden Early in the County of Berks Esq; in Trustees to be sold for Payment of his Father's Debts and making a Provision for himself and Brother.	l.	—	77	—
	—	An Act for the Sale of Lands here of John Baker Esq; deceased for the more speedy Payment of his Debts and raising Portion for his younger Children.	li.	—	78	—

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A.D.	Reg.		Of the Chapter or printed.	Of the Session in January.	Of the Third Act or Parliament.	
		IN CHANCERY.				
1705.	Ann.	An Act for the more effectual settling of Part of the Lands of Inheritance of William and Thomas Lambard in the County of Kent pursuant to a Decree of Settlement and for securing (in lieu of other Part thereof) other Lands of Inheritance therein also mentioned and for better Provision for younger Children.	th.	—	79	484
—	—	An Act for settling the Capital Messuage and other Lands and Tenements of Poulet Wynne in the County of Denbigh Gentlemen and Meredith Wynne his Son in Trustees to the intent that Part thereof may be sold for Payment of his Debts and the Residue settled pursuant to Marriage Articles.	th.	—	80	—
—	—	An Act for settling the Estate of Christopher Rees the elder Clerk deceased and of Christopher Rees Clerk his only Son also deceased in certain Trustees to be sold for the Payment of their several Debts and Legacies and for making some Provision for Dorothy the Widow of the said Christopher Rees the Son and for Christopher Rees his only Child an Infant.	th.	—	81	—
—	—	An Act for settling the Estate of Arthur Vaughan of Tetherdown in the County of Montgomery an Infant in Trustees to be sold for Payment of such Debts and Incumbrances to which the same or the said Infant is subject thereof a Bill.	th.	—	82	—
—	—	An Act for settling the Estate of Elizabeth Here in the County of Bucks in Trustees to be sold and the Monies arising thereby to be applied for the Payment of Debts charged thereon.	th.	—	83	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of the Manor of Estovering and other Lands and Hereditaments situate in the County of Lincoln and the Estate of Christopher Fairfax Gent <sup>l</sup> deceased for Payment of his Debts and Benefit of his Children.	th.	—	84	—
—	—	An Act for settling Part of the Real Estate of Ralph Baldwin Gent <sup>l</sup> in Trustees for a Provision for his younger Children.	th.	—	85	—
—	—	An Act for settling and securing Part of the Estates of Robert Barry Clerk and Anne his Wife for the Benefit of the said Anne and her Children and Sale of other Part of the Estate of the said Robert Barry for Payment of his Debts.	th.	—	86	485
—	—	An Act for settling the Sums of Two thousand Pounds in Trusts to be applied to and for the Payment of the Debts of John Holworthy Gent <sup>l</sup> pursuant to an Agreement with his Creditors.	th.	—	87	—
—	—	An Act for the Sale of an Adversum in Banco and the Estate of Michael Boro-cold Clerk deceased for Payment of his Debts and making Provision for his Widow and Child.	th.	—	88	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of the Estate of John Vicary deceased in Rockbeare in the County of Devon for Payment of his Debts charged thereon and for Maintenance of his Widow and Children.	th.	—	89	—
—	—	An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer of England or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with Francis Glyn as Surety for William Parnock late of Exon Merchant in Six several Bonds for Duties on Tobacco which the said William Parnock had at the Port of Falmouth in December One thousand seven hundred and one.	th.	—	90	—
—	—	An Act to rectify a Mistake in and explain an Act passed in the last Session to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Richard Cobb Esq <sup>r</sup> as One of the Sureties for Thomas Cobb Gent <sup>l</sup> Receiver General for the County of Southampton and Isle of Wight.	th.	—	91	—
—	—	An Act to make the Ship L'Amante taken and condemned as a Prize and sold in the Island of Barbadoes Free.	th.	—	92	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Paul Francis and Katherine Riley.	th.	—	93	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing of Vincent De Lysacres and others.	th.	—	94	—

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		IN CHANCERY.				
1705.	Ann. An. 4 & 5. continued	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for exhibiting a Bill in this present Parliament for naturalizing the most Excellent Princess Sophia, Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover and the Issue of Her Body. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter I. in the Common printed Editions. The Original Act is not amongst the Acts of the Year in the Parliament Office.</i>	XIV.	p. 3. 1	1	485
—	—	( <sup>2</sup> ) An Act to repeal several Clauses in the Statute made in the Third and Fourth Years of Her present Majesty's Reign for securing the Kingdom of England from several Acts lately passed in the Parliament of Scotland. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter III. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XV.	2	3	486
—	—	( <sup>3</sup> ) An Act for the Naturalization of the most Excellent Princess Sophia, Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover and the Issue of her Body. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter IV. in the Common printed Editions. The Original Act is not amongst the Acts of the Year in the Parliament Office.</i>	XVI.	3	4	487
—	—	( <sup>4</sup> ) An Act for continuing the Duties upon Mail, Mess, Cyder and Perry for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and six. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter V. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XVII.	4	8	488
—	—	( <sup>5</sup> ) An Act for continuing an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and certain Duties upon Coals, Colles and Cynders and additional Duties of Excise and for setting and constituting a Bond, charity and by other Ways and Means for Payment of Arrears to be sold for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and six and other Uses therein mentioned. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter VI. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XVIII.	5	9	490
—	—	( <sup>6</sup> ) An Act for making the Town of New Ross in the County of Wexford in the Kingdom of Ireland a Port for the exporting Woad from Ireland into this Kingdom. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter VII. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XIX.	6	10	498
—	—	( <sup>7</sup> ) An Act for the better Security of Her Majesty's Person and Government and of the Succession to the Crown of England in the Protestant Line. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter VIII. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XX.	7	25	498
—	—	( <sup>8</sup> ) An Act for the better recruiting Her Majesty's Army and Marines. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter IX. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XXI.	8	27	503
—	—	( <sup>9</sup> ) An Act for confirming an Act made in the Session hold in the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and false Murders and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter X. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XXII.	9	39	506
—	—	( <sup>10</sup> ) An Act for laying farther Duties on Low Wines and for preventing the Damage to Her Majesty's Revenue by Importation of Foreign Cat Wounds and for making some Provisions as to the Stamp Duties and the Duties on Books, Bards and Marriages and the Salt Duties and touching Millen Lottery Tickets and for enabling Her Majesty to dispose the Effects of William Kidd a notorious Pirate to the Use of Greenwich Hospital and for appropriating the Publick Moneys granted in the Session of Parliament. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XIII. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XXIII.	10	33	507
—	—	( <sup>11</sup> ) An Act for the better ordering and governing the Watermen and Lightermen upon the River of Thames. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XIV. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XXIV.	11	33	511
—	—	( <sup>12</sup> ) An Act for the better collecting Charity Money on Bells by Letters Patents and preventing Abuses in relation to such Charities. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XV. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XXV.	12	28	513
—	—	( <sup>13</sup> ) An Act for repairing the Highways between Barnhill and Hutton Heath in the County of Chester. <i><sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XVI. in the Common printed Editions.</i>	XXVI.	13	35	515

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1706.	Ann.	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for granting an Act to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven. <sup>2</sup> This is entitled 1 & 6 Ann. Chapter 1, in the Common printed Editions.	I.	p. 1. 1	1	519
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for continuing the Duties on Low Wine and Spirits of the First Extraction and the Duties payable by Hewers Pedlars and Petty Chapmen and Part of the Duties on Stamp Viduan Privileges and Paper and the last Duties on Swans and the One third Subsidy of Tonnage and Poyndage and for settling and establishing a Fund thereby and by the Application of certain Overplus Monies and otherwise for Payment of Arrears to be sold for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven and other Uses therein expressed. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXX. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	II.	4	41	521
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the better Encouragement of the Royal Lining Company. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXX. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	III.	5	42	549
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for repairing the Highway between Fotherhill in the County of Bedford and the Town of Stony Stratford in the County of Buckingham. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXXI. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	IV.	6	44	550
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for continuing the Duties upon Malt Muen Cyder and Perry for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter IV. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	V.	p. 2. 1	2	553
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the settling of the Honours and Dignities of John Duke of Marlborough upon his Posterity and settling the Honour and Dignity of Woodstock and House of Woburn to go along with the said Honours. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter III. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	VI.	8	3	558
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for settling upon John Duke of Marlborough and his Posterity a Pension of Five thousand Pounds per Annum for the more honourable Support of their Dignities in like Manner as his Honours and Dignities and the Honour and Manor of Woodstock and House of Woburn are already limited and settled. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter IV. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	VII.	1	5	559
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for securing the Church of England as by Law established. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter V. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	VIII.	4	10	561
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for repealing a Clause in an Act intitled An Act for the better apprehending prosecuting and punishing Felons that commit Burglaries Housebreaking or Robberies in Shops Warehouses Coach houses or Stables or their real Estates. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter VI. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	IX.	5	11	563
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for regulating and ascertaining the Duties to be paid by the Undermen Importers of Goods into the Port and Borough of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter VII. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	X.	6	12	564
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for an Union of the Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter VIII. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	XI.	7	14	566
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for rendering more effectual an Act passed in the First Year of Her Majesty Ragn intitled An Act for the better preventing Runners out of the Queen's Bench and Fleet Prisons. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter IX. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	XII.	8	15	577
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for repairing the Highway between Hookhills and Woburn in the County of Bedford. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter X. 1 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.	XIII.	9	16	578

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IN CHANCERY						
1706.	Ann.	An Act for continuing the Act formerly made for repairing of the Highways in the County of Hertford.	XIV.	p. 4. 10		584
—	—					
—	—	An Act for the enlarging the Passage leading to New Palace Yard thro' the Gatehouse Westminster.	XV.	11	11	585
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—	—	An Act for the better Preservation of the Game.	XVI.	11	17	585
—	—					
—	—	An Act for the better rewarding Her Majesty's Land Forces and the Marines for the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven.	XVII.	13	13	587
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—	—	An Act for continuing an Act made in the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for punishing Mincey and Deceit and false Mincey and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters.	XVIII.	14	14	590
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—	—	An Act to amend all the Laws prohibiting the Importation of Foreign Lace made of Thread.	XIX.	15	15	591
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—	—	An Act for Improvement of Burgages and Sales within the West Riding of the County of York in the Register Office there lately provided and for making the said Register more effectual.	XX.	16	16	594
—	—					
—	—	An Act for continuing the Duties upon Horses to secure a yearly Fund for providing Exchange Bells whereby a Sum not exceeding Fifteen hundred thousand Pounds is intended to be raised for carrying on the War and other Her Majesty's Occasions.	XXI.	p. 3. 1	12	594
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—	—	An Act to explain and amend an Act of the last Session of Parliament for preventing Frauds frequently committed by Bankrupts.	XXII.	2	37	600
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—	—	An Act to subject the Estate of Thomas Greenwood to the Creditors of Thomas Paken notwithstanding any Agreement or Composition made with the Creditors of the said Thomas Paken.	XXIII.	3	38	604
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—	—	An Act for discharging small Livings from their First Fruits and Tenths and all Accents thereof.	XXIV.	4	53	609
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—	—	An Act for making the Acts more effectual for appropriating the forfeited Impignations in Ireland for the building of Churches and augmenting poor Vicarages there.	XXV.	5	58	608
—	—					
—	—	An Act for repairing the Highways between Sheppards Shoed and the Devizes and between the Top of Arlington Hill and Round-Pond in the County of Wilt.	XXVI.	6	56	610
—	—					
—	—	An Act for continuing several Subsidies Impositions and Duties and for making Provisions therein enacted to raise Money by way of Loan for the Service of the War and other Her Majesty's necessary and important Occasions and for continuing the Wine Measure.	XXVII.	7	47	613
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—	—	An Act for raising the Mails for the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven notwithstanding the Mails Pay formerly advanced be not repaid and for an Account to be made of Trophy Money.	XXVIII.	8	25	610
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—	—	An Act for Ease of Her Majesty's [Subjects] in relation to the Duties upon Salt and for making the like Allowances upon the Exportation of White Horsey Fish Charcoal and Grain called Barley also Hagg as are to be made upon Exportation of the like from Scotland.	XXIX.	9	48	621
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1706	Ann. An. 6. continued	An Act for the better securing Her Majesties Purchase of Corn Houses in Westminster.	XXX.	P. 3.	49	605
—	—	An Act for the encouraging the Discovery and apprehending of Housebreakers.	XXXI.	11	30	648
—	—	An Act for the Continuance of the Laws for the Punishment of Vagrants and for making such Laws more effectual.	XXXII.	12	32	650
—	—	An Act for obliging John Rice to account for Debts granted to him in the last Session of Parliament.	XXXIII.	13	39	651
—	—	An Act for continuing the Laws therein mentioned relating to the Poor and to the buying and selling of Cards in Smithfield and for suppressing of Purty.	XXXIV.	14	34	652
THE TITLES TO THE PRIVATE ACTS						
—	—	An Act for annulling Maris Margaret Lady North and Grey.	I.	—	4	634
—	—	An Act to enable Henry Grey Second Son of Richard Neville Esquire to change his Name from Neville to Grey according to the Will of Ralph Lord Grey deceased.	II.	—	6	—
—	—	An Act to make the Ship called the Neptune Privateer (a Foreign built) Ship lately brought as a Wreck a free Ship.	III.	—	7	—
—	—	An Act to make the Ship Vigilance of Sand upon the River of Elbe in Germany (lately a Wreck) a free Ship.	IV.	—	8	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing John Tigh.	V.	—	9	—
—	—	An Act to enable the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury [for the Time being] to compound with Benjamin Nicoll Citizen and free Merchant of London and his Executors for the Debt owing by him to Her Majesty.	VI.	—	13	—
* inserted as the Bill.						
—	—	An Act for Relief of Sir John Mead of the Kingdom of Ireland Knight and Baronet.	VII.	—	19	—
—	—	An Act for empowering the Barons of the Court of Exchequer in Ireland to grant a Commission to some Persons in England to administer to Thomas Maule Esquire Remembrancer of the said Court the usual Oaths for the due Execution of his Office and to enable him to take the Oaths and subscribe the Declaration in the Courts of Chancery in England instead of those requisite to be taken and subscribed by the Laws of England and Ireland in order to qualify him to execute the said Office.	VIII.	—	20	—
—	—	An Act to enable the Right Honourable Henry Earl of Thomond an Infant to make a Settlement of his Estate upon his Marriage (notwithstanding his Infancy) and for other the Purposes in the said Act mentioned.	IX.	—	29	—
—	—	An Act for making more effectual a Settlement made by William Lord Bishop of Oxford for the Benefit of his Children.	X.	—	30	—
—	—	An Act for discharging several Lands in the County of Worcester from the Sum of Two thousand Pounds given by the Will of Anne Elizabeth Rich Widow deceased for charitable Uses and charging the same upon other Lands in the County of Berks.	XI.	—	38	—
—	—	An Act for supplying the Defect of an Appointment for the Provision of the younger Children of John Carlisle Esquire deceased pursuant to his Marriage Settlement and for settling an Estate in Trustees in lieu of Twelve hundred Pounds the Remainder of a Sum of Money agreed to be laid out in a Purchase.	XII.	—	39	—
—	—	An Act for sale of some Part of the Estate of Henry Darrell Esquire deceased and leasing or mortgaging other Part thereof to raise Money to pay his Debts charged thereupon and for making Provision for his Widow and younger Children.	XIII.	—	43	—

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1706.	ANNE. AN. 6. continued	An Act for vesting Part of the Estate of William Finch Esquire lying in the County of Dorset in Trustees to be sold for the Payment of his Sisters Portion and other Debts and for preserving the Residue free from all Power of Waste and for settling certain Tythes as the Sale of Wages to the same Use.	xxx.	—	34	634
—	—	An Act for enabling Agnes Lee Widow to assign certain Leases for Years belonging to Richard Lee her Son who is an Infant.	xxxi.	—	35	—
—	—	An Act for settling the Estate of Daniel Thomas Gentleman for the Benefit of his Wife and Children.	xxxi.	—	35	—
—	—	An Act for the Sale of certain Houses near Aldgate in London late the Estate of William Wilkins deceased and for purchasing Lands in lieu thereof.	xxxii.	—	37	—
—	—	An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer [of England] or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Year being to compound with Nathaniel Rich Esquire late Receiver General for the County of Essex. <i>intituled in the Bill.</i>	xxxiii.	—	38	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of John Baker his Mother Benther and Sisters Widow and Children of Colonel Henry Baker deceased.	xxxiv.	—	39	—
—	—	An Act for making the Ship Prince (Foreign built) a true Ship.	xxxv.	—	40	—
—	—	An Act for discharging divers Monies and Lands of Henry Duke of Beaufort from the Portions of his Daughters and younger Children by his present Dutchess and for charging other Monies and Lands of the said Duke of greater Value with the like Portions.	xxxvi.	—	44	—
—	—	An Act to enable Henry Pye Esquire to make a Joynture.	xxxvii.	—	45	635
—	—	An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of William Pons for discharging his Brothers and Sisters Portions and his Debts and for confirming his Marriage Settlement as to the Residue of his Estate discharged of each Portion.	xxxviii.	—	45	—
—	—	An Act for vesting Lands in Chelsea in the County of Middlesex purchased of Charles Lord Clayton Viscount Newhaven in Scotland in the Queen's Majesty for the Accommodation of Chelsea College and other Lands in John Lord Vaughan Earl of Carbery in Ireland and his Heirs.	xxxix.	—	50	—
—	—	An Act for confirming and establishing the Partitions made between William Petre Esquire (since deceased) and the Honourable Charles Egerton Esquire and others of several Manors and Lands in the Countess of Bedford Kent and Surrey and to enable William and Samuel Petre Esquires to make Portions of Land in other Counties and to sell the same and purchase other Lands to be settled to the same Uses and for satisfying a Mortgage in the Marriage Settlement of William Peck Esquire.	xl.	—	51	—
—	—	An Act for vesting in Trustees a Messuage and Lands in Ratcliffe Cleeve in the County of Leicester to be sold upon the settling of another Estate of as great or greater Value to the same Uses as the Lands to be sold are settled.	xli.	—	52	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Alexander Pendervis Esquire in relation to Five thousand Pounds and Interest provided for him out of Lands in Ireland.	xlii.	—	53	—
—	—	An Act for the better Support and Maintenance of the Minister of Trenchard in the County of Shropshire for the Time being.	xliiii.	—	54	—
—	—	An Act to vest certain Mills and Lands in Devon in the County of Wilts (the Estate of William Eyre a Lordship) in Trustees to be sold and for applying Part of the Monies arising by the Sale thereof for Payment of the Debts of the said Lordship and making some Provision for Ambrose Eyre his children Son and Heir and for applying the Residue of such Monies in purchasing of other Lands to be settled to the same Uses as the said Premises to be sold are now settled.	xliiii.	—	55	—



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A.D.	Reign		Order Chapter or Journal.	As the Act is Chancery.	Of the Original Act as Enrolled.	
1706.	Ann. Ann. 6. continued	An Act to enable Trustees to sell several Lands at Colchester within the Manor of Heringfordbury in the County of Hertford and the Manse of the Rectory of Heringfordbury alias into the Estate of John Winstock deceased for Payment of a Debt of Six hundred Pounds and Interest due upon Mortgage and Bond or Specialty and for laying out the Residue of the Money arising by such Sale in the Purchase of other Lands or Tenements to be vested in the same Uses as the said Lands are now sold.	XXX.	—	66	635
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Philip Vander Ende Merchant.	XXXI.	—	21	—
—	—	An Act for making the Ship Supply a free Ship.	XXXII.	—	22	—
—	—	An Act for vesting a Manor, House and Lands thereto adjoining in the County of Middlesex the Estate of William Hyde Merchant in Trust for to be forthwith sold for the better Maintenance and support Provision of his Children.	XXXIII.	—	27	—
—	—	An Act to vest several Lands and Hereditaments in the County of York in Robert Finch Esquire and his Heirs and to settle other Lands and Hereditaments in the said County in trust thereof and as an Exchange thereof to the same Uses.	XXXIV.	—	28	—
—	—	An Act for rectifying a Mistake and for supplying the Defects in an Act of the Third Year of His Majesty's Reign for Sale of the Estate late of Edward Baines for discharge of a Mortgage thereupon and for making Provision for his Daughters.	XXXV.	—	69	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of the Estate in the County of Montgomery late Part of the Estate of Gilbert Charlton Esquire deceased and for purchasing other Estate or Estates in the Counties of Nottingham Leicesters or Lincoln to be vested in the like Uses as the Estate in the County of Montgomery was vested.	XXXVI.	—	70	—
—	—	An Act for the Sale of certain Lands contained in the Marriages Settlement of Daniel King and Jane his Wife and for purchasing other Lands of the same or greater Value to be settled to the same Uses also for giving Liberty to Jane Nicoll Widow and the Executors of Sir William Pritchard to pay Two Sums of Four thousand Pounds and Two hundred Pounds mentioned in the said Settlement in the Life time of the said Jane Nicoll.	XXXVII.	—	71	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of John Warden of Southdon in the County of Essex Esquire for Payment of his Father's Debts and Legacies and Portions to his younger Children and for settling the rest of his Estate to the Uses of his Father's voluntary Settlement.	XXXVIII.	—	72	—
—	—	An Act to enable Thomas Clark as Infant to make a Lease of a House at Saint Mary Axe in London to Sir Jeffrey Jeffreys Knight.	XXXIX.	—	73	—
—	—	An Act for encouraging the rebuilding the ancient Parish Church of Hamerton in the County of Lincoln and settling a Rent Charge of greater Value on the Bishop of Lincoln and his Successors in lieu of the Rectory of Hamerton and for other Purposes therein mentioned.	XL.	—	74	696
—	—	An Act for vesting the Reversion in Fee of certain Mannors and Lands in the County of Kent late the Estate of Henricus Drake Esquire deceased in Trust for to be sold for Payment of his Debts and Legacies.	XLI.	—	75	—
—	—	An Act for the better Discovery of the Estate of John Ayneworth late of London Merchant.	XLII.	—	76	—
—	—	An Act to enable the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with John Cross Merchant and his Successors for the Debt owing by him to Her Majesty.	XLIII.	—	77	—
—	—	An Act to enable the Trustees of William Elton as Infant to sell Part of his Estate for Payment of his Father's Debts on Specialty.	XLIV.	—	78	—
—	—	An Act to enable the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with John Pyle Gentleman and his Successors for the Debt by him and them owing to Her Majesty.	XLV.	—	79	—

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1704.	Ann.	An Act for Relief of Elizabeth Winstanley and Elizabeth Foulk.	xlvi.	—	80	616
—	As. 6 continued	An Act for naturalizing John Thomson and others.	xlvi.	—	81	—
—	—	An Act to naturalize Henry Van Bokke and others.	xlvi.	—	82	—
1705.	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty to be raised by a Land Tax in Great Britain for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight.	XXXV.	p. 4.	1	617
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter I. 4 Act, in the Common printed Editions, the previous Chapter in these Editions being entitled as of 5 & 6 Ann.				
—	—	( <sup>2</sup> ) An Act for repealing and declaring the Dissolution of Two Acts passed in the Parliament of Scotland the one intitled An Act for the Security of the Kingdom the other An Act near Peace and War.	XXXVI.	p. 5.	2	716
—	—	<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter II. 5 Act, in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>3</sup> ) An Act for better securing the Duties of East India Goods.	XXXVII.	3	3	717
—	—	<sup>3</sup> This is Chapter III. 6 Act, in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>4</sup> ) An Act for changing and continuing the Duties upon Milk Meas Cyder and Perry for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight.	XXXVIII.	3	4	718
—	—	<sup>4</sup> This is Chapter IV. 7 Act, in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>5</sup> ) An Act for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight and other Uses by Sale of Assiages charged on a Fund not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds per Annum to arise by appropriating several Sheriages and by granting further Terms to the Duties on Lew Wines and on Hawkers Pedlars and Perry Choppens the Stamp Duties the One Third Subsidy the Duty on Beers and One of the Branches of Excise and by making other Provision in this Act mentioned.	XXXIX.	4	5	719
—	—	<sup>5</sup> This is Chapter V. 8 Act, in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>6</sup> ) An Act for rendering the Union of the Two Kingdoms more indissoluble and complete.	XL.	5	7	720
—	—	<sup>6</sup> This is Chapter VI. 9 Act, in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>7</sup> ) An Act for the Security of Her Majesty's Person and Government and of the Succession to the Crowns of Great Britain in the Protestant Line.	XLI.	6	6	721
—	—	<sup>7</sup> This is Chapter VII. 10 Act, in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	An Act for repairing, amending, and enlarging the Highways between the Top of Kingsdown and the City of Bath and also several other Highways leading to and through the said City and for cleansing, paving and lighting the Streets and regulating the Chariots there.	XLII.	7	8	722
—	—	( <sup>8</sup> ) An Act for encouraging the dressing and dyeing of Woollen Clothes within the Kingdom by laying a Duty upon Broad Cloth exported whosoever.	XLIII.	8	13	723
—	—	<sup>8</sup> This is Chapter VIII. 11 Act, in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>9</sup> ) An Act for the Exportation of White Woollen Cloth.	XLIV.	9	14	724
—	—	<sup>9</sup> This is Chapter IX. 12 Act, in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	( <sup>10</sup> ) An Act for the better raising Her Majesty's Land Forces and the Marines for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight.	XLV.	10	15	725
—	—	<sup>10</sup> This is Chapter X. 13 Act, in the Common printed Editions.				
—	—	An Act for erecting a Workhouse in the Town and Borough of Plymouth in the County of Devon and for setting the Poor on Work and maintaining them there.	XLVI.	11	16	726

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a. d.	Reign	IN CHANCERY.	Of the Chapter passed.	Of the Year in Parliament.	Of the Original Act in Parliament.		
1707.	Ann. Act. 6. continued	An Act for enlarging the Term in an Act made in the Seventh Year of His late Majesty for repairing the Highways between the City of London and the Town of Harwich in the County of Essex.	XLVII.	7.	5.	17	764
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for continuing One Half Part of the Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wares Goods and Merchandises imported which were granted to the Crown in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second and for setting a Fund thereby and by other Ways and Means for Payment of Annuities not exceeding Eighty thousand Pounds per Annum to be sold for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight and other Uses therein expressed.	XLVIII.	43.	63.	63	765
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XI. 6. Act, in the Common printed Editions.					
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to explain the Act of the last Session of Parliament for the Ease of Her Majesties Subjects in relation to Allowances out of the Duties upon Salt-cured Caviare and also an Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign in Relation to certain Salt Works near the Sea-side and Bay of Hapstead in the County of Angles.	XLIX.	14.	39.	39	774
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XII. 6. Act, in the Common printed Editions.					
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for continuing several Duties therein mentioned upon Coffee Chocolate Spice Peppers and Herbs and additional Duties upon several of the said Commodities and certain Duties upon Callamers China Wares and Drags and for continuing the Duties called the Two Thirds Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage for preserving the Publick Credit and for securing the Duties of Coals exported for Foreign Parts and for securing the Credit of the Bank of England and for passing several Accounts of Taxes raised in the County of Monmouth and for promoting the Consumption of such Tobacco as shall hereafter be paid Her Majesties Duties.	L.	36.	1.	43	773
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXII. 6. Act, in the Common printed Editions.					
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the further directing the Payment of the Equivalent Money.	LI.	2.	44.	44	778
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXIV. 6. Act, in the Common printed Editions.					
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to enable Her Majesty to make Lessees and Copies of Officers Lands and Hereditaments Parcel of Her Duchy of Cornwall or annexed to the same.	LII.	5.	45.	45	781
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXV. 6. Act, in the Common printed Editions.					
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for seeking and establishing a Court of Exchequer in the North Part of Great Britain called Scotland.	LIII.	4.	47.	47	782
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXVI. 6. Act, in the Common printed Editions.					
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to enlarge the Time for returning the Certificates of all Ecclesiastical Livings not exceeding the yearly Value of Fifty Pounds in also for discharging all Levies of that Value from the Payment of First Fruits and for allowing Time to Archbishops and Bishops and other Ecclesiastics for Payment of their First Fruits.	LIV.	5.	49.	49	790
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXVII. 6. Act, in the Common printed Editions.					
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for continuing the Act for securing the Tyken of Hemp and Flax.	LV.	6.	53.	53	791
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXVIII. 6. Act, in the Common printed Editions.					
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to amend a Clause in an Act of the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty (for amending and repairing the Highways) which exempts Waggoners and others to draw with a Pole between the Wheel Horses or with Double Shafts and to oblige them to draw only with Six Horses or other Beasts except up Hills.	LVI.	7.	55.	55	791
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXIX. 6. Act, in the Common printed Editions.					
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for securing the Rates of Foreign Coins in Her Majesties Plantations in America.	LVI.	8.	48.	48	794
—	—	<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXX. 6. Act, in the Common printed Editions.					

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1702	Ann. An. 6. continued.	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the better preventing Mischief that may happen by Fire <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXXI & also in the Common printed Editions	LXVI.	p. 6. 2	21	793
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for regulating the Qualifications of the Electors of the Governor Deputy Governor Directors and Voters of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXXII & also in the Common printed Editions	LXV.	10	25	795
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the Importation of Cochenille from any Ports in Spain during the present War and Six Months longer. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXXIII & also in the Common printed Editions	LX.	11	54	796
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for settling a Title in Person to come in and make their Claims to any of the forfeited Estates and other Incomes in Ireland sold by the Trustees for Sale of those Estates to the Governor and Company for making Hollow Sword Blades in England and direct other Particulars. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXXIV & also in the Common printed Editions	LXI.	12	56	796
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the Publick registering of all Deeds Conveyances Wills and other Instruments that shall be made of or that may affect any Honour Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within the East Riding of the County of York or the Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull after the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and eight and for the reading the Register in the West Riding more complete. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXXV & also in the Common printed Editions	LXII.	13	57	797
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for raising the Militia of this Kingdom for the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight although the Month Pay formerly advanced be not repaid. <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXXVI & also in the Common printed Editions.	LXIII.	14	58	804
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the Encouragement of the Trade to America <sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXXVII & also in the Common printed Editions.	LXIV.	15	59	804
THE TITLES TO THE PRIVATE ACTS.						
—	—	An Act for vesting in Ralph Freeman the youngest Esquire and His Heirs divers Manors and Lands in the County of Essex comprised in his Marriage Settlement he having settled some Manors and Lands in the County of Bedford of greater Value to like Uses as hereinafter.	A.	—	9	809
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Katherine Clarke Daughter of Sir William Clarke Baronet deceased.	B.	—	10	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Maria Des Serres.	C.	—	11	—
—	—	An Act for making good to William Thompson Esquire the Benefits intended to be granted to his Ancestors and their Heirs by certain Letters Patents of King Charles the Second in like of the Castle of Scarborough and other Things by them surrendered to and now enjoyed by the Crown.	D.	—	12	—
—	—	An Act for settling the Estate of John now Earl of Essex pursuant to Agreements made on the Marriage of the said Earl with Elizabeth Countess of Essex his now Wife subject to such Alterations as are mentioned herein.	E.	—	13	—
—	—	An Act to supply a Defect in an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty Queen Anne intitled An Act for raising Fifteen hundred Pounds by Mortgage of Lands in the County of Dorset for Payment of Debts and for a further Provision and Maintenance for the younger Children of Philip Caldecot Esquire.	F.	—	14	—

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	ANNE.					
1705.	AN. 4.	An Act to make the Ship Ambuscade (a French Privateer taken by Her Majesty's Ship the Dover and condemned and sold as Prize) a Free Ship.	vi.	—	41	809
—	—	An Act for the Reversal of the Attainder of Sir Henry Road Baronet in Ireland.	vii.	—	37	—
—	—	An Act for making effectual the Provision made by William Bousley [sic] of Holy Cude in the County of Worcester Esquire for Dorothy Bousley his youngest Daughter.	ix.	—	38	—
—	—	<i>continued in the Bill.</i>				
—	—	An Act for selling the Estate of Thomas Stephens Esquire in the Counties of Chester and Stafford and for settling of another Estate of as great or greater Value in the County of Gloucester to the same Uses.	x.	—	39	—
—	—	An Act for vesting in Roger Tuckfield Esquire several Lands purchased for him by Sir William Dorys Baronet deceased.	xi.	—	40	—
—	—	An Act for making Two large Fly Boats (Russia built) One called the Thomas and Henry the other the Richard and Jane Free Ships to trade to Russia.	xii.	—	41	810
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Peter Des Malzeaux Francis Hoffman John Klossow Peter Bower and others.	xiii.	—	42	—
—	—	An Act to enable The Right Honourable the Countess of Haden together with The Right Honourable Henry Earl of Haden her now Husband to make Leases of the Manors and Town of Cadeles in the County of Catterlagh and Queens County in the Kingdom of Ireland and for the revoking of the Settlements made by Henry late Earl of Thomond.	xiv.	—	39	—
—	—	An Act for vesting the Equity of Redemption of the Manors and Capital Messuages of Great Haseley with the Appurtenances and divers Messuages Farms and Lands in Haseley and Litchfield in the County of Oxford for the Estate of William Lenthall Esquire deceased (a Trustee) to be sold for discharging of Incumbrances thereon.	xv.	—	60	—
—	—	An Act for vesting several Messuages Houses Lands and Tenements in the County of Dublin in the Kingdom of Ireland formerly the Estate of Thomas Boyd Esquire in a Trustee to be sold for the Payment of the Debts of Lorde late Countess of Edinborough deceased and for raising Portions for the younger Children of the said Countess.	xvi.	—	61	—
—	—	An Act to vest the Estate late of Edward Charles Esquire deceased in Somersetshire remaining unsold at his Death in Trustee to be sold to satisfy the Demands of the Lady Russell his Mother and Essex Charles his Sister and to vest the Residue of the Monies arising by Sale of the said Estate in the Purchase of other Lands to be settled on Edward Charles an Infant and his Heirs.	xvii.	—	62	—
—	—	An Act to enable Sir William Wyndham of Orchard Wyndham in the County of Somerset Baronet to make a Marriage Settlement and for other Purposes therein mentioned during his Minority.	xviii.	—	63	—
—	—	An Act for explaining and amending a Provision and Power for enabling Sir John Wessworth Baronet and his Heirs to make a Wife a Joyner.	xix.	—	64	—
—	—	An Act to enable Sir Ralph Milbank Baronet to make a Joyner and Settlement upon such Woman as he shall marry as if he were of full Age.	xx.	—	65	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of the Manors of Swinden and several Messuages Lands and Hereditaments in the County of York late Part of the Estate of Christopher Lister Esquire and after of Thomas Lister Esquire both deceased for Payment of the Legacies and Debts of the said Christopher Lister and a Mortgage of the said Thomas Lister.	xxi.	—	66	—
—	—	An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Richard Pecke Citizen and late Merchant of London for a Debt due to Her Majesty.	xxii.	—	67	—

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	ANNO.	IN CHANCERY				
1707.	An. 6. continued	An Act for the Sale of a Piece of Ground late of John Kilgworth Esquire deceased on which stood several old and decayed Tenements and applying the Purchase-Money for the Benefit of his Wife and Daughters.	xxxv.	—	68	810
—	—	An Act for vacating the Settlement made upon the Marriage of Henry Mayne and for making a reasonable Provision for the Maintenance of his only Son (who is an Infant) during his Life.	xxxvi.	—	69	—
—	—	An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of James Hamilton Esquire deceased.	xxxvii.	—	70	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Colonel Richard Sutton and other Aids de Camp.	xxxviii.	—	71	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Captain James Roch.	xxxix.	—	72	—
—	—	An Act for the Relief of Lieutenant Colonel John Savary.	xl.	—	73	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing John Adcock Esquire and Mary Drury.	xli.	—	74	—
—	—	An Act for naturalizing Peter Delaborde and others.	xlii.	—	75	—
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—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the better securing the Trade of this Kingdom by Customs and Excises.	LXV.	p. 7. 1	82	811
—	—	<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XLIII & also in the Common printed Editions				
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the better Security of Her Majesty's Person and Government.	LXVI.	1	80	813
—	—	<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XLIV & also in the Common printed Editions				
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act to empower Her Majesty to seize and detain such Persons as Her Majesty shall suspect are conspiring against Her Person or Government.	LXVII.	1	81	815
—	—	<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XLV & also in the Common printed Editions				
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for repealing the Act of the First Year of King James the First entitled An Act for the well perilling of Spies and for granting an Equivalent to the City of London by admitting Brokers.	LXVIII.	4	93	816
—	—	<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XLVI & also in the Common printed Editions				
—	—	An Act for repealing the Harbour and Quay of Wintch in the County of Somerset.	LXIX.	5	84	817
—	—	[Cap. VIII of the Private Acts of this Year]				
—	—	An Act for the more effectual fishing and keeping the River Tame navigable from Bridgewater to Tamworth in the County of Shropshire.	LXX.	6	95	818
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for assenting to the English Company trading to the East Indies on account of the United Stock a longer Term in the Fund and Trade therein mentioned and for raising thereby the Sum of Twelve hundred thousand Pounds for carrying on the War and other Her Majesty's Occasions.				
—	—	<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XLVII & also in the Common printed Editions	LXXI.	7	10	819
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for the more effectual Discovery of the Death of Persons pretended to be alive in the Populace of those who claim Estates after their Deaths.	LXXII.	8	35	820
—	—	<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XLVIII & also in the Common printed Editions				
—	—	( <sup>1</sup> ) An Act for continuing the Half Subsidies therein mentioned with several Impositions and other Duties to raise Money by Way of Loan for the Service of the War and other Her Majesty's necessary and important Occasions and for charging of Prime Goods and Subsidies and for taking off the Drawbacks of Foreign Goods and to obviate the Gluttenous Importation of Wrought Silks.	LXXIII.	9	49	821
—	—	<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XLIX & also in the Common printed Editions				

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1707.	Ann.	An Act for continuing an Act made in the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for punishing Murther and Deceit and false Murther and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters.	LXXIV.	p. 7-10	37	838
—	—					
—	—	An Act for the settling of Docters and Quakers touching the Statutes of Given Cathedral and Collegiate Churches.	LXXV.	11	38	840
—	—					
—	—	An Act for the better Amendment of the Way which leads from Chertill through Calce to Stradley Bridge in the County of Wilts.	LXXVI.	12	34	841
—	—					
—	—	An Act for repairing the Highways from Old Stratford in the County of Bucks. to Doniborough in the County of Warwick.	LXXVII.	13	35	844
—	—					
—	—	An Act to make further Provision for electing and summoning Burges-Peers of Scotland as in the [House of Peers] in the Parliament of Great Britain and for trying Peers for Offences committed in Scotland and for the further regulating of Voters in Elections of Members to serve in Parliament.	LXXVIII.	14	48	847
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—	—	An Act for creating a Harbour and Key at East Yarmouth in the Shire of Angles.	LXXIX.	15	33	850
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end of Stat.  
2 W. III. c. 25.

end of Stat.  
12 W. III. c. 18.

end of Stat.  
14 & 15 W. III.  
c. 12.

Reasons for passing  
the Act.

and Queen Mary during their Lives and the Life of the Survivor of them in such Manner and Form as by the said first mentioned Act is expressed. And whereas by an Act made in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty a further Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage towards raising the yearly Sum of Seven hundred thousand Pounds for the Service of His Majesties Household and other Uses therein mentioned during His Majesties Life several Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon the several and respective Wines Goods and Merchandises in the same Act particularly mentioned were granted to His said late Majesty King William from the first Day of January which was in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred ninety nine and also during His Majesties Life for the Uses and Purposes therein mentioned. And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Tenth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William for laying further Duties upon Wines and for lowering the Duties upon Vinegar and other Things therein mentioned all former Duties charged upon Vinegar Vinegar Beer and Liqueur preparing for Vinegar were determined. And it was thereby (amongst other Things) enacted That from and after the said Tenth Day of May One thousand six hundred ninety nine these should be paid for and upon every Barrel of Vinegar Vinegar Beer or Liqueur preparing for Vinegar which should be [made or brewed] of any English or Foreign Materials by any Person or Persons whatsoever for Sale and so in proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity the Sum of Eight Shillings. And that Six Pence Part of the said Duty of Eight Shillings for every Barrel of Vinegar Vinegar Beer or Liqueur preparing for Vinegar should be raised and paid to His said late Majesty King William during his Life (in lieu of a Duty of Six Pence charged on every Barrel of Vinegar Beer by the said first mentioned Act) and should be paid applied and disposed of to and for the same Uses and Purposes as the Duties granted by the same Act were directed to be applied and disposed of. And whereas by an Act made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William intitled An Act for appropriating Three thousand seven hundred Pounds weekly out of certain Branches of Excise for Publick Uses and for making a Provision for the Service of His Majesties Household and Family and other His necessary Occasions 'It was amongst other Things enacted That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred for and during the whole Term of Five Years from thence first and immediately ensuing the full clear and net weekly Sum of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds of lawful English Money out of all the Moneys arising by the Hereditary Rates and Duties of Excise which were granted to the Crown in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second and are mentioned in the Act last recited and by the said Duties of Excise payable during His Majesties Life and are by every or any of them if all those Duties of Excise should so long continue and if the said Duties of Excise payable during His Majesties Life should happen to determine before the end of the said Term of Five Years then out of the Moneys arising lawfully by the said Hereditary Duties of Excise for and during all the Residue which should be then to come and ensue of the said Term of Five Years should be brought and paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer by such several and respective weekly Payments and in such manner and form as in the said Act are particularly mentioned for the Purposes by the said Act directed. And it is thereby further enacted That all the rest and residue of the said particular Branches of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liqueurs which should from time to time remain after the said weekly Payments should be made out of the same and the Revenue arising in the General Land Office or Post Office or the Office of Post Master General and by the said further Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and by the small Branches of His Majesties Revenue herein after particularly expressed that is to say The First Fruits and Tithes of the Clergy the Fines for Wills of Court and Writs of Entry payable in the Exchequer the Post Fines the Revenue of Wine Licences the Moneys arising by Sheriffs Profits and Compositions in the Exchequer and by Sales of unenclosed and prohibited Goods the Revenue of the Duchy of Cornwall and any other Revenue arising by the Rents of Land in England and Wales and for Fines of License of the same or any of them and the Duty of Four and an Half per Centum in Specie arising in Barbadoes and the Leeward Islands in America and all other the Branches and Revenues therein mentioned which were before chargeable with the yearly Sum of Seven hundred thousand Pounds therein expressed should from time to time during the Life of His said late Majesty King William be for the Use and Service of His said late Majesties Household and Family and for other His necessary Expenses and Occasions. And it is thereby further enacted That in and Discharge of certain perpetual annual Payments and of all Arrears thereof granted by His late [Majesty] King Charles the Second by Letters Patent out of the said Hereditary Revenue of Excise in Satisfaction of certain Principal Sums mentioned in the said Letters Patent to be then due from His said late Majesty King Charles the Second to the respective Particulars therein named the said Hereditary Revenue of Excise should from and after the Twenty sixth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five be and remain charged and chargeable for ever with the Payment of the Annual Sums after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum for the Principal Sums mentioned in the said respective Letters Patent to be raised and paid out of the said Revenue by Quarterly Payments out of the Receipt of His Majesties Exchequer by the Officers of the same unto the respective Owners and Proprietors of such Annual Sums and to their Heirs and Assigns for ever in the manner in the said Act mentioned the said Annual Payments after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum to be subject nevertheless to be redeemed upon Payment of the Moneys of the Principal Sums mentioned in the said respective Letters Patent as by the several Acts aforesaid recited (Reliance being thereunto respectively had) may more fully appear. Now we Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled well knowing that the Security Peace and Prosperity of Your Majesties Realm and Dominions are concerned in supporting the Honour of the Crown of England by settling a Revenue suitable to the necessary Expenses of the same And with due Gratitude to Almighty God (by whose Goodness your Majesty (") succeeds

<sup>1</sup> Inserted in made G.

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>3</sup> Supply, in King's Printer's Copy.

to the Royal Dignity of these Revenues like a King that constantly maintained the true Religion Laws and Liberties (as established) relying upon Your Majesties most excellent Disposition to preserve and continue Your People in the full and free Enjoyment of the same Religion Laws and Liberties and of all other Liberties which good Subjects can hope for in the most auspicious Reign whereby our Hearts are inflamed with a cheerful Affection to Your Majesty, and being desirous of setting upon Your Majesty for the Expenses of Your Civil Government a Revenue equal at least to the Revenue enjoyed for that Purpose by any of Your Royal Predecessors to make a special acknowledgement to Your Majesty for Your great Grace and Favour to us Your Commons have therefore freely and unanimously resolved to give and grant and do hereby give and grant to You our most Gracious Sovereign Lady Queen Anne (whom God long preserve) the several Rates Duties Imposts and Charges heretofore paid and paid during Your Majesties Life And do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Ninth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and one for and during the Term of the Natural Life of Her Majesty Queen Anne (whom God long preserve) the said Rates and Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors granted to His said late Majesty King Charles (1) by the said Act made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King Charles the Second included A Grant of certain Impositions upon Beer Ale and other Liquors for the Increase of His Majesties Revenues during His Life and which were granted to Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary by the said Act made in the Second Year of their Reign for Their Lives and the Life of the Survivor of them (other than and except the said Duty of Six Pence for every Barrell of Vangar Beer granted by the same Act) and also the said Duty of Six Pence Part of the said Duty of Eight Shillings granted to His late Majesty King William for and upon every Barrell of Vangar Vangar Beer or Lager prepared for Vangar which shall be brewed or made of any English Materials by any Person or Persons whatsoever for Sale and so in possession for a greater or lesser Quantity by the said Act made in the Tenth Year of His Reign shall be levied collected and paid to Her Majesty in the same Manner and Form, and by such Rules Ways Means and Methods and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are mentioned and expressed in the before mentioned Acts or any of them relating to the said Duties of Excise or any of them or by any other Law now in force relating to the Revenue of Excise And that all and every the said Laws relating to the Revenue of Excise shall be of full Force and Effect to all Intents and Purposes for the levying receiving ascertaining and accounting the said Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors hereby granted in the same Manner as if the same were repeated and enacted in the Body of this present Act

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said further Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wares Goods and Merchandises granted by the said Act made in the Ninth Day of March during Her Majesties Life be raised levied collected paid and received unto Her Majesty by the same Ways Means and Methods and by the same Rules and Directions and with the same Allowances as are mentioned in the same Act made in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William: And the same Act and every [Article] Rule and Clause therein contained or thereby referred to so far as the same relate to the raising levying collecting and making Allowances out of the said Subsidies and other Duties shall be of full Force and Effect to all Intents and Purposes during Her Majesties Life as if the same were particularly and at large repeated and set down in the Body of this Act]

Also it is hereby enacted and declared That the said Hereditary Rates and Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors and the said Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors hereby granted to Her Majesty for the Term of Her Life subject nevertheless to the Incumbrances hereto after mentioned and the said Revenue of the General Letter Office or Post Office or the Office of Postmaster General and the said small Branches of Her Majesties Revenue (that is to say) The First Fruits and Tenths of the Clergy the fines for Writs of Covenant and Writs of Entry payable in the Chancery Office the Post Office the Revenue of the Wine Licenses the Monies arising by Sheriffs Prebends and Compositions in the Exchequer and by the Sale of the unincumbered and prohibited Goods The Revenue of the Duchy of Cornwall and any other Revenue arising by the Rents of Lands in England (and 1) Wales or far Places for Leases of the same or any of them and the Monies arising by the said further Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties hereby granted and all other the Branches and Revenues which were chargeable with the said partly Sum of seven hundred thousand Pounds (the said Duty of Four and six Half per Centum in Specie arising in Barbadoes and the Leeward Islands in America always excepted and forever) shall be for the Support of Her Majesties Household and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown yet nevertheless the said Hereditary Rates and Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors and the [said] Rates and Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors hereby granted to Her Majesty during Her Life and every of them shall be liable and subject to the said weekly Payment of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds according to the Tenor and Effect of the said Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William in the same manner as the said Hereditary Rates and Duties of Excise and the said Rates and Duties of Excise which were granted in the Second Year of Their said late Majesties and every of them jointly or severally would have been liable to the same weekly Payment if His said Majesty had continued in this Life during the said Term of Five Years Any thing hereto contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

From the 9th March 1704

Duties of Excise upon Beer, Ale, and other Liquors, of 12 Ch. II. 10 1/2.

and of 6d. per Barrell of Vangar, 10 W. III. 10 1/2, granted to Her Majesty for Life, to be levied as by any Law of Excise in force.

II. Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties of that 10 W. III. 10 1/2, and to be levied, and with such Allowances as herein mentioned, from the said 9th Day of March, granted to Her Majesty for Life. The said Act is hereby.

III. The several Duties herein mentioned.

To be for the Support of Her Majesty's Household.

The hereditary and other Duties of Excise subject to weekly Payment of three thousand seven hundred Pounds according to Stat. 12 Ch. II.

1 The Second, G. 1. King's Printer's Copy.

2 Article 10.

3 or 10.

4 contained in the Bill.

IV.  
How the said  
£12,000 per Week  
shall be paid, after the  
the Term, and  
how applied.

PROVIDED also and it is hereby enacted and declared That from and after the Expiration of the said Term of Five Years so much Money as together with the said Payments after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum then in consequence and be applied for Satisfaction of the said Payments and those claiming under them as aforesaid shall make up the Sum of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds for every Week during Her Majesty's Life shall and may be taken out the said Hereditary Rents and Duties of Excise and out of the Rents and Duties of Excise hereby granted to Her Majesty for Her Life and either as any of them and the said Payments after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum being deducted out of the Hereditary Part thereof the Residue of the (") Three thousand seven hundred Pounds per Week be applied and disposed of to and for the public Use and Service Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

V.  
Revenues for paying  
the Expenses.

And whereas the necessary Expenses of supporting the Crown or the greater part of them were formerly defrayed by a Land Revenue which hath from time to time been impaired and diminished by the Grants of former Kings and Queens of this Realm so that Her Majesty's Land Revenue at present can afford very little towards the Support of Her Government nevertheless from time to time upon the Determination of the particular Estates whereupon many Revenues and Rents are in the Crown do now depend or expect and by such Lands Tenements and Hereditaments as may hereafter descend either or otherwise accrue or come to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors the Land Revenue of the Crown in Future Rents and other Profits thereof may hereafter be increased and consequently the Burden upon the Estates of the Subjects of this Realm may be eased and lessened in all such Proportions to be made for the Expenses of the Civil Government To the end therefore that the Land Revenue of the Crown may be preserved improved and increased for the best Advantages thereof be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Grant Lease or other Assurance which from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two shall be made or granted by Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors Kings or Queens of this Realm under the Great Seal of England Eschequer Seal Seals of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster or any of them or by Copy of Court Roll or otherwise howsoever of any Manors Messuages Lands Tenements Rents Tythes Woods or other Hereditaments (Advowsons of Churches and Vicarages only excepted) within the Kingdom of England Duchies of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed or any of them or any part thereof now belonging or hereafter to belong to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or to any other Person or Persons in trust for Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors in Possession Reversion Remainder Use or Expectancy whether the same be or shall be in Right of the Crown of England or in Part of the Principality of Wales or of the Duchy or County Palatine of Lancaster or otherwise howsoever to any Person or Persons Body Politick or Corporate whatsoever whereby any Estate or Interest whatsoever in Law or Equity shall or may pass from Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall be utterly void and of none Effect unless such Grant Lease or Assurance be made for some Term or Estate not exceeding One and thirty Years or Three Lives or for some Term of Years determinable upon One Two or Three Lives and unless such Grant Lease or Assurance respectively be made to commence from the Date of making thereof and if such Grant Lease or Assurance be made to take Effect in Reversion or Expectancy that then the same together with the Estate or Estates in Possession of and in the Premises therein contained do not exceed Three Lives or the Term of One and thirty Years in the whole and unless such Grant Lease or Assurance respectively be so made that the Tenant be liable to Payments for Wares and unless there be reserved upon every such Grant Lease or Assurance respectively the ancient or most usual Rent or more or such Rent as hath been reserved yielded and paid for each of the said Manors Messuages Lands Tenements Rents Tythes or other Hereditaments as shall be therein contained for the greater part of Twenty Years before the making thereof and where no such Rent shall have been reserved or payable then upon every such Grant Lease or Assurance there be reserved a reasonable Rent not being under the Third Part of the clear yearly Value of each of the said Manors Messuages Lands Tenements Tythes or other Hereditaments as shall be contained in such Lease or Grant and unless such [respective] Rents be made payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors who shall make such Lease or Grant and to Her or Their Heirs or Successors during the whole Term or Time of the Continuance thereof respectively

Grants of Lands,  
the Crown the Crown  
to be made  
not.

unless made for  
such Estate as  
herein contained,  
and made to  
commence from the  
making thereof, and  
for each Rent and  
upon each Term as  
herein contained.

VI.  
Provision when  
greater Part of  
the yearly Value  
remained Buildings  
thereon, which may  
want repair, this  
Year Term may  
as such Case be  
proceeds.

PROVIDED always and it is hereby enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That from time to time where the greater Part of the Yearly Value of any Tenements or Hereditaments belonging or hereafter to belong to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall or shall at the Time of making any Lease or Grant thereof consist of the Building or Buildings thereupon which may want to be repaired or certified in all and every such Case and Case to encourage the rebuilding [and] Repair thereof it shall and may be lawful so and for Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors at any Time after the said Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two to double or grant such Tenements or Hereditaments to any Person or Persons for any Term or Estate so as such Term or Estate do not exceed Fifty Years or Three Lives and as in such Lease or Grant be made to commence from the Date of making thereof or if such Grant or Lease be made to take effect in Reversion or Expectancy that then the same together with the Estate or Estates in Possession of and in the same Tenements or Hereditaments do not exceed Fifty Years or Three Lives from the Date of making as aforesaid and so in the same be not made disposable of Wares and so as there be reserved and payable upon every such Lease or Grant during each Term not exceeding Fifty Years or Three Lives as

and what Rent  
reserved.

<sup>a</sup> and G.

<sup>b</sup> inserted on the Roll

<sup>c</sup> and G.

much less as is by this Act required to be returned for the same Treasurers or Hereditaments respectively in case of a Lease not exceeding One and thirty Years or Three Lives as aforesaid and not otherwise. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

And to the intent the Intendment which Her Majesty hath of and in the said Hereditary Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors and of and in the said Revenue arising in the said General Letter Office or Post Office and in the small Branches of Her Majesty's Revenue herein after mentioned (that is to say) The First Fruits and Tithes of the Clergy the Fees for Writs of Covenant and Writs of Entry payable in the Exchequer Office the Post Office the Revenue of the Wine Licences and the Revenue arising by Sheriffs Profits and Compositions in the Exchequer and by Seizures of unlicensed and prohibited Goods may be preserved in the Crown for the future Benefit thereof Be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the said Hereditary Duties of Excise and the said Revenue arising in the said General Letter Office or Post Office and the said small Branches of Her Majesty's Revenue last mentioned or any of them or any Part thereof shall not hereafter be alienable or grantable by Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors for any Years or Terms whatsoever to endure longer than the Life of Her Majesty or of such King or Queen as shall make such Alienation or Grant respectively and that all Gifts Grants Alienations Leases and Assignments whatsoever to be had or made of any the said Manors Messuages Lands Tenements Rents Tithes or other Hereditaments or of any the said Revenues or Branches or any Part thereof contrary to the Provisions of this Act or any of them shall be null and void without any Inquisition Scire Facias or other Proceeding to determine or make void the same.

Provided always That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to disable His Majesty Her Heirs or Successors to make such Leases Copies or Grants as He or They may make by virtue of an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William for making Leases or Copies of Offices Lands or Hereditaments Part of the Duchy of Cornwall or to be done in pursuance thereof or to alter or purveyor any the Powers Matters or Things therein contained or to be done as aforesaid or to disable Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors to make any Grant or Remission of any Estate or Estates hereafter to be forfeited for any Treason or Felony whatsoever or to disable Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors to grant leases or assign any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments which shall be taken or seized into Her or Their Hands upon any Outcry at the Sale of Her or Their Subjects as hath been used or any Estate whatsoever which is or shall be so used awarded or taken in Execution for any Debt owing or to be due to the Crown as He or They shall think fit or to make any Grants or Administrations which of Right or Custom ought to be made of any Copyhold Lands Tenements or Hereditaments Part of any Manor or Mannors of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or to disable the Treasurers for Sale of Fee Farm and other Rents to execute any the Treasurers Powers or other Matters or Things by them to be executed done or performed as p<sup>er</sup>formance of the several Acts of Parliament concerning the Sale of the said Rents or the making of such Repayments ought to be made by them. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Saveing always to all and every Persons and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate their Heirs and Successors Executors Administrators and Assigns other than to our said Sovereign Lady Her Heirs and Successors all such Rights Tithes Rents Customs Licences Duties and [Demands] whatsoever of in or to or out of the Revenues Hereditaments and other the Premises aforesaid or any of them as they or any of them had or ought to have had before the making of this Act as fully to all Intents and Purposes as if this Act had never been made. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

## CHAPTER II.

An Act for explaining a Clause in an Act made at the Parliament begun and holden at Westminster the Two and twentieth of November in the Seventh Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King William the Third entitled An Act for the better Security of His Majesties Royal Person and Government.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made at the Parliament begun and holden at Westminster the Two and twentieth Day of November in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for the better Security of His Majesties Royal Person and Government it was among other Things enacted That no Commission either Civil or Military should cease determine or be void by reason of the Death or Disease of His said Majesty or of any of His Heirs or Successors Kings or Queens of this Realm but that every such Commission should be continue and remain in full force and virtue for the space of Six Months next after any such Death or Disease unless in the meantime superseded determined or made void by the next and immediate Successor to whom the Imperial Crown of this Realm according to the Act of Settlement in the same intitled Act mentioned is limited and appointed to go return or descend. And forasmuch as some Doubt may be conceived concerning the extent of that Clause therefore for the avoiding of any Dispute or Question that may arise touching the Continuance thereof be it declared and enacted by the Queens most excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the

VII.  
Reason for passing  
this Statute.

The second Clause  
being amended to  
be absolute only for  
the Life of the  
King or Queen.

or such Alienation  
and without  
Inquisition, &c.

VIII.  
Proviso for Leases,  
&c. made by virtue  
of Stat. 12 R. 2.  
W. III. c. 19.

and for Grants or  
Administration of  
feudal Tenures,  
or of Estates  
seized upon Outcry  
and Rents  
issues by the Crown.

and for Grants by  
Right or Custom  
of Copyholds of  
the Crown.

and for Treasurers  
for Sale of Fee  
Farm and other  
Rents.

IX.  
General Enargy.

Act. Parl. 1 Anne,  
p. 2. c. 2.

Recall of  
Stat. 7 & 8 W. III.  
c. 19.  
§ 10.

<sup>1</sup> intitled as the Bill.

His Majesty, by  
Death of His late  
Majesty, but  
good, for His  
Majesty, unless  
expressed, &c.

II  
The like Enactment  
as to such Patents  
and Grants for the  
Time to come.

III  
Judges of Oyer  
and Terminer, &c.  
not of the Peace  
to be removed, or if  
His late Majesty  
were living, and  
Writs not other  
Proceedings not  
discontinued.

IV  
The like Enactment  
as to Writs and  
Proceedings in  
Time to come.

V.  
No Commission of  
Assize or Writ  
habeas corpus  
discontinued by  
Death of His  
late Majesty.

The like Enactment  
for the Time to  
come.

unless expressed  
by His Majesty,  
&c.

The like Enactment  
as to original and  
other Writs and  
Proceedings  
habeas corpus.

VI  
This Act and  
the said Stat.  
1 & 2 W. III.  
c. 15 extended to  
Ireland, &c.

VII.  
Commencement  
of this Act and of  
all other Acts  
passed after the  
1<sup>st</sup> March 1702,  
and before the End  
of this Parliament.

Authority of the same That no Patent or Grant of any Office or Employment either Civil or Military shall be taken concerned or adjudged to cease determine or be void by reason of the Death or Demise of His said late Majesty but that every such Patent or Grant shall be continue and remain in full force and virtue from and after the Seventh Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and one for the Space of Six Months then next ensuing unless in the mean time superseded determined or made void by Her present Majesty

And be it further enacted That no Patent or Grant of any Office or Employment either Civil or Military hereafter to be made shall cease determine or be void by reason of the Death or Demise of Her present Majesty (whom God Almighty long preserve to reign over this Realm) or any of Her Heirs or Successors Kings or Queens of this Realm but that every such Patent or Grant shall be continue and remain in full force and virtue for the Space of Six Months next after any such Death or Demise unless in the mean time superseded determined or made void by the next and immediate Successor to whom the Imperial Crown of this Realm is limited and appointed to go remain or descend

And be it enacted and declared That the Auction of Assize Oyer and Terminer Good Delivery and Nil Prieis and Jurkins of the Peace may proceed at their several Assizes and Sessions as they might have done if His said late Majesty King William the Third were living but as Her Majesties Justice and as Her Statute And that no Writ Habeas Corpus or any other Proceeding upon any Indictment or Information for any Offence or Misdemeanor nor any Writ Process or Proceeding whatsoever for any Debt or Account that was due or to be made to His late Majesty or concerning any Lands Tenements or other Revenue that did belong to His late Majesty depending at the Time of the Demise of His said late Majesty shall be discontinued or put without Day by reason of His Death or Demise but shall continue and remain in full force and virtue to be proceeded upon in like Manner as if His said Majesty were living

And be it further enacted That no Writ Habeas Corpus or any other Proceeding upon any Indictment or Information for any Offence or Misdemeanor or any Writ Process or Proceeding for any Debt or Account that shall be due or to be made to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors for or concerning any Lands Tenements or other Revenue that shall belong to Her or Them that shall be depending at the Time of Her Majesties Demise (whom God long preserve) or of any of Her Heirs or Successors shall be discontinued or put without Day by reason of Her or any of Their Deaths or Demises but shall continue and remain in full Force and Virtue to be proceeded upon notwithstanding any such Death or Demise

(\*) And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Commission of Assize Writ of Assistance or of Admittance of &c. nor original Writ Writ of Nil pries Writ of Assistance nor any Commission Process or Proceedings whatsoever in or issuing out of any Court of Equity nor any Process or Proceeding upon any Office or Indictment nor any Writ of Habeas Corpus or Habeas Corpus in any Matter or Cause either Criminal or Civil nor any Writ of Attachment or Process for Contempt nor any Commission of Delinquency or Review for any Matters Ecclesiastical Testamentary or Maritime or any Process thereupon shall be determined abroad or discontinued by the Demise of the said late King but all and every such Writ Commission Process and Proceedings shall be and are hereby revived and continued and shall be in full Force and Virtue and shall and may be proceeded upon as if His late Majesty were living Not however by the Demise of Her present Majesty or any King or Queen of this Realm shall any Commission of Assize Oyer and Terminer General Good Delivery or of Admittance Writ of Assistance Writ of Nil pries Writ of Assistance or Commission of the Peace be determined But every such Commission and Writ shall be and continue in full Force and Virtue for the Space of Six Months next ensuing notwithstanding any such Demise unless superseded and determined by Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors and also no Original Writ Writ of Nil Prieis Commission Process or Proceedings whatsoever in or issuing out of any Court of Equity nor any Process or Proceeding upon any Office or Indictment nor any Writ of Habeas Corpus or Habeas Corpus in any Matter or Cause either Criminal or Civil nor any Writ of Attachment or Process for Contempt nor any Commission of Delinquency or Review for any Matters Ecclesiastical Testamentary or Maritime or any Process thereupon shall be determined abroad or discontinued by the Demise of Her Majesty or any King or Queen of this Realm But every such Writ Commission Process and Proceeding shall remain in full force and virtue to be proceeded upon as if Her Majesty or such other King or Queen had lived notwithstanding any such Death or Demise

And be it further enacted That all and singular the Provision Matters Clauses and Things whatsoever contained in this Act and in that Part of the Act made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of the late King which is recited in this present Act shall extend and be construed to extend to the Kingdom of Ireland to the Islands of Jersey and Guernsey and to all Her Majesties Dominions in America and elsewhere

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That this present Act and all other Acts to which the Royal Assent shall be given after the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and one and before the End of this present Session of Parliament shall commence and begin and be taken construed and adjudged in Law to commence and begin upon the said Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and one unless in such Acts some other time for Commencement thereof be specially limited and appointed

\* The following Clauses are inserted in the Original Act in Five separate Schedules.

## CHAPTER III.

An Act for continuing the Act made in the Eighth Year of His late Majesty's Reign for better preventing the counterfeiting the Current Coin of this Kingdom.

Act. Parl. c. 20.  
p. 2 & 3.

WHEREAS an Act of Parliament made in the Eighth Year of His late Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for the better preventing the counterfeiting the Current Coin of this Kingdom was by a Clause in another Act made in the Ninth Year of His said Majesty's Reign continued in force unto the Fifth and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and one and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament And whereas the said Act hath been found of good Use for suppressing the counterfeiting the Current Coin of this Kingdom by such Tools and Instruments as are therein prohibited Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Act made in the Eighth Year of His late Majesty's Reign and every Article and Clause therein contained shall from henceforth continue and be in force until the Fifth and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and nine and from thenceforth unto the End of the First Session of Parliament then next ensuing and no longer.

Revised Stat. 746.  
2 R. 2 W. III. c. 26.  
not continued by  
2 R. 2 W. III. c. 41.  
35. And that the  
said Act had been  
revised thereto.

Act. 4 R. 2 W. III.  
c. 26. continued  
till 17th March  
1709, &c.

And whereas in the aforesaid Act it is ordained That no Prosecution shall be made for any Offence against the said Act unless such Prosecution be commenced within Three Months after such Offence committed Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Prosecution of such Person or Persons as offend against the said Act by making or sending or beginning or proceeding to make or send any Coining Tool or Instrument therein prohibited or by making of Money round the Edges with Letters or Goldstamps may be commenced at any time within Six Months after such Offence committed Any thing in the said Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

II.  
Revised Stat.  
8 R. 2 W. III. c. 26.  
19.  
Location of  
Prosecution.

And whereas by an Act of the late Parliament in the Twelfth Year of His late Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for appointing Wardens and Assay Masters for assaying wrought Plate in the Cities of York Exeter Bristol Chancery and Norwich the said Cities of York Exeter Bristol Chancery and Norwich were appointed for the assaying and marking of Wrought Plate and for executing the Powers Authorities and Directions given by the said Act And whereas in and by the said Act of Parliament it was further enacted That all and every Goldsmith Silversmith and Plateworker inhabiting in any Town or Place where an Assayer is not or shall not be appointed shall bring all his or their Wrought Plate to some of the said Cities or Places to be assayed and marked upon Penalty of Forfeiture of all such Plate or Manufacture of Silver or the Value thereof as shall be add or exchanged before the same be marked and assayed And whereas in the Town of Newcastle upon Tyne there is and Time out of Mind hath been an antient Company of Goldsmiths which with their Families by the said Penalty are like to be ruined and the said Trade thereby lost in the said Town And whereas by the Statute of the Second of Henry the Sixth the Town of Newcastle upon Tyne is one of the Places appointed to have Touchers for wrought Silver Plate Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Town of Newcastle upon Tyne be and is hereby appointed for assaying and marking of Wrought Plate and for executing the several Powers Authorities and Directions mentioned and contained in and by the said Act of the Twelfth Year of Our said late Sovereign Lord King William as fully and amply to all Intents Constructions and Purposes as if the said Town had been expressly named in the said Act.

III.  
Revised Stat.  
13 R. 2 W. III.  
c. 4. &c.

18.

Whereas the  
Town appointed  
for assaying and  
marking Wrought  
Plate, &c.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Goldsmith Silversmith and Plateworkers who are or shall be Freemen of and inhabiting in the said Town of Newcastle and having served an Apprenticeship to the said Trade of a Goldsmith Silversmith or Plateworker shall be and are hereby incorporated a Company of and belonging to the said Town and shall be called or known by the Name of the Company of Goldsmiths of the said Town of Newcastle upon Tyne which said Company shall be enabled and are hereby authorized annually to choose Two Persons to be Wardens of the said Company which said Wardens shall continue for the Space of One Year and no longer unless rechosen by the said Company And if either of the said Wardens shall happen to dy or remove out of the said Town then the said Company shall within One Month after such Death or Removal choose another Person of the said Company to be Warden in his Room and such Person so chosen shall and is hereby authorized and required to act accordingly.

IV.  
Silversmiths, &c.  
whomsoever there,  
and how, &c.  
incorporated.

To choose Wardens  
annually.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Silver Plate or Manufacture of Silver (except such things as by reason of their Smallness are not capable of receiving the Touch) shall be made and wrought of the same Places and made assayed and marked with the Arms of the said Town and under the Mark mentioned in the said Act in such Manner and Form as in the said Act of the Twelfth Year of His late Majesty's Reign is mentioned And that an Assaymaster shall from time to time be elected by the said Company of Goldsmiths in the said Town who shall take such Oath as is therein prescribed before the Mayor of Newcastle upon Tyne for the time being who is hereby appointed to administer the same And that the said Assaymaster and all and every the Goldsmith Silversmith and Plateworkers inhabiting in the said Town shall from time to time and at all times hereafter observe and perform all such Matters and Things and be subject to all such Orders Rules Rules Penalties and Forfeitures as in the same Act is mentioned for and concerning the [several] Matters Things and Offences therein contained as fully effectually and amply to all Intents Constructions and Purposes as if the said Town had been [therein] expressly mentioned and the said Person and Persons shall be levied recovered disposed of and taken in such Manner and Form as in and by the same Act is directed.

V.  
Rules for making  
and assaying  
Wrought Plate,  
&c. as by  
Stat. 15 R. 2 W. III.  
c. 4.

Assaymaster to be  
elected and sworn.  
Assaymaster and  
others to observe  
the Rules of  
the said Statute.

Penalties mentioned,  
&c. as by the said  
Act.

<sup>1</sup> Inserted in the Bill.

## CHAPTER IV.

## An Act for taking examining and stating the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom

*See Part I. Ann.  
p. 1. c. 4.*

*Reason for passing  
the Act*

*Commissioners  
appointed*

*And a W. & M.  
Sec. 1. c. 11*

*Sec. 2 W. & M.  
c. 11*

*Sec. 3 W. & M.  
c. 11*

*Sec. 4 W. & M.  
c. 11*

*Sec. 5 W. & M.  
c. 11*

*The said Acts  
(Charter)  
revised and  
confirmed,  
from 17th March  
1702 until  
17th March 1705.*

*Four Commissioners  
may take Accounts  
within the Time  
prescribed.*

*Under the said Acts  
& under Stat.  
1 W. & M. c. 5  
131*

*Treasury authorized  
to give Money for  
paying Comptrol-  
lers Clerks and  
other Charges*

*III.  
Two Commissioners  
before they set out  
to take the Oath  
before the  
Chancellor of  
the Exchequer at  
Home or the Rolls*

*And the other  
Commissioners to  
take the same Oath  
before the said Two  
Commissioners*

*IV.  
Four Commissioners  
may make any  
Tollage of Officers  
and in give an  
Account thereof*

*IV.  
No Money to be  
used or paid to  
Dutch Vintners  
and to be paid  
to Accounts.*

WHEREAS many and great Aids and Provisions have been given raised and assigned for the necessary Defence of the Crown and these Kingdoms and for the Support of the Government To the end therefore that both Your Majesty and the whole Kingdom may be satisfied and truly informed therein may it please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That Francis Scobell Esquire William Brouncker of Warwickshire Esquire James Bridges Esquire Henry Saint John Esquire Sir Godfrey Copley Baronet Robert Berly Esquire and Thomas Coke Esquire shall be and are hereby constituted Commissioners for examining taking and stating the Accounts of all Money of the Publick Revenue of the Crown and all other Accounts which were by one Act of Parliament made in the Second Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for [appointing] and enabling Commissioners to examine take and state the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom And one other Act made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of Their said Majesties Reigns intituled An Act for examining taking and stating [the] Publick Accounts of the Kingdom And one other Act made in the Fifth and Sixth Years of Their [said] Majesties Reigns intituled An Act for appointing and enabling Commissioners to examine take and state the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom and one other Act made in the Sixth and Seventh Years of His late Majesties Reigns intituled An Act for appointing and enabling Commissioners to examine take and state the Publick Accounts and one other Act made in the Seventh and Eighth Years of His late Majesties Reigns intituled An Act for the taking examining and stating the Publick Accounts to be taken examined and stated by the respective Commissioners by the said Acts or any of them contained or any Four Five or more of them respectively authorized by virtue of the same or any of them And that the said Acts and every Chancery Manus and Thing in the said Acts and every of them contained not hereby altered shall be and are hereby revised and confirmed in full force and virtue to all Intents Constructions and Purposes whatsoever from the First and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two to the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three and shall be executed with all the Powers and Authorities in them and every of them respectively contained by the said Commissioners or any Four or more of them And the said Commissioners or any Four or more of them shall and are hereby authorized and empowered to take Accounts of all Moneys that have been or shall be granted to the Crown and of all other Publick Money due or payable on the Fifth Day of November One thousand six hundred eighty eight or at any Time between the said Fifth Day of November One thousand six hundred eighty eight and the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three not yet accounted for by virtue or in pursuance of the said revised Acts or any of them or the last Clause touching Publick Accounts made and enacted in an Act made in the Third Year of the said Majesties Reigns intituled An Act for raising an Aid by a Poll payable Quarterly for One Year for carrying on a rigorous War against France And that the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury or Lord High Treasurer of England for the Time being shall and are hereby authorized and required to issue and pay or cause to be issued and paid the like yearly Allowances for Payment of Clerks and other Charges as are in the first revised Act directed and the like Quarterly Payments to every of the said Commissioners hereby constituted as are appointed to be paid to the Commissioners therein named all which Payments and Salaries to be paid out of the same shall be free and clear of all Taxes and Assessments whatsoever

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Two of the said Commissioners first named in this Act before they enter upon the Execution of the same shall take an Oath before the Chancellor of the Exchequer or Master of the Rolls for the Time being which they and either of them are hereby respectively authorized and required to administer to them the Tenor whereof shall be as followeth (that is to say)

I A-B, do swear That according to the best of my Skill and Knowledge I shall faithfully impartially and truly demand my self in examining and taking the Accounts of all such Sums or Sums of Money and other Matters and Things brought or to be brought before me in Execution of an Act intituled An Act for taking examining and stating the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom according to the Tenor and Purport of the said Act

And every other of the said Commissioners lawfully constituted before he enters upon the Execution of the said Act shall likewise take the same Oath before the said Two Commissioners before first named who are hereby authorized and required to administer the same unto them after they themselves have taken the said Oath as aforesaid

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Commissioners or any Four or more of them shall be and they are hereby empowered to examine any Briberies or Corruptions in any Person or Persons concerned in the management ordering paying receiving or disposing of Her Majesties Treasury and shall give an Account thereof together with the Execution of the other Parts of their said Commission in such Manner as they are directed to do by the said revised Act

And whereas Jacob Vandenscheide late Paymaster to the Dutch Forces who served in the late War in England and Ireland upon the English Establishment has received great Sums of Money for the Pay and defraying the Contingent Expenses of the said Dutch and other Foreign Forces and has not yet rendered or given any particular



Access of the Disbursement of such Sums of Money and although the Sums imposed by the Paymaster General to the said Jacob Vanderbrack are as is supposed as much and more than by the Establishment the said Troops can demand for themselves yet the said Colonels and other Officers on Behalf of themselves and their respective Regiments do demand great Arrears of Pay as due to the said Regiments. Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Sum or Sums of Money shall be imposed, raised or paid to the said Colonels or other Officers in Behalf of themselves or their respective Regiments until the said Jacob Vanderbrack has duly appeared before the Commissioners appointed by this Act or any Four or more of them and has regularly made up his Accounts and until the said Accounts are passed and allowed in such Form as the said Commissioners shall direct.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person appointed a Commissioner by this Act shall script or hold any Employment of Profit from or under Her Majesty during the Continuance of this Act.

W.  
Commissioners not  
to hold Employ-  
ment under the  
Crown

## CHAPTER V

An Act for reviving the Act entitled An Act for exempting Apothecaries from serving the Office of Constable Scavenger and other Parish and Ward Offices and from Serving upon Juries.

See Parl. Assn.  
p. 5. s. 3

WHEREAS an Act made in the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for exempting Apothecaries from serving the Office of Constable Scavenger and other Parish and Ward Offices and from serving upon Juries has been by Experience found very useful and necessary And whereas the said Act was to continue but for Seven Years and to the end of the next Session of Parliament and is now near expiring Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled (assembled) and by the Authority of the same That the said intitled Act with all the Clauses and Powers therein contained shall continue and be in Force for the Space of Eleven Years from and after the Expiration thereof and from thence to the end of the next Session of Parliament

Recall that Stat.  
4 & 5 W & M, c. 4  
had been found  
useful.

The said Act  
continued for  
Eleven Years, &c.

## CHAPTER VI.

(1)

MOST Gracious Sovereign We Your Majesties most faithful and loyal Subjects the Commons in Parliament assembled being sensible of Your Majesties Care and Endeavour for the Preservation of Your Subjects and that large Supplies of Money are necessary for enabling Your Majesty to take the proper Methods for the Defence and Safety of Your Majesties Realm and Dominions do most humbly present to Your Majesty as an Aid or Free Gift the several Taxes Rates Duties and Summs of Money hereafter specified beseeching Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate Guilds and Franchises within this Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed using or exercising any Trade Mystery Occupation or Business of Merchandizing Shopkeeping or other buying or selling by Wholesale or Retail who at the Time of the Execution of this Act shall possess or have in his her or their own Use or for the Use and Account of any other Person or Persons or Corporation any Good Ware Merchandize Commodities Manufactures or Vendible Stock whatsoever within this Realm of England or the Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed shall yield and pay to Her Majesties Her Heirs and Successors for the same within the Space or Time of One Year to be reckoned from the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two a Tax or Duty after the Rate of Fifty Shillings for every Hundred Pounds or Six Pence for every Twenty Shilling of the full use and real Value of such Good Ware Merchandize Commodities Manufactures or Vendible Stock whatsoever as fully and effectually as if the same was in this Act particularly mentioned and expressed and proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity or Value

See Parl. Assn.  
p. 1

Grant for the  
Defence and Safety  
of the Realm

Wholesale and  
Retail Trades to  
pay 50s. 100s. for  
every 100s. Stock  
in Trade

Provided that this Act shall not extend to charge any Meat whatsoever or such Corn Grain or Hay as shall be in the Hands of the Owner of the Land or of the Farmer or Tenant of the Land upon which the same did grow at any Cattle or other Stock and in Husbandry only or such Goods as at the Time of the executing [of] this Act shall be actually used as Householdhold or for Working Apparel or the Capital Stock of any Corporation exempted by Act of Parliament from the Payment of Taxes to or with the said Duke of Five Shilling per Centum or 40s Part thereof

IL  
Exemption of Meats,  
&c. in Hands of  
Owner, &c. and of  
Cattle used in  
Husbandry only,  
&c. of Household-  
hold, &c. exempted  
by Parliament

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> No Title in this Act in the Bill. This Title referred to the Original Act is "An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by diverse Subsidies and a Land Tax."



Age of Sixteen Years And also except all Children being under the Age of Sixteen [Years] of all Day Labourers and of all Servants in Husbandry And also except all Children under the Age of Sixteen Years of such who have Four or more Children and are not worth in Land Goods and Chattels or any of them the Sum of Fifty Pounds All which said Rates Duties and Payments above by this Act granted shall be assessed raised levied collected and paid by such Times and in such Manner and Forms and under such Rules Authorities and Qualifications as are herein after mentioned

Children of Day Labourers, &c. under 15 And Children under 15 of such who have Five acres, and not worth 40s

And we Your Majesties said doctall and legal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to make a further Aid and Supply for the Purposes aforesaid by a Charge upon all Manners Messuages Lands Tenements Rents and Hereditaments and upon the Profits of Offices in the manner herein after expressed do give and grant unto Your Majesty the further Rates Payments and Sums of Money herein after expressed And do hauech Your Majesty that it may be enacted be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That over and above all the Rates Payments and Sums of Money before by this Act granted the full and entire Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny shall be raised levied and paid unto Her Majesty within the Space of One Year from the end Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two and shall be assessed and taxed in the several Counties Cities Burroughs Townes and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed according to the Proportions and in manner following that is to say

VIII. A further Aid and Supply on Lands Tenements, and Hereditaments, and Offices.

Over and above the Rates before by this Act granted, &c. to be paid in One Year, from 25th March 1702, according to the Proportions following

For the Towne of Bedford the Sum of Six hundred ninety two Pound Eighteen Shilling and One Penny

For the rest of the County of Bedford the Sum of Twenty seven thousand eight hundred sixty two Pound Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny

For the Burrough of New Windsor and Castle there the Sum of Nine hundred seventy eight Pounds and Ten Shilling

For the rest of the County of Berks the Summe of Forty thousand seventy five Pounds Two Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Burrough of Bucks with Buxton Borton hold Pishard and Garscott and Lathbarrow the Summe of Six hundred and threescore Pounds and Five Pence Half penny

For the Burrough of Wycombe the Summe of Three hundred fifty eight Pounds Seventeen Shilling and Six Pence

For the rest of the County of Bucks the Summe of Forty six thousand six hundred eighty eight Pounds Nineteen Shilling and Six Pence Half penny

For the University and Towne of Cambridge the Summe of Two thousand eight hundred forty six Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny

For the Isle of Ely the Summe of Eight thousand and eight Pounds Five Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny

For the rest of the County of Cambridge the Summe of Twenty one thousand nine hundred seventy one Pound Fourteen Shilling and Three Pence Half penny

For the City and County of the City of Chester the Summe of Fifteen hundred eighty four Pounds and Seven Shilling

For the County of Chester the Summe of Twenty seven thousand and fourscore [Pounds] Eighteen Shilling and Ten Pence Half penny

For the County of Cornwall the Summe of Thirty one thousand nine hundred seventy five Pounds and Six Shilling

For the County of Cumberland the Summe of Three thousand seven hundred and thirtie Pound Eighteen Shilling and Two Pence Half penny

For the County of Derby the Summe of Twenty four thousand ninety three Pound Nineteen Shilling and Nine Pence Half penny

For the City and County of the City of Exeter the Summe of Four thousand seven hundred and eight Pounds and Five Pence Half penny

For the County of Devon the Summe of Seventy seven thousand eight hundred seventy five Pound Two Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny

For the Towne and County of the Towne of Exeter the Summe of Three hundred twenty eight Pounds and Two Shilling

For the County of Devon the Summe of Thirty two thousand seven hundred eighty eight [Pounds] Five Shillings and Six Pence Half penny

For the County of Durham the Summe of Ten thousand five hundred ninety seven Pound Fourteen Shilling and Five Pence Half penny

For the West Riding of the County of York the Summe of Thirty one thousand three hundred sixty two Pounds One Shilling and One Penny

For the North Riding of the County of York the Summe of Twenty six thousand four hundred and fifty Pounds Seventeen Shilling

For the East Riding of the County of York the Summe of Nineteen thousand one hundred twenty seven Pound Two Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the City of York and County of the same City the Summe of Four thousand six hundred thirty nine Pounds and Eight Shilling

For the Town and County of the Towne of Kingston upon Hall the Summe of Two thousand fifty three Pounds Two Shillings and Four Pence

For the Towne of Malden in the County of Essex the Summe of Five hundred twenty six Pound<sup>s</sup> and Eighteen Shilling<sup>s</sup>

For the Towne of Colchester the Summe of Two thousand nine hundred Pounds Two Shillings and Three Pence

For the Towne of Harwich and Dover Castle the Summe of Four hundred and three Pounds Thirteen Shillings

For the rest of the County of Essex the Summe of Eighty seven thousand one hundred and six Pounds Eight Shillings and Five Pence

For the City and County of the City of Gloucester the Summe of Thirteen hundred sixty six Pounds Four Shilling<sup>s</sup> and Eight Pence

For the whole County of Gloucester the Summe of Forty six thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds Eight Shillings and Two Pence

For the City of Hereford the Summe of Seven hundred sixty three Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Borough of Leicester the Summe of Three hundred sixty three Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the whole County of Hereford the Summe of Nineteen thousand three hundred and eleven Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Borough of St Albans in the County of Hertford the Summe of Seven hundred seventy four Pounds and Two Shillings

For the rest of the whole County of Hertford the Summe of Forty two thousand one hundred sixty nine Pounds Three Shilling<sup>s</sup> and Four Pence

For the Towne of Huntingdon the Summe of Four hundred thirty two Pound<sup>s</sup> Twelve Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the County of Huntingdon the Summe of Fifteen thousand and sixty four Pounds Twelve Shillings and Four Pence

For the City and County of the City of Canterbury [Canterbury'] the Summe of Sixteen hundred sixty two Pounds Five Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Towne and Liberty of Dover the Summe of Nineteen hundred twenty three Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Nine Pence

For the Towne of Faversham the Summe of One hundred forty four Pounds Nineteen Shillings

For the Towne of Fowbrich the Summe of Seventy seven Pounds and Eight Shillings

For the Towne of Faversham the Summe of Five hundred and nineteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Three Pence

For the Towne of Yarmouth the Summe of One thousand and thirty two Pounds Six Shillings

For the Towne and Liberty of Sandwich the Summe of Nine hundred sixty one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence

For the Towne and Port of New Romney the Summe of Two hundred forty nine Pounds and Nineteen Shillings

For the Towne of Lyd the Summe of Seven hundred sixty nine Pound<sup>s</sup> Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence

For the Towne and Port of Hith and West Hith within the Liberty of the said Towne and Port the Summe of Two hundred forty six Pounds and Two Shillings

For the rest of the whole County of Kent the Summe of Seventy five thousand seven hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence

For the County of Lancaster the Summe of Twenty thousand nine hundred eighty nine Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny

For the Borough of Lancaster the Summe of Six hundred thirty nine Pounds Twelve Shillings

For the rest of the County of Lancaster the Summe of Thirty four thousand two hundred thirty two Pounds Seven Shillings and One Penny Half penny

For the County of Lincoln with the City and County of the City of Lincoln the Summe of Seventy two thousand two hundred twenty six Pounds Ten Shillings and Four Pence

For the City of London the Summe of One hundred twenty three thousand three hundred thirty four Pounds Two Shillings and Seven Pence

For St Sepulchre Inn in Fleetstreet the Summe of Sixty five Pounds Four Shillings

For St Sepulchre Inn in Chancery Lane the Summe of Thirty one Pounds Four Shillings

For the Inner Temple and Inn of Chancery thereto belonging the Summe of Four hundred Pounds

For the Middle Temple and Inn of Chancery thereto belonging the Summe of Two hundred seventy two Pounds and Nineteen Shillings

For the Society of Lincolns Inn and Inn of Chancery thereto belonging the Summe of Thine hundred forty one Pounds Seven Shillings and Six Pence

For Grays Inn and Inn of Chancery thereto belonging the Summe of Two hundred fifty two Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Palaces of White Hall and St James's the Summe of Ten thousand six hundred eighty six Pounds Five Shillings and Four Pence

For the City of Westminster and Liberties thereof and Offices annexed to Westminster Hall the Summe of Sixty three thousand four hundred fifty eight Pounds and Six Pence Half penny

For the rest of the County of Middlesex the Sum of One hundred and eight thousand nine hundred and twelve Pounds Nine Shillings and Seven Pence

For the County of Monmouth the Sum of Nine thousand eight hundred and twelve Pounds Six Shillings and Five Pence Half penny

For the City and County of the City of Norwich the Sum of Eight thousand five hundred and eighteen Pounds Eleven Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Borough of Great Yarmouth the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred and twenty Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny

For the Borough of Kings Lynn the Sum of Eighteen hundred and fourteen Pounds Fourteen Shillings

For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in the County of Norfolk the Sum of Two hundred thirty nine Pounds

For the rest of the County of Norfolk the Sum of Seventy one thousand two hundred sixty eight Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town of Northampton the Sum of Eight hundred and thirty Pounds Seven Shillings and Ten Pence

For the rest of the County of Northampton the Sum of Forty seven thousand two hundred seventy six Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Town and County of the Town of Newcastle upon Tyne the Sum of Two thousand five hundred and eighty Pounds Eleven Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town of Berwick upon Tweed the Sum of One hundred and forty five Pounds Three Shillings

For the County of Northumberland the Sum of Eleven thousand eight hundred twenty two Pounds and Eighteen Shillings

For the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham the Sum of Eleven hundred and fourteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny

For the County of Nottingham the Sum of Twenty five thousand six hundred sixty two Pounds and Two Pence

For the University of Oxon the Sum of One hundred and eleven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Two Pence

For the City of Oxon the Sum of Three thousand six hundred twenty two Pounds Twelve Shillings and Six Pence

For the rest of the County of Oxon the Sum of Thirty five thousand four hundred forty eight Pounds Eleven Shillings and Seven Pence

For the County of Rutland the Sum of Five thousand five hundred twenty five Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny

For the Town of Ludlow the Sum of Two hundred twenty six Pounds and Two Shillings

For the County of Salop the Sum of Twenty eight thousand eight hundred thirty four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and One Penny Half penny

For the City and County of the City of Bristol the Sum of Seven thousand three hundred ninety one Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence

For the City of Bath the Sum of Four hundred forty three Pounds Six Shillings

For the City of Wells the Sum of Four hundred eighty one Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence

For the Borough of Bridgewater with Huggate Tything the Sum of Three hundred sixty six Pounds Five Shillings

For the rest of the County of Somerset the Sum of Sixty three thousand seven hundred and ninety Pounds Four Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town and County of the Town of Southampton the Sum of Seven hundred ninety four Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny

For the Isle of Wight the Sum of Six thousand two hundred seventy three Pounds Eleven Shillings

For the rest of the County of Southampton the Sum of Forty eight thousand one hundred and nineteen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Half penny

For the City and County of the City of Lincoln the Sum of Four hundred and twenty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Stafford the Sum of Twenty six thousand seven hundred Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence

For the Town of Ipswich the Sum of Two thousand sixty one Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence

For the Borough of Bury St. Edmunds the Sum of Two thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds Fifteen Shillings

For the Borough of Darwich the Sum of Forty Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence

For the Borough of Lye the Sum of Five hundred and Two Pounds

For the Borough of Sudbury the Sum of Five hundred and six Pounds Eight Shillings and Eight Pence

For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in Suffolk the Sum of Seventy nine Pounds Four Shillings

For the rest of the County of Suffolk the Sum of Sixty eight thousand five hundred and three Pounds Ten Shillings and Six Pence

For the County of Surrey the Sum of Sixty seven thousand and fourteen Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny

For the Town and Port of Hastings and Liberty thereof the Sum of Three hundred seventy eight Pounds and Six Shillings

For the Liberty of Seaford the Sum of One hundred forty one Pounds Eighteen Shillings

For the Liberty of Pevensey the Sum of One thousand eighty eight Pounds and Two Shillings

For the Town and Parish of Rye the Sum of Four hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings

For the Town of Winchelsea the Sum of Four hundred and five Pounds

For the rest of the County of Sussex the Sum of Fifty eight thousand three hundred thirty two Pounds Nine Shillings and One Penny

For the City and County of the City of Coventry the Sum of Two thousand four hundred sixty three Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Nine Pence

For the County of Warwick the Sum of Thirty seven thousand four hundred Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the City and County of the City of Worcester the Sum of Two thousand two hundred thirty nine Pounds Nine Shillings and Eight Pence

For the County of Worcester the Sum of Thirty one thousand four hundred fifty seven Pounds Eight Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the City of New Sarum the Close of the same and Clondon Parks the Sum of Nineteen hundred thirty five Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence

For the rest of the County of Wilt the Sum of Forty nine thousand seven hundred thirty six Pounds Eleven Shillings and Five Pence

For the County of Wiltshire the Sum of Three thousand forty five Pounds Three Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny

For the Isle of Anglessea the Sum of Sixteen hundred thirty three Pounds Seven Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Borough of Brecon the Sum of One hundred seventy seven Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the County of Brecon the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Cardigan the Sum of Thirteen hundred seventy two Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence

For the County Borough of Carmarthen the Sum of Two hundred twenty nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Four thousand one hundred and Forty Pounds Three Shillings and Eleven Pence Half penny

For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Two thousand three hundred thirty seven Pounds Six Shillings and Seven Pence

For the County of Denbigh the Sum of Six thousand eight hundred Pounds

For the County of Flint the Sum of Two thousand three hundred and fourteen Pounds Seventeen Shillings

For the County of Glamorgan the Sum of Seven thousand nine hundred and six Pounds Nine Shillings and Ten Pence

For the County of Merioneth the Sum of Two thousand Four hundred thirty two Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Two Pence

For the County of Montgomery the Sum of Five thousand eight hundred fifty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Pembrokeshire the Sum of Two thousand nine hundred twenty seven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Eight Pence Half penny

For the County of Radnor the Sum of Two thousand Six hundred ninety two Pounds and Six Shillings

And for the Town and County of the Town of Hereford Wm the Sum of One hundred seventy four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence

## IX.

As by a Statute by the Authority aforesaid That towards the raising of the said several and respective Sums of Money amounting to the said Sums of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny hereby charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places so aforesaid all and every Person and Persons and all and every Constables or Commissioners having seeing or executing any public Office or Employment of Profit (such Officers who are or shall be in the Service by the Master Master General of the Army Navy or Ordnance in respect of such Offices only excepted) and all and every their Agents Clerks Secretaries Substitutes and other inferior Ministers whatsoever shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings which he or they do receive in One Year by virtue of any Salaries Grants Bounties Money Rewards Fees or Profits to him or them accruing for or by Reason or Occasion of (these several) Offices or Employments the same to be assessed imposed levied and collected in such manner as hereafter is mentioned

Employments of Profit (except Military Offices of the Land Forces or Navy)

to pay up, in the Period;

to be assessed as herein mentioned.

And to the End the said full and entire Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny by this Act charged upon the several Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively as aforesaid may be fully and completely raised and paid to Her Majesty's Use (over and above the said other Taxes and Payments by this Act granted) Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Masters Messuages Lands and Tenements and also all Quarries Mines of Cole Tin and Lead Copper Marbeck Iron and other Mines Iron Works Salt Springs and Salt Works all [Alkove's] Mines or Works all Ports Chutes Warren Woods Underwoods Coppices and all Fishings Tythes Tolls Annuities and all other yearly Profits and all Hereditaments of what Nature or Kind soever they be situate lying and being happening or arising within the several and respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or Places aforesaid respectively or within any Parts of the same several within ancient demesne and other Liberties and privileged Places or without And all and every Person and Person Bodies Politick and Corporate Guilds Mysteries Fraternities and Brotherhoods whether Corporate or not Corporate having or holding any such Masters Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises in respect thereof shall be charged with as much Equitable and Indifferent as is possible by a Pound Rate for or towards the said several and respective Sums of Money by this Act set and imposed or intended to be imposed for or upon all and every such Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or other Places hereby charged therewith as aforesaid so that by the said Rates so to be raised or assessed for or upon the said Offices or Employments of Profit and for and upon the said Masters Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and other the Premises according to the Purport and true Meaning of this present Act the said further Sums amounting to the said Sums of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny shall be completely and effectually raised assessed levied and collected and shall be paid into the Receipt of Her Majesty's [Exchequer] by Four Quarterly Payments the First Payment thereof to be made upon or before the Twenty fourth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two

X  
Mines, Lands,  
Quarries, Mines,  
Tythes, Fisheries,  
Salt Springs,  
Salt Works, &c.  
as well within  
ancient Demesne,  
as without.

to be charged with  
as much Equity  
as possible

Here inserted  
Parliamentary  
Quarterly, First  
Payment 14th June  
1702.

And whereas many of the Masters Messuages Lands Tenements Tythes Hereditaments and Premises intended by this Act to be charged with the Pound Rate towards the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny as aforesaid stand incumbered with or are subject and liable to the Payment of several Rent-Charges or Annuities or other annual Payments issuing out of the same or to the Payment of diverse Fee-Farm Rents Rents Service or other Rents thereupon reserved or charged by reason whereof the true Owners and Proprietors of such Masters Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments do not in Truth resolve to their own Use the true yearly Value of the same for which nevertheless they are by this Act chargeable with a certain Pound Rate it is therefore declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Landlords Owners and Proprietors of such Masters Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments and Premises her mentioned being charged with a Pound Rate as aforesaid to abate and deduct and to receive and keep in his or their Hands out of every such Fee-Farm Rent or other annual Rent or Payment so much of the said Pound-Rate which shall be raised or assessed upon the same Masters Messuages Lands and Premises as a like Rate for every such Fee-Farm Rent or other annual Rent or Payment respectively shall by a just Proportion amount unto And all and every Person and Persons who are or shall be any way intitled to such Rents or annual Payments are hereby required to allow such Deductions and Payments upon Receipt of the Residue of such Moneys as shall be due and payable to them for such Rents or annual Payments reserved or charged as aforesaid

XI  
Noted that many  
Masters, &c. are  
liable to  
Incumbrances.

Landlords, &c. of  
such Messuages, &c.  
to receive the  
Rate, &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the better assessing ordering levying and collecting of all the said Rates Duties and Sums of Money by this Act charged or to be imposed as well for or upon the said Stock in Trade Duties at Interest Persons Offices and Professions and for the said personal Duty of Four Shillings at above the said several Sums of Money hereby charged or chargeable upon Lands and all other the Rates Duties and Payments by this Act granted And for the more effectually putting of this present Act in Execution all and every the Persons who are named or otherwise appointed to be Commissioners for putting in Execution the Act of Parliament made and passed at Westminster in the Twelfth Year of the Reigne of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for granting as Aid to His Majesty for defraying the Expence of His Majesty's Guards and Garrisons for One Year and for other necessary Occasions within the several Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Cinque-Ports Towns and Places within the Kingdom of England Denbigh of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed being duly qualified according to this Act shall be Commissioners for raising all the several Taxes Rates and Sums of Money by this Act granted

XII  
Commissioners  
appointed for  
executing this Act.

Commissioners  
under Stat. 12 & 13  
WILL. 3. to be  
Commissioners  
under this Act

And be it further enacted and declared That the several Commissioners aforesaid shall meet together at the most usual and common Place of Meeting within each of the said Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners on or before the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and two And shall meet afterwards at like manner as often as it shall be necessary to put this Act in Execution And the said Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present at such General Meeting or Meetings or the major Part of them are hereby authorized and required to put this Act in Execution as well for the raising of the said Moneys hereby appointed to be raised for and upon all Stock in Trade Duties at Interest Persons Offices and Professions and for the said personal Duty of Four Shillings As also for and upon all Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and all other Things by this Act chargeable And so to the said Sum of One million

XIII  
Commissioners to  
meet on or before  
1st May 1702.

and to write down  
the Propositions  
to be charged upon  
every Division.

That WHEREAS

May it please, as  
They or some be  
appointed for each  
Division.

XIV.  
Commissioners at  
First Meeting to  
write down  
Number of  
Commissioners  
to sit in each  
Division, &c.  
Commissioners to  
meet Proportionally  
to be equally  
served.

and appoint  
Assessors, and  
direct Procents  
to Inhabitants, &c.  
requiring them to  
appear, for  
Commissioners  
to pay to them  
their Charge.

XV.  
Constables, &c.  
assessing.

as appearing and  
refusing to serve,  
Penalty.

XVI.  
Commissioners to  
appoint Assessors,  
and a Day for  
bringing in their  
Assessments.

The Rates upon  
Stock in Trade.

On Debts at  
Interest.

On Profits and  
Assessments.

On Offices and  
Employments.

On Professions.  
On Persons  
Assessors to  
assist fully and  
bring Certificates  
of Assessment, and  
return Collectors.

sine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny shall ascertain and set down in Writing the several Propositions thereof which ought to be charged upon every Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division respectively for and towards the raising and making up the whole Sum by this Act charged upon the whole County One or other Place for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners according to the Propositions which were assessed on Lands Tenements Hereditaments and Offices within the same Hundreds or Divisions respectively by virtue of an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty and of our late most gracious Sovereign Queen Mary of blessed Memory inserted in Her granting to Their Majesties an Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound for One Year for carrying on a vigorous War against France And shall also if they see cause subdivide and distribute themselves and the other Commissioners not then present into lesser Numbers so as Three or more of the said Commissioners may be appointed for the Service of each Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and as may best conduce to the carrying on Her Majesties Service hereby required Nevertheless not thereby to separate the said Commissioners or any of them from acting as Commissioners in any other Part of the County or Place for which they are appointed.

And for the more effectual Performance thereof Be it enacted and declared That the Commissioners at such General Meeting or the major Part of them then present shall above signed and set down in Writing what and what Number of the said Commissioners shall act in each of the said Divisions or Hundreds and shall deliver one Copy of such Writings to the Receiver General to be appointed by Her Majesty to the End there may be no Failure in any Part of the due Execution of the Service by this Act required And the Commissioners within the several Hundreds Lathes Wapentakes Rapes Wards and other Divisions or any Three or more of them are hereby authorized and required to create the several Sums as well for the said Stock in Trade as for the said Debts at Interest Professions and Professions and for the said Twelve Pence in the Pound upon Offices and for the said personal Duty of Four Shillings as also for the said Four Shillings in the Pound upon Offices and for the said Land Tax and all other Things by this Act chargeable to be duly assessed and rated within every such Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward and other Division and within every Parish and Place therein according to the true Meaning of this Act And for that End and Purpose to direct their several or joint Precept or Precepts to such Inhabitants High Constables Petty Constables Bailiffs or other like Officers or Ministers and such Number of them as they in their Discretion shall think most convenient to be Presenters and Assessors requiring them to appear before the said Commissioners at such Place and Time not exceeding Six Days as they shall appoint And at such their Appearance the said Commissioners or such of them as shall be then present shall openly read or cause to be read unto them the several Rates Duties and Charges in this Act mentioned and also openly declare the Effect of their Charge to them and how and in what manner they should and ought to make their Assessments and how they ought to proceed in the Execution of this Act according to the true Meaning of the same

And if any such Constable Petty Constable Bailiff Officer or Minister or other Inhabitants to whom any Precept shall be directed shall absent themselves without lawful Excuse to be made out by the Oath of Two credible Witnesses which Oaths the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered to administer or if any Officer or Person appearing shall refuse to serve then every such Officer or Person so making Default or refusing to serve shall for every such Default or Refusal forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many as shall be present or the major Part of them being present shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Five Pounds nor less than Forty Shillings

And it and after such Charge given as aforesaid the said Commissioners shall take care that Warrants be issued forth and directed to Two at the least of the able and sufficient Inhabitants of each Parish Township or Place within their respective Divisions thereby appointing and requiring them to be Assessors of all and every the Rates and Sums of Money by this Act imposed And shall therein also appoint and prefix a certain Day and Place for the said Assessors to appear before them and to bring in their Assessments in Writing of the Names and Sums of all and every Person or Persons dwelling or residing within the respective Limits of those Places with which they shall be charged upon whom any the Rates Duties or Payments in this Act before specified & declared are to be set and imposed and to distinguish in several Columns to be contained in one or more Books or Sheets of Paper the Particulars following viz<sup>t</sup> The Trade Mystery or Occupation of all Persons chargeable for Stock in Trade and the true Value of such their Stock respectively with the whole Tax chargeable thereupon by this Act after the Rate of Fifty Shillings per Counce or Six Pence in the Pound as aforesaid The Debts at Interest which shall be owing to any of the said Persons and the whole Tax to be charged thereupon by this Act after the Rate of Five and twenty Shillings per Counce as aforesaid The several Professions Annuities Rents or other yearly Payments which any Persons do receive or are intended upon and the whole Tax of Four Shillings in the Pound thereupon The Nature and Value of the several Offices Employments and Places of Trust held enjoyed exercised or used by any of the said Persons and the whole Tax chargeable thereupon by this Act after the Rate of One Shilling in the Pound The Nature and Value of the several Professions taxable by this Act and the whole Tax of Four Shillings in the Pound chargeable thereupon and the Tax which is to be paid by such Persons as are chargeable with the said Personal Duty of Four Shillings for One Year And the said Assessors shall only assess and tax the same to wit with the several Debts by this Act intended And they or any others which the said Commissioners shall or may appoint to be Assessors in this Behalf are to be required and are hereby implied with all Care and Diligence to assess the full Sums given them in Charge respectively for or towards the said Sum of One million nine hundred



seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny upon all Offices and Impositions above the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound according to this Act and by an equal Pound Rate upon all Messuages Lands Tenements Rents Hereditaments and other the Premises chargeable towards the said Sum of One Million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny within the Limits Circuits and Bounds of the respective Parishes for which they shall be appointed Assessors as aforesaid And the said Assessors in their Books or Papers of the several Assessments aforesaid shall insert such other Particulars and Descriptions as may best ascertain the Rates hereby intended to be imposed and shall bring with them at the Time and Place as is aforesaid prefixed for their Appearance their Books or Certificates in Writing of all the said Assessments

and to bring with them Certificates and Returns of Persons to be Collected.

And the said several Assessors who shall make the said Assessments shall by virtue of this Act within the Limits and Bounds of those Parishes Townships Constabularies or Places where they shall be chargeable respectively be Collectors of the Monies to be paid to Her Majesty by this Act for whose paying in to the Receiver General or his Deputy in Manuscript submitted such Monies so they shall be charged within the Parish or Place wherein they are so employed shall be answerable

XVII.  
Parish, &c.  
answerable for  
Collectors paying  
into Receiver  
General.

And if any (s) so appointed or to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to serve or shall make Default at the Time appointed for his Appearance (not having a lawful Excuse or be witness by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses which Oath the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them have Power to administer) or shall not perform his Duty every such Assessor shall for every such Neglect Refusal or Default forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present or the major Part of them shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Forty Pounds nor under the Sum of Ten Pounds to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chances in like Manner as by this Act is appointed for (s) levying of the several Rates and Assessments herein mentioned in case of Neglect or Refusal of Payment and to be charged upon the respective Receiver General together with the said Rates and Assessments

XVIII.  
Assessor neglecting  
or refusing to serve  
or making Default.

Penalty.

And every Assessor appointed or to be appointed by virtue of this Act shall before he take upon him the Execution of the said Employment take the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by an Act made in the Parliament hold in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign in that behalf in the County City or Place where the taking the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths) and also take an Oath in these Words following

XIX.  
Assessor before he  
takes the Oaths of Sup.  
&c. shall say, &c.  
I W. M. M. M. M.  
Oath before  
mentioned.

YOU shall swear well and truly Allegedly and faithfully to perform and execute the Duty of an Assessor and to cause the Rates and Taxes to be charged upon Stock in Trade Debts at Interest Pensioners Annuities Salaries Professions Offices and for the Personal Duty of Four Shillings pursuant to the Act of Parliament made and passed in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign in that behalf in be duly and fully sworn according to the best of your Skill and [Knowledge] and therein you shall swear as Person for Fear or Affection nor any Person grieve for Hatred or Ill Will

So help you God.

Which Oaths any Two or more of the said Commissioners in the County City or Place where the said Assessment is to be made have hereby Power and are hereby required to administer

Two Commissioners  
may administer the  
Oaths

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Rates and Assessments as well upon the said Stock in Trade Messuages as Inhabitants Persons Professions and for the said One Shilling in the Pound upon Offices and the said Personal Duty of Four Shillings and also the said Taxation upon Lands and Four Shillings in the Pound upon Offices and all other Taxes and Duties chargeable by this Act shall be made and assessed and the several and respective Certificates or Assessments thereof returned in to the Commissioners upon or before the Twentieth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and two unless the Commissioners shall think fit to give further Time for the doing thereof and upon return of any such Certificate or Assessment the Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall and may (if they see Cause) examine the Premises thereof And if the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them within their several Limits at the Time of the Return of the Certificates as aforesaid or within Twenty Days after shall know or have good cause to suspect that any Person or Persons either Publick or Corporate or any Stock in Trade Messuages as Inhabitants Persons Professions Offices Estates in Lands or any other Messuages or Things ought to be examined and charged in the said Certificates or Assessments in as are ordered or are not fully charged according to the true Meaning of this Act the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall have Power to examine such Person or Persons or the Owners or Possessors of such Lands Stocks or other the Premises so appear before them at a Day and Place prefix to be examined touching the Matters aforesaid and if the Person or Persons shewn to be so examined shall neglect to appear (not having a reasonable Excuse for such his Default) every Person so making Default shall pay to Her Majesty double the Sum he should or ought to have been set at or rated

XX.  
Assessments to be  
made and Certified  
within returned to  
Commissioners  
upon or before  
twentieth Day 1702  
unless further  
Time given.

Commissioners may  
examine Premises  
and if they see  
Cause to suspect  
that any Person  
is omitted, or not  
fully charged, they  
may examine such  
Persons.

Persons neglecting  
to appear.  
Penalty.

And moreover the said Commissioners or the major Part of them or of so many of them as shall be present shall have full Power to examine and examine themselves upon Oaths (which they are hereby empowered to administer) and by all other lawful Ways and Means of all Persons and Things ordered to be charged or that are undervalued or undervalued and to set such Rate or Rates upon the same as shall be according to the true

XXI.  
Commissioners may  
examine upon Oaths.

<sup>1</sup> See Assessor "O & King's Printer's Copy.

<sup>2</sup> See O

<sup>3</sup> See Judgment "O & King's Printer's Copy.

Assessors to give Copies of Certificates to Commissioners, who are to sign and seal and to deliver the same approved or altered in Assessors for the Purpose of Collecting, &c.

Intent and Meaning of this Act And the said Assessors are hereby required to give Copies of their Certificates or Assessments fairly written and subscribed by them unto the said Commissioners within the said prefix Time And the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them are hereby ordered and required to cause the said several and respective Assessments to them delivered (when by them approved or altered according to the true Intent of this Act) to be fairly written still to sign and seal several Duplicates or Copies of the said Assessments distinguished as aforesaid and to deliver one Duplicate of every such Assessment so signed and sealed forthwith to the said Assessors who are to collect by the same and shall likewise deliver or cause to be delivered another Duplicate thereof so signed and sealed unto the Receiver General or his Deputy respectively

## XXII.

Commissioners to cause true Copies, &c. of Rates assessed to be certified into the Exchequer under Great Seal and Seal without issuing the Petition aforesaid, upon or before 10th August next

And moreover the said Commissioners shall cause true Copies or Extracts of the whole Rates assessed and charged within every Hundred Lath Wapentake Parish Ward or Place rated or intended to the said Tax on Lands Tenements Rents and Householdings and to the said Tax of Four Shillings in the Pound upon Officers in one Column and the whole Rates rated or assessed for Stock in Trade Debts on Inhabitants Persons Animals Repairs and Professions and for the said Personal Duty of Four Shillings and for the said Tax of One Shilling in the Pound upon Officers in another Column to be certified and transmitted into Her Majesties Court of Exchequer under the Great Seal of say Three or more of the Commissioners but without naming the Persons in each Certificate And this the said Commissioners shall cause to be done upon or before the Eighth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and two or within Twenty Days after (all Appeals to them made being first determined) for which Duplicates the Remembrance or his Deputy shall give to the Person who brings the same a Receipt in Writing under the Seal of Ten Pounds to be recovered to the Queen Use in other Penalties are by this Act recoverable

## XXIII.

Collectors to demand Rates as they become due

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Persons (so appointed) to be Collectors as aforesaid shall levy and collect all and every the Taxes Rates and Duties so assessed and charged according to the Intent and Direction of this Act which said Collectors are hereby required to demand all and every the Sums and Sums of Money which shall be so rated and assessed at the same still become due from the Parties themselves if they can be found or else at the Place of their last Abode or upon the Premises charged with the Assessment and the said several Collectors shall collect and levy the said Money so charged for Her Majesties Use and are hereby required and enjoined to pay unto the respective Receiver General or their Deputies all and every the said Rates Duties and Assessments by them respectively collected or received at such Time or Times Place or Places as the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall appoint and to so the whole Sums due for each Quarterly Payment shall be paid and answered by the Collectors to the Receiver General or their Deputies respectively upon the Days and at the Times by this Act appointed for the Payment thereof

## XXIV.

Power to the Commissioners to put other Collectors in the Room of Collectors dying or being unable to serve, &c.

Providem always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from time to time as often as the Commissioners of any County Hundred Division or Place or any Two or more of them by reason of the Sickness Death or Failing of any of the said Collectors or by reason of the great Labour and Burden which any Collector in populous Places must undergo if they should continue in the Collection during the Continuance of this Act shall find it necessary or reasonable to put other Collectors in the Rooms or Places of any such Collector or Collectors to dead sick failed or overburdened with the Duty of his Place It shall and may be lawful for the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them to issue such Precepts or Warrants to the Chief Justices High Constables Petty Constables Bailiffs or other like Officers or Ministers of the Place or to such Number of them as they shall think convenient requiring them to cause the Names of One Two or more able and sufficient (Person) living within the Limits and Bounds of those Parishes Townships Hamlets or Places respectively to be the Collector or Collectors of the Sums to be paid to Her Majesty there for whom the Parish or Place shall be answerable And upon such Presentation the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them as aforesaid shall and may authorize and appoint such Person or Persons so presented to be Collector or Collectors in the Room or Place of any Collector or Collectors that shall be dead sick failed or overburdened as aforesaid which new Collector or Collectors so appointed or authorized shall be subject to the same Fines and Penalties for the non performing of his or their Duties and shall have the same Powers Authorities and Allowances and be under the same Rules and Directions as are by this Act provided for the preceding Collectors in case they had continued in their respective Offices or Places

## XXV.

Receiver General to appoint their Deputies under their Hand and Seal, and to give Notice thereof to the Commissioners within Ten Days after the next General Meeting, Collectors repaying to levy, &c. the Amount to be levied upon them by Rates.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Receiver General shall appoint their Deputies under their Hand and Seal and give Notice thereof to the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them within the respective Divisions or Hundreds within Ten Days after the next General Meeting and so from time to time within Ten Days after the next General Meeting and so from time to time within Ten Days after every Death or Resignation of any Deputy (if any such shall happen) And that the said Receiver General and their Deputies respectively shall call upon and haue their Collectors to make the said Payments And in case all or any the said Rates Duties or Assessments shall not be collected by reason of the Neglect or Failure of the Duty of the said Collectors the said Receiver General or their Deputies see to levy by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of any Two or more of the said Commissioners by Distress upon the said Collectors respectively such Sums and Sums of Money as by him and their ought to have been paid and are not paid by reason of his Failure in doing his or their Duty according to the Directions of this Act and the Receipt of such Receiver General his Deputy

or Deputies or any of them (which Receipt or Acquittance shall be given gratis to the Collectors for all Monies by them paid) shall be a sufficient Discharge to every such Collector for the Monies so by him paid and the said Collectors shall not be oblig'd to travel above Ten Miles from the Place or Places of his or their respective Inhabitations for the making of the said Payments And every such Collector for gathering the said particular Sums shall and may retain in his Hands for every Twenty Shillings by him so paid Four Pence for a Reward for his Pains and Service

Receipts/Discharge, for Discharge in Collectors, Collectors travelling, A Reward to Collector

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That One full Fourth Part of all the Monies by this Act to be assessed as aforesaid for the said Rate of Fifty Shillings per Cent upon all Stock in Trade and for the said Rate of Twenty five Shillings per Cent upon all Debts at Interest and for the said Duty of Four Shillings in the Pound upon all Persons Accounts and Sums and for the said Duty of One Shilling in the Pound upon all Officers and Employments and for the said Duty of Four Shillings in the Pound upon all Professions and for the said Personal Duty of Four Shillings shall be collected levied and paid unto the Receivers General of the respective Counties Cities and other Places who shall be appointed by Her Majesty as their respective Deputies on or before the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and two One other Fourth Part thereof shall be collected levied and paid in like manner on or before the Twenty ninth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and two One other Fourth Part thereof shall be collected levied and paid in like manner on or before the Twenty fifth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and two And the remaining Fourth Part thereof shall be collected levied and paid in like manner on or before the Twenty fifth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three And that the Sum of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the First Quarterly Payment of the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand three hundred thirty one Pounds nineteen Shillings and One Penny shall be collected levied and paid unto the Receivers General of the several Counties Cities and other Places or their Deputies on or before the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and two And the Sum of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the Second of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the said Twenty ninth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and two And the Sum of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the Third of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Twenty fifth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and two And the Sum of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the Fourth and last of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three so that the whole Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds nineteen Shillings and a Penny by such Quarterly Payments shall be fully satisfied to the said Receivers General or their Deputies

XXVI  
Four Quarterly Payments for each, viz.

Second Quarterly Payment.

Third Quarterly Payment.

Fourth Quarterly Payment.

First Quarterly Payment in March

Second Quarterly Payment.

Third Quarterly Payment.

Fourth Quarterly Payment.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Receiver General from time to time within the Space of One Month next after he shall have received the full Sum that shall be charged for such particular Payment on any Hundred or Division for or towards the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds nineteen Shillings and a Penny shall give to such Commissioners as shall act in each Hundred or Division a Receipt under his Hand and Seal acknowledging his Receipt of the full Sum charged upon such Hundred or Division for such particular Payment against Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors And the said Receiver General are hereby required forthwith or at furthest within Twenty Days after the Receipt of any Money of the Taxes Rates Duties or Payments by this Act granted to transmit or cause to be paid the same into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer And the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury as High Treasurer for the Time being are hereby authorized to allow to the said Receiver General respectively a Salary for their Pains not exceeding Two Pence in the Pound for so much as they respectively shall pay into the Exchequer upon the clearing of their respective Accounts And the said Receiver General in case he hath received the several Duplicates of each Parish or Place within his Receipt and that Duplicates shall be returned into the Office of Her Majesties Remembrances in the Exchequer as aforesaid and not otherwise shall allow and pay according to such Warrant as shall be in that Behalf given by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them Three Half Pence in the Pound for the Commissioners Clerks for their Pains in fair writing the Assessments Duplicates and Copies herein before directed And all Commissioners Receivers Deputy Receivers Assessors Collectors and others concerned in the Execution of this Act are hereby required and engaged to apply themselves with all Diligence to the most speedy and effectual Execution of these several and respective Duties and to use their utmost Endeavours that all Persons and Estates and other Things (wherein) charged may fully and duly pay the Rates and Assessments according to the Direction of this Act and so as that Her Majesties Service herein may ('t) be delayed or hindered through any their wilful Neglect or Default

XXVII.  
Receiver General to give Commissioners a Receipt for Money received by them

such Receipts a Receipts to Shew.

Receiver General to transmit Money to Exchequer.

Salary to Receiver General.

Allowance to Commissioners Clerks.

Penses occasioned in Execution of Act to the said Diligence.

XXVIII  
Persons refusing to pay Rates upon Demand, to be seized, &c.

and if Date and  
put in the Four  
Days, Dues  
will, &c.

Sums so retold and assessed by Dues and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of such Persons so refusing or neglecting to pay or to deliver upon the Messuages Lands Tenements and Possessions so charged with any such Sum or Sums of Money and the Goods and Chattels then and there found and the Duesmen to taken to keep by the Space of Four Days at the Costs and Charges of the Owners thereof. And if the said Owners do not pay the Sum or Sums of Money so rated or assessed within the Space of the said Four Days then the said Duesmen to be appointed by Two or more of the Inhabitants where the same shall be taken or other sufficient Persons and to be sold by the Collector for the Payment of the said Money and the Overplus coming by such Sale (if any be) over and above the Charges of taking and keeping of the Duesmen to be immediately returned to the Owners thereof.

XXX.  
Duesmen, &c.  
may the Duesmen  
upon upon Messuages  
of Commissioners,  
refusing to Com-  
mitment, &c.  
Quarrels, &c.  
determined by  
Commissioners.  
When to deliver  
Duesmen.  
(Enforcement)  
Improvement in  
Customs God

And moreover it shall be lawful to break open in the Day time any House and upon Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners any Chest Trunk Box or other Thing where any such Goods are culling to their Assistance the Constable Tythingman or Headborough within the Counties Cities Towns and Places where any such Refusal Neglect or Resistance shall be made which said Officers are hereby required to be aiding and assisting in the Premises so they will answer the contrary at their Peril And if any Quarrels or Difference happens upon taking such Duesmen the same shall be ended and determined by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them. And if any Person or Persons assessed by this Act shall refuse or neglect to pay the Sum or Sums so assessed by the Space of Ten Days after Demand as aforesaid where no [such] Duesmen can or may be found whereby the same may be levied in every such Case Two or more of the said Commissioners for any such City County or Place are hereby authorized by Warrant under their Hands and Seals to commit such Person or Persons (except a Poor or Person of this Realm) to the Chain Gaol there to be kept without Bail or Mainprize until Payment shall be made of the Money assessed and Charges.

XXXI.  
In Default of  
Payment by Duesmen,  
Persons, &c. liable.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Person or Persons chargeable with any the [several] Rates Dues or Assessments by this Act imposed or intended to be imposed shall be under the Age of One and twenty Years in every such Case the Parents Guardians or Tutors of such Infants respectively upon Default of Payment by such Infants shall be and are hereby made liable to and chargeable with the Payments which such Infants ought to have paid. And if such Parents Guardians or Tutors shall neglect or refuse to pay as aforesaid it shall and may be lawful to proceed against them in like Manner as against any other Person or Persons making Default of Payment as herein before appointed. And all Parents Guardians and Tutors making Payment as aforesaid shall be allowed all and every the Sums so paid for such Infants upon his and their Accounts. And in like Manner all Masters and Mistresses shall be liable to pay the said personal Duties for their Servants chargeable therewith and deduct the same out of their Wages due or to be due and payable to them respectively. And the several and respective Tenants and Tenants of all Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments which shall be rated by virtue of this Act are hereby required and authorized to pay such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be rated upon such Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and to deduct out of the Rents so much of the said Rate as for every such House Lands Tenements and Hereditaments the Landlord should or ought to pay and bear. And the said Landlords both existing and hereafter according to their respective Injunctions are hereby required to allow such Deductions in Payments upon the Receipt of the Receipts of their Rates.

XXXII.  
Tenants paying  
assessments in person  
landlords.  
Commissioners may  
make Difference  
between them.

And it is enacted and declared That every Tenant paying the said Assessment here mentioned shall be acquitted and discharged of so much Money as the said Assessments shall amount unto as if the same had been actually paid unto such Person and Persons unto whom his Rents should have been due and payable. And if any Difference [should] arise between Landlord and Tenant or any other concerning the said Rates the said several Commissioners or any Two or more of them in their several Divisions shall and have hereby Power to settle the same as they shall think fit.

XXXIII.  
Persons having  
Goods or Trade, &c.  
shall to be rated.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons chargeable by this Act for any Goods Wares Merchandises or other Stock in Trade or vendible Stock shall be rated and assessed in such County City or Place where such Goods Wares Merchandises or other Stock in Trade or vendible Stock shall be at the [the] Execution of this Act. And all Persons and Corporations having the Charge Custody or Keeping of any such Stock for the Use and Account of [every such] Person or Corporation shall be taxed and pay for the same according to the true Nature and Meaning of the Act and shall be allowed such Tax or Payment upon his or their Accounts or shall be satisfied for the same out of such Goods or other Things or by the Owner thereof. And that all and every Person and Persons and Corporations who are or shall be charged for his or their Debts at Interest or with the said personal Duty of Four Shillings shall be taxed for the same in the Places respectively where such Persons shall reside or such Corporations shall keep their chief Office at the Time of the Execution of this Act.

XXXIII.  
Where the  
Assessments, &c.  
payable to the  
Landlords.

And that all and every Person and Persons and Corporations chargeable by this Act in respect of any Assessments Sums or Payments payable at the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer or out of any Publick Office or making out of any of the Branches of Her Majesty's Revenue shall and may be taxed and assessed in the respective Parishes [and] Places where such Assessments Sums or Payments are or shall be payable (except such Assessments Sums or Payments payable to any Officers in respect of their Offices which Assessments Sums or Payments so payable shall

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be taxed and assessed where such Officers are rated and assessed for their Office and not elsewhere) And that all other Assessment Persons and Slanders (not charged upon Lands) shall be charged and assessed in the Parishes or Places where the Persons intended to receive the same do reside And that every Person rated and assessed for his Office Employment or Profession shall be rated and pay for his said Office Employment or Profession in the County City or Place where the same shall be exercised And all Persons not being Householdiers nor having a certain Place of Residence shall be rated at the Place where they shall be resident at the Time of the Assessment of this Act

For other yearly  
Persons not  
charged upon Land  
For Offices

Lodgers.

And if any Person who ought to be taxed by virtue of this Act with any the Rates or Duties therein contained shall at the Time of Assessment be out of the Realm such Person shall be rated therefor in such County City or Place where he was last abiding in this Realm and every Person who shall be rated and assessed as aforesaid for or in respect of any Manors Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments shall be rated and assessed in the Place where such Messuages Manors Lands Tenements and Premises respectively do lie and not elsewhere

XXXIV.  
Persons out of the  
Realm and Persons  
being Strangers, &c.  
wherein to be rated.

Provided always That if any Person or Persons by reason of his her or their having several Manors Houses or Places of Residence or otherwise shall be doubly charged by Occasion of this Act for or in respect of his her or their Person Money Stock [Debt] or otherwise then upon Certificate made by any Two or more of the Commissioners for the County Riding City or Place of his her or their last personal Residence under their Hands and Seals of the Same or Sums charged upon him her or them and in what Capacity or Respect he she or they were so charged (which Certificate the said Commissioners are to give without Delay Tax or Reward) and upon Oath made of such Certificate before any Justice of the Peace of the County or Place where the said Certificate shall be made which Oath the said Justice of the Peace is lawfully authorized and required to administer then the Person and Persons so doubly charged shall for so much as shall be so certified be discharged in every other County City or Place And if any Person that ought to be taxed by virtue of this Act for or in respect of his or her Person Money Stock Office Professions or otherwise shall by changing of his or her Place of Residence or by concealing fraudulently removing or shifting his her or their Goods Merchandises or other Conventions or by any fraudulently releasing or shewing of any Security or Securities for any Debt or Debts at Interest with Intention to avoid the Taxation lawfully intended or by any other Fraud or Contrivance shall escape from the Taxation or not be fully taxed and the same be proved before the Commissioners or any Two of them or before any Justice of the Peace in the County Riding City or Place where such Person dwelleth or resideth at any Time within Twenty Days next ensuing after such Tax made every Person that shall so escape from the Taxation and Payment or not be fully taxed shall be charged upon Proof thereof at the double Value of so much as he should or ought to have been taxed at by this Act the said double Value upon Certificate thereof made like the Exchequer by the Commissioners or Justices (before whom such Proof shall be made) to be levied of the Goods Lands and Tenements of such Person

XXXV.  
Persons having  
several Manors  
Houses, &c. upon  
Certificate of the  
Commissioners,  
and Oath, not to be  
doubly charged.

Persons rated for  
Stock, &c. by  
changing Residences  
or fraudulently  
removing Stock,  
&c. avoiding Rates,  
charged at the  
double Value.

Provided and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the avoiding all Objections and Delays in assessing and collecting the Sums which are to be rated and assessed by this Act upon any Manors Lands Tenements Rents Tythes or other Hereditaments all Places Constabularies Divisions and Alotments which have used to be rated and assessed shall pay and be assessed in each County Hundred Rape Wapentake Constabulary Division Place and Alotment at the same hath hitherto usually been assessed in and not elsewhere

XXXVI.  
Places assessed in  
the County, &c.  
where usually  
assessed.

Provided nevertheless That the Hundred of West Barnfield lawfully rated and assessed in the Lathes of Alford in the County of Kent may for the future if the Commissioners think fit be rated and assessed in the Lathes of Swale in the County aforesaid as likewise may the Tything of Northmore in the County of Oxen be assessed in the Hundred of Banham in the said County and the Tythings of Chelbury Falker and Finnerk in the Hundred of Chalfington in the said County and also the whole Town and Parish of Leeds in the County of York in the Hundred of Skyrick in the said County and the Paroch of Chate shall be assessed and pay where the same was assessed for the First Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound granted to Their Majesties King William and Queen Mary

XXXVII.  
Persons residing  
Hundred of West  
Barnfield,  
Northmore,  
Chelbury, Falker,  
Finnerk, Leeds  
and Paroch of Chate,  
wherein to be assessed

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Parishes and other Places being Extraparochial or not within the Constabularies or Precincts of the respective Assessors to be appointed by virtue of this Act (although in any Monthly or other Tax they have not been rated heretofore) the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall and are lawfully required to nominate and appoint Two fit Persons living in and near the said parishes and other Places as aforesaid to be Assessors for the said Taxes and to make and return the said Assessments in the Manner as by this Act is appointed in any Parish Tything or Place and also to appoint Two or more Collectors who are lawfully required to collect and pay the same in the Manner appointed by this Act for collecting and paying all Sums of Money chargeable by this Act

XXXVIII.  
Persons appointed  
Assessors of  
Assessors and  
Collectors in  
extraparochial and  
parishes Places

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners that shall be within any County City or Place within the respective Limits at the major Part of them shall tax and assess every other Commissioner joined with them for or in respect of their Professions as so the Residence and usual Dwelling place of such Commissioner so to be rated be within the Division of such Commissioners by whom he is rated And the said

XXXIX.  
Commissioners  
within their  
Divisions to tax  
each other for  
their personal  
Estates and Offices

<sup>1</sup> Depts. G.

Commissioners to  
assess the Assessors.

Commissioners within their Divisions or the major Part of them which shall be present shall also assess every Assessor within their Division for all and singular the Matters and Things for which by this Act he ought to be rated and assessed. And as well as Sums assessed upon every the said Commissioners and Assessors and the Assessments made and set by the Assessors aforesaid shall be written estimated listed and gathered in the same should and ought to have been if such Commissioners had not been Commissioners.

XL.  
Shavers New River,  
Thames, Marybone,  
or Hampstead  
Water.  
Officers of Inverness  
from Five.  
Crown or other  
Lighth.  
Interest in the  
King's Printing  
House.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Shares or Interests in any Fresh Stream or running Water brought to the North Part of London commonly called the New River or in Thames Waterworks or in Marybone or Hampstead Water or any Runns or Ponds arising thereby And all and every Person or Persons having any Share or Interests in any Office or Stock for mowing of Houses in Cases of Fire or in the Curfew or other Lighth or in the Stock or Stocks for the printing of Books in or belonging to the House commonly called The Kings Printing House shall pay for the same in London the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the full Yearly Value thereof towards the said Assessment of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and a Penny And every Person having any Salary in respect of any Office or Employment contracted in the Ward in London where the Post Office is situate shall be assessed and pay for the same in the said Ward the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound towards the same Assessment and Twelve Pence in the Pound towards the said Subsidies And every Person having any Pension payable out of the said General Post Office shall pay for the same in the same City the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound (except before excepted) and the Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies and the English Company trading to the East Indies respectively and the Governor and Company of the Bank of England and all other Companies of Merchants in London shall be taxed in the same City towards the said Subsidies for such Wares Goods Merchandises and for such Moulds owing to them or any of them at Interest upon Mortgage Pawns Bonds Bills or other Securities for which they are chargeable by this Act in such Manner and Form as are herein mentioned All which Rates and Duties so to be charged upon the said Shares or Interests Salaries Pensions Goods Merchandises Stock in Trade and Debts at Interest hereby appointed to be rated within the said City of London shall be assessed by the Commissioners aforesaid and appraised for the said City or any Two or more of them and be paid by the Governors and respective Treasurers or Receivers of the said Wares and Waterworks Stocks Offices and Companies respectively at the Times by this Act prescribed and be allowed upon their respective Accounts

XLI.  
King's Bench  
Prison, for  
the Marshalsea  
to be charged to  
the Parish of  
St. George  
Southwark.  
Southwark Water  
Works by whom  
rated and assessed.

Provided always That the Prison of the Kings Bench Prison House Lands Garden and the Common Side and all the House Prisons and Perquisites of the Office of the Marshall of the said Kings Bench being and being in the Parish of Saint George the Martyr in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey And also the Prison House Lands and Gardens of the Prison of the Marshall of the Marshalsea Prison and all Office Perquisites and Profits of the Marshalsea Court and Prison being and being also in the said Parish of Saint George in the Borough of Southwark and County of Surrey shall be charged and assessed to the respective Assessors by this Act appointed in the said Parish of Saint George and Borough of Southwark And that all Waterworks in the Borough of Southwark shall be rated and assessed towards the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and a Penny by the Commissioners and Assessors of the County of Surrey and not by the Commissioners or Assessors of the City of London And that the Water Works in the City or Liberty of Westminster shall be rated and assessed by the Commissioners and Assessors of the said City and Liberty towards the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and a Penny and not by the Commissioners or Assessors of the City of London Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Westminster Water  
Works.

XLII.  
Members of  
Parliament assessed  
for Personal Estates  
where Places of  
Abode usually are  
out of Parliament.

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Members of Parliament who at the Execution of this Act during this Session of Parliament shall abide within the Cities of London and Westminster or the Suburbs of the same or within the County of Middlesex shall for and in respect of their Debts at Interest or any other Tax which may be laid on their Persons during this Session of Parliament be assessed only in the Places where such Members have their Mansion Houses or other Places where they most usually reside during the Interval of Parliament Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XLIII.  
Wholesale and  
Retail Traders in  
debts in Common  
a Particular of  
Stock in Trade.

And to the end the true Value of all Stock in Trade by this Act chargeable may also be known and the Duties for the same may be likewise ascertained according to the true Meaning hereof Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons using or exercising any Trade Mystery Occupation or Business of Merchandising Shopkeeping buying or selling by Wholesale or Retail shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the said Assessors of the Parish or Place where such Stock in Trade is to be assessed within Ten Days after the Time that the Commissioners shall issue their Warrants to the Assessors for making the Assessment in such Parish or Place respectively a Particular in Writing signed by themselves or by their Appointment of the whole Quantities Kinds & Values of the several Goods Wares and Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or other vendible Stock for which such Person or Persons respectively ought to be charged according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act whereby the said Assessors may be enabled fully to tax such Stock with the Duties by this Act payable in respect of the same which said Values shall be assessed to be so much as the said Goods Wares Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or other vendible Stock are borne due worth to be sold for by such Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate respectively at the Time of the Execution of this Act.

The Value assessed  
to be what the  
Stock is worth  
to be sold.

AND the said Assessors of the District Parish or Place where any Goods Wares Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or other vendible Stock shall be or remain at the Time of the Execution of this Act (in all Cases where they shall think it necessary for their better Information as to the Quantities Kinds and Values of the same) shall have Power and Authority and they are hereby authorized and empowered to enter in the Day time into any Shops Warehouse or other Place whatsoever where any such Goods or other Stock in Trade shall be or remain there to take an Account thereof and to view and value the same And all and every the said Person or Persons chargeable as aforesaid for Stock in Trade shall be obliged by force and virtue of this Act (if otherwise required) to permit and suffer the said Assessors of the Place to make such Entrance View and Valuation in the end the said Assessors may be the better enabled to make their Assessments as aforesaid And if any such Person or Persons shall refuse to permit or suffer such Assessors to enter into their Shops Warehouse or other Place being themselves required as aforesaid there to view and value their Stock or any Part thereof then every such Person for such Refusal shall forfeit the Sum of Forty Pounds One Moiety thereof to Her Majesty and the other Moiety to him or them that will sue for the same by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Plein or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Excess Protection or Wager of Law or more than one Impetition shall be granted or allowed.

XLIV.  
Assessors may enter Shops, &c. to take account and value Stock.

Refusing Assessors to enter, &c.

Penalty &c.

AND the said Assessors in case they be satisfied in the Truth of the Particulars delivered to them as aforesaid both for the Quantities and Values of all the Goods Wares Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or other vendible Stock in Trade for which any Person or Persons shall be chargeable as aforesaid shall proceed to tax and assess the same with the Rates and Duties by this Act intended to be imposed thereupon according to the said Particulars But if the Person or Persons who ought to deliver the said Particulars in Writing of their Stock in Trade to the said Assessors shall not deliver the same within the time hereby provided as if the respective Assessors shall find or suspect such Particular given in Writing to be fraudulent either by omitting of any Goods Wares Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or other vendible Stock or by underwriting of the same or any Part thereof the said Assessors are hereby authorized and required to assess and tax such Person and Persons for his her or their Stock in Trade according to the best of their Skill and Judgment pursuant to the Oath by such Assessors in that Behalf taken and according to the Powers and Directions before in this Act contained All which Assessments to be made by the said Assessors shall nevertheless be subject to the Examination of the said Commissioners and in the Power before in this Act given to the said Commissioners upon such Examination to set such Rates or Rates as shall be according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act and shall also be subject to the Power of the said Commissioners for allowing sharing delinquent increasing or enlarging any such Assessments in such Cases of Appeal or Complaint to be made to them as are hereinafter mentioned.

XLV.  
Assessors may assess according to Particulars.

Persons not delivering Particulars, or Assessors suspecting Fraud, Assessors may assess according to their Judgment.

Assessments subject to Examination by Commissioners.

AND for the better discovering and charging the Motes chargeable by this Act for Debts owing as Interest to any Person or Persons Bonds Policies or Corporate by or upon any Mortgage Statute Merchant or of the Staple Recognisances Judgments Bonds Bills Obligatory Speciebles or upon any Bills or Notes whatsoever or any other Securities for Money at Interest Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the respective Persons and Corporations intreated to such Debts or which ought to pay the Tax hereby intended to be imposed thereupon shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the said Assessors of the Parish or Place where such Debts are to be assessed before they return their Certificates or Assessments to the Commissioners as aforesaid a Note in Writing signed by such Person or Persons or by his her or their Appointment or by each Person or Persons or some of them as shall have the Direction or Management of the Affairs of such Corporation containing the Total or Gross Sum of the principal Moneys so owing to him her or them or to such Corporation respectively upon Mortgage Statute Merchant or of the Staple Recognisances Judgments Bonds Bills Obligatory Speciebles or upon any other Bills or Notes or any other Securities for Money at Interest as are before mentioned and intended to be hereby charged whereby the said Assessors may be enabled fully to tax such Debts with the Duties by this Act payable in respect of the same And the said Assessors are hereby empowered to tax and assess such Persons and Corporations for such Debts according to the Notes in Writing so delivered to them respectively but in all Cases where no such Note shall be delivered or the Assessors shall have sufficient Ground of their own Knowledge or by good Information to believe that the Persons charging themselves by the Delivery of such Notes in Writing as aforesaid have more Moneys at Interest chargeable by this Act than are contained in such Notes the said Assessors are hereby authorized and required to assess and tax such Persons for such their Debts at Interest according to the best of their Skill and Judgment pursuant to their Oath in that Behalf and according to the Powers and Directions before in this Act contained.

XLVI.

Certificates to deliver to Assessors Note of gross Amount of Debt.

Assessors to assess according to Note, unless in Note delivered or they are fully satisfied of their own Knowledge.

AND it is hereby enacted That all and every the said respective Persons and Persons and Corporations intreated to such Debts at Interest as aforesaid shall deliver or cause to be delivered to Two or more of the Commissioners for the County Hundred or other Place respectively where such Debts are to be charged before such Time as the said Commissioners respectively shall deliver their Returns to the Collectors for the demanding or receiving the same to be witnessed in each Place a Specification or particular in Writing signed as aforesaid of all and every such Debts so owing to them respectively at Interest upon Mortgage Statute Merchant or of the Staple Recognisances Judgments Bonds Speciebles Bills or Notes or any other Securities for Money at Interest as aforesaid mentioning therein the principal Moneys so owing at Interest and also specifying at the Election of the Person or Corporation so intreated either the Persons or some of them who borrowed or are liable to the Payment of such Debts or some Estate Matter or Thing engaged for the same or the Nature of the Securities the said respective

XLVII.  
Certificates to deliver to Commissioners a Specification of Debts owing (upon or upon loan secured

Sums are owing upon whether Mortgage Statute Recognizance Judgment Bond Specialty Bill Note or other Security together with the respective Duties thereof and the Names of the Witnesses (if any be) thereon that as the said Commissioners upon examining the Certificates or Assessments brought in by the said Assessors may fully charge each Person with the Taxes or Duties by this Act intended

## XXVIII.

Commissioners to  
sign and deliver  
back to London a  
Duplicate of such  
Specifications under  
Hand and Seal,

which shall be  
Evidence for  
Credit.

And it is hereby enacted That the said Commissioners upon their Receipt of such Particulars or Specifications of Debts as aforesaid shall sign and deliver back to the Parties bringing the same true Copies or Duplicates thereof under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them and attested by Two or more credible Witnesses whereby the Party or Parties (if be they as any of them should have Omission) may make it appear that they respectively did truly and bona fide charge themselves for or in respect of the several Debts therein contained which said true Copies or Duplicates so delivered back and so signed and attested as aforesaid shall be received and allowed for sufficient Evidence in all Courts and Places that they respectively did so charge themselves as aforesaid

## XXIX.

Magistrates, &c.  
to deliver  
Specifications.

Penalty.

And in case any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate as required by this Act to deliver Specifications or Particulars in Writing of such Debts as aforesaid shall refuse or neglect so to do within the Time hereby prescribed or shall make any Omission therein contrary to the true Meaning of this Act that then and in every such Case all and every such Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate so refusing or neglecting shall for each Offence upon and above the Duties hereby intended to be charged on such Debts forfeit and pay Twice as much as such Duties for any such Debt for which such Particulars or Specifications ought to have been given or which shall be omitted therein do or should amount unto to be used for at any Time before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four (to wit) One Miliary thereof to the Use of Her Majesty and the other Miliary thereof to him or them that will sue for the same by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Sent or Information wherein an Emolument Protection or Waiver of Law or more than One Inquisition shall be granted or allowed

## L.

Defendants questioned  
should Specifications  
not recoverable,  
and recovery not  
Enforced in Law  
or Equity before  
any Bench upon  
which they and  
Penalty to be  
paid.

And moreover That any such Debt upon Mortgage Statute Recognizance Judgment Bond Bill Obligatory Specialty or other Bill or Note or any other Security for Money at Interest not contained in such Particular or Specification shall not be recoverable and the Specialty or Security for the same shall not be pleaded or given in Evidence or be otherwise made use of in any Court either of Law or Equity before the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four unless the said Duty payable to the Queen for such Debt and the said Penalty of Twice as much be first satisfied (that is to say) if there be no Action (\*) Sent or Information commenced or depending by any Inhabitant or Prosecutor then both the Duty and the Penalty shall be first paid to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors unto the Receipt of the Exchequer and if there be any such Action Bill Sent or Information depending then the said Duty and One Miliary of such Penalty shall be first paid to the Queen as aforesaid and the other Miliary of the said Penalty to the said Inhabitant or Prosecutor

## LL.

Persons for Persons  
delivering in  
Specifications  
making Oath that  
Debt is due.

Commissioners to  
examine into the  
Sincerity for each  
Debt, &c. and to  
set thereupon.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That if any Person or Persons or any the Directors or Managers of the Affairs of any Corporation who shall deliver such Specification or Particular in Writing of the Debts as aforesaid owing to them respectively to the said Commissioners as is required by this Act shall make Oath before them or any Two or more of them (who are hereby directed and empowered to administer the same) that any Debt or Debts contained in such Specifications or Particular is or are due and that he or they do truly believe the same will never be satisfied or recovered then and in every such Case and Cases the said Commissioners by all lawful Ways and Means shall examine and inform themselves of the State of such particular Debt or Debts and the Securities for the same and whether such Securities be sufficient or insufficient and thereupon either to continue the Charge of the Tax or Duties hereby intended upon such a particular Debt or Debts or to discharge the Party or Parties complaining thereof as so such Commissioners shall seem meet and reasonable and the discharging of such particular Debt or Debts from the Duty hereby imposed thereupon shall be noted upon such Specifications and the Duplicates thereof to be given in as before in this Act directed Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

## LII.

Persons delivering  
in Specifications to  
give Commissioners  
an Account or Oath  
of the Debts owing  
by them at Interest,  
and to take an  
Affirmation in  
respect thereof.

And to the end that such Persons and Corporations as duly give Specifications in Writing to charge themselves with the Duty by this Act imposed for or in respect of Debts owing to them at Interest may have a Declaration or Allowance made to them out of the same for such Debts as they do really and bona fide owe at Interest to any other Person or Persons according to the true Meaning hereof be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such Person and Persons when he or they shall deliver such Specifications as aforesaid shall or may also give the Commissioners an Account of the Debts which such Person or Corporation shall actually and bona fide owe to any other Person or Persons at Interest and which such Commissioners being satisfied in the Truth thereof either by the Oath of the Party (which they or any Two or more of them have hereby Power to administer) or by other good Information shall make a proportionable Allowance or Declaration for or in respect of such Debts which he or they owe at Interest to others out of the Tax or Duty for the Debt contained in his or their Specification Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding



PROVIDED always That where any Person or Persons are and from the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundreded or longer have been in the actual Possession of any Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments by the real Receipt of the Rents or Profits of the same by virtue of any Mortgage or other Security for any Debt or Debts whereunto such Lands or other the Premises were formerly liable in all such Cases this Act or any thing herein contained shall not extend to charge any such Debt or Debts for which such Possessions is granted or with the Payment of the said Duty hereby imposed Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

LIII.  
Persons for Persons  
in Possession of  
mortgaged Lands,  
&c.

PROVIDED also and it is hereby enacted That where any Person or Persons being [now] beyond the Seas or any Miner or Miners under the Age of One and twenty Years last or shall have any Monies upon Securities at Interest in this Kingdom in his or their Name or Names or in the Name or Names of any other Person or Persons in Trust for him or them: the Trustees or Guardians of the said Person or Persons shall pay and are hereby required to pay the Duties appointed by this Act and shall be and are lawfully indemnified and saved harmless for their so doing Any thing contained in this Act or in any other Law to the contrary notwithstanding

LIV.  
Persons for Persons  
beyond Sea,  
Miners, &c.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers of the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer and in other the Publick Offices upon Request to them made by the respective Assessors shall deliver to them gratis true Lists or Accounts of all Persons Annuities Soulds or other Annual Payments and of all Free Salaries and other Allowances payable at the said Receipt or in the said Publick Offices for the better Guidance of the said Assessors in the charging of the same And that in all Cases where any Persons Annuities Soulds or other annual Payments or the Free Salaries Wages or other Allowances or Profits charged by this Act shall be payable at the Receipt of Exchequer or by the Cofferer of Her Majesties Household or out of any other Publick Office or by any Her Majesties Receivers or Paymasters the Tax or Payment which in pursuance of this Act shall be charged for or in respect of such Persons Annuities Soulds Free Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits shall or may in case of Nonpayment thereof be deducted and kept out of the same or out of any Money which shall be paid upon such Persons Annuities Soulds Free Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits or for Accounts thereof and be applied to the Satisfaction of the Rates and Duties not otherwise paid as aforesaid And the proper Officers in the said Exchequer and other the Publick Offices aforesaid shall keep true Accounts of all Monies so sought and (upon Request) shall give Copies of such Accounts to the [upper] Collectors of each County for the respective Parishes or Places where the said Monies are [ascertainable] by this Act

LV.  
Officers of the  
Exchequer to  
deliver Lists of  
Persons, Salaries,  
&c. to the Assessors  
gratis.

and may keep the  
Tax if unpaid.

Officers of Exche-  
quer to give Copies  
of Accounts of  
Monies sought to  
Collectors.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Householdier shall upon the Demand of the Assessors of the respective Parishes or Places give an Account of the Names of such Persons as shall appear or lodge in their respective Houses under the Penalty of forfeiting to Her Majesty the Sum of Five Pounds to be levied and recovered in such Manner as any other Penalty in this Act mentioned shall and may be levied and recovered

LVI.  
Householder to give  
an Account of his  
Lodgers.  
To wit.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons or any Corporation that shall be rated assessed or charged with any Rate Duties or Assessments by this Act intended or for or in respect of any Matter or Thing for which by this Act he she or they are or may be rated or charged do find him her or themselves aggrieved in that the Assessors have overrated him her or them and within Six Days after Demand made of the Sum or Sums of Money assessed on him her or them do by himself herself or themselves or by his her or their Stewards or Bailiffs or (in case of a Corporation) by any the Directors or Managers of the same complain to the Commissioners who signed or allowed his her or their Rates the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall have and have hereby Power and are hereby required within Six Days next after the Demand of the Assessments as aforesaid to examine any Person or Persons concerned or his her or their Stewards or Bailiffs or any such Directors or Managers upon Oath touching the Matters or Things for which he she or they shall be assessed and upon due Examination and Knowledge thereof allow what defect increase or abatement the said Assessments and the same so allowed shewed increase or enlarged shall be levied and shall be certified or entered into the Exchequer in Manner aforesaid

LVII.  
Overrate may be  
complaint against  
within Six Days  
after Demand.

Commissioners to  
determine into the  
same and may  
increase or abate  
Rates.

AND to that end the said Commissioners are hereby required to meet together for the determining of such Appeals and Complaints accordingly and for this end to express in their Warrants or Edicts to the Collectors the Times and Places for determining Appeals and to summon the respective Assessors concerning whose Assessments any Complaint shall be made to attend at the Time and Place to be appointed for the determining such Complaints who are hereby required to attend accordingly and Appeals once heard and determined to be final without any further Appeal upon any Preamble whatsoever

LVIII.  
Assessors, &c.  
to attend on  
Appeal.

Determinations final

AND in case the Proportions set by this Act upon all and every the respective Counties Riding Cities Towns and Places for or towards the said Sum of One million nine hundreded seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and a Penny shall be rated and imposed upon any Person not being of Ability to pay the same or upon any cottage or void House or Land where the same cannot be collected or levied or that through any Wilfulness Negligence Mistake or Accident the said Assessments charged on such County Riding City Town or Place by virtue of this Act happen not to be paid to the Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies of

LIX.  
In case the Proportion  
on any County,  
City or Assessment  
on any House,  
&c. be not duly  
assessed or levied  
lost, Commissioners  
to make new  
Assessments to be  
made.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in King's Private Copy and inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>3</sup> inserted in King's Private Copy

the respective Countries as in this Act is directed That that in all and every such Case and Cases the several and respective Comptrollers Assessors and Collectors aforesaid and every of them respectively are hereby authorized and required to assess or cause to be assessed or assessed levied and paid all and every such Sum and Sums of Money upon the respective Division and Parishes wherein such Deficiency shall happen or Parishes therein as in the said Comptrollers or such Number of them as by this Act are authorized to cause the Year Assessment hereby required to be made shall seem most agreeable to Equity and Justice the said new Assessment to be made collected and paid in such Manner and by such Means as in this Act are directed and directed for the Assessment of the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Ninety Shillings and a Penny

no fee collected  
anywhere.

IX  
Avertissement, etc.  
expliquant et  
résumant ce de-  
cret.

### Discussion

Proceedings where  
no Decision found.

From paid to  
Reverend General

And be it further enacted [It declared:] by the Authority aforesaid That if any Assessor Collector Receiver or other Person appointed by the said Commissioners shall wilfully neglect or refuse to perform his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this present Act or if any Assessor shall wilfully or wilfully undertake or assist in any under Value any Person or Thing chargeable by this Act the said respective Commissioners or any Three or more of them have hereby Power to impose on such Person or Persons so refusing neglecting or not performing their Duties such Fine or Fines as by them shall be thought fit so as the same exceed not the Sum of Forty Pounds nor be under the Sum of Twenty Pounds for every Offence which said Fines shall not be taken off or discharged but by the Consent of the Majority of the Commissioners who imposed the same but shall be levied by Writen under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of the Offenders and in Default of Goods and Chattels the Offenders to be committed (by Writen under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them) to Prison there to remain till Payment of the said Fines And that all Fines that shall be so imposed by virtue of this Act shall be paid to the respective Receivers General and by them into the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer and charged upon the respective Receivers General amongst the rest of the Rates aforesaid

LXI  
Collective net-  
ting Murrey  
received by Mrs.  
Jennings, and  
Red and Porcelain  
Eggshell.

Commissioners  
visiting Etah, in  
call a General  
Meeting of  
Commissioners,  
in Nelson.  
Foundations.

Also it is hereby further stated and declared That if any Collector shall by virtue of this Act be appointed for the Receipt of any Sums of Money thereby to be assessed neglect or refuse to pay any Sums or Sums of Money which shall be by him received as aforesaid and to pay the same so and by this Act directed or shall detain in his or their Hands any Money received by them or any of them and not pay the same at such Time as by this Act is directed the Commissioners of each County Riding City Town or Place respectively or any Two or more of them in their respective Discretion are hereby authorized and empowered to impound the Person and name and score the Estate as well Freehold as Copyhold and all other Estates both Real and Personal of such Collectors to him or them belonging or which shall descend and come into the Hands or Possessions of his Heirs Executors or Administrators whereafter the same can be discovered and found And the said Commissioners who shall so seize and score the Estate of any Collector or Collectors shall be and are hereby empowered to appoint a Time for the General Meeting of the Commissioners for each County Riding City Town or Place and there to cause Public Notice to be given at the Place where such Meeting shall be appointed Six Days at the least before such General Meeting And the Commissioners [persons] at such General Meeting or the major Part of them in case the Minutes directed by any such Collector or Collectors be not paid or satisfied as is aforesaid to be according to the Directions of this Act shall be and are hereby empowered and required to sell and dispose of such Estates which shall be for the Cause aforesaid seized and scored or any Part of them and to receive and pay into the Hands of the Receiver General the Sums that shall be so obtained in the Hands of such Collector or Collectors their Heirs Executors or Administrators respectively

**1.33**  
Commencement to  
call before them  
Children and  
crimes involving  
bill Payments of  
Assurances;  
and by the Board  
General part into  
the Endowment,  
and in case of  
Failure may have

AND it is hereby further stated and declared That as the Expiration of the respective Times in this Act prescribed for the full Payment of all the said Quarterly Payments the several and respective Commissioners or any Two or more of them within their Division and Headed shall and are hereby required to call before them the Collectors within each respective Division and Headed Parish and Place to examine and assure themselves of the full and whole Payment of the particular Sums and Sums of Money charged within and upon the same Division and Headed and every Parish and Place therein and of the due Return of the same into the Hands of the respective Receivers General or their Deputies of the said County Riding City Town and Place and by such Receivers General into the Receipts of Her Majesties Exchequer so the and there may be no Failure in the Payment of any Part of the Rents Duties or Assessments by virtue of this Act to be assessed and paid and in case of Failure in the Premises the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the same to be forthwith levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

**NOTE**  
If `Customize` or `setCustomize` is present, `Customize` is assumed to be defined in `withdraw`.  
By default, `Customize` is present, may list but not modify `data`.

And it is hereby enacted and declared That in case any Controversie arise concerning the said Assessments or the Payment thereof which concerns any the Commissioners by this Act appointed That the Commissioners so concerned in the said Controversie shall have no Voice but shall withdraw at the Time of the Debate of any such Controversie until it be determined by the rest of the Commissioners and in Default thereof that the Commissioners then present shall have Power and are hereby required to impose such Fine or Fines as to them shall be thought fit upon each Commissioner so refusing to withdraw not exceeding the Sum of Twenty Pounds and in case the vote is to be levied and paid or other Fees to be imposed by this Act are to be levied and paid And all Questions and Differences which shall arise touching any the said Rates Dues or Assessments or the collecting thereof

shall be heard and finally determined by the Commissioners in such Manner as by this Act is directed upon Complaint thereof made to them by any Person or Persons thereby agreed without further Trouble or Cost in Law

Quotum  
concerning such  
Rents determined by  
Commissioners.

And be it further enacted and declared That no privileged Place or Person Body Politick or Corporate within the Counties Riding Cities and Towns aforesaid shall be exempted from the said Assessments and Taxes and that they and every of them and also all Fox Farm Rents and all other Manner of Rents Payments Sums & Sums of Money or Annuities issuing out of or payable for any Lands shall be liable towards the Payment of every Sum by this Act to be raised and levied towards the said Sum of One sixteen nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and a Penny And all the Treasurers are hereby directed and authorized to pay them proportionably according to the Rates and Assessments by this Act directed and appointed and all such Treasurers shall be hereby saved and kept harmless by the Authority of this Act from any further Payment of any such Proportion of any such Rents Rents Sums of Money or Annuities to any Persons or Persons to whom any such Rents Rents Sums of Money or Annuities as aforesaid should or ought to be paid to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever as fully and as much as if they had paid the same to any Person or Persons to whom the same is or are assessed or become due

LXVI  
Privileged Places,  
Sec. viii. to be  
excepted from  
Assessments,  
Treasurers and other  
Bodies, Assessors,  
Sec. ix. to be  
Treasurers to pay  
proportionably,  
and authorized.

Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to charge any College or Hall in either of the Two Universities or the College of Windsor Essex Wharfe or Westminster or the Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the poor Widows and Children of Clergymen or the College of Brasenose or any Hospital for or in respect of the Sums of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any of the Buildings within the Walls or Limits of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any Master Fellow Scholar or Exhibitor of any College or Hall or any Rector Officer or Minister of the said Universities Colleges or Halls or any Masters or Masters of any Schools for or in respect of any Stipends Wages Profits or Emoluments whatsoever arising or growing due to them in respect of the said several Places and Employments in the said Universities Colleges or Schools or to charge any of the Houses or Lands which on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred ninety three did belong to Christ Hospital Saint Bartholomew Bedward St. Thomas and Bethlehem Hospital in the City of London and Borough of Southwark or any of them or the said Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the poor Widows and Children of Clergymen or the College of Brasenose or shall extend to charge any other Hospital or Almshouses for or in respect only of any Rents or Revenues which on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred ninety three were payable to the said Hospitals or Almshouses being to be received and disbursed for the immediate Use and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Almshouses only

LXV  
Proviso for the  
Colleges or Halls,  
Sec. ix. to the Two  
Universities, to  
the College of  
Windsor, Essex,  
Wharfe, and  
Westminster, and  
for Hospitals, Sec.  
x. in respect of Sums  
of Colleges, &c.

and for Christ's  
Hospital, &c.

Provided That no Treasurers that hold and enjoy any Lands or Houses by Lease or other Grant from the said Corporation or any of the said Hospitals or Almshouses do claim or enjoy any Freedom Exemption or Advantage by this Act but that all the Houses and Lands which they so hold shall be rated and assessed far so much as they are yearly worth over and above the Rents reserved and payable to the said Corporation or to the said Hospitals or Almshouses to be received and disbursed for the immediate Support and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Almshouses

LXVI  
Treasurers of  
Hospitals rated  
for what the Lands  
are worth above  
Rents reserved

Provided always That nothing contained in this Act shall be construed or taken to discharge any Treasurers of any the Houses or Lands belonging to the said Colleges Halls Hospitals Almshouses or Schools or any of them who by their Leases or other Contracts are and do stand obliged to pay and discharge all Rates Taxes and Impositions whatsoever but that they and every of them shall be rated and pay all such Rates Taxes and Impositions Any Thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

LXVII  
Certain Treasurers  
of Lands, Sec.  
xii. to be  
discharged, Sec.  
xiii. not discharged.

And be it hereby further enacted That all and every Auditor Receiver Receivers and their Deputy and Deputies who shall or receive any Fox Farm Rents or other Chief Rents due to Her Majesty or the Queen Dowager or to any Person or Persons (claiming by any Grant or Purchase from or under the Crown shall allow Four Shillings for every Pound of the said Rents and proportionably for any greater or lesser Sum to the Party or Parties paying the same without any Fee for such Allowance upon the Penalty of Twenty Pounds to the Parties given to be recovered as aforesaid And if any Auditor of the Revenues or any of them belonging to Her Majesty or to the Queen Dowager or any Deputy or other Person acting for or on the Behalf of any such Auditor shall in the Account of any Rents Receiver or otherwise or in any other Part or Part or make any such Tenant or other Person or his or their Estate liable to any Duties Forfeitures or Penalties whatsoever for any Sum or Sums of Money which by the true Intent and Meaning of this Act ought to be allowed after the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound or shall refuse or delay to allow and finally discharge the same in the proper Accounts wherein the same ought to be allowed or discharged that then and for every or any such Offence every such Auditor or Deputy or Person acting for such Auditor shall forfeit the Sum of Two hundred Pounds to the Party given to be recovered as aforesaid and shall be also responsible to injury his Office or Place or any other Office or Place of Trust under Her Majesty or the Queen Dowager

LXVIII  
Auditors, Sec. of  
Rents due to Her  
Majesty or Queen  
Dowager, Sec. to  
allow as before  
mentioned, without  
Fee

Penalty given,  
Auditors making  
any Person answer  
for sums which  
ought to be  
allowed, or refusing  
to give a Discharge,

Penalty given  
Duties, and  
Discharge.

LXXI.  
No Clause in this  
Act is meant to  
affect the Rate.

Provided always That no Clause or Provision in this Act shall extend to the lessening or Abatement of the said full Sum of One million nine hundred seventy one thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nine hundred Shillings and a Penny appointed by this Act to be raised levied collected and paid but that the same be fully assessed taxed levied collected and paid in the several and respective Counties Cities and Towns aforesaid in such Manner and Form and in such Time as herein is before mentioned and declared.

LXXII.  
Proviso for  
County between  
Landlord and  
Tenant as to  
Payment of Taxes.

Provided always That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to alter change determine or make void any Contracts Covenants or Agreements whatsoever between Landlord and Tenant or any others touching the Payment of Taxes or Assessments Any thing herein before mentioned to the contrary notwithstanding.

LXXIII.  
If Action for  
renting Act.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Plea Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for whom he or they shall do in pursuance or in Execution of this Act such Person or Persons (so used in any Court whatsoever) shall and may plead the General Issue (Not Guilty) and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Prosecutors shall become nonsuit or forbear further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendants shall recover their Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in case where Costs by the Law are given to Defendants and the said Recorders General shall give Acquittances (gratia) to the said Collectors for all Monies of them received and the said Collectors shall make and deliver to the said Recorders General a perfect Schedule fully written in Parchment under their Hands and Seals signed and allowed by any Two or more of the Commissioners containing the Names Surnames and Places of Abode of every Person within their respective Collection that shall make Default of Payment of any of the Sums that shall be rated or assessed on such Person by virtue of this Act for Stock in Trade Monies at Interest Arrears Penalties and Fines and for the said One Shilling in the Pound upon Offsets and for the said Tax upon Professions and for the said personal Duty of Four Shillings which Schedules shall return only such Persons making such Default where no sufficient Defence is to be found nor other Satisfaction made and not otherwise and the Sums and Sums charged on every such Person and the said Schedules shall by such Recorders General respectively be returned into Her Majesties Court of Exchequer whereas every Person making Default of Payment may be charged by Process of the said Court according to the Course of the Court in such Case.

LXXIV.  
Where Lands, &c.  
unoccupied, and no  
Duties levied,  
Duties may be  
assessed made by  
the Collector, &c.

Provided always and be it [further] enacted That in case any Lands or Houses in any Parish Place or Constablenick that shall be rated towards the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy one thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nine hundred Shillings and a Penny shall be unoccupied and no Duties can be found on the same by reason whereof the said Parish Place or Constablenick are forced to pay and make good the Tax assessed upon such Land lying unoccupied then first it shall and may be lawful at any Time after for the Collectors Constables or Tythingmen of the said Parish Place or Constablenick for the Taxes being to enter and distrain upon the said Land or Houses where there shall be any Duties thereupon to be found and the Duties and Duties as if not redeemed within Four Days by Payment of the Tax and Charge of distraining to sell sending the Overplus to the Owner or Owners of such Duties. And the said Collector Constable or Tythingman is hereby implied to disburse the Money raised by the said Duties and Sale proportionally to the Parties who contributed to the said Tax of the unoccupied Lands and Houses.

LXXV.  
Where Woodlands,  
&c. unoccupied, and no  
Duties levied,  
Duties may be  
assessed made by  
the Collector, &c.

Provided always and be it enacted That where any Woodland shall be assessed towards the said Tax of One million nine hundred seventy one thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nine hundred Shillings and a Penny and no Duties can be had that in such Case it shall and may be lawful to and for any Collector Constable Headborough or Tythingman by Warrants under the Hands and Seals of Two or more of the Commissioners of that Hundred or District at reasonable Times of the Year to cut and sell to any Person or Persons so much of the Wood growing on the Woodlands so assessed (Timber Trees excepted) as will pay the Assessment or Assessments to be levied and unpaid and the Charge incident therewith and that it shall and may be lawful for the Person and Persons and his and their Assigns to whom such Wood shall be [so] sold to fell cut down and carry away the same or his own Use retaining the Overplus if any be.

LXXVI.  
Where Rate on  
Tythes, &c. not  
paid, Officers may  
seize and sell.

Provided always and be it further enacted That where any Tax or Assessment shall be laid or charged upon any Tythes Tiths Profits of Markets Fairs or Pedlaries or other annual Profits not distributable in case the same shall not be paid within Six Days after such Assessment so charged laid and demanded then it shall and may be lawful to and for the Collector Constable or other Officer thereto appointed by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of Two or more of the Commissioners to seize take and sell so much of the [said] Tythes Tiths and other Profits as charged as shall be sufficient for the levying the said Tax and Charges occasioned by such Nonpayment thereof sending the Overplus to the Owner (if any be).

LXXVII.  
Recorders General  
appointing Officers  
to be sent where the  
said taxes have been paid.

And for the better preventing such unjust Wrackings as might be occasioned by such Persons as shall be appointed Recorders General of any of the Sums of Money granted by this Act and to the intent that the said Recorders General may assign a true Account into Her Majesties [Court of] Exchequer of such Sums of Money as shall be received by them and every of them their and every of their Deputy said Deputies No further enacted by

the Authority aforesaid That if any such Receiver General strait or comply with the said Court any Sum or Sums of Money to be in arrears and unpaid after the same have been rendered unto by such Receiver [General] or his Deputie or Deputies or any of them or shall cause any Person or Persons to be set prisoner in the said Court for any Sum or Sums of Money that hath been so received that then every such Receiver General shall be liable to pay to every such Person and Persons that shall be molested vexed or damaged by reason of such unjust Certificate Return or setting prisoner Twice the Damages that shall be thereby sustained the said Damages to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Pleas or Information in which no Escoign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed nor any more than One Imparance and shall also forfeit to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors Double the Sum that shall be so unjustly certified or returned or caused to be set prisoner

Penalty to Party

Penalty to the Queen.

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them may and shall from Time to Time call for and require an Account from the respective Receivers General of all the Money received by them their Deputie or Deputies of or from the said Collectors and of the Payments thereof unto the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer according to the Direction of this Act and in case of any Failure in the Payment the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby required to cause the same to be forthwith levied and paid according to the true intent and Meaning of this Act

LXXVI.  
Commissioners to require an Account from Receivers General; and in case of Failure, to levy.

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Letters Patents granted by Her Majesty or any of Her Royal Progenitors to any Person or Persons Cities Boroughs or Towns Corporate within the Realm of any Member of Liberties Privileges or Exemptions from Subsidies Tolls Taxes Assessments or Aids shall be construed or taken to exempt any Person or Persons City Borough or Town Corporate or any [of the'] Inhabitants of the same or in the Tower of London from the Burthen or Charge of any Sum or Sums of Money granted by this Act but that all and every such Person or Persons City Borough and Town Corporate shall pay their Proportions of all Rates and Assessments by this present Act imposed Any such Letters Patents Grants or Charters or [any'] Clause of non obstante Matter or Thing therein contained or any Law Statute Canon or Prescription to the contrary notwithstanding

LXXVII.  
Letters Patents, &c. not construed to exempt from Payment of Rates.

PROVIDED also That no Person inhabiting in any City Borough or Town Corporate shall be compelled to be an Assessor or Collector of or for any Part of the Rates and Assessments hereby granted in any Place or Places out of the Limits of the said City Borough or Town Corporate

LXXVIII.  
Assessors, &c. not compelled to act out of Limits.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That every Rate Tax or Assessment which shall be made or imposed by virtue of this Act in respect of any House or Tenement which any Ambassador Resident Agent or other publick Minister of any Foreign Prince or State now dwells or hereafter shall inhabit or occupy shall be paid by the Landlord or Owner of the said Houses or Tenements respectively

LXXIX.  
Persons occupying Assessment on Houses where Foreign Ministers reside.

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Comissioner Assessor or Collector who shall be employed in the Execution of this Act shall be liable (for or by reason of such Execution) to any of the Penalties mentioned in an Act made in the First and twentieth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second for the preventing of Distresses which may happen from Peppin Recusants or in any other Act of this present Parliament intitled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors

LXXX.  
Commissioners not liable to Penalties of Stat. 20 Geo. II. c. 3.

see to Stat. 13 &amp; 14 W. III. c. 6.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That no Person shall be capable of acting as a Comissioner in the Execution of this Act or executing any the Powers therein contained (unless it be the Power hereby given of administering Oaths) until such Time as he shall have taken the Oaths appointed by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the strengthening the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths) which Oaths it shall be lawful for any Two or more Comissioners to administer and they are hereby required to administer the same to any other Comissioners

LXXXI.  
Commissioners to take the Oaths of Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 2 § 13, 14.

which Comissioners may administer.

PROVIDED also That this Act shall not extend to the Inhabitants of Scotland Ireland Jersey or Guernsey for assessing any such Personal Estate which they or any to their Use have within the said Kingdoms and Islands

LXXXII.  
Proviso for Scotland, Ireland, Jersey, and Guernsey.

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Papist or reputed Papist being of the Age of Sixteen Years and upwards who shall not have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by the Act made in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the strengthening the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sums and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned or contained he or she should or ought to pay or be charged with to be assessed levied collected assessed and recovered and paid in each manner by such Ways and Means and according to such Rules and Directions and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are before in this Act expressed or appointed for and concerning the above mentioned Rates and Sums which are hereby intended to be doubled as aforesaid

LXXXIII.  
Papists of 16 and upwards, who ought to take the Oaths, to pay Double.

\* inserted in the Bill.

LXXXIV.  
Persons who  
within ten Days  
after the first Meeting  
of Commissioners,  
be able to take the  
Oath

Provided nevertheless That if any such Person or repeated Person within Ten Days after the first Meeting of the said Commissioners in the respective Counties or Places where he or she ought to be taxed or assessed according to the tenor of this present Act shall take the said Oath before Two [or more] of the said Commissioners (which Oath the said Two or more Commissioners are empowered to administer) in that case he or she shall not be liable to be doubly assessed as aforesaid

LXXXV.  
Persons of (f. and  
upwards, who shall  
not have taken the  
Oath before the  
Commissioners of the  
said County, and who being  
summoned, shall  
refuse to take  
them, or neglect  
to appear before  
the Commissioners, to  
pay Double.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person being of the Age of sixteen Years and upwards and being within this Realm at the Time of the Execution of this Act who shall not before that Time have taken the Oath mentioned and required to be taken by the said Act intitled An Act for the abrogating the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths and upon Summons by Warrant under the Great Seal of any Two or more of the said Commissioners shall refuse to take the said Oath at the Time appointed in the said Warrant or shall neglect to appear at such Time before the Commissioners in order to take the said Oath (which said Oath the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered and required to administer) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sum and Rate which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned or contained in or she should or ought to pay or be charged with in Manner as is before in this present Act appointed touching Papers or repeated Papers

LXXXVI.  
Commissioners, for  
who by Stat.  
1 W. & M. c. 5  
paid double,  
or have been  
summoned into the  
Exchequer for  
Nonpayment, not  
appearing before  
the Commissioners  
to take the Oath.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Gentleman or an esquire or owning or writing himself such or being above that Quality who by virtue of an Act made in the Third Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for raising Money by a Poll payable Quarterly for One Year for carrying on a vigorous War against France did pay or ought to have paid Double the Sum charged by the said Act or were or ought to have been returned into the Exchequer for Nonpayment thereof and have not since taken the said Oath who shall not voluntarily appear before the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them within Ten Days after the first Meeting of the said Commissioners in the respective Place or Places where he ought to be taxed or assessed and take the said Oath appointed by the said Act made in the first Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary (which Oath the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby required and empowered to administer and to make an Entry or Memorandum thereof in some Book to be kept for that Purpose) such Person shall be charged with and pay Double the Sum which by force and virtue of this Act he should or ought to have paid to be second time collected assessed and paid in each Manner by such Ways and Means and according to such Rules and Directions and under such Fines and Forfeitures as are before in this Act expressed or appointed for or concerning the above mentioned Rates or Sums which are hereby intended to be doubled to aforesaid

to pay Double

LXXXVII.  
Commissioners in  
several Places  
summoned to appear  
and take the Oath

And be it further enacted That any Two or more of the said Commissioners upon Information given as upon any Cases of Suspicion in the Behalf shall and are hereby required and enjoined to cause every suspected Person or Persons against whom such Information shall be given to be summoned to appear to take the [said] Oath as aforesaid

LXXXVIII.  
Persons in England  
advocating the  
Declaration of  
Fidelity of 1688,  
1 W. & M. c. 2.

Provided nevertheless That whereas certain Persons dissenters from the Church of England commonly called Quakers and now known to be such do scruple the taking of any Oath it shall be sufficient for any such Person to make and subscribe the Declaration of Fidelity contained in an Act made in the Parliament held in the first Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for exempting Their Majesties Protestant Subjects dissenting from the Church of England from the Penalty of certain Laws which Declaration any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed for the Execution of this Act are hereby empowered and required to administer and every such Person so doing shall not be liable to or chargeable with any the Double Rate aforesaid

LXXXIX.  
Assessors not  
making Double  
Assessments upon  
Papers, &c.  
Commissioners to  
assist.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where any Assessor or Assessors who by this Act are required to make a Double Assessment upon Papers or repeated Papers or other Persons for not taking the Oath aforesaid shall neglect to do so or their Duties therein the respective Commissioners of the County Riding or Hundred Division or Place where such Double Assessment ought to have been made or any Two or more of them shall take care and are hereby authorized and required to cause such Paper or other Person to be doubly charged according to the true tenor and Meaning of this Act

XC.  
Where Owners of  
Lands, &c. are  
liable to be doubly  
charged for not  
taking the Oath,  
Taxes discharged.

Provided always and be it enacted That where the Owners of any Lands Tenements and Hereditaments are liable to be doubly charged as Papers or repeated Papers or otherwise by reason of their not having taken the Oath according to the tenor of this Act in every such Case such Owners only shall be charged with and shall pay the said Double Rate and the respective Taxes of such Lands Tenements and Hereditaments are hereby discharged of and from the same Any Covenant for Payment of Taxes or other Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding

XCI.  
No Person liable to  
Payed Rate, where  
Lands are taxed  
as yearly.

Provided That no Poor Person shall be chargeable with or liable unto the Pound Rate imposed by this Act upon Lands Tenements and Hereditaments when Lands Tenements or Hereditaments are not of the yearly Value of Twenty Shillings in the whole

Provided always That the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls the Masters of Chancery Six Clerks Clerks of the Petty Bag Exchequer Registers Clerks of the Exchequer Clerks of the Affidavit and Subpoena Office and all other the Officers of the Court of Chancery that exercise their Offices within the Liberty of the Rolls shall be there assessed for their respective Officers Salaries and other Profits and not elsewhere

XCIII.  
Clerks Office within the Liberty of the Rolls to be there assessed.

Also for the more effectual charging all the Duties hereby imposed on Persons Assesses Debt Officers Employments Professions and Stocks be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if after the Rates and Assessments directed by this Act shall be made any Person shall come to inhabit or reside in any Division or Place where such Person was not rated or taxed the Commissioners sitting within such Division or Place are hereby required and empowered to assess such Person before them and unless he or she shall produce a Certificate made according to the Direction of this Act whereby it shall appear that he or she was assessed and had actually paid all the previous Quarterly Payments in some other Place for his or her Person Assesses Debt Officers Employment or Profession or Stock in Trade the said Commissioners shall and are hereby required to cause such Person to be assessed or rated for the same and cause the Money so assessed or rated for the same or such Quarterly Payments thereof as shall be assessed and unpaid to be assessed levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

XCIII.  
Persons who Assessments assessed in a Place where he was not rated for Personal Rates, Commissioners to assess and rate such Person and had paid

Also be it further enacted That in case any Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the Money paid to him or them by any Collector by virtue of this Act to any Person or Persons whatsoever other than the Receiver of His Majesties Exchequer and at or within the respective Times limited by this Act or in case such Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the said Money by any Warrant of the Commissioners of the Treasury Lord Treasurer Under Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or upon any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation or other Way or Device whatsoever whereby to direct or hinder the actual Payment thereof into the Receipt of Exchequer as aforesaid then such Receiver General shall for every such Offence of himself or his Deputy forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pounds to him or them that shall sue for the same in any Court of Record by Bill Plea or Information wherein an Enquiry Procession or Writ of Law is to be allowed

XCIV.  
Receiver General or Deputy paying to any Person other than the Exchequer, or upon Talley of Pro, &c.

Possibly elipses

Also it is hereby further enacted That the Commissioners of the Treasury or Lord Treasurer Under Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or any of them do not direct any Warrant to any of the Collectors or Receivers General or their Deputies for the Payment of any Part of the Money hereby given to any Person or Persons other than into the Receipt of the Exchequer as aforesaid nor shall they or any of them direct any Warrant to the Officers of the Exchequer for striking any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation nor do any other Matter or Thing whereby to divert the actual Payment of the said Money into the Receipt of the Exchequer nor shall the Officers of the Exchequer strike or direct or record the striking of any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation upon any of the said Money upon any Account or Warrant whatsoever nor shall any Talley show down any Bill whereby to charge himself with any of the said Money until he shall have actually received the same.

XCV.  
Treasury not to direct Warrant for Payment of Money otherwise than into Exchequer or to the Officers of Exchequer for striking Talley of Pro, &c. nor Officers of Exchequer to strike any such Talley, &c.

Provided also and be it enacted That no Stay of Prosecution upon any Command Warrant Motion Order or Direction by Non vult aliteri processu shall be had made admitted received or allowed by any Court whatsoever in any Suit or Proceeding by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information or otherwise for the Recovery of all or any the Pains Penalties and Forfeitures upon any Person or Persons by this Act inflicted or therein mentioned or for or in Order to the Conviction or Disability of any Person offending against this Act

XCVI.  
No Stay shall be, or other stay of Prosecution in any Suit against Offenders

Provided always That if any Person or Persons who shall be charged or assessed by this Act so or with a Pound Rate upon his or their Mannor Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or other the Possessions for or towards the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and a Penny shall upon Complaint made to the Commissioners in such Manner and within such Time as may be herein directed in Case of Appeal make it appear to the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Proof upon Oath That such Assessment doth exceed Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the full yearly Value in such Case upon every Proof and due Examination thereof the said Commissioners are hereby empowered to state and lessen the said Assessments so much as the same shall exceed Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the true yearly Value and no more And shall cause the Money so abated to be returned recharged and levied in such Manner as they or any Two or more of them in their Judgments and Discretions shall judge most equal just and reasonable within the whole Hundred Lath Wapentake or other Division where such Overcharge or Charge doth happen although the Rate of Four Shillings (') be thereby exceeded or if any particular Part or Parts of the same or any Person therein shall appear to them to be undercharged then the Money so abated shall and may be raised upon such particular Part or Person so undercharged so that the whole Sum payable to Her Majesty for such Hundred Lath Wapentake or other Division shall be fully and duly answered and paid without being diminished by reason of any such particular Abatement Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XCVII.  
Commissioners upon appeals shall, or Proof due, Lands are recharged, &c.

XCVIII.  
And the Money charged to be returned as they shall judge most equal within the whole Hundred, &c.

**XXVIII.**  
*Provisoals where  
 not a sufficient  
 Number of Com-  
 missioners capable  
 of acting for any  
 City, &c.*

Provided nevertheless That in case there shall not be a sufficient Number of Commissioners for any City Borough Town Cinque Port or Place (for which by this Act Commissioners are particularly appointed) capable of acting according to the Qualifications required by this Act for passing the Act in Execution that in every such Case any the Commissioners appointed for the County at large within which such Borough doth stand or which is next adjoining thereto may act as Commissioners in the Execution of this Act within such City Borough Town Cinque Port or Place.

**XXIX.**  
*Where First General  
 Meeting of the  
 Commissioners for  
 the several  
 Ridings of the  
 County of York  
 to be*

Provided also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the West Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Pontefract And the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the North Riding of the County of York [shall be held at the Town of Thirsk] And the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the East Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Easingwold Any Oiling in this Act before mentioned or any former Customs to the contrary notwithstanding.

**C.**  
*Receiver General  
 to keep a distinct  
 Account of the  
 400000000 100  
 1000, charged on  
 Lands, &c.*

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Receiver General to be appointed by Her Majesty or by Her Direction as aforesaid his Deputy or Deputies shall in his Receipts Payments and Accounts separate and keep apart all the Moneys by him or them to be received for or upon the said Tax of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and a Penny by this Act charged by a Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound upon Offices and by a Pound Rate upon Manors Messuages Lands Rents Tenements and Hereditaments as aforesaid so that the same shall be distinct from his or their Receipts Payments and Accounts of or for all other the Duties or Monies by this Act granted.

**CI.**  
*Forms for the  
 Accounts to be  
 given to the  
 Queen's Treasurer  
 and to Private  
 Geographical Research.*

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not change or be construed to charge Her Majesty the Queen Dowager or her Treasurer or Treasurers with the above mentioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of the yearly Sums of Ten thousand nine hundred seventy two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Three Pence and One Twenty fourth Part of a Penny and One thousand two hundred thirty six Pounds Sixteen Shillings and a Penny Halfpenny granted to Her Majesty by Two several Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England One bearing Date on or about the Twentieth Day of December One thousand six hundred seventy two and the other bearing Date on or about the Ninth Day of October One thousand six hundred and seventy four or to charge His Royal Highness Prince George Hereditary of Denmark or his Treasurers with the above mentioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of the yearly Sums of Thirty thousand Pounds by the Year granted by several Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England and for or in respect of any Annuity that is or shall be granted by Her Majesty to or in Trust for His said Royal Highness but that the said Annuities and yearly Sums and Her Majesty the said Queen Dowager and His Royal Highness and their respective Treasurers and Receivers General in respect of the same shall by virtue thereof be acquitted and discharged of from and against the said Duty of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year and all Payments whatsoever which might be charged by this Act for or in respect of the said yearly Sums as if this Act had never been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

**CCII.**  
*No Person capable  
 of being a Com-  
 missioner unless he  
 was charged and  
 paid for the Value  
 of 1000 per Annum  
 under Stat. 14 H.  
 11 W. 111. c. 30  
 or at the Time of  
 executing this Act  
 shall be liable to be  
 taxed for that  
 Value.*

Provided also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or of any the Powers therein contained in or for any County at large within the said Kingdom of England or Dominion of Wales except the Countess of Arundel and Cornwall or as or for any of the Ridings in the County of York unless such Person by himself or his Treasurers or Treasurers was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding for the Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more by virtue of the Act made and passed in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King William the Third intituled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty for defraying the Expence of His Majesty's Guards and Garrisons for One Year and for other necessary Occasions) or unless such Person so appointed to be a Commissioner shall at the Time of the Execution of this Act be by himself or Treasurers or Treasurers liable to be taxed by virtue of the Act for an Estate in Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of the said Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more within the said County or Riding and which was taxed (or) did pay in the same County or Riding by virtue of the Act last mentioned.

**CCIII.**  
*Commissioners not  
 qualified from being  
 Commissioners for  
 any Place for  
 which they may be  
 appointed, but  
 No Attorney,  
 Receiver, or  
 Collector capable*

Provided nevertheless and it is also hereby enacted That no Person who is appointed to be a Commissioner for executing this Act shall be disabled from acting as a Commissioner within and for any City Borough Cinque Port or Corporate Town only whereof he shall be an Inhabitant at the Time of the Execution of this Act nor from acting as a Commissioner within any the Inns of Court or Inns of Chancery And that no Attorney or Solicitor or Person practising as such or any Receiver General or Collector of any Aid granted to Her Majesty shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this present Act Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

**CCIV.**  
*Person among whom  
 an hereby disabled*

And it is hereby further enacted That if any Person excluded by this Act to be disabled for any the Causes aforesaid shall nevertheless presume to act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or any the Powers therein



contained every such Person for such Offence shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons that will inform or sue for the same [to be recovered<sup>1</sup>] in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Sum or Information, whereas no Enough Protection [or<sup>2</sup>] Wager of Law or more than One Impignator shall be allowed

Penalty 50*l*.

Providens always That this Act shall not extend to charge the Pensions of any superannuated Commissioner or Warrant Sea Officers or the Pensions of Widows of Sea-Officers slain in the Service of the Crown or the Revenue of the most Noble Order of the Garter or the reserved Rents and Provisions of the Peer Kingdoms of the most Noble Order but the same shall not extend to lessen the Sum provided by this Act

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Reason for  
superannuated  
Officers, &c.  
Revenue of Order  
of the Garter, and  
Peer Kingdoms of  
Wales

And in case any Question hath been or shall be made how far any Lands or Tenements belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse not excepted by Name out of this Act ought to be assessed and charged with the Land Tax Be it enacted and declared That the same shall be determined by the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them (Two of the Commissioners who agreed or allowed such Assessment being of that Number) upon Appeal before them at the Day or Days by them appointed for the hearing and determining Appeals whose Determination in such Case shall be final

CVI  
Commissioners,  
upon Appeal, to  
determine how far  
Lands, &c.  
belonging to  
Hospitals, &c. and  
charged, ought to  
be assessed  
Appeals determined  
to be final

And in regard the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and a Penny is by this Act appointed to be raised wholly by the said Tax of Four Shillings in the Pound upon Offices and by the said Personal Rate upon all Miners Monarchs Lands Tenements Rents and other Hereditaments and further Sums are by this Act appointed to be raised for Her Majesties Use upon Goods Wares Merchandises and other Stock in Trade and also upon Monies at Interest as aforesaid Be it therefore further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners within the several Cities Counties Ridings Hundreds Lathes Wapentakes Rape Wards and other Divisions respectively or any Three or more of them who shall in pursuance of this Act sign and seal the respective Schedules or Duplicates which are to be transmitted into the Kings Remembrancers Office in the Exchequer as aforesaid shall and they are hereby authorized and required in the same Duplicates respectively to ascertain and certify in Words at Length and not in Figures the just Sum in gross which by virtue of the said Act made in the Fourth Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary included An Act for granting in Their Majesties an Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound for One Year for carrying on a vigorous War against France was assessed for or upon any Personal Estates consisting solely of Goods ready Monies and Debts or any of them excluding Officers Lands Tenements and all other Things whatsoever (not being Goods ready Monies or Debts) which were then rated or assessed within every such City County Riding Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division respectively as to such of them where any such Personal Estate was assessed as aforesaid as to the said gross Sum as assessed for Personal Estate as aforesaid and to be inserted in the Duplicates as to be made was actually assessed either generally or specially within the Duplicates which was transmitted into the Exchequer for the Assessment made by virtue of the said Act of the Fourth Year of Their late Majesties Reigns within every such City County Riding Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division respectively and not otherwise

CVII  
Reason for passing  
the Assessment

Commissioners who  
sign and seal the  
Schedules or  
Duplicates as to be  
transmitted into the  
Kings  
Remembrancers  
Office, in so doing  
to give the Sum  
assessed for Personal  
Estate, including  
Officers, &c. by  
the 4 W 3 31 c. 1.

And it is hereby enacted That the several and respective Sums which shall be so ascertained as down and certified in the said Duplicates to be made by virtue of this Act for such Personal Estates so formerly assessed in any County City Riding Town Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division as aforesaid shall [be<sup>3</sup>] accepted and taken as Part of the Total Sum by this Act charged or to be charged upon every such and the same County City Riding Town Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward and other Division respectively and every Parish Town and Place therein towards the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and a Penny by this Act granted and the same shall be allowed in all Accounts thereof by virtue of this Act without any further or other Warrant to be used for that or obtained in that Behalf

CVIII  
The Sum so  
certified in the said  
Duplicates to be  
taken as Part of  
the total Sum  
charged by the  
Act  
and so be allowed  
in all Accounts  
without further  
Warrant

Providens always and it is hereby enacted That if any Commissioner for Execution of this Act shall wilfully and knowingly insert or cause to be inserted in any Duplicate to be returned as aforesaid any greater or larger Sum of Money than ought to be inserted therein by virtue of this Act for such Personal Estate as aforesaid assessed upon the said Act of the Fourth Year of Their late Majesties Reign or under Colour thereof with an Intent to defraud Her Majesty then every such Commissioner for every such Offence shall forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds to wit One moiety thereof to the Queen and the other Moiety thereof to such Person or Persons as will inform or sue for the same to be recovered by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Sum or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Enough Protection Wager of Law or more than One Impignator shall be allowed

CIX  
Commissioner  
inserting in a  
Duplicate to be  
returned a greater  
Sum than was  
assessed upon the  
4 W 3 31 c. 1  
Penalty 100*l*

And whereas towards the Aids granted to His said late Majesty King William the Third by several late Acts of Parliament divers Assessments have been duly made on the yearly Profits of the Saltgrave Duties and new Waterworks respectively within the said City and County of Essex but such Assessments have not been paid or answered for Want of Taxes and by reason that the Proprietors of the said Saltgrave Duties and new Waterworks live far remote from the said City and the said Assessments so in Arrear as also the Assessments due shall be charged on the same Profits respectively by this present Act to Her Majesty are like to remain unsatisfied and unpaid if due and

CX  
Reason for passing  
the Execution

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Roll.<sup>2</sup> Or and

**CLXXXV.**  
Persons importing  
Clothes and  
Accessories to  
Persons who  
collected the  
Aidage Duties,  
and new Wines  
Works in the City  
of London.

Remedy be not provided Be it therefore enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the respective Persons who have received or collected or shall receive or collect the said respective Profits for the Time being shall be and are hereby charged and chargeable with the Payment of the said respective Aids that have been or shall be received on the said Profits respectively to be levied in such Manner as other Aids and Assessments in and by this and such former Act or Acts are directed And the respective Persons [sic] charged as aforesaid and paying the same shall be allowed the same on their respective Accounts by their respective Employers or Proprietors for the Time being Any thing herein or in any such former Act or Acts to the contrary notwithstanding

**CLXXVI.**  
Persons for paying  
the Aids in

Also whereas by several Acts of Parliament for raising the late Aids of Four Shillings in the Pound and Three Shillings in the Pound and Two Shillings in the Pound it was provided that in case the Collectors thereby appointed to collect [the respective] the said Aids should neglect or refuse to pay the same of Money by them received to the Receiver General in such Manner as by the several Acts is directed and required their Estates Real as well as Personal whatsoever the same should be discovered or found were to be seized and sold to make good the Monies by the said Collectors received and not by them answered over And whereas several Collectors have neglected upon several Towns and Villages the said Aids and have not paid the same to the Receiver General as required by the said Acts and do either lie in Prison for the same or abroad to avoid the Payment [thereof] to the great Prejudice of Her Majesty and the said Towns and Villages and yet have an Interest in Copyhold Lands and Tenements And whereas some Doubts have arisen whether by Real Estates Estates of Copyhold of such Collectors were liable to make good the Defaults of Payment of such Collectors Be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That by Real Estates in the said Acts was and is meant and intended Copyhold as well as Freehold Estates And that such Copyhold Estates whereas such Collectors the Twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and two had any Estate or Interest as aforesaid are and ought to all Intents and Purposes to be liable to make good the Defaults and Neglects of such Collectors and to be seized and sold by the Commissioners in the said respective Acts mentioned or any Three or more of them in the same Manner as they have Power by the said Act to seize or sell other Real Estates for such Estate or Interest only as the said Collectors or Receivers had therein at the Time aforesaid in Law or Equity

**CLXXVII.**  
Persons in  
the County of  
Somerset  
to whom  
the Aids in  
the County of  
Somerset  
are to be paid

Also be it further enacted That the Land of such respective Manor of which any Copyhold seized and sold in this Act direct or shall be holden shall and do remain all such Person and Persons to whom such Copyhold Estate shall be sold to such Copyhold Lands and Tenements as such Collectors or shall be partly interested in at the Time aforesaid and for such Estate at the Will of the Lord according to the Custom of the said Manor as shall be sold by the Commissioners or any Three of them to make good any Default of Payment as aforesaid paying such Fines and to be holden by such Rents and Services as shall be therefore due and of Right accustomed

**CLXXVIII.**  
Persons in the  
County of  
Somerset  
to whom  
the Aids in  
the County of  
Somerset  
are to be paid

Also whereas by a Statute in the Twelfth Year of an Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound granted to Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary of blessed Memory by one Act made the Fourth Year of Their said Majesties Reign the County of Somerset was to an Aid granted to His said Majesty King William by an Act of Parliament made the Tenth Year of His said Reign overcharged the Sum of One hundred eighty eight Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Ten Pence Half pence beyond their [the] Proportion and likewise to one other Aid granted to His said late Majesty King William by one other Act [of Parliament] made in the Eleventh Year of His said Majesty Reign the like Sum of One hundred eighty eight Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Ten Pence Half pence by which Means the said County of Somerset stands charged inasmuch with the Sum of Three hundred and seventy seven Pounds Seven Shillings and Nine Pence Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said County of Somerset be discharged of the said Sum of Three hundred and seventy seven Pounds Seven Shillings and Nine Pence charged inasmuch and that no Process shall issue out of the Exchequer for levying the same Any thing in any former Act to the contrary notwithstanding

**CLXXIX.**  
Persons in the  
County of  
Somerset  
to whom  
the Aids in  
the County of  
Somerset  
are to be paid

PROVIDES always That the Prison of the Fleet Prison House Little Gardens and the Common Side all the Rents Profits and Perquisites of the Office of the Wardens of the Fleet lying and being in the Parish of Saint Bridget aka Brides London shall be charged and assessed to the Assessment in the said Parish of Saint Bridget aka Brides London and not elsewhere Any [thing] in this Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

**CLXXX.**  
County of  
Somerset  
to whom  
the Aids in  
the County of  
Somerset  
are to be paid

PROVIDES nevertheless and it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Sum charged on the County of Brecon shall be raised answered and paid after the same Manner and in the like Proportion on every Hundred and Division within the said County as the same was raised answered and paid by virtue of an Act made in the Ninth and Tenth Years of His Majesties Reign intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty the Sum of One million four hundred eighty four thousand and fifteen Pounds One Shilling Eleven Pence Three Farthings for disbursing Forces paying Soldiers and other Uses therein mentioned Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**CLXXXI.**  
Persons in the  
County of  
Somerset  
to whom  
the Aids in  
the County of  
Somerset  
are to be paid

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers of His Majesties Dock Yard now at Stoke Newington near Plymouth shall be assessed upon this Act for the Salaries and other Profits of their Places within the Town and Parish of Plymouth where the Salaries of the said Dock Yard at Plymouth in the Year One [one] thousand six hundred ninety three were assessed and not elsewhere as is the full Proportion which was assessed

<sup>1</sup> corrected on the Roll

<sup>2</sup> true O.

<sup>3</sup> O. omits

<sup>4</sup> so erroneous Repeating on the Roll, O. omits.

upon the said Town and Parish of Plymouth in the said Year One thousand six hundred ninety three be again assessed thereon by virtue of this Act and so as the said Parish of Stoke Newington be not charged with a greater Proportion in respect of the said Salaries and Profits than they were in the said Year One thousand six hundred ninety three. Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

And it is hereby further enacted That there shall be kept in the said Exchequer a Register for all the Orders to be registered on all the several Duties Rates Taxes Assessments and Sums of Money by this Act granted and that all and every the Principal Sums of Money which have been lent at the Receipt of the Exchequer between the Sixth Day of January One thousand seven hundred and one and the Tenth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and two not exceeding Six hundred and fifty thousand Pounds and all and every the Orders of Loan for the same shall be in the first Place transferred to and placed upon the said Register for Orders appointed to be kept by this Act and shall be registered thereupon in due Course and Order according to the Dates of the respective Talleys of Loan for the said Principal Sums which Transferences shall and may be and are hereby required to be made by virtue of this Act without making any Issues or making any Receipts from the Parties in order to transfer the said Loans and that the Principal Monies on the Orders so transferred shall be payable and paid to the [Lender or] Lenders of the same his her or their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns respectively out of the Monies arising by virtue of this Act or of the Subsidies Payments Taxations and Assessments aforesaid in the same Course and Order according to which they are hereby appointed to be transferred and with Preference to any other Loan or Sums of Money which shall be registered upon and payable out of the same and that Interest after the Rate of Six Pounds per Cent<sup>us</sup> per Annum for the said Loans to be granted as aforesaid shall be paid and satisfied out of the Monies [arising] as aforesaid every Three Months from the respective Times of making the said Loans until the respective Times of Satisfaction of the said Principal Sums.

Provided also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to or for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigner Bodies Politick or Corporate to advance and lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer upon the Credit of the said several Duties Rates Taxes Assessments and Sums of Money by this Act granted as aforesaid any Sum or Sums of Money which together with the several Sums by this Act appointed to be transferred thereunto shall not exceed in the whole Two millions six hundred thousand Pounds and to have and receive for the forbearance thereof Interest after the Rate of Six Pounds per Cent<sup>us</sup> per Annum. And moreover That no Money to be [lent or transferred] upon the Security of this Act shall be paid or assumed by virtue of this Act or any other Act of Parliament whatsoever.

And it is hereby further enacted That all and every Person or Persons who shall lend any Money upon the Credit of this Act and pay the same into the said Receipt of Exchequer shall immediately have a Talley of Loan struck for the same and an Order for his her or their Repayment bearing the same Date with his her or their Talley in which Order shall be also contained a Warranty for Payment of Interest for the Forbearance thereof at the Rate aforesaid to be paid every Three Months until the Repayment of the Principal.

And that all such Orders for Repayment of Money to be lent shall be registered in course according to the Dates of the Tallies respectively sent after the said Orders hereby appointed to be transferred as aforesaid without other Preference of one before another.

And that all and every Person and Persons shall be paid in course according to their Orders shall stand registered in the said Register Books as as the said Person Native or Foreigner his Executors Administrators or Assigns who shall have his Order or Orders first entered in the said respective Books of Register shall be taken and accounted the first Person to be paid out of the Monies to come in by virtue of this Act. And he or they who [shall] have his or their Order or Orders next entered shall be taken and accounted to be the Second Person to be paid and so successively in due course.

And that the Monies to come in by this Act or of the said Subsidies Taxes and Assessments as aforesaid shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the Monies to be transferred or hereafter to be lent as aforesaid to the respective Parties their Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns respectively without undue Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or divertible to any other Use Issue or Purpose whatsoever.

And that no Fee Reward or Gratuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesties Subjects for providing or making of any such Bonds or Receipts or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers then Clerks or Deputies on pays of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party aggrieved by the Party offending with Treble Costs of Suit as if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to sue his Place also.

And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in Point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or in the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party aggrieved and shall be forfeited of his Place or Office.

CCXVIII.  
Register kept in  
Exchequer for  
registering Orders,  
and of Monies  
payable thereon.  
Loans to the Crown  
never mentioned,  
and Orders for  
the same to be  
transferred to  
Register, and  
registered to have  
preference.

CCXIX.  
Orders of Loans for  
advancements in  
all pay Cent<sup>us</sup> per  
Annum.

CCXX.  
Money lent upon  
Tally of Loan to  
Lender of Warrant  
for Interest.

CCXXI.  
Orders for Repay-  
ment registered  
according to  
Dates of Talley,  
and paid in course.

CCXXII.  
Lenders to be paid  
in sequence.

CCXXIII.  
Monies to come in  
by this Act liable  
to satisfy Loans.

CCXXIV.  
No Fee for pro-  
viding Bonds, &c.  
or for Payment of  
Loans.  
Treble  
Damages.

CCXXV.  
Undue Preference  
by Officers &  
Penalty.

CCXV  
By Deputy.  
Finally.

And if such Preference be totally made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Direction or Privily of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever after incapable of his Place or Office.

CCXVI  
Auditor, Clerk of  
the Peils, or Teller  
not making  
Payments in due  
Order.

And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct the Order or the Clerk of the Peils record or the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as aforesaid then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and Clerks likewise offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid all which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be incurred by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Enormous Protection Privilege Wager of Law Injunction or Order of Remittance shall be in any wise granted or allowed.

CCXVII  
Persons whose  
several Teller  
may Draw the  
same Day.

Provided always and be it hereby declared That if it happens that several Tailleys of Loans or Orders for Payments as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted no such Preference which of those be entered first so as he enters them all the same Day.

CCXVIII  
Payee returning  
Orders, if first  
demanding, to what  
Case to make  
Preference.

Provided also that it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to secure any Person in point of Payment if the Auditor direct the Clerks of the Peils record and the Tellers do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand their Monies and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take their Monies and bring their Orders in their Course so as there be so much Money reserved as will satisfy precedent Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them Incom upon Loans being to come from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them.

CCXIX  
Orders for Payments  
of Money lost may  
be assigned by  
Indorsement.

And be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans to be transferred or assigned by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Register as aforesaid his Executors Administrators or Assigns by Indorsement of his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being needed in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial (showing) also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall suffice such Assignee his Executors Administrators and Assigns to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereon and such Assignee may do like Messer assign again and so as often as often as aforesaid, it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignments to make void release and discharge the same or any the Monies thereby due or any Part thereof.

Monies thereof  
without Fee.

Assigner may  
assign.

CCXX.  
Monies not ex-  
ceeding all appor-  
tioned to the Exche-  
quer, between  
the 1<sup>st</sup> Dec. 1701, and  
1<sup>st</sup> April 1702,  
transferred in the  
Register.  
Monies owing by  
that due over and  
above the Loans in  
Interest  
or to arise by the  
Duties on Salt,  
Malt, &c. except  
the Repayment of  
Loans and Interest  
To be appropiated.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies lent at the Receipt of the Exchequer between the 1<sup>st</sup> Day of January One thousand seven hundred and one and the Tenth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and two not exceeding six hundred and fifty thousand Pounds for which the Orders are appointed to be transferred to the Register upon the 1<sup>st</sup> Dec. and all the Monies which shall be further lent to Her Majesty upon the Credit of this Act and so much of the Salted Land Tax and other Monies hereby granted as after Repayment and Satisfaction of all the Loans transferred or made or to be transferred or made to or upon this Act and the Interest thereof and the making of such Allowances as are hereby warranted shall or may arise or be brought into the said Receipt of Exchequer and all the Monies which are or shall be lent or advanced upon an Act of this present Parliament for buying Duties upon Salt Malt Malt Cyder & Perry (to the Monies arising or to arise by the said Duties upon Salt Malt Malt Cyder & Perry) (to the Monies arising or to arise by the said Duties upon Malt Malt Cyder & Perry) (to the Monies arising or to arise by the said Duties upon Malt Malt Cyder & Perry) shall be appropriated and applied and the same are hereby appropriated and applied towards the making up of the Sum hereto after mentioned for the Uses and Purposes hereafter expressed that is to say Out of the said Loans and other Monies so appropriated there is and shall be applied for the Ordinance of the Navy (including the Charge of the Register for Seamen) any Sum not exceeding One hundred twenty nine thousand three hundred and Fourteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Three Pence And for other Services of the Navy and the Victualling thereof and for the Sea Service of the Office of the Ordnance performed and to be performed any Sum not exceeding Two millions and eighty thousand Pounds out of which Sum last mentioned the Sum of Twenty nine thousand one hundred and two Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Two Pence Payable for discharging the Debt due for sick and wounded Seamen and such Sums as together with the Sum of Eighty seven thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings to be furnished as is herein after mentioned shall be necessary for the Charge of maintaining Ten thousand Soldiers for Sea Service with their Officers and the respective Charges thereunto belonging shall be taken and applied And out of the said Loans and other Monies appropriated as aforesaid there is and shall be applied for Land Services performed and to be performed by the Office of the Ordnance any Sum not exceeding twenty thousand nine hundred twenty three Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Nine Pence And for Money paid or agreed to be paid for making good Trenches with the Crown of Denmark and the Interest of any Part of the same any Sum not exceeding One hundred fifty five thousand and seventeen Pounds and Nine Shillings And for Money paid or agreed to be paid for making good Trenches with the Crown of Sweden and the Interest of any Part of the same any Sum not exceeding Forty

for the Ordinance of  
the Navy.

for the Victualling  
and Office of the  
Ordnance.

Wounded Seamen,  
for maintaining  
Soldiers and Officers  
for Sea Service and  
ordnance  
Charges,  
Land Service of the  
Ordnance.

for the Trench work  
Denmark.

for the Trench work  
Sweden.

nine thousand five hundred Pounds And for Halfpay to disbanded [Officers'] (excluding such as were dismissed for any Crime or Misbehaviour) and for Pay to the Four Companies of Invalids a Sum not exceeding Fifteen thousand Pounds And to and for Submarine Offences and Clearings to Her Majesty's Guards and Garrison in England and the Dominions thereto belonging (Inland excepted) for One Year from the Four and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and one and the contingent Charges thereto belonging any Sum not exceeding Three hundred fifty two thousand Pounds out of which Sum last mentioned there shall be applied any Sum not exceeding the said Sum of Eighty seven thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds and Ten Shillings towards the Charge of maintaining the said Ten thousand Soldiers for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges thereto belonging And out of the said Loans and other Monies hereby appropriated as aforesaid there is and shall be issued and applied for or towards the defraying the Charges of Forty thousand Men to act in conjunction with the Forces of Her Majesty's Allies until the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and two and the contingent Charges thereto belonging any Sum not exceeding Seven hundred thousand Pounds And out of the said Loans and other Monies hereby appropriated as aforesaid there shall be issued and applied any Sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand and five hundred Pounds to discharge Privileges and other Charges for circulating the Bills commonly called Exchange Bills in such Manner and Form as the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury or any Three or more of them now being or the High Treasurer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall direct and appoint And for Payment of One Year's Interest due at Lady Day One thousand seven hundred upon the Mail Tickets remaining unsatisfied a Sum not exceeding Forty two thousand seven hundred five Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Six Pence Half Penny the same to be issued to the Paymaster of the Mail Tickets by way of Imprest and upon Account for that Purpose And for Payment of One Year's Interest of the Loans remaining due upon the First Aid of Three Shillings in the Pound which was granted to His late Majesty King William the Third a Sum not exceeding Twenty three thousand eight hundred forty seven Pounds eighteen Shillings and Five Pence And for the Payment of One Year's Interest for the Monies remaining unsatisfied which were advanced upon Credit of the late Duties laid upon Vellum Parchment and Paper a Sum not exceeding One thousand one hundred thirty two Pounds And for paying One Year's Interest of the Money remaining due upon the Third Quarterly Poll Tax which was granted to His said late Majesty King William the Third a Sum not exceeding Eighteen thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds and Twelve Shillings And for paying One Year's Interest of the Loans remaining unpaid upon the Third Aid of Three Shillings in the Pound which was granted to His said late Majesty King William a Sum not exceeding One thousand seven hundred thirty eight Pounds and Seven Pence And for One Year's Interest of the Principal Money remaining due and unsatisfied upon the Register for the late Duties which were charged upon Leather a Sum not exceeding Thirty five thousand three hundred and ten Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence And for One Year's Interest after the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum for the said Deficiency upon the additional Salt and Stamp Duties the Sum of Four thousand two hundred fifty [two] Pounds and Seven Shillings And out of the said Loans and other Monies appropriated as aforesaid there shall be issued and applied for the Salaries of the Five Commissioners appointed by Act of Parliament for seeing the Accounts of the Army Transport Debts and Prizes and for incident Charges in the Execution of their Trust a Sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred Pounds without Account And for the Salaries of the Seven Commissioners for seeing the Accounts of all Publick Monies and for incident Charges in the Execution of their Trust a Sum not exceeding Five thousand five hundred Pounds without Account And the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury or any Three or more of them now being and the High Treasurer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being are hereby directed and authorized to issue and pay or to assign by Talleys or otherwise as to them shall seem most expedient for Her Majesty's Service all the Monies hereby appropriated as aforesaid for which no other Credit is given in the several Acts and Purposes by this Act directed and intended as aforesaid and to no other Use Intert or Purpose whatsoever and to allow an Interest upon any such Talleys or Assignments not exceeding the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum for any Part of the said Money which shall be so advanced for the Purposes aforesaid as any of these

Hallage in His Majesty's Office

for Submarine, Act of Guards and Garrison.

For Soldiers for Sea Service

issuing Exchange Bills

Interest on Mail Tickets

Interest on Loans as First Aid

Interest on Loans as Vellum, etc.

Interest on Loans as Third Quarterly Poll

Interest on Loans as Third Aid

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Act as it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Paymaster General of Her Majesty's Forces shall upon the Return of the Master Rolls for His Guards and Garrisons by the Commissary General of the Manner [as] to the [said] Paymaster (which Returns are hereby directed to be made every Two Months at the farthest) to be computed from the Four and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and one [one to the Four & twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and two] state the respective Pay due to the Commissioned Officers of Her Majesty's Guards and Garrisons and Gunners thereof and the High Treasurer or the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being are hereby empowered and directed from time to time to issue unto the said Paymaster out of the Money appropriated by this Act for the Payment of the said Guards and Garrisons and Gunners as much as may be sufficient to clear the said Officers and Gunners Accounts of Pay due for their Service

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That the Officers in the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer or any of them shall not directly or indirectly ask demand take or receive any Fees whatsoever for the receiving issuing or paying the said Sum not exceeding Seven hundred thousand Pounds for the Charge of the said Forty thousand Men to act in conjunction with the Forces of Her Majesty's Allies as aforesaid or any Part thereof to be issued or paid after the Thirtieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and two or for the receiving issuing or paying

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The Pay to the Commissioned Officers of the Guards and Garrison and to the Gunners as to be stated as herein mentioned.

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Pound.  
Duties and  
Fines.

CXXXIII  
Recall of Stat.  
17 W. III. c. 1.  
§ 13.

Stat. 17 W. III.  
W. III. c. 1. § 13.

Trustees for  
forfeited Estates  
in Ireland may  
sell and dispose  
thereof.

Sales to be  
effected and made  
before 15th March  
1702.

Proviso for Acts in  
force, &c.

CXXXIV.  
Barracks erected  
on and in Ireland  
Estates to be  
conveyed to  
Trustees for  
Barracks.

CXXXV  
Proviso for  
exporting out  
of Ireland the  
necessary Clothing  
and Accoutrements  
for the said Barracks.

CXXXVI  
Proviso for  
exporting Hungary  
Wine from  
Hamburg, paying  
the Duty on  
Kilnash Wine.

the said Sum of Eighty seven thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings or any Part thereof to be raised or paid after the said Thirtieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and two for the Charge of maintaining the said Regiments of the Marine Soldiers and their Officers other than and except the Pay of One Penny in the Pound for the said Marines upon Foot that any of the said Officers offending therein shall forfeit their respective Places and treble the Sums so received for Pen to be recovered with full Costs of Suit by any Person or Persons who will inform or sue for the same.

And whereas by an Act made in the Eleventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third entitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by Sale of the forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland and by a Land Tax in England for the several Purposes therein mentioned the Trustees thereby constituted and appointed for putting in Execution the Powers and Authorities therein enacted relating to the said forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland or any Part or more of them were empowered and required to hear and determine all Claims entered in pursuance of the said Act on or before the Twentieth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and one. And the said Trustees or any Part or more of them were thereby authorized and required before the Fifth and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two to sell all and singular the Estates and Interests vested in them by the said Act in such Manner as is therein mentioned. And whereas by one other Act made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third entitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty for defraying the Expence of His Navy Guards and Gunboats for One Year and for other necessary Considerations the Time for hearing and determining Claims entered before the said Trustees and then remaining undetermined was enlarged and continued until the Twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two and the Time for Sale of the said forfeited Estates and Interests was enlarged to the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and two. And whereas the said Trustees have in pursuance of the said several Acts heard and determined all the Claims entered before them for any of the said forfeited Estates and Interests so vested in them as aforesaid but the Debentures intended to be made out to Officers Soldiers and others and for Transport Service to enable them to purchase the said forfeited Estates and Interests in probability will not be made out before the First Day of October One thousand seven hundred and two Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Trustees or any Part or more of them shall and may and are hereby empowered and enabled at any Time or Times from and after the said First and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and two and before the Fourth and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three to sell all and singular the said Estates and Interests so vested in them. And all and every such Sale and Sales to be made before the said Fourth and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three shall be in like Manner made and such Proceeding shall be in order thereto and thereupon had and the Consequences thereupon to be made shall be as available and effectual and of the same force and effect as if such Sale or Sales had been made before the said Twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two. Nevertheless this Act or any Thing therein contained shall not extend to repeal or alter any particular Act or Acts of Parliament made or now in force or which in this Session of Parliament shall be made concerning any the said forfeited Estates or any the Provisions Directives Clauses Matters or Things therein contained.

And whereas several Barracks are erected on certain Lands Part of the said forfeited Estates for the Reception and Use of the Army in the said Kingdom of Ireland Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Part or more of the said Trustees shall and are hereby required to convey unto the Trustees for the Barracks and their Successors the said Barracks with the Site thereof Outhouses Coast and other Conveniences thereunto belonging consisting by Estimation Three Acres of Land Irish Measure to each of the said Barracks to have and to hold to them the said Trustees of the Barracks and their Successors for ever to the Uses aforesaid.

And whereas by the present Establishment of Ireland Three Regiments of Foot commanded by Brigadier William Soltau Reginald Zachary Telfin and Colonel Richard Bower are now in Her Majesties Service in Jamaica and the Leeward Islands in the West Indies and are paid out of Her Majesties Revenue arising in the said Kingdom of Ireland according to the said Establishment. And it being necessary that the Clothing and other Accoutrements for the Officers and Soldiers of the said Regiments should be supplied out of Ireland from whence their Pay doth arise Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it may be lawful to export out of Ireland such Goods as are necessary for the Accoutrements and Clothing the Officers and Soldiers of the said Regiments and so others to Jamaica or any of the Leeward Islands at such other Place in the West Indies where such Regiments shall be quartered Any Law Statute or Usage to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

And whereas there have lately been imported into Your Majesties Dominions Wines of the Growth of Hungary and some Duties have arisen touching the Rates and Duties payable for the same upon such Importation Be it declared and enacted That it shall and may be lawful to import from Hamburg into the Port of London and the Mouths thereof or into any other Ports of this Kingdom or the Dominions of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed Wines of the Growth of Hungary and upon the Importation of any such Wines there shall be paid such Rates and Duties only as by any Law now in force are due and payable for any Rhenish Wines or Wines of the Growth of Germany imported into the Your Majesties or the Dominions thereof by all Your Majesties natural born Subjects and by all Strangers and Aliens respectively.

And whereas the General Society intitled to the Advantage given by an Act of Parliament for advancing a Sum not exceeding Two Millions for the Service of the Crown of England by a Company in the Charter to them granted by His late Majesty King William the Third bearing Date the Third Day of September in the Tenth Year of His Reign is obliged to furnish unto Her Majesties Stores (if demanded) Five hundred Tuns of Salt Petre yearly for the first Cost Freight [and <sup>and</sup>] Duties and other Charges thereupon to be accounted in the Minutes drawn amongst And the English Company trading to the East Indies as a Member of the said General Society is by a Covenant in the Charter granted to the said Company bearing Date the Fifth Day of September in the Tenth Year of [the Reign of <sup>of</sup>] His said late Majesty King William obliged to furnish yearly proportionable Part of the said Five hundred Tuns (if demanded) And the Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies also is a Member of the said [General] Society are obliged to furnish yearly another Proportion of the said Five hundred Tuns (if demanded) And the particular Members of the said General Society (other than the said Companies) are obliged to furnish yearly the Residue of the said Five hundred Tuns (if demanded) for the Cost Freight Duties and other Charges aforesaid And whereas the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies and the said English Company have agreed to make their Capital Stock in the said Two Millions and trade to the East Indies and other Parts within the Limits of their Charters whereunto they severally are intitled under the Act of Parliament of the Ninth Year of His said late Majesties Reign intitled An Act for raising a Sum not exceeding Two Millions upon a Fund for Payment of Annuities after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum and for settling the Trade to the East Indies whereupon a new Charter is intended to be passed Now it is hereby provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from the Twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and one until the said Union shall be perfected under the Great Seal of England Four hundred ninety four Tuns and One Quarter of good clean and merchantable Salt Petre shall yearly (if it be demanded) be delivered into the Stores of Her Majesty her Heirs and Successors at the certain Price hereon after limited (that is to say) By the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies for their Proportion Seventy eight Tuns and Three Quarters And by the said English Company Five hundred and fifteen Tuns and a Half And that after the perfecting of the said Union and during the Continuance thereof in a Joint Management the like Quantity of Four hundred ninety four Tuns and One Quarter of such Salt Petre shall yearly (if demanded) be delivered into the said Stores by the said English Company and its Successors out of the vested Trade And after the Demolition of such Joint Management given by the said English Company singly during so long Time as the said English Company shall have Right and Power to trade to the East Indies under the said Act of Parliament in that Behalf And that in like Manner from the Twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and one the Quantity of Five Tuns and Three Quarters of good clean and merchantable Salt Petre shall yearly (if demanded) be delivered into the said Stores at the same certain Price by the other Members of the said General Society for the Time being

And it is hereby enacted and declared That the Price of all the said Salt Petre to be served in Time of Peace shall be Five and forty Pence per Tun and in Time of War shall be Fifty three Pounds per Tun and that upon the refining the said Salt Petre whether it be Brown or White if the Refiners be shew Fifteen Pounds in every One hundred and twelve Pounds weight than the Overplus of such Refinement at the Rate aforesaid shall be repaid to Her Majesty by the said Companies and Members respectively one of the said Price and if the Refinement be under Fifteen Pounds in every One hundred and twelve Pounds weight then the said Companies and other Members of the said General Society shall be allowed and paid at the Price aforesaid so much more as the Difference between the real Refinement of their Petre and the said stated Refinement of Fifteen Pounds per Centum shall amount to

And it is hereby further declared That in any Charter to be granted to the said Companies or either of them they shall be obliged by Covenant to deliver there [their] Proportions of the said Salt Petre being paid for the same at the certain Price aforesaid according to this Act instead of the Quantities which the said Two Companies or either of them or the said particular Members by the said former Charters are obliged to furnish for the first Cost Freight Duties and other Charges as aforesaid Any thing in the said former Charters or any of them contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And whereas Persons having or who hereafter shall have before the Twentieth day of October One thousand seven hundred and two any Office Civil and Military in the Kingdom of Ireland by Patent or Commission from Her present Majesty may be required by Her Majesty to attend in this Kingdom or be commanded by Her Majesty to Parts beyond the Seas whereby they may become incapacitated for holding such their Employments and Offices because they cannot qualify themselves by taking in the said Kingdom of Ireland the Oaths and subscribing the Declarations appointed by an Act made in England in the Third Year of [the Reign of <sup>of</sup>] Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for abrogating the Oaths of Supremacy in Ireland and substituting other Oaths Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons having or who hereafter shall have before the said Twentieth day of October One thousand seven hundred and two any Office or Employment either Civil or Military and receiving any Pay Salary Fee or Wages by reason of any Patent or Commission from Her present Majesty who shall take the said Oaths and subscribe the said Declaration in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster before the Ninth and twentieth Day of November One thousand seven hundred and two in such Manner as the said Oath and Declaration are directed

CXXVII.

Renewal of Stat.

and of Charter in

the General

Records, ed. Supp.

to W. III.

and of Charter to

the English

Company, ed. Supp.

to W. III.

Reasons for passing

the Statute.

Stat. 9 W. III.

c. 44.

Proviso for

Delivery of Salt

Petre into Her

Majesty's Stores

by the said

Company and the

new Company,

and by the use of

English Company

only, in the

proportion heretofore

assigned.

CXXVIII.

Regulations as to

the Price of Salt

Petre.

CXXIX.

In any Charter to

and Companies

they shall be

obliged to deliver

Proportions of

Petre aforesaid.

CXL.

Reasons for passing

the Statute.

5 W. &amp; M. c. 1.

Proviso as to Office

at London before

1697 Oct. 1700,

may take the Oaths

and make and

subscribe the

Declarations in

any of the Courts

at Westminster,

before 1701 Nov.

1702

\* Q. 1000.

\* intitled on the Roll.

\* an assurance Registered on the Roll, Q. 1000

to be taken made and subscribed by any such Officer Civil or Military in the said Kingdom of Ireland then such Person and Persons having such Impositions in the Kingdom of Ireland shall to all Intents and Purposes be quashed and capable to have hold and enjoy such Offices and Employment in the said Kingdom of Ireland and all such Fees Salaries and [Rewards] as they or any of them might or could have done in case the said Oaths and Declaration were taken made and subscribed in any of Her Majesty's Courts in Ireland according to the Direction of the said Act: And that without incurring any of the Penalties and Forfeitures in the said Act or any other Act mentioned Any thing therein contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

## CHAPTER VII.

AN ACT for making good Deficiencies & for preserving the Publick Credit.

*En. Parl.*  
I show, p. 8. n. 5.  
Reasoning that the  
Sum of fifty thousand  
pounds will be  
sufficient to  
discharge the  
outstanding Bills  
of Credit upon  
Government, and  
Interest thereon.

**W**HEREAS several Bills of Credit commonly called Exchequer Bills were made forth and issued by divers Acts of Parliament which were made and passed in the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third (of blessed Memory) and many of the said Bills have been already discharged out of the second [Aids] and Supplies which were provided by several Acts of Parliament for or towards the discharging and cancelling the same But ever and above the Moneys already applied towards the discharging and cancelling the said Bills and over and [above the] Moneys which are yet to arise from the said Aids or Supplies formerly provided for that Purpose it is computed that there is and will be wanting the Sum of Five hundred and threescore thousand one hundred sixty five Pounds Four Shillings and Seven Pence Farthing to discharge all the Principal Moneys contained in such of the said Bills as are now standing out and unsatisfied and so much more as will be sufficient to discharge all the Interest due and to grow due thereupon.

*II.*  
And that the said  
Tax of Six p. 8. n. 5.  
will, as it is, be  
sufficient to satisfy the  
Interest due on the  
Credit thereof.

And whereas it appears that the Pound Rate or Land Tax of Three Shillings in the Pound granted to His said late Majesty by an Act of Parliament in the Eighth Year of His said late Majesty's reign hath not been sufficient to satisfy all the Loans which were made upon the Credit of the same Pound Rate or Land Tax and that ever and above all Arrears of the said Pound Rate not yet recovered there is and will be deficient and wanting to discharge all the Principal Money to wit the Sum of Four hundred and threescore thousand seventy nine Pounds and so much more as will be sufficient to discharge the Interest after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum due and to grow due thereupon.

*III.*  
The like Reasoning  
as to the Duties of  
Salt & W. III. c. 5.

And whereas the Duties upon Paper Pastboard Wines and Packhouses which were granted to His late Majesty for Two Years from the First Day of March One thousand six hundred twenty six by an Act passed in the Eighth Year of His said late Majesty's reign did prove insufficient to satisfy all the Moneys which were borrowed upon Credit of that Act so that there is deficient and wanting the Sum of Fifteen thousand four hundred Pounds to discharge all the Principal Moneys so borrowed and so much more as will satisfy the Interest due and to grow due for the same after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum.

*IV.*  
Reasoning that the  
Sum of fifty thousand  
pounds will be  
sufficient to  
discharge the  
outstanding Bills  
of Credit upon  
Government, and  
Interest thereon.

And whereas several Tickets were made forth and issued by virtue of an Act made and passed in the Eighth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty whereby certain Duties were laid upon Hops and other Things therein mentioned and many of the said Tickets have already been discharged out of the same Duties or otherwise but it is computed that there is deficient and wanting to discharge all the Principal Moneys contained in such of the said Tickets as are now standing out and unsatisfied the Sum of Five hundred seventy nine thousand and sixty Pounds besides what will be necessary to discharge the Interest due and to grow due upon the said unsatisfied Tickets or such of them as do bear Interest after the Rate of six Half Pence per Decem for each Ten Pounds thereof.

*V.*  
And that the said  
sum of fifty thousand  
pounds will be  
sufficient to  
discharge the  
outstanding Bills  
of Credit upon  
Government, and  
Interest thereon.

And whereas it is evident that the Duties upon Leather which were granted to His said late Majesty by an Act passed in the Eighth Year of His said late Majesty's reign for Three Years from the Twentieth Day of April One thousand six hundred and ninety seven and which were thereby appropriated to and for the Payment of so much as then remained unpaid of the Sum of Five hundred sixty four thousand seven hundred Pounds formerly lent upon certain Duties upon Cloth and other Things therein mentioned and the Interest thereof have not been sufficient for that Purpose so that there is wanting to discharge the Principal Money still remaining unpaid of the Sum last mentioned the Sum of Five hundred and Four thousand four hundred sixty eight Pounds besides the Interest thereof due and to grow due after the Rate of Seven Pounds per Centum per Annum And that the Moneys granted to His said late Majesty by the Act passed in the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty's reign for an Aid by a Quarterly Poll for One Year including therein such Arrears of the said Poll as are still recoverable do not extend to satisfy all the Principal Moneys which were borrowed upon the same Act by the Sum of Two hundred and twelve thousand seven hundred and seventy Pounds Seventeen Shillings which with the Interest thereof due and to grow due after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum are and will be likewise deficient And that the Moneys granted to His said late Majesty by the Act passed in the Tenth Year of His said late Majesty's reign for granting the Sum of One million four hundred eighty four thousand and fifteen Pounds One Shilling and Eleven Pence Three Farthings for



defunding the Army providing for the Navy and for other necessary Occasions whereupon a Credit was given for any Sum not exceeding One million four hundred thousand Pounds to be repaid with Interest when the Rate of Seven Pounds per Cent per Annum here set continued to pay off all the Monies borrowed upon the same Act and the Interest thereof has that there is a Deficiency of Twenty five thousand eight hundred and twenty three Pounds Two Shillings and Nine Pence which together with all Arrears of the Aid last mentioned are yet remained are wanting to clear off the Remainder of the Principal Monies so borrowed besides what shall be necessary to discharge the Interest of the same

And whereas at Merchants One thousand seven hundred and one the Sum of Seventy thousand eight hundred seventy two Pounds Eleven Shillings and One Penny Half Penny was wanting to complete the Payments then due and incurred for and upon the yearly Sum of One hundred and sixty thousand Pounds which by an Act passed in the Ninth Year of His said late Majesties Reign was intended to be paid out of certain Duties upon Salt and upon Stamped Velum Parchment and Paper for the Purpose therein mentioned and ought to have been made good in pursuance of the same Act all which said Sums of Money so reckoned to be deficient or wanting to pay off the Principal Money borrowed as aforesaid or contained in the said Exchange Bills and Salt Tickers do amount in the whole to the Sum of Two millions [three hundred] thirty eight thousand six hundred twenty eight Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Five Pence Three Farthings besides the Interest due and to grow due as aforesaid We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to raise such Aids and Supplies as may make good the said Deficiencies and preserve the Publick Credit do cheerfully and unanimously give and grant to Your Majesty the Supplies hereinafter expressed and therein mentioned for the Terms herein after expressed and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty to accept thereof and that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the *Raidies* of Tonnage and Poundage and other Sums of Money payable upon Merchandises exported and imported which were given and granted unto His late Majesty King Charles the Second for His Life by an Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of His Reign intitled A Subsidy granted to the King of Tonnage and Poundage and other Sums of Money payable upon Merchandises exported and imported and which by several Acts of Parliament since made have been granted for several Terms and are to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six shall be further continued to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors from the last Day of July which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six until the First Day of August which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten and no longer And that the said Act made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second and every Article Rule and Clause therein mentioned and also an Order of the Commons in Parliament assembled in pursuance of the Rules and Orders annexed to the aforesaid Act for settling of Officers Fees dated the Seventeenth Day of May One thousand six hundred sixty two and signed by Sir Edward Turner then Speaker shall be of full force and effect to all intents and Purposes until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten so fully and in like Manner as if the same were particularly and at large [see down and recited] in the Body of this Act

Providem always and he *E* further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That an Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of the said King Charles the Second intitled An Act to prevent Frauds and Concealments of His Majesties Customs and Subsidies is also an Act made in the Fourteenth Year of the Reign of the said late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for preventing Frauds and regulating Aliens in His Majesties Customs And also an Act made in the Two and twentieth Year of the said late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the Improvement of Tillage and the Breeds of Cattle And also one other Act made in the Five and twentieth Year of the Reign of the said late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for taking off Alien Duties upon Commodities of the Growth Product and Manufacture of the Nation And also one other Act made in the [said] Five and twentieth Year of the Reign of the said late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the encouragement of the Greenland and Eastland Trades and for the better securing the Plantation Trade And also one other Act made in the First Year of the late King James the Second intitled An additional Act for the Improvement of Tillage And one Act made in the Eighth Year of [the Reign of] His said late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for increasing the Duty upon Tin and Pewter exported and granting an Equivalent for the same by a Duty upon Druggs And another Act of the Ninth Year of His Reign for increasing His Majesties Duties upon Lattings and Almshouses And one Act made in the Eleventh Year of the Reign intitled An Act for taking away the Duties upon the Woollen Manufactures Coats Girds Breeches and Mail exported And all the Clauses and Directions whatsoever contained therein or in any other Act or Acts of Parliament now in force concerning the said Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and other Sums of Money upon Merchandises exported and imported which were granted in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second as aforesaid shall be of full force and effect until the said First Day of August which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten.

Providem nevertheless and be it declared and enacted That nothing herein contained shall be construed or taken to diminish any Articles or Clauses in any of the last mentioned Acts hereby enacted to be in force until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten which were appointed and intended to be

and the like Recital as in the Recital given by that to W III c 30 and that the force of the Act shall be void and inoperative as aforesaid

VI.  
As Enacted that at Merchants 1702 the Sum of 470,872. 11s. 1d. was wanting to complete the Payments due for the yearly Sum of 166,000. 00s. 00d. under the 9<sup>th</sup> W. III. c. 31 and One half the said Sums amounted to the Sum of 47,436. 10s. 00d. Interest.

Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties of this. 14 Car II. c. 4. and granted and continued by other Acts further continued.)

and the said Act not in Order of the House of Commons, dated 15th May 1702, continued.

VII.  
Stat. 14 Car II. c. 30.  
14 Car II. c. 12.

14 Car II. c. 12.  
15 Car II. c. 6.

15 Car II. c. 4.

14 Car II. c. 30.  
14 Car II. c. 30.

14 Car II. c. 30.

and other Acts in force continued until 1st August 1710.

VIII.  
Proviso for Clauses in the said Acts which are continued or made perpetual by former Acts.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> recited and not down D

perpetual or which are continued by any Act of Parliament [for any Time<sup>1</sup>] which will not expire by or before the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten but that the same and every of them shall continue and remain in force as if the present [Act<sup>2</sup>] had not been made but each of the said Acts and such Clauses in any of them as would otherwise determine before the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten shall hereby be renewed and stand continue and be in force until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and no longer.

IX.  
Duties upon Wines,  
Ac. of Sax.  
1 Geo II c. 3.  
continued until  
1st August 1702.

and the said Act  
to be in force  
accordingly.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Impositions and Duties upon Wines and Vinegar granted by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King James the Second intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty an Imposition upon all Wines and Vinegar imported between the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand six hundred eighty five and the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten which said Act by several Acts of Parliament afterwards passed hath been continued and is to continue until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six shall be further continued from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six until the First Day of August which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten and no longer And that the said Act as made in the First Year of the Reign of the late King James the Second and all Powers Provisions Penalties Arduas and Clauses therein contained for or concerning the said Imposition on Wines and Vinegar shall continue and be of full force and effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and shall be applied practised and executed for raising levying collecting assessing and paying the said Duties upon Wines and Vinegar hereby continued according to the Tenor and Intent of the present Act as fully to all Intents and Purposes as if all and every the Clauses Matters and Things in the said Act of the First Year of King James the Second contained had been again repeated in this Act and particularly enacted.

X.  
Duties upon  
Tobacco, Ac. of  
Geo I Act 18. c. 6.  
continued until  
1st August 1702.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Rates Duties and Impositions upon all Sorts of Tobacco granted by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of the said late King James the Second intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty an Imposition upon all Tobacco and Sugar imported between the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand six hundred eighty five and the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand six hundred ninety three which said Act as far and concerning the said Duties and Impositions upon Tobacco only was by several Acts of Parliament afterwards made continued and is to continue to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six shall be further continued from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six until the said First Day of August which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten and no longer.

XI.  
The said Duty  
upon Tobacco  
brought, &c. in 1694  
Act 7 & 8 W. III.  
c. 20.

Provision always and be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the said Duty upon Tobacco which shall be imposed during the Term hereby granted shall be several collected raised levied answered and paid to His Majesty in such Method and with such Discounts and Allowances and according to such Rules and Directions as are mentioned referred to or prescribed as to the Duties or Impositions upon Tobacco in and by the Act made in the Parliament holden in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reign of King William the Third intituled An Act for continuing several Duties granted by former Acts upon Wines Vinegar and upon Tobacco and East India Goods and other Merchandises imposed for carrying on the War against France and not otherwise.

XII.  
Additional Duties  
of Geo. 1 W. & M.  
Act 1. c. 4.  
continued until  
1st August 1702.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Additional and other Rates Impositions Duties and Charges upon the several Sorts of Goods and Merchandises granted by an Act made in the Second Year of the Reign of King William the Third and Queen Mary intituled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain Impositions upon all East India Goods and Manufactures and upon all Wrought Silks and several other Goods and Merchandises to be imposed after the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand six hundred and ninety and with thereto and by several other Acts afterwards passed were to have Continuance and are to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six shall be further continued from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six until the said First Day of August which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten and no longer And that the said Act made in the Second Year of Their said late Majesties Reign concerning East India Goods and other Things therein charged and all Powers Provisions Penalties Arduas and Clauses therein contained shall continue and be of full force and effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and shall be applied practised and executed for the raising levying collecting assessing and paying the said respective Duties hereby continued according to the Tenor and Intent of this present Act as fully to all Intents and Purposes as if the said last mentioned Act and all and every the Clauses Matters and Things therein contained had been again repeated and enacted particularly except only as to such Part of the said Act concerning the said Impositions on Wines Vinegar Tobacco East India Goods and other Merchandises imposed touching which other Provisions or Alterations are made by any [other<sup>3</sup>] Act or Acts of Parliament now in being which other Provisions or Alterations are to be observed and to continue during the Continuance of this Act And the said Act intituled An Act for continuing several Duties granted by former Acts upon Wines and Vinegar and upon Tobacco and East India Goods and other Merchandises imposed for carrying on the War against France and every Article Clause Matter and Thing therein contained for the raising levying assessing and paying the Impositions and Duties on the Merchandises and Commodities therein charged and which are by this Act continued shall be of full force and effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten.

Encomps.

To continue & renew  
the Continuance of  
Geo. 1 W. III.  
c. 20.

<sup>1</sup> continued on the Roll

<sup>2</sup> G. 1. 1702.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Additional and other Rates Duties Impositions and Charges upon the several Sorts of Goods and Merchandises granted by an Act of Parliament made in the Fourth Year of Their said late Majesties Reign intituled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain additional Impositions upon several Goods and Merchandises for prosecuting the present War against France and which by several Acts of Parliament have been granted to continue to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six shall be further continued from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six to the said First Day of August which shall be in the Year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten and no longer And that the said Act last mentioned and all Powers Provisions Penalties Articles and Clauses therein contained (except as is herein after excepted and provided) so far and concerning the said Rates Duties & Impositions shall continue and be of full force and effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and shall be applied practised and executed for the raising levying collecting answering and paying the said Duties hereby continued according to the Tenor and Intent of this present Act as if the said last mentioned Act and all and every the Clauses Matters and Things therein contained had been again repeated and enacted in this Act particularly

NEVERTHELESS it is hereby provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for and during the Continuance of the said additional Impositions the Sum of Two Shillings only shall be paid for every Ton of Logis Colemburk exported over and above the Rates therein charged by the Book of Rates to be collected as in and by the said Act is directed and appointed And that it shall and may be lawful to import into this Kingdom from Ireland any Bar Iron sawnweight and Iron sh or hammered Iron Rods (other than Swedish or other Foreign Iron) discharged of any Impositions or Duties to be laid upon the same by this Act Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

PROVIDED also That in all Cases where any other Provision or Alteration is made by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in being in or about any other Matter or Thing contained in the said Act of Parliament for the Impositions last mentioned such other Provision or Alteration shall be observed during the Continuance of the Term hereby granted in the same Impositions Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such of the Rates and Duties upon Velum Parchment and Paper as were granted to Their said late Majesties King William and Queen Mary by an Act made in the Parliament holden at Westminster in the Fifth and Sixth Years of Their Reigns intituled An Act for granting to Their Majesties several Duties upon Velum Parchment and Paper for Four Years towards carrying on the War against France and which by an Act of Parliament made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William are continued until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six shall be and are hereby further continued from the said last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six until the First Day of August which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten And first the said Act for granting the said Duties upon Velum Parchment and Paper and all Powers Provisions Articles and Clauses therein or in any other Act or Acts of Parliament now in force concerning the same Duties continued shall continue and be of full force and effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and shall be applied practised and executed for the raising levying collecting answering and paying the said Duties upon Velum Parchment and Paper hereby continued according to the Tenor and Intent of this present Act

PROVIDED always and it is hereby further enacted That in all Cases where any further or other Provision or Alteration is made by any other Act or Acts of Parliament now in being in relation to the said Duties upon Velum Parchment and Paper such other Provision or Alteration shall be observed and complied with during the Continuance of the Term hereby granted in the same Duties Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Rates Duties Impositions and Sums of Money granted by an Act passed in the Seventh Year of [the Reign of] the said King William intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty several Rates or Duties (on Houses) for making good the Deficiency of the clipped Money and which thereby and by the said Act made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of the said late King William the Third have been already granted to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six shall be and are hereby further continued from and after the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six until the said First Day of August which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten and no longer and shall be raised levied collected answered and paid unto Her Majesty in the same Manner and Form and by such Rules Ways and Means and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are mentioned in the said several Acts or either of them for raising levying collecting answering and paying the same and that the same Act and all Powers Provisions Penalties Articles and Clauses therein or in any other Act or Acts of Parliament concerning the said Duties upon Houses continued or expressed shall continue and be of full force and effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and shall be applied practised and executed for the raising levying collecting answering and paying the said Duties upon Houses hereby continued according to the Tenor and Intent of this present Act as fully in all houses and Parishes as if all and every the Clauses Matters and Things in the said former Acts concerning the said Duties upon Houses contained had been again repeated in this Act and particularly enacted

XIII.  
Additional Duties  
of Salt & W III.  
c. 1 continued  
until 1st Aug.  
1710

and the said Act  
to be in force  
accordingly

XIV.  
Fines for Duty  
upon Eggs  
(Colemburk)  
and for Impositions  
upon British of  
Iron (Exemption)  
from Duty  
by this Act.

XV.  
Duties for  
Provisions of  
other Acts.

XVI.  
Such of the Stamp  
Duties of Salt  
& W III. c. 21.  
as were continued  
by Stat. 8 & 9  
W III. c. 10. & 11.  
which continued  
until 1st Aug. 1710

and the said Act as  
before accordingly.

XVII.  
Fines for  
Duties on  
other Acts.

XVIII.  
Duties of Salt.  
(Stat. 7 & 8 W III.  
c. 11. continued  
until 1st Aug. 1710)

and to be read as  
in the former Acts.

The said Act and  
Condemnation Acts  
to be in force  
accordingly.

XIX  
Dated upon White  
Fins, 10<sup>th</sup> of Jul.  
6 W III. 6-47  
continued until  
10<sup>th</sup> August 1705.

The said Act to  
be in force  
retrospectively.

XX  
Recall of said  
6 W III. c. 40  
§ 18

Recall of  
6 W III. c. 41.  
§ 6.

Reason for passing  
the Recession.

The Omnipotence  
of the several Duties  
here mentioned.

And it is hereby further enacted That the several Impositions and Duties for and upon all Whale-Fins and Scotch Linens imposed which by an Act of Parliament in the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for taking away Half the Duties imposed on Glass Wares and the whole Duties hereby laid on Staves and Earthen Wares and Tobacco Pipes and for granting in lieu thereof new Duties on Whale-Fins and Scotch Linens were granted to His said late Majesty King William for the Term of Eight Years from the Tenth Day of July One thousand six hundred ninety eight (except so much of the said Duty of Whale-Fins as is since taken away by any subsequent Act of Parliament) shall be and are hereby continued to His Majesty His Heirs and Successors from the Expiration of the said Term of Eight Years until the said Tenth Day of August which shall be in the Year of our said One thousand seven hundred and ten and no longer and shall be taxed levied collected and paid in such Manner and Form and by such Ways and Means and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are mentioned in the said Act for granting the said Impositions on Whale-Fins and Scotch Linens which Act with all the Powers Privileges Pardon Articles and Clauses therein contained or thereby referred to shall continue and be in full force until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and shall be applied practised and put in Execution for raising and levying the said Duties on Whale-Fins and Scotch Linens hereby continued as fully and effectually as if all the Clauses Matters and Things therein contained concerning the said Duties on Whale-Fins and Scotch Linens were repeated and again existed in the Body of this present Act.

And whereas by the said Act of the Eighth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William intitled An Act for making good the Deficiencies of several Funds therein mentioned and for relieving the Capital Stock of the Bank of England and for raising the Publick Credit it was enacted That all the Moneys which (should<sup>1</sup>) arise and be brought into the Exchequer of or for the Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Merchandises therein contained by this Act from the First and twentieth Day of December One thousand six hundred ninety nine till the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and of and for the Impositions upon White Vinegar Tobacco East India Goods Wrought Silks and other Duties therein contained by the same Act from the Eighth and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and one until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and of or for the said and additional and other Rates Duties Impositions and Charges upon several Sorts of Goods and Merchandises therein contained from the last Day of February One thousand six hundred ninety six to the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and of or for the Duties upon Value Purchments and Paper by the same Act contained from the Eighth and twentieth Day of June One thousand six hundred ninety eight until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and of or for the Rates and Duties upon Marragins Bolls Batts Barchins and Widdowens therein contained from the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and of or for the several Rates or Duties upon Houses therein contained from the First and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and all the Moneys (if any such should be) which after Satisfaction of such Principal and Interest Moneys as are therein mentioned should arise by the Impositions upon White Vinegar Tobacco East India Goods Wrought Silks and other Goods by an Act of the Seventh Year of the Reign of the said late King William whereby the same were granted and continued until the said Ninth and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and one and all the Moneys which after Satisfaction of such Moneys and Bolls as are therein mentioned should arise by the Duties upon Houses formerly granted for Seven Years from the First and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred ninety six and all the Moneys which after Satisfaction of the same therein mentioned and the Interest thereof should arise as he brought into the Exchequer of and for the Duties upon Salt which were granted to His said late Majesty King William the Third His Heirs and Successors by an Act of Parliament which passed in the Seventh Year of His Reign (together with the Duties upon Glass Wares Staves and Earthen Wares and Tobacco Pipes which are since taken away by Acts of Parliament) should be the General Fund for making good the particular Funds in the said Act of the Eighth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign expressed and composed to be deficient and should be appropriated raised and applied for and towards the making good of the same deficient Funds by the Payment and Satisfaction of the Principal and Interest due and to give due discharge in such Manner and Form as is in the said Act of the Eighth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign is more fully expressed And whereas by the second Act of the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign for laying the said Duties upon Whale-Fins and Scotch Linens for Eight Years from the Tenth Day of July One thousand six hundred ninety eight the same are directed to be applied to and for the Payment and Satisfaction of such Principal and Interest Moneys whereas the said Duties upon Glass Wares Staves and Earthen Wares and Tobacco Pipes (since wholly taken away) ought to have been applied as by the said several Acts of Parliament Relation being thereunto respectively had may more fully appear Now in the end the aforementioned Deficiencies for which no Provision hath (hitherto<sup>2</sup>) been made and which in this Act are computed to amount to Two millions three hundred thirty eight thousand six hundred twenty eight Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Five Pence Three Farthings as aforesaid the Principal Moneys (besides Interest) may be made good and that all such Principal Moneys and the Interest thereof may be well and sufficiently secured and duly paid and satisfied Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Omnipotence of the said several Revenues and Duties by the said Act of the Eighth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign continued until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six as aforesaid and of the said Hereditary Duties upon Salt and Rack-Salt and of [the<sup>3</sup>] said Duties upon Whale-Fins and Scotch Linens and of all other the Duties whosoever which by the said Act of the Eighth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign for making good Deficiencies as aforesaid and by the said Act of the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty's

<sup>1</sup> mentioned on the Roll.

<sup>2</sup> never so

<sup>3</sup> mentioned in the Roll, is omitted in King's Printer's Copy.

Reign for lying the said Duties upon Whale Finns and Scotch Linens and other of them are appropriated or decreed to be applied to or for the Payment and Satisfaction of the Principal and Interest Money in the same Acts or either of them mentioned which shall from Time to Time remain and be brought into the Receipt of the Exchequer (in case any such Overplus do arise) after full Payment and Satisfaction to be first made out of the said Revenues and Duties so formerly granted and appropriated as aforesaid of all the Principal and Interest Money by the Two Acts last mentioned or either of them so decreed or intended to be so used thereupon or after answering as much thereof to the said Receipt of the Exchequer as shall be sufficient fully to discharge and pay off the same shall be Part of the General Fund by this present Act provided for making good the particular Funds before in this [present] Act expressed and computed to be still deficient as aforesaid and all the said Overplus Monies (if any such be) are and shall be appropriated raised and applied towards the making good the same deficient Funds by the Payment and Satisfaction of all the Principal Monies thereupon really due and amounting to the said Sum of Two millions three hundred thirty eight thousand six hundred twenty eight Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Five Pence Three Farthings more or less and all such Interest Monies due and to grow due and which shall from time to time remain unsatisfied (or not be otherwise paid or provided for) of and for so much and such Parts and Parcels of the said Principal Monies as do or shall carry or bear Interest to be paid for the same by the respective Acts of Parliament in that Behalf

after such Payments there of as before mentioned.

to be Part of the General Fund of this Act, and to be applied in making good the said deficiency of the said Funds, 1703. 28. and Interest

And to it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies which shall arise and be brought into the Receipt of the Exchequer of and for the [Subsidy of] Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Merchandises therewith continued by this Act from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and of and for the said several Impositions and Duties upon Wines Vinegar Tobacco East India Goods Wrought Silks and other Duties therewith continued by this Act from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and of and for the said additional Rates and other Duties Impositions and Charges upon several Sorts of Goods and Merchandises by this Act continued from the said last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and of and for the said Duties upon Velum Parchment and Paper by this Act continued from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and of and for the said Rates and Duties upon Horses by this Act continued from the said last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and of and for the said Rates and Duties upon Whale Finns and Scotch Linens by this Act continued until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten shall together with the said Overplus Monies (if any such be) and if there be no such Overplus Monies then the said Subsidies Revenues Rates and other Duties last mentioned shall be and are hereby declared to be the whole and entire General Fund by this present Act provided for making good the particular Funds before in this Act expressed and computed to be still deficient as aforesaid and are and shall be [hereby] appropriated raised and applied for and towards the making good the said deficient Funds by the Payment and Satisfaction of all the Principal Monies thereupon really due and amounting to the said Sum of Two millions three hundred thirty eight thousand six hundred twenty eight Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Five Pence Three Farthings more or less and all such Interest Monies due and to grow due and which shall from time to time remain unsatisfied (or not be otherwise paid or provided for) of and for so much and such Parts and Parcels of the said Principal Monies as do or shall carry Interest to be paid for the same by the respective Acts of Parliament in that Behalf

XXI.

The Monies arising from the said Funds declared to be the General Fund for making good the said particular Funds.

and appropriated accordingly.

And to the end all the Monies which shall arise and be brought into the Receipt of the Exchequer of or for the [several] Duties Impositions and Revenues which are hereby appropriated for making good of the said deficient Funds and are before in this Act particularly mentioned and declared to be the General Fund for that Purpose may be duly issued and applied for and towards the paying off or discharging of the Principal and Interest due and to grow due upon the said Funds hereby declared or computed to be deficient according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act And that the Monies by this Act appropriated for that Purpose may not be diverted or applied to any other Use than is hereby intended He it is further enacted and provided That all the Monies of the said General Fund hereby appropriated as aforesaid shall hereafter arise and be brought into the said Receipt of Exchequer as well for the said Overplus Monies of the said Duties formerly granted as for the said several Duties by this Act granted when and as the same shall continue or take Effect respectively shall be disbursed issued and applied to and for the paying off or discharging the Principal and Interest Monies charged upon or which were intended to be paid out of the said deficient Funds (that is to say) The Aids or Supplies which were provided for discharging and cancelling the said Exchequer Bills The said Pound Rate or Last Tax of Three Shillings in the Pound which was granted in the Eighth Year of the Reign of King William the Third The said Duties upon Paper Parchment Velum and Parchment which were granted in the same Year The said last Duties upon Salt and other Things for discharging the said Tonnage The said Duties upon Leather The said Quarterly Poll granted in the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty The said Last Tax granted in the Tenth Year of His said late Majesty And for and towards the said Sum of Sixty thousand eight hundred seventy two Pounds Eleven Shillings and Three Halfpence due and to grow due upon the said Duties upon Salt and upon Stamp Velum Parchment and Paper so as that a proportionable Part of the Monies so coming in as aforesaid shall be disbursed issued and applied to pay or discharge the Principal and Interest upon every one of the Funds last

XXII.

Revenues for the said Funds.

The Monies of the said General Fund that shall be brought into the Exchequer to be applied in discharging the Principal and Interest of the Monies herein mentioned.

Treasury to take  
an Account on the  
First Friday after  
the 25th Aug 1702,  
and afterwards  
Monthly, of Monies  
brought into the  
Exchequer,  
applicable to the  
Particulars intended;

and to send  
Warrants for the  
same.

## XXIII

The Proportions of  
the said Monies to be  
applied at the  
Treasury shall  
determine.

How Monies placed  
for discharging of  
Mild Tithes  
applied.

How the rest of the  
Monies placed in the  
Accounts of the  
other deficient  
Funds applied.

Under Preference.

Penalty.

## XXIV.

How the Accounts of  
Deans appointed  
to be applied.

## XXV

The Taxes upon  
Sops and Olive Oil  
granted by Stat.  
3 W. & M. c. 2. s. 4  
to be continued by  
this Act, and  
continued by this  
Act.

## XXVI

Record of Stat.  
16 W. III. c. 11.

## XXVII

Record of Stat.  
16 W. III. c. 11.

Record for the  
Treasury.

The Treasury and  
Exchequer may  
proceed in finding  
the Accounts of  
Officers.

mentioned secondly and be proportion to the Sum of the Deficiency thereof before in and by this Act computed and expressed. And that the Comptroller of Her Majesty's Treasury or any Three or more of them now being or the High Treasurer or Under Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall on the First Friday which shall happen after the Twenty eighth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six or after the Time that any Money shall arise and be paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer of the General Fund by this Act provided which shall first happen and from thenceforth once in every Twenty eight Days or oftener (as an exact Account to be made or taken of all the Monies that shall be brought into the Exchequer applicable to pay Principal and Interest on the said deficient Funds as aforesaid) shall thereupon immediately from time to time by their Warrants and Orders cause such Money to be distributed applied and placed to the Accounts of each Tax Revenue or Fund so deficient as aforesaid in the just Proportions before mentioned and according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act.

And it is hereby further enacted That the Proportions of the said Money which shall be so distributed or placed to the Funds for the cancelling and discharging the Principal and Interest of the said Exchequer Bills shall be applied to that Use in such Manner as the Commissioners of the Treasury or any Three or more of them or the High Treasurer for the Time being shall in that Behalf direct and appoint. And that the said Money so to be distributed or placed as aforesaid for discharging the Principal and Interest upon the said Mild Tithes shall be applied thereto in the same Course and by such Proportions at every Payment and in such Manner and Form as the same ought to have been applied if such Monies had arisen from the said Duties of Milk and other Duties which were liable to the Satisfaction of the said Tithes. And that all the rest of the Money which shall be so distributed or placed to the Accounts of the other deficient Funds Duties and Taxes before mentioned for or towards the Payment of the Principal and Interest thereupon shall be issued paid and disposed so far as the same will from time to time extend upon and in Satisfaction of the Tallies or Orders for the same in such and the like Course Order Manner and Form as if the same were Monies really arising by the said respective Taxes Duties or Funds hereby computed and expressed to be deficient as aforesaid and that where being diverted or disburse to any other use or misapplied without giving any such Preference under the Penalty of incurring the same Forfeitures and Disabilities by the Officers and other Persons concerned therein as they would have incurred for diverting or misapplying any the Money of such Tax Duty or Fund in case the same were not deficient.

Provided also and it is hereby declared and enacted That in all Cases where there are any Arrears of any Duty Revenue Imposition or Branch whatsoever appropriated towards Satisfaction of the said Principal and Interest and not yet recovered all such Arrears in the same shall be levied or recovered shall be applied towards Satisfaction of the same Principal and Interest and the General Fund hereby provided shall go and be applied in Aid thereof in such Manner and Form and under such Limitations and Directions as are hereby prescribed until the said Principal and Interest shall be all wholly paid off and discharged. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Parliament notwithstanding and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to continue the Impositions upon Sops and Olive Oil first granted to Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary by an Act made in the Second Year of Their said Majesties Reign inserted an Act for granting to Their Majesties certain Impositions upon all East India Goods and Manufactures and upon all Wrought Silks and several other Goods and Merchandises to be reported after the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand six hundred and ninety and afterwards continued by several other Acts to the said First Day of August which shall be in the Year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six but all and singular the Impositions upon Sops and Olive Oil granted by the said Act or Acts shall continue and extend on the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six.

And whereas by an Act passed in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third for granting to His Majesty several Duties upon Lew Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction and for continuing several [other] Duties therein mentioned Provision is made that the respective Treasurers of the Navy and Paymasters of the Land Forces and the Officers in the subordinate Offices therein mentioned should be chargeable with the Interest Monies by them or their Agents respectively received upon Tallies and Orders for Monies imposed on them severally during the late Wars upon France or in any Time before the making of the said Act in the Manner and Form thereby prescribed. And that every such Charge should be examined by the Exchequer and Vouchers in the Receipt of Exchequer before the respective Account or Accounts of the said Treasurers Paymasters or other Officers should be delivered. And by the said Act (relation being thereunto had) may more fully appear. And whereas the Accounts of the said Paymaster Treasurers and other Officers or some of them of the Monies by them severally received in their respective Offices are believed for several Years and if the whole should be defiled all their respective Accounts can be perfectly examined and sorted the same might prove very prejudicial to Her Majesty's Service in many respects. Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury or any Three or more of them now being and the High Treasurer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being and the Chancellor Undersecretary and other Officers and Ministers of the Exchequer for the Time being to whom it doth or shall appertain shall and may proceed in the discharging and finding the respective Accounts of any the said Treasurers Paymasters or other Officers of the Monies by

them received for the Service of the said Navy Forces and for Services in the said subordinate Offices according to the ancient Usage and Methods of Exchequer so as before the declaring of the last Accounts of the Monies by them severally received as aforesaid for the said respective Services all the said Interest Monies be duly examined and charged as the said former Act directed Any thing in the said former Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And whereas the Sum of Two hundred and twenty one thousand seven hundred and twenty four Pounds Ten Shillings was issued to the Paymaster General of the Army by Orders and Tallies for Revisions of Assessives appropriated by Act of Parliament for the Payment of the Offences for Clothing for the Year ended the last of December One thousand six hundred ninety seven of which Sum there is still remaining by Orders and Tallies in the Hands of the Paymaster General of the Army Five thousand and seven hundred Nine Shillings One Penny Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Paymaster General of the Army do issue the Sums so remaining in his Hands to discharge such Offences for Clothing as were become due before the last Day of December One thousand six hundred ninety seven

And whereas several Persons who owe Money to Her Majesty for Customs Impositions and other Duties upon Goods Imported and exported and for the Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors and for the Duties upon Salt or have been concerned in the receiving or returning the Monies of the said Branches or some of them have before the Twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and two failed in their respective Credits and they or their respective Successors are not able to pay the full Sum due from them respectively but can pay or may be enabled by the Assistance of Friends to pay some Part of their respective Debts to Her Majesty in case a Composition could be made with them for the same Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury or any Three or more of them or the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury for the Time being or any Three or more of them at any Time before the Twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and three to make such Composition or Agreement as to him or them shall seem reasonable for any such Debts as aforesaid which were incurred by Persons who failed in their Credits as aforesaid before the said Twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and two and upon Payment of the Monies compounded for to cause the Remainder of the Debt so compounded for to be discharged Any Law Statute or other Matter or Thing to the contrary notwithstanding

And whereas Nathaniel Molineux was Receiver General of His late Majesties Taxes for the Counties of Lancaster and Chester from the Year One thousand six hundred eighty nine to the Year One thousand six hundred ninety two at which Time he was an officer about Fifteen thousand Pounds And the said Nathaniel Molineux having sustained great Losses by Persons breaking in his Debt by whom he received Part of the said Money and being robbed of other Part thereof sent by the Carrier in Spoils and also by suffering great Losses at Sea during the late War And the said Nathaniel Molineux having by the Sale of an Estate and by his own Industry since discharged the first greater Part of the said Debt but is unable to pay the whole Sum remaining unpaid lost being in Hope by the Assistance of Friends and Relations to raise Part thereof in case of a Composition Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury or any Three of them for the Time being or the Lord High Treasurer for the Time being to make such reasonable Composition with the said Nathaniel Molineux as to them shall seem meet and upon Payment of the Money compounded for to acquit and discharge [him:] the said Nathaniel Molineux of the Remainder of the said Debt

And whereas upon examining and stating the Debts due to the Army by the Commissioners appointed by a late Act of Parliament for that Purpose there appeared to be due to the Troops and Companies of several Regiments over and above what was due for the Personal Pay of the Commissioned Officers of the said Regiments several Sums of Money which the said Commissioners were not empowered by the said Act to certify to the Paymaster General of the [Land:] Forces so as that he might make out Debentures for the same which Power is likewise wanting in an Act passed this Session of Parliament intituled An Act for reviving and continuing an Act intituled An Act for the appointing Commissioners to take examine and determine the Debts due to the Army Navy and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prison taken during the late War to the End therefore that all such as served His late Majesty and their Country in the said late Army may be paid what shall appear to be due to them for their Service Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Commissioners or any Three of them shall have Power and are hereby required and authorized to certify to the said Paymaster General such Sums as shall appear due to any Troops and Companies in the said late Army in the Name of and payable unto such Person or Persons as the Colonel and the Majority of the Captains of such Regiments to which such Troop and Company belongeth have or shall impower to receive the said Certificates pursuant to which Certificate the said Paymaster General shall make out and issue Debentures payable out of the forfeited Estates in the Kingdom of Ireland to such Person or Persons authorized as aforesaid to receive such Debentures which said Person or Persons so receiving such Debentures are hereby required to issue them out unto all Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Horse Foot or Dragoons their Wives or Children or such other Persons to whom they have assigned their Pay (for Debts by them due and contracted on account of the same) such Share or Proportion of such Debentures or the Benefits thereof as shall be made appear to be justly due unto such Non-commissioned Officer and Soldier by Certificate under the Hand of the Captain in whose Troop or Company they served or in case of such Captain

Interest to be  
allowed.

XXVII

Paymaster General  
of the Army to  
issue Money for  
Discharge of  
Offences for  
Clothing due before  
the last day  
of December.

XXVIII.

Treasury may make  
Composition for  
Debts due to the  
Crown in regard of  
Taxes before  
the 10th April 1702.

XXIX.  
Parties for  
Treasury com-  
pounding with  
Nathaniel Molineux.

XXX.  
Recd that divers  
Monies were due  
to the Army, which  
the Commissioners  
were not empowered  
to certify.  
Stat. 12 & 14 WILL.  
c. 1.

The said Comms.  
were empowered  
to certify to the  
Paymaster General  
Money due to the  
late Army.

Expenses in issue  
Debentures payable  
out of forfeited  
Estates in Ireland.

Twelve months  
Debtors to pay  
Security to Pay-  
master General, Act.

Death under the Hand of the Colonel or next surviving Field Officer or eldest Captain of the Regiment And further the Person or Persons so receiving such Debentures as aforesaid upon the Receipt thereof are required to give Security to the Paymaster General of Double the Value of what he shall receive And also in the end of [the] Twelve Months to return unto him the said Paymaster an Account upon Oath of all the Debentures by him or them issued in pursuance hereof and returning back to the Hands of the said Paymaster such Debentures as shall remain not issued out to the end of the said Twelve Months

XXXI  
Remit of Stat.  
21/22 W. III. c. 1.  
§ 5.

Also whereas upon the Construction of a Clause in an Act of this present Parliament intitled An Act for settling and continuing an Act intitled An Act for appointing Commissioners to take account and determine the Debts due to the Army Navy and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prices during the late War a Debate is made concerning [the Allowance] thereby intended to be made for or towards the Clothing which was furnished to such Men as were required reduced or disbanded before the Commencement of the Clothing could be paid for out of the Offickings therein mentioned it is hereby declared That Two Pence per Diem for such Private Soldiers or One Fourth Part of their Pay to the First Day of April next after every such Regime Reducing or Disbanding shall in the respective Accounts to be made pursuant to the said Act be allowed for or towards the charge of the Clothing of the respective Troops and Companies

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Clothing of Con-  
panies.

XXXII  
Remit of Stat.  
11 W. III. c. 3

Also whereas by one Act made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by Sale of the forfeited and other Estates and Incomes in Ireland and by a Land Tax in England for the several Purposes therein mentioned it is amongst other things enacted That all the Moneys arising by virtue of the said Act within the Kingdom of Ireland (other than so much thereof as by any Special Clause or Clauses in the said Act contained is to be applied to other Uses or Purposes in the said Act particularly expressed) shall be appropriated and applied and are thereby appropriated and applied to and for the satisfying paying and discharging of the Officers Arrears and the Debts owing for the Transport Service and clothing and other Debts therein mentioned And whereas by reason of the Relief granted this present Session to several Persons interested in and claiming Part of the said Forfeitures the said Estates may not prove sufficient to enable and pay the said several Debts he it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Arrears due to the said Officers and Clothiers and Debt for Transport Service and the other Debts in the said Act mentioned shall be allowed an Interest of Five per Cent per Annum from the respective Days herein after expressed which Interest shall be accepted in Payment of the Purchase of any the said forfeited Estates And whosoever of the said Debts shall remain unpaid and unsatisfied by the Produce of the said Estates shall be made good in the next Session of Parliament after the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three with the said Interest of Five per Cent per Annum (that is to say) The Interest for and in respect of the Arrears due to the said Officers and Clothiers and the other Debts in the said Act mentioned shall begin and commence from the Four and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and one and the Interest for and in respect of the Debt due for the Irish Transport Service shall begin and commence from such Time as the Interest formerly granted by Parliament shall cease and determine to be paid and the Interest for and in respect of the Debts due for Transport Service in the Year One thousand six hundred ninety seven shall begin and commence from the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two and the Interest for and in respect of the Debts due for Transport Service in the Year One thousand six hundred ninety seven shall begin and commence from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two.

Interest of five per  
Cent. per Ann.  
upon Arrears and  
Debts in the said  
Act mentioned.

## CHAPTER VIII.

Act. Parl. 1 Anne,  
§ 3. & 7

An Act for enabling Her Majesty to appoint Commissioners to treat for an Union between the Kingdoms of England and Scotland.

Reasons for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS the Parliament of Scotland did in the Reign of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary shew their Desire of an Union between the Kingdoms of England and Scotland and in order thereto did pass an Act constituting Commissioners to treat concerning the Union of the Two Kingdoms And whereas the Queens most Excellent Majesty out of Her Princely Zeal and Care for the Welfare and Happiness of Her Subjects is desirous of a nearer and more complete Union between Her Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland and hath recommended to Her Parliament of England from the Throne to consider of proper Methods for obtaining the same To the end therefore that Her Majesties Royal and Gracious Purposes may be accomplished and such a further Union may be obtained and agreed upon as may complete and confirm for ever a constant Mutual Love and Friendship between the Subjects of both Kingdoms be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and of the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That such Persons as shall be nominated by Her Majesty under Her Great Seal of [England] or such and so many of them as shall in that behalf be appointed by Her Majesty to be of the Queen's shall by force of this Act have full Power Commission and Authority at such Time and Times and in such Place or Places as Her Majesty shall please to appoint to assemble and meet

Persons nominated  
by Her Majesty  
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and thereupon to treat and conclude according to the Tenor or Purport of their Authority or Commission in that Behalf such certain Commissioners to shall be authorized by Authority at the Parliament of Scotland of and concerning such as Union of the said Kingdoms of England and Scotland and of and concerning such other Matters Causes and Things whatsoever as upon mature Deliberation and Consideration of the greatest Part of the said Commissioners assembled as aforesaid and the Commissioners to be authorized by the Parliament of Scotland according to the Tenor or Purport of their Commission in that Behalf shall in their Wisdoms think convenient and necessary for the Honor of Her Majesty and the Well and Common Good of both the said Kingdoms for ever Which Commissioners of both the said Kingdoms shall according to the Tenor or Purport of their said Authority or Commission in that Behalf reduce their Doings and Proceedings therein into Writings or Instruments Quodvispartis every Part to be subscribed and sealed by them to the End that One Part thereof may in all Blankness be presented to the Queen most Excellent Majesty Two other Parts thereof to be offered to the Consideration of the Parliament for the Realm of England and another Part to be offered to the Consideration of the Parliament for the Realm of Scotland at their next Session which shall be held in each Kingdom respectively after such Writings or Instruments shall be subscribed and sealed by the said Commissioners that thereupon such further Proceedings may be had as by Her Majesty and both the said Parliaments shall be thought fit and necessary for the Well and Common Good of both the said Kingdoms to whom the Intire Consideration of the Whole and the allowing or disallowing the Whole or any Part thereof as they shall think fit is wholly reserved.

PROVIDED also and he it enacted and declared That no Matter or Thing to be treated of agreed or proposed by the said Commissioners by virtue of this Act shall have any force or effect to be put in Execution until it be confirmed and established by Act of Parliament of England.

The Commissioners to reduce their Proceedings into Instruments Quodvispartis to be sealed and presented to the Queen and the Parliaments of England and Scotland; and thereupon such further Proceedings to be had as shall be fit.

II. No Matter to have Effect until confirmed by the Parliament of England.

## CHAPTER IX.

An Act to ascertain the Water Measure of Pails.

WHEREAS Apples and Pears are frequently sold by Measure commonly called Water Measure the Contents whereof are very uncertain and not ascertained by Law And whereas the uncertainty thereof occasions many frivolous and vexatious Suits between the Buyer and the Seller It is therefore enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Measure commonly called Water Measure shall be round and in Diameter Eighteen Inches and as Half within the Hoop and Eight Inches deep and no more and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Measure And that every Measure commonly called Water Measure by which Apples and Pears are sold shall be heaped as usually And that whatsoever shall sell or buy any Apples or Pears by or with any other Measure shall forfeit for every such Offence Two Shillings One Half to the Informer and the other Half to the Poor of the Parish where such Offence shall be committed being thereof lawfully convicted by the Oath of One sufficient Witness before any Justice of the Peace Mayor or other Head Officer of the County City or Town Corporate where the said Offence shall be committed who by virtue of this Act shall have Power to administer an Oath in that Behalf which said Sum of Ten Shillings shall be levied by Warrant from the said Justice of the Peace Mayor or other Head Officer by the Petty Constable of the same Parish of the Goods and Chattels of such Offenders by way of Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods reaching to the Offender or Offenders the Overplus.

Provided that this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to any Measures used and allowed by the Mayor Wardens Aldermen and Commonalty of the Parishes of the Art or Mystery of the Freemen of the City of London to be used in the measuring of Fruit sold by them in the said City and Liberties thereof or within Three Miles Distance from the same City.

But-Pail 1 diam. p. 8 in.

Reason for passing this Act.

How Water Measure to be found.

For Apples and Pears to be heaped.

Forfeiture for every Offence.

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## CHAPTER X.

## AN ACT for the enlarging and encouraging the Greenland Trade

*See Part 1 above  
p. 4, s. 5.*

*Recited in Stat.  
4 & 5 W. & M.  
c. 12.*

*13.*

*14.*

*15.*

*Enacted for passing  
this Act.*

*Subjects may trade  
without paying  
any Duty that  
Greenland  
Company*

*It  
Happens, that  
not to be expressed.*

WHEREAS by an Act made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary for encouraging the Greenland Fishery a Company was thereby incorporated giving Liberty to the said Company exclusive in the row of Their Majesties Subjects it is thereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful for the said Company thereby established and for all and every the Ships and Vessels belonging to or employed by the said Company and truly belonging to England Wales or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed and whereof the Masters shall be Englishmen and inhabiting within the Places aforesaid and for no other Ship or Vessel whatsoever from and after the First Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred thirty three and until the First Day of October which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven employed for the catching of W[h]ales in the Greenland Seas and other the Seas and Places aforesaid during such their Voyages to be navigated with One Third of the Mariners English at the least and yet to pay no farther or other Carriage for the Oyl Blubber or Flase caught and imported in such Ships or Vessels than 4 each Ship or Vessel had been navigated with Three Fourths of the Mariners English Any Law Statute or Usage to the contrary (') notwithstanding Provided always and it is thereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no English Ship or other Vessel belonging to England Wales or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed and which shall belong to and be employed by the said Company in [the] catching of Whales in the Greenland Seas and other the Seas and Places aforesaid shall enjoy any Benefit or Privilege by this Act unless such Ship or Vessel did proceed on her Voyage for Greenland and those Seas or for other the Seas and Places aforesaid from England or Wales or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed and was victualled for the said Voyage in some of those Places to be stored by the Collectors of the Port where the same Ship or Vessel was recruited notwithstanding which the said Company have of late wholly neglected and lost that Trade to this Nation And therefore for the enlarging and encouraging the Greenland Trade and for the better Improvement of the same for the good of England May it please Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the First Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two it shall and may be lawful for any of Her Majesties Subjects whatsoever that will adventure to Greenland for fishing of Whales to have and enjoy all the Privileges that were granted the said Company by the aforesaid Act and shall not pay any farther or other Duty than if they had been of the said Greenland Company Any Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Harpers or other Foreigners that are permitted by the said Act for carrying on the said Fishery shall be Impressed for Her Majesties Service.

## CHAPTER XI.

*See Part 1 above  
p. 4, s. 10.*

*Enacted for passing  
this Act.*

*From the Experi-  
ence of that  
17 W. III. c. 25,  
the Regulations for  
drawing Silver  
Wire have  
been altered to be  
adapted*

AN ACT for continuing and amending the Act made in the Sixth Year of His late Majesties Reign intitled An Act for the setting and adjusting the Proportions of Fine Silver and Gold and for the better making of Gold and Silver Thread and to prevent the Abuse of (') Wire-drawers.

WHEREAS of late by several Refiners Wire-drawers and others concerned in the refining of Silver and gilding thereof and in making of Silver and Gold Wire and Thread either by Unskillfulness or coveting to make an unjust Advantage to themselves there have been committed several Abuses in refining of Silver and making of Silver and Gold Wire and Thread especially in not allowing a due Proportion of [fine] Silver to Gold whosoever the Silver breaking and crumbling off from the Gold there not only is a great Loss to the respective Buyers but an irreparable Loss to the Nation in general in the working and concerning the Bullion thereof and the said Silver and Gold Thread and the Manufactures in which the same are made use of consequently have not that Credit Use and Service that Silver Thread and the Manufactures thereof made thread have to the great Discontentment of the Exportation of the said Silver Thread and Manufactures and the Use and Waste of the same at Home For Remedy whereof for the better Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Expiration of an Act made in the Ninth and Tenth Years of His late Majesties Reign intitled An Act for setting and adjusting the Proportions of Fine Silver and Gold and for the better making of Silver and Gold Thread and to prevent the Abuse of the Wire-drawers all Silver Wire to be drawn for the making of Gold and Silver Thread shall hold at least Eleven Ounces Sixteen Penny Weight of Fine Silver upon the Pound Weight Troy And that all Silver to be gild and made use of in the Wire-drawers Trade shall hold at least Eleven Ounces Sixteen Penny Weight of fine Silver upon the Pound Weight Troy and shall not have less than Four Penny Weight and Four Grains of fine Gold laid upon each Pound Weight of the said Silver upon Pain to forfeit Five Shillings an Ounce for every Ounce to be paid by the Refiner or Maker thereof

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And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Expiration of the said Act no Gold Wire shall be covered with Verdigrease or Deadlead or any other [Purposes] Colours upon Pains to forfeit Two Shillings and Six Pence an Ounce for every Ounce so coloured And for all Gold and Silver prepared as aforesaid and reduced into Plate there shall be allowed at the least Six Ounces of the said Plate to cover Four Ounces of Silk the finest of which Silk shall not run above Sixteen Yards in the Penny Weight Troy And that for all Gold and Silver Threads made finer than the aforesaid Silks there shall be allowed at the least Six [Ounces] of Plate to cover Three Ounces and an Half of Silk the finest of which (\*) Silk shall not run above Thirty six Yards in the Penny Weight Troy And that for all Gold and Silver Threads made finer than the aforesaid Silks there shall be allowed at the least Six Ounces of Plate to cover Three Ounces of Silk the finest of which Silk shall not run above Ninety Yards in One Penny Weight Troy And for all Gold and Silver Thread made finer Six Ounces of Plate to cover Two Ounces and an Half of Silk And that for the future all Gold and Silver Plate shall be spun close upon well boiled and light drier Silk only except Frogs being run, spun and spun upon different coloured Silk upon Pains of forfeiting Two Shillings and Six Pence an Ounce for every Ounce otherwise made And that any Spinner of Gold and Silver Thread that shall buy Gold or Silver Plate upon Silk at other Proportions than as aforesaid shall forfeit and pay for each and every Ounce so spun the Sum of Two Shillings

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Expiration of the said Act all Copper Brass and every other inferior Metal than Silver shall be spun [upon] Thread Yarn or Linc only and not spun Silk upon Pains that each and every Person offending therein shall forfeit Five Shillings for every Ounce so spun

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Expiration of the said Act no Gold or Silver Thread, Lace Fringe or other Work made thereof nor any Thread made of Copper Brass or any inferior Metal or Wire or Plate made wrought by the covering of Silk or Thread shall be imported or brought into this Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed upon Pains of being forfeited and burnt and upon the further Penalty of One hundred Pounds to be paid by the Importer thereof for every Parcel so imported

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That of the several Penalties and Forfeitures made and inflicted by this Act One Mopery thereof shall be to the Queen and the other Mopery to him or them that shall inform on or prosecute for the same And that the said Penalties and Forfeitures may be recovered and for and recovered by Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Foreign Privileges Privilege or Wager of Law shall be allowed or more than One Imparance

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person shall be sued for what either he or they shall do in the Execution of this Act he or they may plead the General Issue and give the Special Matter in Evidence And if the Plaintiff shall become Nonsum or discontinue his or their Action or if a Verdict pass against him or them the Defendant shall recover Treble Costs for which Execution shall issue in such Manner as in other Cases where Costs are allowed to Defendants.

Provided always That every Suit Action or Prosecution to be brought by virtue of this Act shall be commenced within Six Months after the Offence committed.

Provided always and he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall continue for the Space of Seven Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament and no longer

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person whatsoever after the said Expiration of the said Act shall sell or offer to sell any Gold or Silver Orn Lace lace with any other Materials than Gold or Silver and Silk for every Ounce so sold or offered to sell shall forfeit Two Shillings Six Pence per Ounce

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person whatsoever after the Expiration of the said Act shall sell any Gold or Silver Wire Thread Lace or Fringe by any other Weight than Troy Weight the Person so selling for every Ounce so sold shall forfeit Five Shillings per Ounce for every Ounce so sold

And he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That during the Continuance of this Act if any Maker or Seller of any Goods made or mixt with Gold or Silver Thread or Plate shall make or sell any Goods mixt with Gold or Silver Thread or Plate made contrary to the former and Meaning of this present Act such Person or Persons shall forfeit Five Shillings for each and every Ounce of Gold and Silver Thread or Plate so made or sold.

II.  
Coloured Gold  
Wire with Verdigrease,  
Colours,  
Penalty

Afforence for  
Gold and Silver  
prepared as aforesaid  
and reduced  
into Plate

III.  
How inferior  
Metals to be spun,  
Penalty

IV.  
Importing Gold  
or Silver Thread,  
Lace, &c.  
Forfeiture thereof,  
and Penalty of same.

V.  
How Penalties and  
Forfeitures to be recovered

VI.  
In Actions for  
violation of this Act,  
General Issue may  
be pleaded,  
Treble Costs.

VII.  
Limitation of  
Actions.

VIII.  
Continuance of Act

IX.  
Selling or offering  
to sell Gold or  
Silver Orn Lace  
mixed with other  
Materials,  
Penalty.

X.  
Selling Gold or  
Silver Wire by  
other than Troy  
Weight,  
Penalty.

XI.  
Mixing Gold and  
Silver with  
other Goods  
whereby made,  
Penalty.

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\* mentioned in the Bill.

## CHAPTER XII.

*Rev. Paul & others,*  
p. 2. a. 11. An Act to explain and alter the Act made in the Two and twentieth Year of King Henry the Eighth concerning repairing and amending of Bridges in the Highways and for repealing an Act made in the Twenty third Year of Queen Elizabeth for the re-edifying of Cuddeffe Bridge in the County of Gloucestershire and also for changing the Day of Election of the Wardens and Assessors of Rochester Bridge.

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*Express for printing*  
*this Act*

*The said Act*  
*(Encompassed)*  
*continued*

*II.*  
*Quarter Sessions,*  
*upon Presentation,*  
*may assess Taxes*  
*for Repair and*  
*Maintenance of*  
*Bridges.*

*How Assessments*  
*to be levied.*

*to be paid over to*  
*High Constables of*  
*Ridings.*

*who are to pay the*  
*same to the Order*  
*of Quarter Sessions*  
*for Repair of*  
*Bridges, &c.*

*How Assessments*  
*to be levied.*  
*Dissent.*

*III.*  
*High Constables,*  
*Churchwardens,*  
*&c. applying to*  
*assist, &c.*

*Penalty*  
*Twenty shillings*  
*payable Monthly.*

*Penalty &c.*

**W**HEREAS by an Act of Parliament in the Two and twentieth Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth entitled 'An Act concerning repairing and amending Bridges in the Highways it is amongst other Things therein enacted That in every Case where it cannot be known and proved what Persons Lands Tenements and Houses should be made and repair such Bridges that for speedy Reformation and amending of such Bridges the Justices of the Peace within their several Counties Ridings and Hundreds Cities and Towns Corporate or any Four of them whereof One to be of the Quorum shall within the Limits of their several Commissions call before them the Constables of every Town and Parish or else Two of the most honest Inhabitants of every such Town and Parish and with the Assent of the said Constables or Inhabitants shall tax and set every Inhabitant in such City Town and Parish to such reasonable Aid and Sum of Money as they shall think by their Discretions convenient for the repairing of such Bridges and after such Taxation made shall cause the Names and Sums of every particular Person so by them taxed to be written in a Roll entered One Part whereof is to be delivered under the Hands and Seals of the said Justices to Two Collectors appointed by the said Justices for every Hundred who are thereby empowered to collect the same which Method and Manner of taxing and collecting the said Money for Repair of decayed Bridges and the Highways thence adjoining having by long Experience been found very troublesome burthensome and chargeable to the several Counties Cities Towns Corporate Ridings and Divisions And whereas in many Places within this Kingdom some Money that is necessary for the Repair of such Bridges hath been taxed and collected or the Money which hath been so taxed and collected hath been misemployed and not laid out in the Repair of such Bridges as was intended for Remedy of all which Mischiefs and Inconveniences for the future May it please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every the Clauses Matters and Things in the said Act of the Two and twentieth Year of the Reign of the said King Henry the Eighth are hereby altered shall be and continue in full force and virtue in all Points Constitutions and Purposes whatsoever relating to the repairing of decayed Bridges and the High Ways thence adjoining

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the more speedy raising and collecting of the Money for the Repair of decayed Bridges and that the same may be duly applied to the Purposes for which it is intended the Justices of the Peace within the several Limits of their Commissions shall at their General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace from and after the First Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two have full Power and Authority upon this Presentation to them made that any Bridge within their respective Commissions or Authorities is out of Repair and which by them last usually or ought to have been repaired and maintained to assess upon every Town Parish or Place within their respective Commissions in Proportions upon each respective Town and Parish as they usually have been assessed towards the Repair of Bridges which Money so assessed as aforesaid shall be levied and collected by the respective Constables of each Parish Township Hamlet or Ville or by such other Person and Persons in such Manner as the said Justices by their Order at such Sessions shall in that Behalf direct and appoint and the Money thereby raised shall (by such Constables or other Persons so as aforesaid by them collected) be paid over by them to the High Constables of every Hundred in any such County City Riding or Division in Six Days after they shall have assessed the same and the High Constables shall and are hereby required in Ten Days after their Receipt to pay the same into the Hands of such Person and Persons as the said Justices by their Order at such Sessions shall direct and appoint to be Treasurers and Receivers of the same and the Money thereby raised shall be employed and accounted for according to the Orders and Directions of the said Justices for and towards the amending of such decayed Bridges and the Highways at the End of the said Bridges from time to time as need shall require and the said Assessments shall be levied by Distress and Sale of the Goods of every Person so assessed not paying the same within Ten Days after Demand rendering the Overplus of the Value of the Goods so distrained to the Owner and Owners thereof the necessary Charges of making and selling such Distress being first deducted

And to the end that the Money which is hereby intended to be assessed and levied may be duly collected paid and applied to the several Purposes for which it is intended Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every High Constable Church Warden Overseer of the Poor or Ferry Constable or other Person that shall neglect to assess collect or pay the Money hereby intended to be assessed as it is herein before directed shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of Forty Shillings and of every Treasurer that shall pay any Money but by the Order of such Justices of the Peace at such Sessions (which Order the said Justices are hereby required and commanded to make only for the building repairing or amending such Bridges and the High Ways at the End of such Bridges as aforesaid) shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds.

And whereas upon Presentation and Indictment for not repairing such Bridge and the Highways at the End of such Bridge the Fine imposed and set upon such Presentments and Indictments and other Fines and Issues for not repairing building and amending such Bridge and the Highways at the End of such Bridge are returned into the Court of Exchequer or other Courts Be it therefore further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Fine Issue Penalty [or] Forfeiture shall hereafter be returned into the Court of Exchequer or other Courts but shall be levied and paid into the Hands of the Treasurer or Treasurers as is aforesaid appointed by the said Justice to be accounted for by the said Treasurer and to be applied by the said Justice towards the building repairing or amending such Bridge and the Highways at the End of such Bridge and to no other End or Purpose whatsoever

IV.  
Returns for passing the Exchequer

Where, &c. returned into Exchequer paid to Treasurers appointed by Quarter Sessions, and applied in Repair of Bridges, &c.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Matters concerning the repairing and amending of the Bridges and Highways herein before mentioned shall be determined in the County where they lie and not elsewhere and that no Presentment or Indictment for not repairing such Bridge or the Highways at the End of such Bridge shall be removed by Certiorari out of the said County into any other Court

V.  
Matters concerning such Bridges determined in County where they lie, &c. No Certiorari.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Justices of the Peace at each General Quarter Sessions as aforesaid shall have full Power and Authority to allow such Persons concerned in the Execution of this present Act any Sum not exceeding Three Pence in the Pound

VI.  
Allowance to Persons executing Act.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action or Suit shall be hereafter commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons by this Act authorized to put the same in Execution every Person or Persons so sued may plead the General Issue and give this Act or the said recited Act made in the Two and twentieth Year of the Reign of [King] Henry the Eighth and the Special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff become Moot or forbear further Prosecution or suffer Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him or her the said Defendant and Defendants shall recover his and their double Costs for which he and they shall have the like Remedy as in Cases where Costs by Law are given to (?) Defendants

VII.  
In Actions for carrying Act General issue may be pleaded.

Double Costs

Provided always That this Act nor any Thing therein contained shall excuse or discharge any particular Persons Estates or Places from repairing any Bridge which they have heretofore usually repaired

VIII.  
Act not to discharge particular Estates or Places in Repair.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Penalties and Forfeitures incurred by this Act shall be applied towards the repairing the said Bridges and Highways at the End of the same

IX.  
Penalties, &c. applied to Repairs.

And whereas great Inconveniences have been occasioned by the unexecuted Meaning of an Act made in the Twenty third of Queen Elizabeth intitled An Act for the mending of Cardiffe Bridge in the County of Glamorgan Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled That the Act aforesaid be from henceforth repealed and the same is hereby declared to be repealed to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever.

X.  
Stat. 23 Eliz. c. 11. repealed

And whereas the Town of Cardiffe in the said County was before the said Act of Queen Elizabeth obliged to pay and discharge the whole Expence for the Repair of the said Bridge but in regard of the Poverty of the said Town Five Parts of the said Expence was by the said Act directed to be raised on the County and the Sixth Part only on the said Town of Cardiffe And whereas the Poverty of the said Town is since much increased by Reason of the great Decay of Trade in the said Town Be it therefore further enacted by the Authority aforesaid for a more effectual Provision for the Time to come That the Bridge aforesaid commonly called Cardiffe Bridge shall from henceforth be repaired and adjoynd to be a common and publick Bridge to be repaired from Time to Time by the County of Glamorgan And that the Justices of the Peace for the Time being for the County of Glamorgan shall have Power and Authority from Time to Time as Occasion shall require at their General Quarter Sessions to make Orders and execute the same as well within the Town of Cardiffe as elsewhere within the County of Glamorgan touching the rebuilding and repairing of the Bridge aforesaid and Weirs thereto adjoining or belonging in the same Harboure as any the Justices of any other County have or may have concerning other common and publick Bridges by this or any other Law whatsoever.

XI.  
Returns for passing the Exchequer

Cardiffe Bridge to be repaired a publick Bridge, and to be repaired by the County of Glamorgan

Provided nevertheless That nothing herein contained shall be construed or extend to make void or annul any Order heretofore made touching the Repair of the Bridge and Weirs aforesaid

XII.  
Provis for the better Orders.

And whereas many private Persons or Bodies Politick or Corporate are of Right obliged to repair such decayed Bridges and the High ways thereto adjoining but because the Indiscreetness of the County Riding or Division in which such decayed Bridge or Highways lie have not been allowed upon Informations or Indictments brought against such Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate for not repairing such decayed Bridges and the Highways thereto adjoining by the Judges before whom such Informations or Indictment is to be tried to be legal Witnesses Be it enacted and declared That in all Informations or Indictments to be brought and tried in any of [His<sup>m</sup>] Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster or at the Assizes or Quarter Sessions of the Peace the Evidence of

XIII.  
Returns for passing the Exchequer.

In Informations or Indictments Evidence of Indiscreetness admitted.

<sup>1</sup> mentioned in the Roll.

<sup>2</sup> Q. 1100.

<sup>3</sup> the Q.

<sup>4</sup> the Q.

the Inhabitants being credible Persons or any of them of the Town Corporation County Riding or Division in which such decayed Bridges or High-way has shall be taken and admitted in all such Cases in the Courts aforesaid Any Custom Rule Order or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding

*XXV.  
Recd of Doc.  
18 Dec. 6. 17. 16.*

*Written and  
Assented of  
Rochester Bridge  
to be chosen yearly  
on Friday in the  
Week following  
Easter Week, and  
to enjoy all former  
Privileges, &c.*

*All Requests to  
Election to be  
absented, and  
Persons returned  
on Warrants.*

Acted whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Eighteenth Year of the Reign of Queen Elizabeth of blessed Memory intitled An Act for the perpetual Maintenance of Rochester Bridge it is amongst other Things enacted and appointed that the Election of the Wardens and [Assessors]<sup>a</sup> of the said Bridge should be made on the Morrow after the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace holden for the County of Kent next after the Feast of Easter And whereas the said Time of the Election appointed by the said Act hath been found to be very inconvenient in respect of the Uncertainty of the ending of the said Sessions whereby the Inhabitants of the Parishes and others that are to attend the said Election have been put to great Expence and Trouble Be it therefore enacted That all and every the future and succeeding Wardens and Assessors of the said Bridge shall be yearly chosen at the usual Place of such Election at or upon one certain Day yearly that is to say Friday in the Week next following the Week of Easter yearly And that all and every the Wardens and Assessors respectively so to be elected upon Friday in the Week next following the Week of Easter shall successively have use exercise and enjoy the same Power Authority Capacity and Privileges respectively as any former or other Warden or Assessor of the said Bridge respectively have had used exercised and enjoyed And that all other [dues]<sup>b</sup> Requested Manner Customances and Things heretofore used and observed in and about the Election of the said Wardens and Assessors respectively shall be used performed and observed And that all and every the Inhabitants and Householdors of any Parish or Parishes and all and every other Person and Persons who by Reason of any Law Statute Usage or Customs have used or ought to be present and give their Attendance at the Elections of the Wardens and Assessors of the said Bridge shall be present and give the like Attendance and do and perform all other Things so and about the Election of all and every future Wardens and Assessors of the said Bridge upon every Friday in the Week next following the Week of Easter yearly as they have heretofore used done and performed upon the Morrow after the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace next after the Feast of Easter.

#### CHAPTER XIII.

*Rec. Parl. & Chanc.  
p. 36. 6. 12.*

An Act for the rebuilding and repairing the Piers of the Town and Port of Whitby in the County of York

*Reason for passing  
the Act.*

WHEREAS the ancient Town of Whitby in the North Riding of Yorkshire hath had Piers Time out of Mind which are now very much ruined and decayed for Want of an Income for the Maintenance thereof inasmuch that though the said Harbour is capable of containing several Hundred Sail of good Ships yet the Mouth thereof is so choked up that near but small Ships can come in loaded and the Mout of the said Piers being kept in good and sufficient Repair is not only very prejudicial to the said Town and all the neighbouring Country but also to all the Northern Navigation many Ships and Scurves having been lost near the said Port not only by Storms and Storms of Weather but also taken by Enemies within Sight of the said Port which might have been saved had the said Piers been kept in good Repair And the said Harbour lying also very convenient for Ships coming in is the most dangerous Scurve and for going out with any Wind that is fit to sail with either to the Northward or Southward and lying also very convenient for the exporting and importing many Commodities and it being a Matter of great Importance and publick Benefit to this Nation to have so many good and safe Ports and Harbours for Shipping as can be and the Charge of the rebuilding repairing and keeping in Repair the said Piers requiring more than the said Town of Whitby themselves can pay Be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by [the]<sup>c</sup> Authority of the same That from and after the First Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two for and during and until the full End and Term of Nine Years thence next ensuing and fully to be completed and ended there shall be paid unto the Treasurer herein after named (that is to say) The Lord or Lady of the Manor for the Time being Ralph Bays Gildon Muggleton Henry Stonehouse Henry Laskell John Wilkeson Matthew Thompson John Laughele Leonard Jefferson and William Fotherley for and towards the repairing and rebuilding the Piers of the said Port Town or Harbour by the Master or Owners of every Ship that shall load or ship any Coals at the Port of Newcastle upon Tyne or at Sunderland High Seaton-Slave Collier Coats or any other Harbour Colliery or Place that is or is reputed to be a Member of the said Port of Newcastle upon Tyne One Farthing per Chaldron

*For Nine Years  
from 18 May 1700,  
the Treasurers herein  
mentioned to be  
paid to Treasurer.*

And for all Coals loaded within the Haven or Port of the said Port of Whitby for every Chaldron Town Measure for the Term of Nine Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament Six Pence per Chaldron

And for every Wight of Salt loaded or delivered at the said Port of Whitby as aforesaid Two Shillings

And for every Quarter of Malt Cork And Grain Four Pence

And for all Foreign Goods imported in English Bottoms Three Pence per Ton and all Foreign Bottoms importing such Goods Six Pence per Ton

<sup>a</sup> Assistance G.

<sup>b</sup> intitled on the Roll.

<sup>c</sup> G. omis.

And for all *Butter* ships off from Whitty aforesaid to pay One Penny per Firkin  
 And for all *dried Fish* and *Mould Fish* ships off from Whitty aforesaid to pay One Penny per Score  
 For all *Barrelled Fish* so ships off to pay per Barrel Three Pence  
 For every English Ship or Vessel who shall enter within the Ports of the said Part shall pay One Shilling and  
 for every Top of such Ship Four Pence  
 And for every Foreign Ship entering as aforesaid Two Shillings and for every Top of such Ship Four Pence

The said Moneys to be paid at the shipping and landing the said Goods respectively and in Defralt of Payment thereof it shall and may be lawful to and for the respective Collectors to distress [and<sup>1</sup>] levy the same

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such Money as shall [be<sup>2</sup>] from Time to Time and at all Times received gathered and collected by virtue or in pursuance of this Act shall be used and employed for and towards the rebuilding and repairing the said Ports and keeping them continually in good Repair and shall not be employed or disposed to any other Use or Purpose whatsoever except the necessary Charge of collecting the same which shall not exceed Six Pence in the Pound Sterling

II.  
To be employed in rebuilding and repairing Ports

And to the end and intent that just Accounts shall and may be kept of all such Money as shall be collected in pursuance or by virtue of this present Act of Parliament and that the same may be justly and lawfully applied to the Purposes herein intended and expressed Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Treasurer for the Time being shall once at the least in every Year (viz: either) between the First Day of May and the First Day of July make up and state [the<sup>3</sup>] just Account of all the Money that shall have been received by them or their Clerks in pursuance of this present Act of Parliament and how paid and to whom and for what and when with the Balance then remaining in their Hands

III.  
Treasurer to make up Accounts yearly

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the Lord or Lady of the Manors of Whitty for the Time being or who he or they shall in that Behalf appoint and to and for all and every or any Justice or Justices of the Peace within the North Riding of the County of York from Time to Time and at all Times to be present at the said making and making up the said Accounts and at all or any other Time or Times to see peruse inspect and examine the same and that the said Treasurer for the Time being shall permit them so to do

IV.  
Lord and Lady of the Manors of Whitty, and any Justice of Peace of the North Riding, may be present at the making of Accounts

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Treasurer or the major Part of them to enter into Contracts and make Bargains with any Workmen Artificers Masons Smiths or other Persons bona fide for the making and doing all and every or any Part of the Work or Business about the repairing rebuilding and keeping in Repair the said Piers and also with the Owners of any Ground or Land near the said Piers for any Spaces that shall be useful or necessary to be used in and about the building repairing or keeping in Repair the said Piers

V.  
The Treasurer may enter into Contracts, for the repairing, &c. the said Piers and the said Owners to be used for the same

And whereas as the Money to be collected by such Collection and Receipt as aforesaid may not at present raise such a Stock or Sum of Money as may be sufficient for the speedy repairing of the Piers in it is hereby further enacted That the said Treasurer or the major Part of them are empowered to engage the Profits arising by the said Duties for such Sum or Sums of Money by them to be borrowed for that Purpose and by Indenture under their Hands and Seals or the major Part of them to grant and transfer the said Profits and convey the same to any Persons that shall advance any present Sum or Sums of Money so lent with Interest for the same after the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum for every One hundred Pounds which Moneys shall be employed in and about the Repair of the said Piers and not otherwise

VI.  
The Treasurer may mortgage the Tolls for the Repairment of Piers borrowed, with Interest at 6 per Cent. per Annum

Provided always That if the Duties hereby granted shall raise the Sum of Six thousand Pounds over and above the necessary Charges for collecting the same and Interest for so much as shall be advanced at the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum in less Time than Nine Years for which they are granted that then from and after the Time due so much [Money is<sup>4</sup>] raised the Duty of One Farthing per Chaldron upon Coals shall cease and determine Any thing herein before contained to the contrary notwithstanding

VII.  
If sufficient clear of Charges and Interest aforesaid Interest, shall be raised within the Nine Years, Duty herein contained to cease

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Accounts voted by the said Treasurer or the major Part of them shall at the next General Quarter Sessions to be holden for the North Riding of the County of York after the ending of the said Accounts if thereto required be laid before the Justices of the Peace of the said Riding by the Treasurer or some of them or by some other Person appointed by them And the said Justices are hereby empowered to examine the same and if they shall find any Person guilty of misapplying or misappropriating any Part of the Money to be raised by virtue of this Act they shall and are hereby empowered to impose any Fine not exceeding treble the Money so misapplied upon the Person that is guilty of it and if the said Accounts shall not be laid before the Justices of the Peace if thereto required as is hereby directed that then it shall and may be lawful for the said Justices of the Peace in open Sessions to impose any Fine not exceeding One hundred Pounds for every such Defralt on the said Treasurer One Money whereof shall be to the Use of the Queen Her Heirs and Successors and the other Money towards repairing of the said Piers

VIII.  
Accounts voted by Treasurer to be laid before Quarter Sessions for North Riding

who may lay Piers as misapplied Money

and also Treasurer for not laying Accounts before them

1 at G.

2 continued on the Roll.

3 at G.

4 Mortgage G.

IX.  
Persons of Minors  
of one Trustee in  
case of Death.

AND be it further enacted That in any of the said Trustee shall depart this Life the Survivors or the major Part of them are required and are hereby authorised within Thirty Days to elect and choose another or others into the Place of him or them so dying who is and are to have the same Power and Authority and are hereby required to act in the Premises as the Person or Persons so dying should or ought to have done

X.  
Persons charging  
Barges, Docks, &c.

AND for keeping of the said Harbour clean be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of May no Person or Persons whatsoever shall presume to throw or empty any Ballast Dues Ashes Earth Rubbish Stones or any other Annoyance into the said Harbour the Manner of which Annoyances shall be examined and discontinued by the said Trustee or the Majority of them who are hereby authorised and required to examine and determine the same and that such Penalty shall be recovered by the said Trustee or the Majority of them that may be prejudicial to the same on pain of forfeiting for every such Offence a Sum not exceeding Forty Shillings to be applied towards the building and repairing the said Harbour

XI.  
Persons for passing  
the River.

AND whereas the Inhabitants of the Town of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk are at a very great and excessive Charge and Expence for the repairing maintaining and clearing the Haven and Piers belonging to the said Town without the least Aid or Contribution from any other Port or Place whatsoever Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Ships and Vessels English built and manned according to the Act of Navigation belonging to the said Town of Great Yarmouth shall be free and exempt from the said Duty of One Farthing per Chaldron charged and payable by this Act towards the rebuilding or repair of the said Piers Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding so as the Master of every such Ship or Vessel belonging to the said Town of Yarmouth or some other Mariner on his Behalf respectively shall produce and show to any Person lawfully authorised to demand the Duties imposed by this Act a Certificate made upon Oath before the Bailiffs of Yarmouth aforesaid or One of them (which Oath they the said Bailiffs or others of them are hereby empowered to administer) and under the Seal of Office of said Bailiffs that such Ship or Vessel does belong to the said Town of Great Yarmouth and that the Inhabitants thereof are Owners of the whole or the major Part of every such Ship or Vessel

Est. Part.  
1 Anno, p. 4. n. 15.  
Reasons for passing  
this Act.

#### CHAPTER XIV. AN ACT for making the River Darwent in the County of York navigable

WHEREAS the River of Darwent in the County of York is capable of being made navigable from Scarborough Mills down to the River of Ouse and the same if effected will not only be of great Advantage to the Town and Places near adjacent to the said River of Darwent but also of general Benefit to the said County by opening a Trade and Commerce between the several Ridings thereof and would be a Means of employing the Poor increasing the Number of Watermen and advancing the Trade of the said County to the End therefore that the said River of Darwent may be made navigable and passable for Boats Barges and other Vessels Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That Richard Darley of Butterworth Christopher Porcock of New Malton Esquires Nathaniel Harrison Ralph Chatham of New Malton and James Holden of Yarmouth Gentlemen all within the said County of York their Heirs and Assigns or such Persons as they or any Three or more of them shall nominate and appoint under their Hands and Seals their Deputies Agents Officers Workmen and Servants shall be and are hereby authorised and empowered at their proper Costs and Charges to make the said River of Darwent navigable and passable for Barges Boats Lighters and other Vessels from Scarborough Mills down to the said Town of New Malton and from thence to its falling into the said River of Ouse near Hemmingsborough in the East Riding of the said County and from time to time to continue support and maintain such Navigation in such Manner as they shall think meet and for that Purpose to cleanse sweep open enlarge or straighten the said River of Darwent and to dig or cut the Banks thereof and to cut or open or dig the Banks of any other Stream Brook or Beck that shall to them seem convenient for the making the said River navigable and passable for Boats Barges Lighters and other Vessels and to make new Cuts Trenches or Passages for Water in open or through the Lands or Grounds adjoining or contiguous to the said River as they shall think fit or necessary for the more easy and better carrying on the said Work being the Ground or Soil of the Queens most Excellent Majesty Her Heirs and Successors or of any other Person, or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate their Heirs or Successors and to remove and take away all Trees Roots Ground Beds or other Impediments whatsoever which may in anywise hinder navigating any Boats Barges Lighters or other Vessels in and upon the said River of Darwent either in sailing or being thereof with Men Horses or otherwise and to build and erect set up and make upon any the Lands adjoining to the said River Locks Weirs Turnpikes Piers for Water Casks Windmills and Watchtowers where they the said Undertakers their Heirs or Assigns shall think fit and to alter repair and amend the same as often as they shall think convenient and to make any Ways Passages or other Conveyances for the carrying [on] or conveying of Commodities or other Things to and from the said River with free Liberty of Ways for carrying and conveying of all manner of Timber Stones and other Materials for the making the said Dams Locks Weirs or Turnpikes and for repairing the same from time

Persons herein  
named required  
to make the River  
navigable as herein  
mentioned.

and to make new  
Cuts, &c.

and to remove  
Impediments.

and to make Locks,  
&c.

and to make Ways,  
&c. to and from  
the said River.



to those as often as there shall be Occasion and to do all other necessary Matters and Things for the improving and maintaining of the said navigable Passage Stream and Passages or any Part thereof or for amending and enlarging any Wharf or wharfing any Bridges whatsoever or Dams now upon the said River and amending or mending or altering any Highways in and upon the said River as may any ways hinder the said Passage and Navigation as also to make an cut and appoint towing Paths and Ways convenient for towing and drawing of Boats Barges and Lighters passing in through and upon the said River the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns giving Satisfaction to the Owners and Proprietors of the said Lands and Hereditaments and Provisions for any Damage and Injury done to them for or by means of the same as the Commissioners hereafter mentioned for that Purpose shall direct and appoint in case the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns cannot agree with the Proprietors of the said Lands and Hereditaments respectively concerning the same

and to act in  
Towing Paths, &c.

making Satisfaction  
to Owners of Lands  
&c.

And for the better effecting of the Premises and due rating the Value of the Matters and Things to be compounded for according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act if the Persons concerned as aforesaid shall not agree to compound themselves as is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Right Honourable the Lord William Peckler Brother to his Grace the Duke of Bolton the Right Honourable Arthur Viscount Ligon of the Kingdom of Scotland the Right Honourable Thomas Lord Fairfax of the Kingdom of Scotland Sir William Strickland Sir Charles Hartwell Sir William Saint Quintin Sir John Legard Sir Geoffrey Copley Sir William Copley Sir Robert Hildyard Sir Bryan Stapleton Sir John Wentworth Sir Walter Clarges Barons Sir William Harder Sir Richard Osbaldeston Knight William Palmer Thomas Worsley William Osbaldeston Edward Hutchinson Francis Felton Patrick Norcliffe Thomas Luton William Headlam Thomas Southby Thomas Langley Tobias Jenkins John Gibbons John Hill Thomas Strangeways Hugh Bethell William Thompson George Barton Thomas Barton Henry Samuel James Harder Thomas Madgill Walter Sackland Robert Mackinnon Robert Eggle Cornelia Calley John Biley Esquires James Hilditch and Robert Edmington Esquires William Robinson Gentlemen The Bayliffs of Scarborough for the Town [being] and James Kisheworth of Scarborough Gentlemen shall be and are hereby constituted and appointed Commissioners for seeing downing and adjusting (in Matter hereafter mentioned) all Matters about which any Difference may arise between the said Undertakers their Heirs or Assigns and the Proprietors of the said Lands Hereditaments and Premises And they or any Seven or more of them are hereby empowered and authorized and shall have full Power and Authority to mediate between the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns and the Owners and Occupiers of such Lands Tenements Hereditaments and Premises lying in or near the said River as shall be intended to be made use of for making the said River navigable or for the bringing in any other Stream Brook or Watercourse into the same as that may or shall settle or settle any Loss or Damage thereby And to write and specify what Satisfaction every Person Body Politick or Corporate so dissatisfied as aforesaid shall have for or in respect of the Loss or Damage by him or them respectively sustained and to sign and write what Share and Proportion every Tenant or other Person having a particular Estate Term or Interest in any of the Premises shall have or receive for any Loss or Damage so by them respectively sustained as aforesaid And if it shall happen that any Person or Persons or Bodies Politick or Corporate shall desire such Mediation or refuse to deal or agree with the said Undertakers their Heirs or Assigns or through any Doubtful by Wrong Controversy or Special Tye or other Impediment cannot do so then and in every such Case the said Commissioners or any Seven or more of them are hereby authorized and empowered to issue out their Warrant or Warrants in the Sheriff of the County of York for the Time being thereby requiring him to impel summon and return a Jury of able and sufficient Men qualified according to the Laws and Statutes of this Realm to be returned for Tryals of Issues joined in Her Majesties Courts at Westmouthe to appear before the said Commissioners or any Seven or more of them at such Time and Place as by such Warrant shall [be] appointed and shall return in Issues upon every Person so impelled and returned the Sum of Twenty Shillings which shall be duly returned and levied And for Defect of a sufficient Number of Jurymen appearing the said Sheriff or his Deputy shall return other honest and indifferent Men of the Shires by or that can be speedily procured to attend that Service to make up the said Jury to the Number of Twelve And all Parties concerned shall and may have their lawful Challenges against any of the said Jurymen And the said Commissioners or any Seven or more of them are hereby empowered to order and authorize the said Jury to view the Place or Places in question as they the said Commissioners or any Seven or more of them shall think fit which Jury upon their Oaths to be administered by the said Commissioners (which Oath is also the Oath of such Person or Persons as shall be called upon to give Evidence before them the said Commissioners or any Seven or more of them are hereby empowered to administer) shall inquire and assess such Damages and Rescous as they shall think fit to be awarded to the Owners or Occupiers of any Lands or Tenements to be made use of as dissatisfied by making the said River navigable as aforesaid for such Loss or Damages as they shall thereby sustain And the said Commissioners or any Seven or more of them shall give Judgment for such Sum [or] Sums to be assessed by such Jurymen and shall upon Oath as aforesaid and by all other lawful Ways and Means examine hear and finally determine all Matters of Disputes and Controversies which shall happen or arise between any Persons whatsoever touching or concerning any Matter or Thing relating to the aforesaid Premises or any Part thereof which said Verdict Judgment or other Sentence Decree or Determination or doers declared or pronounced by the said Commissioners [or] any Seven or more of them [be] the Value and Rescous as to be agreed on (Notice in Writing being first given of their Meeting at least Twenty Days before declaring the Time and Place of their Meeting to every Party concerned or to be left in Writing at the Dwelling House of such Party concerned or at their usual Place of Abode or of some Tenant or Occupier of some Land or Tenement of such Party their the

II.

Commissioners  
appointed for  
downing  
Matters in  
Difference between  
Undertakers and  
Proprietors of  
Lands, &c.

and to settle and  
specify  
Satisfaction for  
Damages sustained

If any Person  
desire such  
Mediation, or  
refuse to agree with  
the Undertakers,  
Commissioners  
to issue Warrant to  
Sheriff to summon  
a Jury.

and to return  
summons upon  
each Person  
impelled.

Challenges.  
Commissioners  
may order Jury  
to view.

Jury to assess  
Damages upon  
Oath.

Seven Commis-  
sioners may  
determine

Each Determina-  
tion on Matters  
brought.



And for preventing of Damages and Mischief that may be done or committed by any rude or disorderly Persons sailing or navigating the said River Barges or other Vessels and that the Owners or Masters thereof may be more careful therein be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid that the Master or Owner of every Barge Boat or other Vessel shall be and is hereby made answerable and responsible for any Damage or Mischief that shall be done by his Barge Boat or Vessel or any of the Crew of his Barge Boat or Vessel or Waterman, to any of the Weirs Locks Dams and Engines in upon or near the said River or for the Trespas or Damage done to the Owner or Possessor of any Lands or Tenements [man?] adjoining to the said River otherwise than is provided [for?] by this Act and the said Master or Owner of such Barge Boat or Vessel shall and may be prosecuted for the same in any Court of Record and if found guilty the Plaintiff in any such Case shall not only recover the Damages thereby sustained but full Costs of Suit.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the better clearing of the said River of Detriment and removing all Impediments and Annoyances in or upon the same the said Commissioners or so many of them as have Power to act shall have the sole Rule Power and Authority to survey the said River and all Weirs Banks and Floodgates upon the same and to make like Process and Enquiry thereof and such Orders and Decrees for altering extending shorting and removing the same and for keeping the said River open and portable for Boats Barges and other Vessels as any Commissioners of Sewers by any Law Statute or Commission of Sewers are enabled to do in any other Rivers or Places and shall not be under the Survey or Orders of any Commission of Sewers nor subject thereto or any [Law?] or Statute made for Sewers Any Law or Statute to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding nevertheless the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns are to bear the whole Charge of the opening clearing and scouring the said River of Detriment.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for any thing that he or they shall do or come to be done in pursuance of this Act and exceeding any of the Powers and Authorities or any of the Orders and Directions therein mentioned all and every Person and Persons so sued in any Court whosoever shall and may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and if in any such Suit the Plaintiff or Prosecutor shall become nonsuit or forbear Prosecution or discontinue the Suit or if a Verdict shall pass against him or Judgment be given against him upon a Demurrer then in any of the said Cases the Defendants or Defendants shall recover full Costs for which he and they shall have like Remedy when Costs by Law are awarded And this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts within the Kingdom as a Publick Act and all Judges and Justices are hereby required to take Notice thereof as such without special pleading the same.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns shall from time to time make Satisfaction to be ascertained in such Manner as is above Enacted or declared by the said Commissioners or any Seven of them in case the Parties cannot agree the same amongst themselves to the Owners and Occupiers of any Mills or Waters standing upon or near the said River of Detriment as such Owner or Occupier shall or may at any Time make or receive by reason of the sinking or continuing the said River navigable.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if the said Undertakers their Heirs or Assigns or any of them shall in pursuance of the Powers by this Act given them or any of them raise the Course or Stream of the said River above its ancient or usual Height by raising any Weirs or Dams already made or by making or raising any new Weirs or Dams in and upon the same by reason or occasion whereof the Lands and Possessions adjacent to the said River may be more liable to be overflowed or damaged than they have formerly been that then the said Undertakers their Heirs or Assigns shall at their own proper Costs and Charge cause the Banks of the said River to be proportionably raised and strengthened in such Places and in such Manner as the said Commissioners or any Seven or more of them shall think fit and appraisal (Notices in Writing being first given of their Meeting for that Purpose at least Twenty Days before Hand to every Party concerned in such Manner and Form as is above directed and appointed) so that the New Banks shall be as able and sufficient to contain and keep in the said Water at such its raised Height as the Old Banks were to contain the Water at its ancient and usual Height and shall also from time to time maintain and repair such New Banks as often as Occasion shall require Any thing herein contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

Also whereas several Acts of Land lying and adjoining upon the said River of Detriment in the Parishes within the Parishes of Pickering now in the Tenancy and Occupation of William Maw Richard Hodgson Joseph Stevenson Roger Bower Thomas Banks Richard Stevenson William Robinson Thomas Skelton and John Smith are more immediately in Danger of being drowned by overflowing the free Course and Passage of the said River and liable to great uncertainties as to their being secured and preserved. Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Undertakers in this Act mentioned shall give sufficient Security to the Proprietors or Proprietors of the said Lands upon the raising or raising up of any Dam Lock or Weir which may be prejudicial to the Lands before named to maintain and uphold the said and customary Rates and Fines that are and have been paid by the Tenants and Occupiers of the said Lands Any thing before contained in this Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

VII.  
Masters or Owners  
of Boats, &c.  
answerable for  
Damage done by  
their Barges, &c.

and may be sued  
for the same.

VIII.  
The said Commis-  
sioners to have the  
sole Survey of the  
said River, &c.

and may settle  
survey of Banks,  
&c.  
and not subject to  
Commission of  
Sewers,  
Charge of  
Underwriters.

IX.  
In Action for  
repairs, &c.  
General Issue may  
be pleaded.

Tell Costs.  
This Act a  
Public Act.

X.  
Undertakers to  
make Satisfaction  
for Damages  
sustained by  
Owners of Mills,  
&c. in consequence  
of Commission.

XI.  
If the Undertakers  
raise the Stream  
above its usual  
height, so that  
Lands are over-  
flowed, they are  
to raise the Banks  
proportionably  
under Survey of  
Commissioners.  
Notice in Writing,  
&c. to maintain the  
said Banks.

XII.  
Undertakers upon  
raising any new  
Dam, &c. to give  
Security to secure  
Proprietors of  
Lands before  
mentioned, in  
uphold the  
customary Rates  
and Fines.

## CHAPTER XV.

*See, Part 1. above, p. 4 & 5.* *An Act for preventing Frauds in the Duties upon Salt and for the better Payment of Debentures at the Customs House.*

**F**OR Prevention of and Fractions frequently made use of in defrauding Her Majesty of Her Duties upon Salt Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every Person and Persons being a Maker of Salt or a Refiner of Rock Salt or being a Proprietor of any Salt Works or Salt Pits shall on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and two make a true and particular Entry in Writing under his and their respective Hands at the next Salt Office to their respective Pits Works or Places of Manufacture of the Number and Situation of his and their respective Salt Pits and Salt Works and of the Number of Pits in each Salt Work and of the Number and Situation of every Storehouse Warehouse and other Place by him or them made use of for the making refining or keeping of Salt or Rock Salt on pain of forfeiting the Sum of Forty Pounds And all and every Maker of Salt Refiner of Rock Salt and Proprietor of any Salt Works or Salt Pits who after the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and two shall erect set up or make use of any Salt Work Salt Pit Salt Pits Storehouse Warehouse or other Place for the making laying refining or keeping of Salt or Rock Salt without giving Notice thereof at the next Salt Office shall forfeit and lose for every Salt Work Salt Pit Salt Pits Storehouse Warehouse or other Place so erected set up or made use of without such Notice as aforesaid the Sum of Forty Pounds

Makers, Refiners, and Proprietors of Salt and Salt Works, to make Pits, &c.

Penalty, 40*li*.  
To give Notice of erecting and using Salt Works.

Penalty 40*li*.

II.  
Officers may enter Salt Works, &c.

Refusing entrance to Officers.

Penalty 40*li*.

III.  
Removes for passing the Licenses.

Persons to whose Custody Salt should not be carried and Duties not paid or secured.  
Penalty of Foreign Salt.  
Penalty of English Salt.

Exception.

IV.  
Removes for passing the Licenses.

Salt Carriers, &c. removing Salt without Entry and Payment or giving of Duties or Warrants.  
Officers may seize Salt and apprehend Offenders, and if no Proof Offenders do not pay the Duties.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the several Officers for the said Duties to come into all and every the Works Warehouses Storehouses and other Places made use of by any Maker Refiner or Importer of Salt or Proprietor of Rock Salt for the better looking after the said Duties and preventing Frauds therein And if any Salt Maker Importer of Salt or any Refiner or Proprietor of Rock Salt after the said Four and twentieth Day of June shall upon due Request or Demand made by the Officers for the said Duties in the Day time or in the Night in the Presence of a Constable or other lawful Officer of the Peace refuse to permit such Officers to enter and come into his or their Works Warehouses Storehouses or other Place by him or them made use of for making laying refining or keeping of Salt such Maker and Importer of Salt and the Refiner or Proprietor of Rock Salt respectively shall forfeit and lose for every such Offense the Sum of Forty Pounds

Also whereas great Quantities of Salt are frequently found in the Custody or Possession of several Persons who live near the Salt Works or Salt Coasts which Salt is not duly carried out any Duties paid for the same and if discovered by the Officers for the said Duties the Persons in whose Custody or Possession the same is found possessed that the same Salt not belong to them so that the Penalties by Law imposed on the Persons that loaded such Salt or removed the same from the Salt Work without Entry or Payment of Duties cannot be inflicted on such Offenders for Remedy whereof be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person in whose Custody or Possession any Salt shall be so found which hath not been duly entered and the Duties thereof paid or secured to be paid shall in case the same be Foreign Salt be liable to the same Penalties and Forfeitures as if such Person had loaded the same without Entry or Payment of Duties or giving Security for the same or in case the same shall be English Salt then to be liable to such Penalties and Forfeitures as if such Person had removed such Salt from the Salt Works without Entry or paying or securing the Duties thereof and without any Ticket or License obtained for removing the same unless the Person or Persons in whose Custody or Possession such Salt shall be found shall make a appear upon the Trial or Hearing of the Information for such Offense that he bought such Foreign or English Salt of a Maker Refiner or Importer of Salt and of whom he so bought the same

Also whereas several Persons especially Salt Carriers do frequently carry Salt from the Salt Works and Storehouses of the Makers of Salt without Entry or Payment of Duties or giving Security for the same and when they find themselves pursued by the Officers for the said Duties with Force obstruct and hinder the Officers from making Salutations thereof and frequently beat and abuse them whereby they are very much discouraged in Performance of their Duties and sometimes the said Persons scatter the said Salt on the Ground or cast the same into Water to prevent the Seizure thereof and the said Offenders being for the most part very Poor are not able to pay the Penalties by Law imposed on them for such Offenses and sometimes before such Penalties can be adjudged against them make their Escape so means Pains and cannot be found for Remedy thereof Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Salt Carrier or other Person or Persons whatsoever shall from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June remove or convey any Salt from any Salt Works or Place thereunto belonging without due Entry of the same and Payment of the Duties thereof or giving Security for such Duties or without Warrant Ticket or License for carrying or removing the same that then and in every such Case it shall be lawful for the Officers for the said Duties not only to seize the Salt so removed but also to apprehend the said Offender or Offenders and carry him, her and them before one of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace of the County or Place where the Offense shall be committed And in case the said Offense shall be proved before the said Justice of the Peace and the Offender or Offenders shall not forthwith pay down the Penalties by the Law relating to the said Duties imposed on such Offender or Offenders for the Offense so proved on such Offender or Offenders

and no sufficient Distress can be found whereupon to levy the same it shall be lawful for the said Justice of the Peace to commit such Offender or Offenders to the House of Correction, there to be whipt and kept to hard Labour for any Time not exceeding One Month. And if any Person or Persons shall obstruct or hinder any Officer or Officers for the said Duties in the Execution of his or their Office or the Person given them by this Act or any other Law relating to the said Duties or shall beat or abuse the said Officers or any of them in the Execution of his or their Office such Person and Persons shall for every such Offence forfeit and lose the Sum of Twenty Pounds. And for Nonpayment thereof and in default of Distress whereby to levy the same it shall and may be lawful for any of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace upon due Proof of such Offence to commit such Offender or Offenders to the House of Correction there to be whipt and kept to hard Labour for any Time not exceeding One Month.

and no Distress  
being  
committed to  
House of Correction  
and punished  
Offences  
Penalty also  
not on Non  
payment thereof  
and no Distress  
the like Punishment.

And whereas several Persons do make use of Brine taken out of Brine Pits or Brine Pans for curing or pickling of Flesh and Fish or for preserving of other Provisions without paying the same into Salt and also of Rock Salt or Salt Rock without refining the same into White Salt whereby Her Majesty's Duties on Salt are much prejudiced for Prevention thereof Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and two no Person or Persons whatsoever shall make use of any such Brine before the same is boiled into Salt or of any Rock Salt or Salt Rock before the same is refined into White Salt for the pickling or curing of Flesh or Fish or for the preserving of any Provisions upon pain of forfeiting the Sum of Forty Shillings for every Gallon of such Brine or Pound of Rock Salt or Salt Rock so made use of contrary to the [true] Intent [& Meaning of this Act] and so in Proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity.

V  
Exemption for  
curing Brine  
Penalty

And whereas Her Majesty is very much defrauded of Her Duties upon Foreign Salt by the different and uncertain measuring of the same upon the Importation and Exportation thereof Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June Eighty four Pounds Weight of Foreign Salt shall be deemed and taken to be a Bushel of Foreign Salt both upon the Importation and Exportation thereof Any thing herein or in any former Law to the contrary in any way notwithstanding.

VI  
By the Weight  
of Foreign Salt  
deemed a Bushel.

And whereas the Importers of Foreign Salt do bring the same in Vessels on the several Coasts of this Kingdom and Dominion of Wales and lie hovering off the said Coasts and will not bring the same into Port or Land the said Salt until they can get an Opportunity of running such Salt without Entry or Payment of Duties and in many Cases where they do bring the same into Port yet continue such Salt in Port on board their Vessels and refuse to enter or land the same and in the Night time or Absence of the Officers from on board such Vessels privately run the said Salt on Shore without Entry or Payment of Duties or giving Security for the same for Prevention thereof Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June where any Ship or Vessel laden with Salt shall be found hovering on the Coasts of England or Wales not directly proceeding on her Voyage to some Port it shall and may be lawful to and for the Officers of the Customs or the Officers for the said Duty on Salt to go on board such Vessels and compel the same to come into Port and to continue on board such Ships or Vessels until the Salt shall be unladen as the said Ship or Vessel shall depart from the said Port on her intended Voyage to some other Place And if the Persons on board such Ship or Vessel or any other Ship or Vessel importing Salt shall neglect or refuse to enter or unladen such Salt for the Space of Twenty Days after the same is come into Port or within that Time to depart and proceed regularly on their Voyage to some other Place unless prevented by the Chief Officers of the Customs for that Port to make a longer stay then and in such Case all the Salt on board such Ship or Vessel shall be forfeited and Double the Value thereof to be recovered of the Master of such Ship or Vessel or the Person commanding the same in that Voyage.

VII  
Extorted for paying  
the Customs.  
Vessels laden with  
Salt found hovering  
on the Coasts of  
England,  
Officers may go  
on board and compel  
them to come  
into Port and  
unladen, on pain  
of Forfeiture  
Refusing, they  
may or unladen  
Salt, or to depart  
on Voyage within  
ten Days.  
Vessel forfeited and  
Penalty.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June no Foreign Salt shall be imported from Ports beyond the Seas in any Ship or Vessel of less Burthen than Twenty Tons and in Bulk only (except for the necessary Provisions of the Ships) upon Pain of forfeiting the said Salt and Double the Value thereof to be recovered of the Person importing the same.

VIII  
Foreign Salt  
imported in Bulk  
Twenty Tons.  
Penalty.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June Sixty five Pounds Weight of Rock Salt shall be deemed and taken to be a Bushel of Rock Salt Any thing in the said former Acts contained to the contrary thereof in any way notwithstanding.

IX  
Sixty Pounds  
of Rock Salt  
deemed a Bushel.

And it is hereby also enacted That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June no Rock Salt whatsoever shall be refined or made into White Salt in any Place or Places whatsoever within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed (except such Place or Places as are or shall be within Ten Miles Distance of the respective Pit or Pits from whence such Rock Salt shall be taken or at such Place or Places as upon or before the Tenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and two shall have been used for the refining of Rock Salt under the Pain of Forty Shillings for every Bushel of Rock Salt due shall be melted or refined in any House Place or Places not by this Act allowed for that Purpose and so in Proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity.

X  
Rock Salt not to  
be refined, or at  
Places more than  
ten Miles distant  
from Pit, or if  
Pit is not certified  
used.  
Penalty

continued on the Roll.

## XI.

No Drawback or  
Drawback on  
Exportation of  
Salt for Ireland,  
without Certificate  
as hereinafter.

New Bonds to be  
compared.

Salt to be weighed  
by Officers, and  
Certificates granted.  
No Drawback for  
more than by Cer-  
tificates loaded.

## XII.

Ships laden for  
Exportation drawn  
in by Notice of  
Writ.

Officers may enter  
and continue in  
board till they  
obtain or return  
to Sea.  
Master reliving,  
Provision after  
Casting, In-  
duction Entry  
or Reapportion of  
Duty, Penalty.

## XIII.

Regulations for  
making up  
Coopers for Salt  
Bales for Exportation  
Chattels.

If Vessel come  
into Port, Officers  
may enter and  
demand Sight of  
Coopers, as in  
Affidavit of  
Sight of his  
Salt then as  
Coopers, and  
in case upon  
weighing it shall  
appear, after due  
Allowance,  
Salt remaining  
for Sale.

## XIV.

Regulations for  
importing the Fish,  
for which Allow-  
ance given upon  
Exportation.  
Duty by Master of  
Vessel.

In what Case  
Fish landed, and  
Penalty.

And whereas by the several Acts for laying Duties upon Salt any Person exporting Salt to Parts beyond the Sea is intitled to a Drawback of the whole Duty of the Salt so exported. And it is proved by Experience that many Exporters of Salt and Rock Salt after they have obtained the said Drawback or a Debiture for the same do privately send such Salt or Rock Salt in England or Wales without paying the Duties thereof upon such reloading for Prevention thereof. Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June no Debiture shall be made or granted or Drawback allowed to be paid for or upon account of the Exportation of any Salt or Rock Salt for Ireland until the Exporter of the said Salt or Rock Salt shall produce to the Officer appointed to make such Debiture a Certificate under the Hand of the Collector of the Customs of the Port in Ireland where such Salt or Rock Salt shall be loaded or the Person executing his Office of the particular Quantity of Salt or Rock Salt actually loaded to be compared after the Rate of Fifty six Pounds Weight to the Bushel in case the same shall be English White Salt and after the Rate of Sixty five Pounds to the Bushel in case the same shall be English Rock Salt and after the Rate of Eighty four Pounds to the Bushel in case the same shall be Foreign Salt which Salt and Rock Salt is hereby directed and required to be weighed by the said Collector or Persons executing their respective Offices and the said Certificate to be made gratis and without Delay. And it is hereby enacted That no Drawback shall be allowed or paid for more Salt or Rock Salt of the Quantity exported in such Vessel than what shall appear by such Certificate to have been actually loaded in Ireland.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Ship or Vessel laden with Salt exported to be carried to Parts beyond the Sea shall from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June by Storm of Weather or otherwise be driven or come into any Port Creek Harbour or other Place within the Kingdom of England Division of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed it shall and may be lawful so and for the Officer of Excise on Salt for such Place appointed or to be appointed for that Purpose by the Commissioners of Excise to enter or come on board such Ship or Vessel and there to confine and be till the said Ship or Vessel shall unladen her Cargo or return to Sea to go her intended Voyage under the Penalty of Twenty Pounds to be recovered of the Master of such Ship or Vessel who shall refuse such Officer so to come and confine on board as aforesaid. And if the said Master or any other Person shall unladen or put on shore any Part of the said Salt before due Entry or Reapportion of the Duty as by the Statutes in that Behalf made is provided then and in every such Case not only the said Salt so unladen but also the whole Cargo of Salt in such Ship or Vessel remaining shall be forfeited [or] lost.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Salt as well Foreign as English shall be laid on board any Ship or Vessel either to be transported to Parts beyond the Sea or carried Coast wise to be retailed in England Wales or Berwick the Officer of the Customs of the Port where the said Salt shall be laden on board any such Ship or Vessel shall in the Coopers made out and delivered for such Ship or Vessel (which Coopers shall be also signed by the Officer in the said Port appointed by the Commissioners of Excise for the Duty on Salt and given without Fee or Delay) express the particular Quantity of Salt so laden on board. And in case such Ship or Vessel shall come into any Port Creek Harbour or Place in England Wales or Berwick it shall be lawful for the Officer of the Customs or other Officer for the said Duties to go on board any such Ship or Vessel and demand a Sight of such Coopers and in case he or they shall have just Cause to suspect that there is not so much Salt on board as the Quantity expressed in such Coopers shall make Affidavit thereof before the Collector or Comptroller of the said Port or Person executing their or either of their Offices to weigh all the Salt remaining on board and in case upon such weighing there shall appear not to be so much Salt on board as the Quantity expressed in such Coopers making reasonable Allowance for the Weight of the said Salt since its Exportation and making also Allowance (for going Coast wise) of Salt delivered at another Port and consumed [in] the Salt Port going with the said Vessel or delivered at such Port then and in such Case said Salt so remaining on board shall be forfeited and lost.

And for Prevention of Frauds frequently practised in curing Fish at Sea with Salt which hath not or shall not have been cured nor the Duties thereof paid or secured to be paid according to the Directions of the former Laws or with Salt exported from England or Wales the Duties whereof shall have been repaid upon such Exportation or Debiture obtained in order to the drawing back of the same Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and two no Fish for which Allowances are by Law given upon Exportation shall be imported brought in or landed within the Kingdom of England Division of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed unless the Owner or Proprietor of such Fish or the Master of the Vessel shall make Oath before the Officer for the said Duties in the Port or Place where such Fish shall be imported brought in or landed (who shall administer the same without Fee or Charge) that all the Salt wherewith the said Fish was cured was laden or put on board from some Port of England Wales or Berwick and that no Drawback or Allowance or Debiture for the same hath or shall be made or granted or shall be made or granted or shall be obtained upon the Exportation or carrying out of the said Salt or any Part thereof upon pain of forfeiting such Fish (that shall be imported brought in or landed contrary to the Statute or Meaning [hereof and Double the Value] thereof to be recovered of the Importer or Proprietor thereof.

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AND whereas the Officers appointed by the Commissioners of Excise to take Care of the Duties on imported Salt and to prevent Frauds in the undue obtaining of Allowances for Drivetrucks and Allowances out of the said Duties are not by any of the Laws relating to the said Duties sufficiently empowered to go on board Ships and Vessels for that Purpose although the Duties on Salt are under the Management of the said Commissioners and their Officers Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from henceforth it shall and may be lawful to and for the Officers appointed by the Commissioners of Excise for the said Duties on Salt from time to time to go on board all Ships importing or exporting any Salt or Fish and to continue on board such Ships to take an Account of such Salt and Fish and see the same weighed landed or exported And if any Person or Persons shall obstruct or hinder any of the said Officers in Performance of their Duties aforesaid then and in every such Case the Person offending therein shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds

XV.

Officers may enter  
and continue on  
board Ships  
importing and  
exporting Salt or  
Fish.  
Obstructing  
Officers,  
Forfeity fifteen.

AND whereas Her Majesties Duties on Salt are much lessened by the Exportation of great Quantities of Fish in regard the Expenses thereof after the same are carried out of Port and Allowances or Deductions for Allowances out of the Duties on Salt had or obtained on such Exportation do frequently bring back such Fish into Port and recoup the same and obtain a Second or more Allowances for the very same Fish by Reason thereof Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and two it shall and may be lawful for the Officers for the said Duties on Salt in the several and respective Parts of the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed upon the Exportation of any Codfish Ling or Hake and before the same shall be had on board for Exportation to cut off part of the Tail of every such Codfish Ling or Hake before the same shall be so exported to the intent it may be known that such Codfish Ling or Hake hath been so exported and Allowances obtained on Exportation thereof in case the same shall be returned or reimported And also that it shall be lawful upon the Exportation of any Pickled Scads White Herrings Red Herrings Salmon or dried Red Sprats and before the same shall be had on board for Exportation to mark any Cask Barrel or other Vessel wherein any such Pickled Scads White Herrings Red Herrings Salmon or dried Red Sprats shall be exported to the intent it may be known that such Pickled Scads White Herrings Red Herrings Salmon or dried Red Sprats have been exported and Allowance obtained on Exportation of the same in case the same or any of them shall be returned or reimported

XVI.

Officers to cut off  
part of the Tail of  
Cod Fish, Ling,  
and Hake before  
put on board for  
Exportation.

not to mark Casks  
of Pickled, &c.  
before put on board  
for Exportation.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any Codfish Ling or Hake or any Pickled Scads White Herrings Red Herrings Salmon or dried Red Sprats shall be returned or reimported be fraudulently returned in England or Wales or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed or reimported all the said Fish so returned or reimported shall be forfeited and lost and Double the Value thereof to be recovered of the Importer or Proprietor thereof

XVII.

Fraudulently  
returning Cod Fish  
Ling, Pickled, &c.  
Fish returned and  
Forfeity.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Salt Maker or Dealer in Salt shall act as a Justice of the Peace in any Manner or Thing relating to the Duties on Salt or any Offence committed against the Laws relating to the same And in case there shall not be a sufficient Number of Justices of the Peace in any Corporation (that are not Salt-makers or Dealers in Salt) sufficient to hear and determine the Offences relating to the said Duties then and in such Case the Justices of the Peace of the County next adjoining to such Corporation shall have hereby Power and Authority from time to time to hear and determine all Offences Matters and Things relating to the said Duties on Salt in the same Manner as if they were Justices of the Peace for such Corporation respectively Any Law Statute or Provision to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

XVIII.

Justices or Justices in  
Salt not to act as a  
Justice of Peace  
relating to Salt  
Duties.

if not sufficient  
Justices of Peace,  
then Justices of  
next County to act.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Penalties and Forfeitures hereby given and imposed shall be recovered and levied by the same Ways Means and Methods as any Penalties and Forfeitures can or may be recovered and levied by any of the Laws of Excise or by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts at Westminster wherein no Escoign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed nor any more than one Imparsonage And that the said Penalties and Forfeitures shall be distributed in manner following (viz) one Moiety thereof to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to him or them that will sue or inform for the same

XIX.

How Penalties  
recovered.

and Accused.

AND whereas the Allowances given by the several Acts relating to the Duties on Salt upon the Exportation of Codfish Ling and Hake therein mentioned do much exceed the Duty of the Salt usually employed in the curing for use as that many Persons for the Sake of the said Allowances only do export such Fish not duly cured and Fish of very small Size [not] having a due Quantity of Salt made use of in curing the same which is not only a Prejudice to Her Majesty in Her said Duties on Salt but also a great Disadvantage to the Trade of English Fish in Foreign Markets Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in lieu of the several Allowances given out of the said Duties on Salt by the Acts relating to the same upon the Exportation of any Codfish Ling or Hake there shall be allowed and paid the several and respective Sums herein after mentioned for the several and respective Sort of Codfish Ling or Hake hereinafter mentioned which shall be exported from any Port or Place in England Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed from and after the said First and twentieth Day of June that is to say

XX.

Reason for giving  
the Excise.

Allowance to be  
made upon  
Exportation of  
Cod Fish, Ling,  
or Hake, in lieu of  
former Allowances  
out of Salt Duties.

Codfish, &c. of the Length of 42 Inches and upwards

For every Hundred of Codfish Ling & Hake (other than and except dried Cod Ling or Hake commonly called Haberdashes) which shall contain in Length Four and twenty Fathoms and upwards from the Nose in the Fin to the Third Joint in the Tail of such Fish the Sum of Fifty Shillings and so in Proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity

of the Length of 37 Inches and upwards

For every Hundred of Codfish Ling or Hake (other than and except dried Cod Ling or Hake commonly called Haberdashes) which shall be of the Length of Eighteen fathoms or [more] and under the Size of Four and twenty fathoms from the Nose in the Fin to the Third Joint in the Tail of such Fish the Sum of Five and twenty Shillings and so in Proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity.

Codfish, &c. called Haberdashes. The said Allowance to be made upon Delinquency, &c. as by former Acts.

For every Hundred of dried Codfish Ling or Hake commonly called Haberdashes one Moiety of the Allowance given by this Act for other Codfish Ling and Hake of the same Dimensions upon Delinquency to be prepared according to the Direction of the several Acts relating to the said Duties and doing and performing with other Matters and Things as by the said former Acts and the present Act are required and provided in order to the obtaining such Allowance

XXI. If Duties are reduced, or determined, Allowance to be issued in proportion

Provided always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any of the said Duties upon Salt shall cease determine or be redressed by [Parliament] then and in any of the said Cases the said Allowances upon Exportation of Codfish Ling or Hake hereby settled shall be issued in proportion to the Duties on Salt that shall so cease determine or be redressed

XXII. No Allowance for Salt not well cured or unseasonably, as by former Acts.

AND it is hereby declared and enacted That no Allowance shall be paid out of the said Duties on Salt for or on Account of the Exportation of any Fish that are or shall not be well cured or shall be [unseasonable:] as by former Acts

XXIII. Particular Commissioners for the Duties upon Salt may be appointed by Her Majesty who are to have the Powers of that and former Acts in Commission, &c.

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for Her Majesty (if she please) from time to time to constitute and appoint particular Commissioners separate and apart from the Commissioners and Governors of the Receipt of Excise for the Receipt Management and Government of the said Duties on Salt during Her Majesty's Pleasure And upon Her Majesty's commanding and appointing such particular Commissioners for the said Duties on Salt and during such Time only as Her Majesty shall from time to time think fit to continue the same under the Receipt and Management of such particular Commissioners all and every the Powers and Authorities given by this Act and by the several Acts relating to the said Duties on Salt or any of them to the Commissioners and Governors of the Receipt of Excise and the Collectors and other Officers for the said Duties under them shall be and are hereby voided and transferred to such particular Commissioners as Her Majesty shall so from time to time constitute and appoint for the Receipt Management and Government of the said Duties on Salt And the Collectors and Officers to be from time to time appointed by such particular Commissioners or the major Part of them respectively and all and every the Powers Authorities Rules Directions Methods Clauses Matters and Things which in and by the said Acts relating to the said Duties upon Salt are directed to be exercised practised applied used and put in Execution by the said Commissioners and Governors of the Receipt of Excise and their Officers under them respectively with Relation to the said Duties on Salt or any Particular Particulars Frauds or Offences against the said Acts or any of them relating to the same shall during such Time as Her Majesty shall please to continue the said Duties on Salt under the Receipt and Management of such particular Commissioners be exercised practised applied used and put in Execution by such particular Commissioners and the Officers under them respectively for the Time being

The like as to Officers appointed by them. Powers for Powers and Privileges of former Acts relating to the Excise.

XXIV. In what Case Officers to take Security for Duties without coming upon original Proprietor being bound.

Provided always and be it (\*) enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Salt or Rock Salt shall be stored according to the former Laws relating to the said Duties on Salt and the same shall be intended to be exported to Parts beyond the Seas then and in such Case the Officers for the said Duties on Salt shall be and are hereby authorized and empowered to take sufficient Security from the Merchant or Merchants that intend to export such Salt or Rock Salt for the due Payment of the Duties thereof without insisting that the Original Proprietor of such Salt or Rock Salt be bound in such Security

XXV. Export Salt except by Weight. Penalty.

AND whereas notwithstanding the Act of Parliament for obliging all Persons to sell Salt by Weight the same is not observed by reason the Persons that buy the same refuse to buy the same of the Proprietors otherwise than by Measure to the great Prejudice of the said Proprietors for Remedy whereof be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Year and twentieth Day of June no Person shall buy any Salt otherwise than by Weight and not by Measure under the Penalty of Five Shillings for every Bushell of Salt which shall be bought contrary to the true Meaning hereof and so in Proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity to be paid by the Person or Persons so buying the same to be recovered and distributed in any the Penalties by this Act inflicted are hereby directed to be recovered and distributed

XXVI. Reason for passing this Enactment

AND whereas the Salt Proprietors having a Liberty to pay the Duty in Ready Money or give Security to pay the same in Nine Months for the Rock and in Six Months for other Salt tends only to the Benefit of the richer Sort of Proprietors but is destructive to the Salt Trade in general through the Difficulties attending such so have not ready Money thereby causing several Bonds to be used when by a due Encouragement to

\* inserted in the Bill.

unseasonable, G. & King's Printer Copy.

† inserted G.



such as well as other Proprietors it might in a great measure be prevented and the Duty sooner paid. Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons who shall give such Security as aforesaid shall have Liberty at any Time within Twenty eight Days after giving the same to pay the Duty thereby incurred and on Payment thereof shall have and receive a Discount after the Rate of Ten Pounds per Cent per Annum for the Remainder of the Time for which such Security shall be given.

Persons giving Security for Duty to have a Discount, on Payment within 28 Days, at 10 per Cent. per Annum.

XXVII.

And whereas several Fishermen who used the North Sea Fishery did in the Year One thousand seven hundred ship several Quantities of Salt at North and South Shields near Newcastle upon Tyne giving Bonds for the Duties thereof and then exported the said Salt to the North Sea where they spent it<sup>1</sup> in curing and salting of Fish caught in those Seas believing that upon Affidavit of shipping off the said Salt and its not being retailed in England or Wales they might be intitled to a Drawback of the Duties which some other Fishermen in the like Case had obtained as if such Salt had been actually exported to Parts beyond the Seas and upon bringing Home their said Fish sold the same to several Retailers at Home Markets at a low Price accordingly. Now forasmuch as such Fishermen might be ignorant that they were liable to pay the said Duties notwithstanding such Salt was spent in curing of Fish and they not being enabled by the Price thereof to pay the same a Prosecution upon such their Bonds would ruin them and their Families For Prevention whereof upon due Proof to be made before the Commissioners for the Excise or Salt Duties that such Salt so shipped off was by them spent in curing and salting of Fish caught in the North Sea that the said Fish was afterwards sold to Retailers at Home Markets at a low Price and that no Drawback or Allowance has been already made or paid by the said Commissioners for the Excise or Salt Duties it is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such Bonds as were so given at North and South Shields near Newcastle for the Duties of such Salt so expended as aforesaid and for which no Drawback or Allowance has already been made upon Expedition thereof shall be and the same are hereby made and declared void and of none Effect And the Commissioners for the Excise or Salt Duties for the Time being are hereby empowered and directed to cancel or deliver up<sup>2</sup> the same to the respective Persons therein concerned who shall deliver such Bonds as any of them and that Prosecutions at Law upon the said Bonds do cease and determine.

Persons regarding certain Bonds for Duties on Salt given by some Persons for Fishermen at North and South Shields.

And whereas divers Persons have been convicted in curing and picking of Pickards by which means a great Disrepute is brought on the said Commodities beyond the Seas which tends as well to the great Dishonour of the English Nation as to the Destruction of that Trade For Remedy whereof be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June no Person or [or] Persons do presume to cure or pack Pickards for Sale unless he or they be Owner or Owners or Part Owners of some Ship or Barge or of Drift net or Drift net or have the Consent of such Owners in Writing and that on each Cask or Hogshead of Pickards the Word Ship or Barge (according to the Manner of these being taken) shall be burnt with an Iron in some visible Part thereof together with the Name and Surname of the Owner or Owners of the same as also the Number of Pickards contained in each Cask or Hogshead under the Penalty of the Forfeiture of double the Value of the said Fish for every such Offence to be recovered and disposed as other Forfeitures by this Act are to be recovered and disposed.

XXVIII.

Persons not to pack Pickards for Sale, unless they are the Owners of Ships, Barges or Drift nets, and the Casks to be marked as herein mentioned.

And whereas by an Act made in the Sixth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third several additional Duties upon Coffee Tea Chocolate and Spices were granted to His said late Majesty from the First Day of May One thousand six hundred ninety five to the Second Day of May One thousand six hundred ninety eight And it was thereby enacted that Two Thirds of the said Duties of such of the said Goods as should be exported within the Times by the said Act limited should be repaid to the Exporter thereof Which said Duties were afterwards continued to the First of May One thousand seven hundred and one and afterwards further continued to the First of May One thousand seven hundred and six And whereas by another Act made in the Eleventh Year of His said late Majesty's Reign an additional Duty of Fifteen per Cent was granted to His [said] late Majesty upon all Wrought Silks Bengalis and Stuffs made or mixed with Silk or Herbs of the Manufacture of Persia China or the East Indies and upon all Calicoes painted dyed or stained there as also upon all Malters from the First and twentieth of March One thousand seven hundred to the Thirtieth of September One thousand seven hundred and one And it was thereby further enacted that the said Duty upon such of the said Goods as should be exported within Twelve Months after the Expiration thereof should be repaid or that the Security given for the same should be voided. Which said Duty of Fifteen per Centum on Muslins is by another Act continued to the Thirtieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and six And whereas also by another Act made in the Eighth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign there was granted to His said late Majesty an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties therein mentioned upon certain Goods and Merchandises from the First of May One thousand six hundred ninety seven to the First Day of February One thousand six hundred ninety nine And by the said Act it is further enacted that the said Subsidy and other Duties upon such of the said Goods as should be again exported within the Time limited by the said Act shall be repaid to the Exporter thereof which said Subsidy and other Duties were afterwards continued during His said late Majesty's Life and are by an Act of this present Parliament granted to Her present Majesty during Her Majesty's Life (which God long preserve) And whereas several of the said Commodities were imported and the Duties thereof paid upon such of the said Acts as are expressed and the same Commodities have been since exported and the Exporters

XXIX. Repaid of Duty 24 p W. & N. c. 7. § 1.

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and of Duty 14 p W. & N. c. 7. § 1.

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and of Duty 14 p W. & N. c. 7. § 1.

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and of Duty 14 p W. & N. c. 7. § 1.

<sup>1</sup> introduced on the Bag

<sup>2</sup> Q. ex parte.

thereof are become intailed to a Drawback of the said Duties or some Part thereof according to the Provision made in the said respective Acts for that Purpose. But in regard the said Duties have been paid into the Exchequer and from thence issued to the Purposes for which they were by the said respective Acts appropriated there doth not remain sufficient of the said Duties for the Payment of the said Drawbacks and there being no express Provision made in the several Acts whereby the said Duties are respectively continued some Doubt hath arisen whether the Duties which here or shall accrue since the Continuation of the same shall be liable to the Payment of the said Drawbacks of the said Duties upon the said expired Acts and thereby the said Exporters are kept out of their Money and the Trade in the said Commodities very much discouraged. Forasmuch whereof he is advised and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Debitances for the said Drawbacks of the Duties which were paid upon the said Acts expired as aforesaid shall be satisfied out of the Monies arising by the said respective Acts now in force for the Duties continued as aforesaid first in to pay the Debitances which should have been paid out of the said additional Duties upon Coffee Tea Chocolate and Spices decremented as aforesaid shall be paid out of the said present Duties continued as aforesaid upon the same Commodities. And the said Debitances which ought to have been satisfied out of the said expired Duties of Fifteen per Centum shall be paid out of the said present Duty of Fifteen per Centum upon Mustins. And such of the said Debitances as ought to have been satisfied out of the said additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage expired as aforesaid shall be paid out of the said present Duty of Tonnage and Poundage now payable to Her present Majesty.

How Debitances  
for the Drawbacks  
of Duties paid upon  
the said expired  
Acts to be satisfied.

## CHAPTER XVI.

For Part 1. done,  
A. 4. 11.

AN ACT to declare the Alterations in the Oath appointed to be taken by the Act intailed An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Pretence Line and for outgirding the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors and for deriving the Association to be dissolved.

Reason for passing  
the Act.

For 13 & 14  
W. III. c. 6. 6.

WHEREAS by the Death of His late Majesty King William the Third and the Accession of Her present Majesty Queen Anne to the Imperial Crown and Dignity of these Realms the Form of an Oath continued in an Act made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty intailed An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Pretence Line and for the outgirding the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors is now become necessary to be altered He is therefore declared and enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and two the Oath in the said intailed Act mentioned be administered in each Maner and Form as is herein after set down and prescribed that is to say

After such April  
1702, the Oath as  
the said Act is to be  
administered as  
follows.

I A: B: do truly and sincerely acknowledge profess testify and declare in my Conscience before God and the World That our Sovereign Lady Queen Anne is lawful and rightful Queen of this Realm and of all other Her Majesties Dominions and Countries thereto belonging And I do solemnly and sincerely declare that I do believe in my Conscience that the Person presented to be Prince of Wales during the Life of the late King James and since her Decease pretending to be and taking upon himself the Title and Title of King of England by the Name of James the Third hath not any Right or Title whatsoever to the Crown of this Realm or any other the Dominions thereto belonging And I do renounce refuse and abjure any Allegiance or Obedience to him And I do swear that I will bear Faith and true Allegiance to Her Majesty Queen Anne and Her will defend to the utmost of my Power against all treacherous Conspiracies and Attempts whatsoever which shall be made against Her Person Crown or Dignity And I will do my best Endeavour to disclose and make known to Her Majesty and Her Successors all Treasons and treasonable Conspiracies which I shall know to be against Her or any of them And I do likewise promise to the utmost of my Power to support maintain and defend the Limitation and Succession of the Crown against him the said James and all other Persons whatsoever in the same is and stands linked by an Act intailed An Act declaring the Rights and Liberties of the Subject and settling the Succession of the Crown to Her present Majesty and the Heirs of Her Body being Protestants And as the same by one other Act intailed An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better settling the Rights and Liberties of the Subject is and stands limited that the Decrees of Her Majesty and the Decrees of Issue of Her Majesty to the Princess Sophia Eleazar and Darius Desegor of Hettover and the Heirs of Her Body being Protestants And all these things I do plaidly and sincerely acknowledge and swear according to these express Words by me spoken and according to the plain and common Sense and Understanding of the same Words without any Equivocation mental Evasion or secret Reservation whatsoever And I do make this Recognition Acknowledgment Abjuration Renunciation and promise heartily willingly and truly upon the true Faith of a Christian

To help me God

And that all and every Person and Persons who are inclined or required to administer take or subscribe the Oath in the said intailed Act mentioned shall administer take and subscribe the same according to the Form herein set down and prescribed Any thing in the said intailed Act to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

Acta whereas by an Act made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for the better Security of His Majesties Royal Person and Government it is enacted that for the better Preservation of His said Majesties Royal Person and Government great Numbers of His Majesties good Subjects had entered into and subscribed an Association in the Words contained in the said Act which Association is by the said Act required to be subscribed in each Member and by each Officers and Persons and under such Penalties Incapacities and Disabilities for the Neglect or Refusal to subscribe the same as in the said Act is mentioned and contained And whereas since the Death of the late King James and by the Desire of His said late Majesty King William the Third the subscribing the said Association is not necessary to be any longer continued each Part thereof as relates to the Support and Defence of the Succession to the Crown [wherein increased"] being more fully provided for by the said second Oath Be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That so much of the said recited Act of the Seventh Year of His said late Majesty King William the Third as relates to the said Association therein contained or the requiring any Officers or other Persons in the said Act mentioned to subscribe the same or for the causing any Penalties Incapacities or Disabilities upon any Person for the Neglect or Refusal to subscribe the same or that requires any Court or Courts to tender the said Association or to register the Subscription thereof and all and every the Clauses or Clauses in the said Act or any other subsequent Act or Acts contained relating to the said Association be and are hereby declared to be void and of no Effect to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever

Provided always and be it enacted and declared That such Members of the House of Peers and also such Members of the House of Commons who have taken and subscribed the Oath in the said first recited Act contained according to the Form agreed upon in each House respectively shall not be obliged again to take or subscribe the Oath according to the Form declared by this Act during the Continuance of this present Parliament for or in respect of their being Members of either House respectively nor in respect of any Commission Office or Place of Trust Fee Salary or Wages which such Member did hold and enjoy at the Time of the taking and subscribing the said Oath

(\*) And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person or Persons who in Her Majesties High Court of Chancery or in Her Courts commonly called the Kings Bench or the Queens Bench may or are or shall be obliged to take the Oaths mentioned in an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of the late King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for attesting of the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths and to make and subscribe the Declaration mentioned in an Act of Parliament made in the Five and twentieth Year of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for preventing Dungen which may happen from Popish Recusants may for ever hereafter at their Elections take the said Oaths and make and subscribe the said Declaration and deliver the Certificate of receiving the Sacrament of the Lords Supper and make Proof of the Truth thereof which shall be required of and put upon Record according to the said last mentioned Act in Her Majesties Court of Common Pleas or in Her Court of Exchequer at Westminster in such Manner and at such Times as by the said Acts or either of them they are obliged or may take the said Oaths and make and subscribe the said Declaration and deliver and prove such Certificates to be required of and put upon Record in the said Court of Chancery or Court of Kings Bench and such taking the Oaths making and subscribing the said Declaration and delivering of such Certificates proving the Truth thereof requiring of and putting upon Record in the said Court of Common Pleas and Court of Exchequer shall be as aforesaid to all Intents and Purposes as if the same had been taken made and delivered inquired of proved and put upon Record in the said Court of Chancery or in the said Court of Kings Bench and the Justices of the said Court of Common Pleas and Barons of the said Court of Exchequer are hereby authorized and required respectively to administer the said Oaths and do all other Things as the Courts of Chancery and Kings Bench were by the said Statutes or either of these authorized and required to do or may do by virtue thereof

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Names of all Persons and Officers aforesaid that do or shall take the Oaths aforesaid in the Court of Common Pleas or Court of Exchequer shall be entered in the said Courts where the same shall be taken respectively with the Day and Time of their taking the same in Rolls made and kept only for this Intend and Purpose and for no other the which Rolls as for the Court of Common Pleas shall be publicly hang up in the Office of the chief Prothonotary of the said Court and the Roll for the Exchequer in the Office of the Queens Remembrancer of the said Court and these records during the whole Term every Term for every one to consult in and to look upon without Fee or Reward And likewise none of the Persons aforesaid shall give or pay any Fee or Reward to any Officer or Officers belonging to either of the said Courts of Common Pleas or Exchequer above the Sum of Twelve Pence for his or their Entry of his or their taking of the said Oaths

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Person and Persons who by this Act or the said former Act made this present Parliament are to take and subscribe the Oath therein or herein appointed to be taken within Three Months after he or they shall be admitted into or enter upon any Preferment Benefice Office or Place or come into any Capacity or enter upon him or them any such Prior Employment or Business in the said former Act mentioned may in the next Term or at the next Quarter Sessions of the

II.  
Record of Oath.  
T & F.W. III. cap.  
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and that since the Death of the late King James and King William III. the subscribing the said Association is no longer necessary.

In each of the said Stat. 7 & 8 W. III. c. 2. and other subsequent Acts as relates to the said Association, be declared void.

III.  
Peers and Members of the House of Commons, &c. who have taken and subscribed the said Oath of Oath. 1 & 2 W. III. c. 2. and other subsequent Acts as relates to the said Oath during the Continuance of this present Parliament.

IV.  
Persons who are in Court of Chancery or in Kings Bench or Queens Bench may or are or shall be obliged to take the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths and to make and subscribe the Declaration mentioned in an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of the late King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for attesting of the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths and to make and subscribe the Declaration mentioned in an Act of Parliament made in the Five and twentieth Year of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for preventing Dungen which may happen from Popish Recusants may for ever hereafter at their Elections take the said Oaths and make and subscribe the said Declaration and deliver the Certificate of receiving the Sacrament of the Lords Supper and make Proof of the Truth thereof which shall be required of and put upon Record according to the said last mentioned Act in Her Majesties Court of Common Pleas or in Her Court of Exchequer at Westminster in such Manner and at such Times as by the said Acts or either of them they are obliged or may take the said Oaths and make and subscribe the said Declaration and deliver and prove such Certificates to be required of and put upon Record in the said Court of Chancery or Court of Kings Bench and such taking the Oaths making and subscribing the said Declaration and delivering of such Certificates proving the Truth thereof requiring of and putting upon Record in the said Court of Common Pleas and Court of Exchequer shall be as aforesaid to all Intents and Purposes as if the same had been taken made and delivered inquired of proved and put upon Record in the said Court of Chancery or in the said Court of Kings Bench and the Justices of the said Court of Common Pleas and Barons of the said Court of Exchequer are hereby authorized and required respectively to administer the said Oaths and do all other Things as the Courts of Chancery and Kings Bench were by the said Statutes or either of these authorized and required to do or may do by virtue thereof

and the Justices and Barons of the said Courts respectively are hereby empowered to act accordingly.

V.  
The Names of Persons taking the said Oaths in the Courts of C. P. and Exchequer to be entered in the Rolls made and kept only for this Intend and Purpose and for no other the which Rolls as for the Court of Common Pleas shall be publicly hang up in the Office of the chief Prothonotary of the said Court and the Roll for the Exchequer in the Office of the Queens Remembrancer of the said Court and these records during the whole Term every Term for every one to consult in and to look upon without Fee or Reward And likewise none of the Persons aforesaid shall give or pay any Fee or Reward to any Officer or Officers belonging to either of the said Courts of Common Pleas or Exchequer above the Sum of Twelve Pence for his or their Entry of his or their taking of the said Oaths

VI.  
Persons who are to take and subscribe the Oath of Office in the next Term or at the next Quarter Sessions of the

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Roll.

<sup>2</sup> The following Clauses are inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

*Advances into  
Office, though the  
same should be  
more than Three  
Months;*

*neglecting to do so,  
Penalty.*

County City or Place where he or they shall reside after he or they shall be admitted into or come upon any such Prefecture Benefice Office or Place or come into any such Capacity or take upon him or them such Practice Employment or Business as aforesaid (though it be after the Expiration of the said Three Months) take and subscribe the said Oath in any of the said Four Courts of Westminster or Quarter Sessions which shall be in good and effectual to all Intents and Purposes as if taken and subscribed within the said Three Months but nevertheless every such Person that shall neglect to take and subscribe the said Oath in the next Term or next Quarter Sessions as aforesaid shall incur and be liable unto all the Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities for refusing or neglecting to take and subscribe the said Oath at each Time as in the said former Act is mentioned and likewise unto all the other Penalties for attending such Office or Employment if he shall exercise the same after such Neglect or Refusal to take and subscribe the said [Oath] as is therein mentioned.

#### CHAPTER XVII.

*Act. Parl.  
1. Annæ, p. 4. c. 3.*

AN ACT for raising the Militia for the Year One thousand seven hundred and two notwithstanding the Months Pay formerly advanced be not repaid.

*Enact of this,  
14 Geo. II. c. 3.*

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Years of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the ordering the Forces in the several Counties of this Kingdom it was amongst other Things enacted that in case of Insurrections or Rebellions whereby Occasion should be to draw out the Soldiers maintained and appointed in and by the said Act into actual Service the Persons charged by the said Act with Horses Horsemens and Arms should provide each their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Months Pay as should be in that Behalf directed by the respective Lieutenants of the several Counties and in their Absences or otherwise by their Deputies or any Two or more of them For Repayment of which said Monies and for Satisfaction of the Officers for their Pay during such Time not exceeding One Month as aforesaid as they should be with their Soldiers in such actual Service it was thereby declared That Payment should be made for the same by His said Majesty His Heirs and Successors out of His or Their Publick Treasury or Revenue Nevertheless it was thereby further provided and enacted that in case a Months Pay should be provided and advanced as aforesaid that no Person who should have advanced his Proportion thereof should be charged with any other like Months Payment until he or they should be reimbursed the said Months Pay [and so from time to time the said Months Pay] by him or them last before provided and advanced as aforesaid And whereas upon the Intimation of the Courts of this Kingdom by the French it was found necessary for the Publick Defence and Safety to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to charge the said Persons to provide each their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand although the Months Pay by several of them before that Time provided and advanced was not nor could be reimbursed And whereas it may be necessary for the Publick Safety and Defence of this Realm to draw the said Forces into actual Service So it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if at any Time before the First and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three it shall be found by Her Majesty to be necessary for the Defence and Safety of this Kingdom to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and the same shall be declared and signified to the respective Lieutenants or Deputy Lieutenants and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two Ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants by Her Majesty it shall be lawful for the said Lieutenants or their Deputies or any Two or more of them as aforesaid and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two Ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants in pursuance of such Orders from Her Majesty notwithstanding One or more Months Pay before that Time advanced be not reimbursed to raise and draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to cause the Persons charged as aforesaid to provide each their Soldier with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Months Pay in such Manner as if all the Pay before that Time advanced and provided had been fully reimbursed and paid

*If necessary  
before 21<sup>st</sup> June  
1703, Soldiers may  
be drawn out, and  
Pay charged,  
notwithstanding  
former Pay not  
reimbursed.*

\* inserted in the Roll.

## CHAPTER XVIII

As ACT for the continuing the protest Sheriff in England and Wales until the First Day of Hilary Term next unless Her Majesty shall think fit to determine thus sooner.

*See Ford*  
*in Amer. Nat. Mus.*

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made at the Parliament begun and holden at Westminster the Two and twentieth of November in the Seventh Year of the Reigne of our Sovereign Lord King William the Third intitled An Act for the better Security of His Majesties Person and Government: It was amongst other Things enacted that no Commission either Civil or Military should cease determine or be void by reason of the Death or Demise of His said Majesty or any of His Heirs or Successors Kings or Queens of the Realm but that every such Commission should be continue and remain in full force and vertue for the Space of Six Months next after sayd such Death or Demise unless in the mean time expressed determined or made void by the next and immediate Successor to whom the Imperial Crowns of this Realm according to the Act of Settlement therein mentioned is limited and appointed to go versus and descend: And whereas by one other Act made in this present Session of Parliament intitled An Act for explaining a Clause in the said recited Act of Parliament it is amongst other Things enacted That no Patent or Grant of any Office or Employment either Civil or Military shall be contrary taken or adjudged to cease determine or be void by reason of the Death or Demise of His said late Majesty but that every such Patent or Grant shall be continue and remain in full force and vertue force and effect until the Seventh Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and one for the Space of Six Months then next ensuing unless in the mean time expressed determined or made void by His present Majesty: And whereas sayd Inconveniences Loss and Trouble may happen to His Majesties Subjects and the Realm by reason that the Patents and Commissions made and granted by His said late Majesty King William the Third to the respective Sheriffs of the Counties of this Kingdom and the Dominion of Wales will cease determine and be utterly void at the End of the said Six Months and before the usual Time that new Sheriffs for the respective Counties are appointed and sworn: Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every the Patents Powers Authorities and Commissions made or granted by His said late Majesty to all and every of the now Sheriffs of the several Counties of England and Dominion of Wales for holding and executing their several Sheriffricks and the Powers and Authorities therunto belonging and heretofore used shall continue remain and be in full force and vertue to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever until the First Day of Hilary Term next ensuing unless such Patent Powers Commissions and Authorities or any of them shall in the mean time be expressed determined or made void by His Majesty:

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As shown in Table 1, the mean age of the participants was 20.2 years (SD = 1.2), and the mean age of the mothers was 36.2 years (SD = 3.2). The mean age of the fathers was 36.2 years (SD = 3.2).

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granted by His  
Late Majesty to the  
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and First Day of  
Hilary Term,  
unless in the Mean-  
time determined  
by the Queen.

## CHAPTER XIX.

*An Act for the Relief of Poor Prisoners for Debt*

FORASMUCH as very many Persons are detained in Prison who being miserably impoverished by War Taxes and other Misfortunes are totally disabled from making justest Satisfaction to their Creditors and having nothing to maintain themselves (though many of them are able and willing to serve His Majesty by Sea or Land) must either starve or be a Burthen to the Common Coffers or Families where the Prisoners are and may become an Occasion of a Plague and other contagious Diseases to the great Prejudice of the Kingdom Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Justices of the Peace at their General or Quarter Sessions in open Court who are lawfully empowered and required to put this Act in Execution for the Relief and Discharge of poor Prisoners that are imprisoned within the Cities of London and Westminster and Counties of Middlesex and Surrey and that in all other Parts of the Kingdom of England Doubtless of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tyne where any poor Prisoners are imprisoned the Justices of the Peace at their General or Quarter Sessions in open Court are lawfully also authorized and imposed to put this Act in Execution

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*3 days & 4 m.*

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General or Quantal  
Sensory responses and  
associated CNS Act.

And he is further sworn by the Authority aforesaid That where any Person who was actually in the Custody of the Gaoler or Keeper of such Prison or Prisons and not within the Rules of the Kings Bench and Fleet or before the First Day of January One thousand seven hundred and one a Prisoner for Debt or Damages or for or upon (s) [Action or Actions or upon s] any Minute Process for Debt or Damages or who may have any Judgment or Judgments entered upon Record against him or is charged in Execution or imprisoned upon Contempts or Attachments for Debt or upon Outlawries before or after Judgment or upon any other Process whatsoever for any Debt Due or Sum of Money who shall be found or become so poor that he or she hath not wherewithal to maintain him or her self in Prison without being burthensome to his or her Relations or to the Common Criers or Parishes where the Prisons are then and in such Case s shall and may be lawful to and for the Person who are hereby empowered to put this Act in Execution upon the Petition of any poor Prisoner

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<sup>a</sup> using (2).

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and then to take  
the Oath following.

summon the Prisoner or Persons at whose Suit or Suits he or she is detained in Prison their Executors Administrators or Assigns and also the Gaoler or Keeper of the Prison to bring such Prisoner or Debtors before them with a Copy of his or her Causes of Commitment and in case such Prisoner shall take an Oath to this effect (viz<sup>t</sup>)

[ A: B: do upon [my] Corporal Oath solemnly profess and declare before Almighty God That I have not any Estate Real or Personal in Possession Reversion Remainder or in Trust of the Value of Ten Pounds in the whole or sufficient to pay the Debt or Damages for which I am imprisoned and that I have not directly or indirectly sold leased or otherwise conveyed disposed of or incurred all or any part of my Estate thereby to secure the same to receive or expect any Profit or Advantage thereof or default or do or cause any Creditor or Creditors whatsoever to whom I stand indebted and that I was usually a Prisoner within the Prison of \_\_\_\_\_ at the Suit of \_\_\_\_\_ and have so continued until this Day and that I have not had the Liberty of the Rales of the said Prison :

Which Oath the  
Justice shall administer.

Which Oath the Justice of the Peace at their General or Quarter Sessions in open Court are hereby impowred to administer and to examine upon Oath the Prisoner or any other Person about the Prisoner's Poverty if they see cause and also the Summons of the true Service and Notice given to such Creditor or Creditors their Executors Administrators or Assigns Gaoler or other Person) then after the taking the said Oath such Creditor or Creditors as assented shall show Cause why such poor Prisoner should not be discharged from his or her Imprisonment and if such Creditor or Creditors at whose Suit or Suits such poor Prisoner is detained do insist or drive the Prisoner to be kept in Prison any longer Time then and in such Case the said Persons authorized to put this Act in Execution are hereby required and impowred to oblige such Creditor or Creditors at whose Suit or Suits such poor Prisoner is detained to provide and give Security for a Maintenance or Allowance to the said Prisoner not above Five Pence per Diem within the Weekly Bills of Mortality and Three Pence per Diem in all other the several Counties of England Dominions of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed or else to consent to such Prisoner's enlargement without Prejudice to the Debt due to such Creditor or Creditors which if such Creditor or Creditors shall refuse or delay to do for the Space of Thirty Days after such Order made thence or upon Default of the Appearance of the said Creditor or Creditors that then the said Persons authorized to put this Act in Execution are hereby impowred and required to discharge such poor Prisoner from his or her Imprisonment with a Duplicate thereof

III.  
Allowance paid to  
Prisoners.  
If within Three  
Months and other  
shorter times, as  
Orders of Prisoners  
be directed, then  
Prisoners to be  
discharged by  
Warrant.  
Effectual Discharge.

Asm be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the daily Allowance herein before mentioned shall be paid to the Prisoner himself and not to the Gaolerkeeper or any other Person for him And that if within the Space of Three Months or at the next General or Quarter Sessions after such Security given by the Creditor for the Prisoner's Maintenance no Estate of the Prisoner shall be discovered or made out before the said Persons authorized to put this Act in Execution then the said Prisoner shall be forthwith discharged by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Three or more of the Persons authorized as aforesaid directed to the Keeper of the Prison where the Prisoner shall be so imprisoned as fully amply and effectually to all lawful Constraints and Purposes as if such Prisoner had been discharged by the Justice of the Peace at their General or Quarter Sessions in open Court and that then and from thenceforth the said Allowance or Maintenance shall cease and determine as if the same had never been made

IV.  
If Prisoner dis-  
charged to appear  
again for Debt  
due before 10  
Jan. 1704, then  
he may be again  
discharged in like  
manner, and he  
for ever free.

Asm be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons who shall be discharged by virtue of this Act shall at any Time after such his or her Discharge be arrested again for any Debt or Debtors Trespas upon the Case Duty Sum or Sum of Money contracted or due before the [said<sup>st</sup>] Fifth Day of January One thousand seven hundred and one then such Person or Persons shall again be discharged by any Three or more of the said Persons authorized by this Act upon an Appearance by an Attorney in the proper Court where such Prisoner or Prisoners shall be arrested and the Person or Persons of such Prisoner or Prisoners shall be for ever free whether a Prisoner on Main Process or in Execution for any Debt or other Matter within the Meaning of this Act

V.  
Debt, Gaoler,  
Detainer the Crown,  
for not discharged  
by Discharge of  
Prisoners Act  
Suits, his, wife,

Prisoners always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Discharge of any Person by virtue of this Act shall not discharge his or her Debt nor shall discharge any other Person or Persons jointly or severally bound with him or her nor any other Security nor any Debt or Fine to the Queen but that all and every Judgment as Judgments against him or her shall stand good to all Intents and Purposes against the Lands Tenements Hereditaments Goods and Chattels of the said Prisoner so discharged And that it shall be lawful so and for such Creditor or Creditors their Executors or Administrators to take out any new Execution against the Lands Tenements Hereditaments Goods and Chattels of such Prisoner

VI.  
Gaoler, his,  
advocacy whereby  
Orders, his, made  
by the Prisoners  
executing this Act  
Fidelity.

Asm be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Gaoler or Prisoner shall refuse to obey such Summons or Order as shall be made by the Persons impowred to put this Act in Execution at any of their Meetings or Adjournments every Person so offending shall for every such Offence be fined at the Discretion of the Persons authorized to put this Act in Execution in any Fine not exceeding Ten Pounds to be disposed of in such Manner as the major Part of the Persons of the Peace at their General or Quarter Sessions shall think fit and upon Nonpayment of such Fine they are hereby impowred to imprison the Person or Persons so offending until such Fine is paid

And in Nonpay-  
ment, imprisonment.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon any Action of Escape or other Suit brought or to be brought against any Justice of the Peace Sheriff Gaoler or Keeper of any Prison Officer or other Person for any Thing done in Obedience to this Act it shall and may be lawful to and for such Justice of the Peace Sheriff Gaoler or Keeper of Prison Officer or other Person to plead the General Issue and give this Act in Evidence which shall be a good and sufficient Discharge and shall save harmless every such Justice of the Peace Sheriff Gaoler or Keeper of Prison Officer or other Person pleading the same And if the Plaintiff in any such Action shall be nonsuited or Verdict pass against him the Defendant shall have Treble Costs to be taxed by the Court where such Action shall be brought

VII.  
In Action of  
Escape, or for  
returning Debt.  
General Issue may  
be pleaded.

Treble Costs.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Persons discharged by this Act are freed and discharged from all Chancery Rent and other Fees to Gaolers and their respective Officers and all Securities given by such poor Prisoners or others bound with them to every Gaoler or to any other Person in Trust for them are hereby also discharged and made void

VIII.  
Discharge to free  
from Chancery  
Rent, &c. &c.

And be it further enacted and declared That every poor Prisoner Wanting Apparell Bedding and Tools necessary for his and her Trade (not exceeding Ten Pounds in Value) are hereby exempted from being liable to be seized or attached for any Debt contracted before the said First Day of January One thousand seven hundred and one

IX.  
Prison for Want  
ing Apparell, Bed-  
ding, Tools, &c.

Provided always (and to deny all Persons who are by the charitable Intention of this Act to be suffered from showing the Force hereby to them intended) That if any Person who shall in pursuance of this Act take his or her Oath for any of the Purposes hereby appointed shall Sewance or procure him or her self that such Person being charged lawfully committed shall beyond and over and above the Penalties which may by the Laws now in being be inflicted be committed to the House of Correction there to remain for the Space of Twelve Months without Bail or Mainprize and there be kept at Hard Labour during such Time of his or her Imprisonment

X.  
Penalties of  
Falsely Prisoner.

Provided always That no Prisoner shall be discharged by virtue of this Act until he or she shall produce upon Oath before the said Justices of the Peace who are by this Act impowered to discharge him or her what Estate or Effects are belonging to him or her and what Debt or Debts are then owing to him or her by any Person or Persons whatsoever and by whom and for what Cause and upon what Security of all which a Schedule or Inventory shall (be 't) subscribed by the Prisoner in the Presence of such Justices of the Peace and shall be by such Justices there to be kept by the Clerk of the Peace or Sessions for the better Information and Benefit of the Creditors of such Prisoner who or each of them as well as any developes in the Name of such Prisoner sue for such Debts Effects or Estates or belonging to such Prisoner or so much thereof as well as usually standy his her or them of his her or their Debt or Debts and Demands together with the Costs Charges and Expenses of or occasioned by such Suit or Suits and after the same recovered and received to render the Overplus (if any be their own Debts and Charges first deducted) to the Clerk of the Peace or Sessions at the next Quarter Sessions and by him to be kept for the Benefit of the rest of the said Creditors amongst whom the same is to be divided And for the better Recovery of such Prisoners Estates or Effects such Prisoner shall before his or her Discharge deliver unto such Justices of the Peace or such Person as they shall appoint (to be kept for the Benefit of the said Creditors) all the said Securities in such Schedule or Inventory mentioned or so many thereof as such Prisoner hath in his or her Custody or Power or can come by and for the Discovery thereof the said Justices shall and may examine such Prisoner upon Oath

XI.  
No Prisoner to be  
discharged but  
upon Inventory as  
Oath of Creditors  
Effects and Debts  
owing to Prisoner.  
Schedule.

Creditors may sue  
for the same.  
Applicatons thereof  
shall returned  
Prisoners discharged  
to deliver up  
Accounts for Debts  
due to him, &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Justice of the Peace his Clerk or Servant shall take (of any Prisoner for signing his Warrant and Summons or for any Thing by him or them done in the Execution of this Act) any Fee or Reward whatsoever nor any Clerk of the Peace or other Officer that shall make out any Copies of Causes for the said [Prisoners] shall take for any such Copy of Causes above the Sum of Six Pence upon Pain to be proceeded against as Extortioners Any Law Act of Parliament or Usage to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

XII.  
No Fee to be taken  
of Prisoner.

Extortion.

Provided also That no Person by virtue of this Act shall be discharged out of Prison who shall really and bona fide stand indebted in more than the Sum of Twenty Pounds to any one Person Principal Money and Damages Costs of Suit excepted

XIII.  
No Discharge for  
Debt of more than  
£20 to any  
Creditors.

Provided also That no Person shall be discharged by virtue of this Act that hath not or shall not before such Oath made as aforesaid have remained in Prison by the Space of Six Months

XIV.  
Not discharged  
if Prison Six  
Months.

Provided always That no Man being under Twenty Years of Age shall be discharged from his Imprisonment or have any Benefit or Advantage by Means or virtue of this Act or any thing therein contained unless such Man or Person do and shall before his Discharge voluntarily let himself a Soldier under some Officer or Officers of Her Majesties Army or on Board Her Majesties Fleet Any thing herein before contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

XV.  
No Person dis-  
charged being  
under 20 Years  
of Age, who will  
not enlist.

## CHAPTER XX.

*See Pref. 1. Ann. p. 4. n. 5.* An Act for the Relief of the Masters of Hops and other Vessels carrying Corn and other Inland Provisions within the Port of London.

*Enacted by King  
the Act.*

WHEREAS great Quantities of English Corn Grain Meal and other Goods which may lawfully be exported and for which no Duties are payable in Her Majesty upon Exportation thereof are daily brought in Hops and other Vessels in the City of London from the Countess of Kent and Essex And whereas the Masters of such Hops and Vessels employed in the Carriage of such Goods have of late been put to unreasonable and unnecessary Charges and Trouble by certain Officers of Her Majesties Customs who for their own Profit and Lucre have required and exacted great Fees for Transits and Coopers to the great Encouragement of the Country Farmers and Oppression of the said Hopsmen For Remedy whereof be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Tenth Day of May in the Year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two no Cooper or Coopers or Bonds thereof shall be required by any Officer of the Customs or others of or from any such Master or Owners of such Hops or Vessels carrying or conveying such Goods as aforesaid to or from any Place within the Port of London that is to say from London Bridge unto the supposed right Line from the Promontory or Point called the North Foreland in the County of Kent unto the Promontory or Point called the Barn including so much of the Ports of Sandwich and Ipswich and the Members thereof as are within the said Limits far or in respect of any such Corn Grain Meal and such other Goods as are before described the same shall or may be conveyed as aforesaid by Transits or for pass only for which Transits there shall be paid to the respective Officers who by Law are licensed to Pass of Bonds and Coopers and Certificate and Entries thereupon the Sum of Three Shillings and Five Pence and no more which Sum shall be respectively distributed amongst them in such Manner and Proportion as when Bonds and Coopers are taken for Goods carried Consueve ought and used to be paid any Custom Law or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding

*After sixth May  
1702 no Coopers  
or Bonds shew  
to be required of  
Masters or Owners of  
Hops, but in the  
Case here  
mentioned*

*Goods may be  
conveyed by  
Transits.  
Trans.  
How distributed.*

*II.  
Fees for Passes  
and Transits of  
Barn.*

And whereas it often happens that small Quantities and Parcels of Corn and Hops are brought as aforesaid to the City of London and the Fees exacted by the Officers aforesaid have extended the Charge of the Freight thereof to be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Tenth Day of May the Sum of One Shilling and Eight Pence Halfpenny and no more shall be respectively distributed to and amongst the Officers aforesaid when the Quantity of such Corn or Grain as aforesaid exceeds not Fifty Quarters or when the Quantity of Hops exceeds not Fifty Baggis in any One such Hop or Vessel as aforesaid

*III.  
Officers for trans-  
mitting Bonds into  
the Exchequer to  
obtain Substitutes  
of Certificate upon  
Bills for clearing  
Certificate*

And whereas upon the carrying of Goods from Port to Port Bonds are given for securing Certificate of the landing or discharging of the Goods in the Ports to which they are carried and when such Bonds are transmitted into the Exchequer the Certificates relating therunto have been usually annexed to such Bonds but by Fraud or Carelessness the Certificates are sometimes detached from the respective Bonds whereby Persons who have duly complied with the Conditions thereof have been put to [upon] Vexation and Charge For Prevention whereof for the future it is hereby enacted That the proper Officers for transmitting the said Bonds into the Exchequer shall truly and faithfully endorse on the Backside of every such Bond the Substance of the Certificate if there be any relating thereto and sign such Indorsement to serve as an Intimation to the Court of Exchequer concerning the Performance or Non Performance of the Conditions of such Bonds respectively under the Penalty of forfeiting Treble Damages besides Costs of Suit to be recovered by the Party grieved against the Officer who shall offend therein by Act of Deba or the Court or by Bill Sub or Information in any Court of Record wherein no Escaign Protection Wager of Law or more than One Dispendance shall be granted or allowed

*IV.  
Fees for Tolls  
in the City of  
London.*

Provided and it is hereby enacted That this Act or any Thing therein contained shall not extend to the lessening or taking away any Tolls or Duties due and payable to the Mayor and Commonalty and Citizens of the City of London or to the Mayor of the said City for the Time being Any thing herein to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

*V.  
Provision for Pass-  
ports of the Ports  
of Sandwich and  
Ipswich.*

Saving always the usual and known Rights Liberty and Privilege to the Ports of Sandwich and Ipswich and either of them and the known Members thereof and of the Countesss Caspiedien Southsea and their Dependants of and within the said Ports of Sandwich and Ipswich and the several Creeks Harbours and Havens to them or either of them respectively belonging within the Countesss of Kent and Essex in all Manners and Things whatsoever other than in such Matters and Things as are specially provided for as directed by this present Act



## CHAPTER XXI.

## AN ACT for the Importation of Fine Italian Thrown Silk.

**W**HETHERAS by an Act made in the Second Year of the Reign of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intended An Act for the discouraging the Importation of Thrown Silk (amongst other things in the said Act contained) the bringing in of Thrown Silk of the Growth or Production of Italy is prohibited unless imported in such Ships or Vessels and navigated in such Manner as is and by an Act made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the encouraging and increasing of Shipping and Navigation is directed or allowed and brought from some of the Ports of those Countries or Places whereof the same is of the Growth or Production and which shall come directly by Sea and not otherwise And whereas the Ways and Methods prescribed by the said recited Act will occasion great Difficulties and Hassles during the present War with France and Spain in the endangering the Loss of the Silk Manufacture of this Nation if not easily prevented Be it therefore enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and two it shall and may be lawful so and for any Person or Persons who do or shall reside in Her Majesties Dominions to import or bring into this Kingdom from any Port or Place whatsoever (excepting the Ports of France and Spain and the Dominions thereto belonging) during the present War with France and Three Months after Five Thrown Silk of the Growth or Production of Italy Any thing in the said recited Act to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

Provided always That this Act nor any thing herein contained shall extend to give Liberty to bring over Land and export any Italian Thrown Silk that shall be coarse than a Sort thereof known and distinguished by the Name of Third Bolonia nor any Sorts of Silks commonly called Traws of the Growth of Italy nor any other Thrown Silk of the Growth or Production of Turkey Persia East India [or] China under the Penalty and Forfeiture of all such Thrown Silk as shall be brought over and imported contrary to the Purport true Intent and Meaning of this Act one Mopery whereof shall be to the Use of the Queens Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to such Person or Persons as shall take Inform or sue for the same to be recovered by Bill Pleint or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record whereof no Assign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed

AND for the better and more effectual Execution of this Act said to prevent the Importation of any Sort of Thrown Silk contrary to the true Intent and Meaning hereof Be it further enacted and declared That all such Fine Italian Thrown Silks as are allowed to be imported by this Act whereover landed shall be brought to Her Majesties Customs House London to the Intent that no other Sort of Thrown Silk may be imported over Land than those only allowed by this Act under the Penalties and Forfeitures before mentioned and recited Any thing to the contrary hereof in any wise notwithstanding

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon the Importation of any Thrown Silk by virtue of this Act the Importer or Importers shall upon Entry at the Customs House of the said Goods make Oath before the Commissioners for managing Her Majesties Customs (who are hereby empowered to administer the same) that the said Silk was bought in Italy for his or their Account and shall also at the same time produce to the said Commissioners his Invois or Letters of Advice shewing that the said Goods were bought for the proper Account of the Importer or Importers of the same

See Part I. ch. 22.  
P. 4. s. 1.

Recital of Stat.  
s. 22. c. 21. p. 9.

s. 1.  
Stat. 12 Geo. II.  
c. 15.

After the 24th June  
1702 Importation  
of Fine Thrown  
Silks only  
permitted.  
(Enlighten.)

II.  
But not of any other  
except that Third  
Bolonia and Traws.

Importing Thrown  
Silk of Turkey,  
Persia, East India,  
or China,  
Penalty.

III.  
The said Italian  
Silk, when im-  
ported, to be  
brought to the  
Customs House at  
London,  
Penalty.

IV.  
Importers to make  
Oath that Silk was  
bought in Italy on  
his Account.

## CHAPTER XXII.

## AN ACT for importing into England Thrown Silk of the Growth of Sicily from the Port of Leghorn in Italy

**W**HETHERAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Second Year of the Reign of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intended An Act for the discouraging the Importation of Thrown Silk it is enacted that no Thrown Silk of the Growth or Production of Turkey Persia East India or China or of any other Country or Place except only such Thrown Silk as is or shall be of the Growth or Production of Italy Sicily in the Kingdom of Naples and which shall be imported in such Ships or Vessels and navigated in such Manner as is in the Act of Navigation therein mentioned is directed or allowed and brought from some of the Ports of those Countries or Places whereof the same is of the Growth or Production and which come directly by Sea and not otherwise shall at any Time after the Twenty fifth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred and ninety be brought or imported into the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales the Towns of Jersey or Guernsey or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed under the Penalties and Forfeitures therein mentioned

See Part I. ch. 22.  
P. 4. s. 2.

Recital of Stat.  
s. 22. c. 21. p. 9.

s. 1.

\* inserted in the Bill

*Reason for passing  
the Act.*

*Any English  
Merchant, in Two  
Years may import  
Thrown Silk, if the  
Growth of Sicily or  
beasts mentioned.*

And whereas divers English Merchants trading to Sicily should apprehend an approaching War have been and may be acquainted to remove their Thrown Silk being the Produce of their Efforts and Merchandises from Messina and other Parts in Sicily shew'd to the Port of Leghorn in Italy for want of English Shipping to transport the same thence from Sicily shew'd according to the Direction of the said recited Act and the Act of Banishment Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful to and for any English Merchant for and during the Term of Two Years next ensuing to import into this Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales the Islands of Jersey or Guernsey or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed any Thrown Silk of the Growth of Sicily shew'd to be or shall be the Produce of the Efforts and Merchandises of English Merchants trading to Sicily shew'd in English Shipping from the Port of Leghorn shew'd by Sea and not otherwise Any thing to the said recited Acts or any other Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

#### CHAPTER XXIII.

*An Act, c. 22.  
p. 4. & 5.*

*Reason of this  
in W. III. c. 15.*

*The said Persons to  
be kept in Custody  
during Her  
Majesty's Pleasure.*

*An Act for the continuing the Imprisonment of* Countess and when for the heinous Conspiracy to assassinate the Person of His late Sacred Majesty King William the Third

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Tenth Year of His late Sacred Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for the continuing the Imprisonment of Countess and when for the heinous Conspiracy to assassinate the Person of His late Sacred Majesty the Persons heretofore named that is to say Countess John Berwick Robert Casella Robert Melbourn James Chambers and Robert Blackburn then Prisoners in Newgate for a detestable Treasonous Conspiracy to assassinate the Royal Person of His said late Majesty were by force of the said recited Act to be detained and kept in Custody without Bail or Mainprize during His said late Majesty's Pleasure and will now be set at large unless some further Provision be made for the Continuance of their Imprisonment for the said Offences Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Countess John Berwick Robert Casella Robert Melbourn James Chambers and Robert Blackburn shall be detained and kept in Custody without Bail or Mainprize during Her Majesty's Pleasure.

#### CHAPTER XXIV.

*An Act, c. 23.  
p. 4. & 5.*

*Jewish Parents  
compelling his  
or her Protestant  
Child to change  
Religion, or re-  
fusing Maintenance,  
Lord Chancellor  
may make Order  
therein.*

*An Act to oblige the Jews to maintain and provide for their Protestant Children*

THAT the End that sufficient Maintenance be provided and allowed for the Children of Jewish Parents who shall turn Protestants Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and two if any Jewish Parent in order to the compelling his or her Protestant Child to change his [or her's] Religion shall refuse to allow such Child a living Maintenance suitable to the Degree and Ability of such Parent and to the Age and Education of such Child then (upon Complaint thereof made to the Lord High Chancellor of England or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal or Commissioners for the Great Seal for the Time being) it shall and may be lawful for the said Lord Chancellor Lord Keeper or Commissioners to make such Order therein for the Maintenance of such Protestant Child as he or they shall think fit.

<sup>1</sup> Inserted on the Roll.

## CHAPTER XXV.

AN ACT for making more effectual the Provision out of the forfeited Estates in Ireland for the building of Churches and augmenting small Vicarages in Ireland.

Act Parl. 1<sup>o</sup> Annæ,  
P. 4. c. 15.

WHEREAS by an Act lately made intituled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by Sale of the forfeited [i. e. other] Estates and Inclosures in Ireland and by a Land Tax in England for the several Purposes therein mentioned It is enacted That the Trustees therein named or any Seven or more of them should and might and they are thereby required after such a Time and in such a Manner as is therein mentioned to convey all and every the Rectories Incorporeal with the Tythes Oblations Obventions Glories Advowsons of Vicarages and other Things whatsoever severally and respectively belonging or appertaining forfeited by reason of the Rebellion therein mentioned and therein before vested in the said Trustees to such Person or Persons and their Heirs as the Bishop of each respective Diocese wherein such Rectories Incorporeal respectively are still situate in Trust for the rebuilding or repairing Parish Churches and for the perpetual Augmentation of small Rectories or Vicarages in the Kingdom of Ireland in such Manner as is therein mentioned And whereas several such Rectories Incorporeal Tythes Oblations Obventions Glories Advowsons of Vicarages and other Things whatsoever severally and respectively belonging or appertaining have been jointly charged or incumbered or liable to the Payment of some Debts Charges or Incumbrances together with other Lands Tenements or Hereditaments by the said Act vested in the said Trustees wherefore for the making the before mentioned Trust more effectual and beneficial for the pious Ends and Purposes aforesaid May it please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That where any such Rectories Incorporeal Tythes Advowsons or other Things so vested in the said Trustees and directed to be conveyed in Trust as aforesaid are charged with or liable unto any Debts Charges or Incumbrances jointly with any other Lands Tenements or Hereditaments by the said Act vested in the said Trustees such other Lands Tenements or Hereditaments in the first Place be liable to and shall answer and satisfy such Debts Charges and Incumbrances and the said Trustees or any Seven of them are hereby authorized and required to make Sale of such other Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or of a competent Part thereof for or towards the paying off clearing and discharging such Debts Charges and Incumbrances and as soon as conveniently may be from and after such Sale and the clearing and discharging such Debts and Incumbrances such Rectories Incorporeal Tythes Advowsons and other Things so vested in the said Trustees and directed to be conveyed in Trust as aforesaid to be together with such other Lands Tenements or Hereditaments jointly charged or incumbered shall be conveyed And the said Trustees or any Seven of them are hereby authorized and required to convey the same to such Person and Persons and in such Manner and to such Uses Intents and Purposes as in the said recited Act is directed and appointed from and discharged of and from all such Debts Charges and Incumbrances to be made by Matter of Record Mortgage or otherwise.

Recital of Stat. 11 W. III. c. 1.

146.

Reason for passing the Act.

Where such Rectories, &c. so vested in the said Trustees are charged or liable jointly with other Lands, &c. so vested, such other Lands shall be in the first Place liable; and the said Trustees are to sell the same and apply the Proceeds accordingly, and then to convey such Rectories, &c. according to the said recited Act, free from the said Charges.

## CHAPTER XXVI.

AN ACT for the Relief of the Promoter Purchasers of the forfeited Estates in Ireland

Act Parl. 1<sup>o</sup> Annæ,  
P. 4. c. 16.

Recital of Stat.  
11 W. III. c. 1.

147.

Reason for passing the Act.

WHEREAS by One Act made in a Parliament holden at Westminster in the Eleventh Year of the Reign of our late Sovereign Lord King William the Third intituled An Act for granting unto His Majesty an Aid by Sale of the forfeited and other Estates and Inclosures in Ireland and by a Land Tax in England for the several Purposes therein mentioned It is provided that the Sum of One and twenty thousand Pounds therein mentioned should be paid in and amongst the several Persons who were Purchasers of any Estates of Inheritance of any of the forfeited Lands or Estates in Ireland under the Grants thereof who should prove the actual Payment of their Purchase Money before the Trustees mentioned in the said Act for Sale of the forfeited Estates in Ireland on or before the Tenth Day of August One thousand seven hundred to be divided amongst such Purchasers in Proportion to the same by them respectively paid for their several Purchases And whereas in pursuance of the said Act several Persons did before the said Trustees prove the actual Payment of the Sum of Fifty nine thousand five hundred and two Pounds for the Purchase of the several Estates of Inheritance in the several Grants thereof (which said Sum of One and twenty thousand Pounds Part of the said Purchase Money was by the said Act charged on the Lands so purchased respectively) according to the Direction of the said Act And whereas no considerable Part (if any) of the said Sum of One and twenty thousand Pounds hath been as yet paid to the said Purchasers And whereas it may very much conduce to the strengthening and Preservation of the Protestant Interest in Ireland to continue the said Purchasers in the Possession of the respective Lands by them respectively purchased and that some further Relief may be given the said Purchasers May it please Your Majesty (as the most humble Suit of the said Purchasers that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every of the said Persons who purchased Estates so then and their Heirs for ever under the Grants of any forfeited Lands in Ireland (and to whom the

Persons Purchasers herein mentioned to agree according to the Letters of their respective Grants.)

said Sum of One and twenty thousand Pounds was adjudged by the said Trustees pursuant to the said Act to be allowed and their respective Heirs and Assigns shall be permitted to have hold and enjoy the several Manors Charles Towns Lands Tenements and Hereditaments whatsoever respectively conveyed to them by the several and respective Grants thereof mentioned in the several Deeds of Purchase by them respectively purchased and proved before the said Trustees before the said Twelfth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and allowed by the said Trustees according to the true Intents and Meaning of their several and respective Conveyances or Deeds of Purchase thereof the said Purchasers their Heirs and Assigns paying unto the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them in the Master and for the Uses expressed in the said first recited Act Thirteen Years Purchase for the Premises in them respectively to be conveyed for an absolute Estate of Inheritance in Fee Simple close of Inheritance where such Estate is vested in the Trustee and according to the Valuation of Six Years and an Half Purchase for an Estate for Life in Possession or for an Estate of Inheritance in Fee Simple in Reversion or Remainder except upon an Estate for Life in Possession and so in Proportion for other Intents according to Common Rules of Purchase where the said Trustees are only limited to lower or lesser Intents in the said Purchase whether for Life or otherwise in Possession Reversion or Remainder according to the Rates at which the said Lands and Premises were let in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and one (the Tenth Year Rata Carve Rata and Composition Rents payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors being first deducted)

paying to the said  
Trustees Thirteen  
Years Purchase, and  
other Valuations as  
before mentioned.

II.  
Pursuant to an  
Allowance of  
differences in  
Purchase, in part  
of Payment.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Sum of Twenty one thousand Pounds by the said former Act appointed to be paid in part of the said fifty nine thousand five hundred and two Pounds so proved by the said Purchasers their Heirs or Assigns to have been actually paid for the purchased Premises to the several Grants thereof and allowed by the said Trustees to have been paid as aforesaid shall if not before paid by the said Trustees be allowed to the several and respective Purchasers their Heirs or Assigns in part of Payment of the Money above the Rate of the said Thirteen Years or other Purchase appointed to be paid to the said Trustees by this Act

III.  
Power to the  
Trustees to make  
Allowance to  
Purchasers to  
settle a Charge  
upon purchased  
Estate.

And whereas several Estates Charges and Incumbrances have been or upon Claims yet to be made before the said Trustees may be adjudged and allowed by them to be charged upon or out of the said purchased Premises and whereunto the same use or will be chargeable and affected Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall also be deducted and allowed by the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them to the said respective Purchasers their Heirs and Assigns out of the said Thirteen Years or other Years Purchase all and every Sum and Sum of Money which is or shall be allowed by the said Trustees to any Person or Persons whatsoever on their said Claims and an Allowance or Abatement of so much out of the said Purchase Money as shall by the Judgment of the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them according to a reasonable Valuation be made for Estates and Intents by them allowed charging or affecting any of the said purchased Lands respectively and the said Sum and Sum of Money and Valuations so allowed or to be allowed by the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them shall be and remain a Charge and Incumbrance on the said respective purchased Estates severally and respectively according to the Allowance Valuation Judgment or Deeds of the said Trustees

IV.  
Purchasers who  
have been allowed  
and who have  
proved the Payment  
of Purchase Money,  
to have such  
Deduction in their  
Mortgage.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Person and Persons aforesaid Purchasers of Estates of Inheritance of any Parts of the said forfeited Lands or Estates in Ireland under the Grants thereof and who have proved the actual Payment of their Purchase Money before the said Trustees as is aforesaid and who are hereby allowed to be Purchasers after the Rate of Thirteen Years or other Years Purchase and the Intents of whose Estates shall remain in the Trusts of the forfeited Estates notwithstanding any Act or Acts passed in this present Session of Parliament shall have a Discount and (1) Abatement out of the said Thirteen Years or other Years Purchase over and above a proportionable Share of the said Twenty one thousand Pounds if not before paid (2) One Third Part more (the whole in Three equal Parts to be divided) of their several and respective original Monies proved by them to have been actually paid for their several and respective Purchases And that upon their Payment of the Surplus of the said Thirteen Years or other Years Purchase over and above the said proportionable Share of the said Twenty one thousand Pounds and over and above the said Third Part of their original Purchase Money they shall have the same Benefits and Advantages by virtue of this Act as if the said Thirteen Years or other Years Purchase Money had been fully paid by them and that (1) Surplus over and above the respective Proportions of the said Twenty one thousand Pounds and the said other Third Part further allowed by this Act which shall be payable for such Estates after the Rate of Thirteen Years or other Years Purchase as aforesaid (Deductions being made according to the Provisions of this Act) shall be paid by the said several and respective Purchasers their Heirs or Assigns to the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them for the Uses in the said first recited Act mentioned on or before the Twelfth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three And that upon Payment thereof the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them shall at the Request Cons and Charges of the said respective Purchasers their Heirs and Assigns convey unto them respectively and to their respective Heirs Executors and Assigns the Premises so by them respectively purchased and all their Estates and Intents therein to be held and enjoyed by the respective Purchasers their Heirs and Assigns for and according to such Estates and Intents as by the said first recited Act are vested in the said Trustees and that after such Payment and until such Conveyance the said Purchasers their Heirs and Assigns shall be intitled to the Possession Rents and Profits of the Lands and Premises as to be purchased

Upon Payment of  
Surplus over and  
above the said  
allowance, Pur-  
chasers to have  
such Advantages as  
before mentioned &  
the said Surplus to  
be paid for the  
Uses in the said  
first recited Act.

Upon such Pay-  
ment the Trustees  
to convey in their  
several.

After Payment  
and Convey-  
ance Purchasers  
shall in  
Possession, &c.

PROVIDED always That in case any of the said Purchasers their Heirs or Assigns shall make default in paying the Remainder of the said respective Purchase Money by the Time aforesaid it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them and they are hereby required to sell the respective Lands and Premises so purchased by any such Person or Persons who shall so neglect to pay in the Remainder of the said Purchase Money as aforesaid to pay to such Person or Persons their Executors Administrators or Assigns the respective Proportions of the said Twenty one thousand Pounds and the said other Third Part further allowed by this Act

AND be it further enacted That after Payment of the said respective Purchase Money as this Act directs the said respective Purchasers and their Heirs and Assigns respectively shall have hold and enjoy the several Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments so by them respectively purchased in such Manner and Form and with the like Benefits and Advantages as if the said respective Purchasers had [actually] purchased the same from the said Trustees under and by virtue of the said Act made in the Eleventh Year of His said late Majesties Reign

AND to the end that none of the said purchased Premises may ever descend or come to any Papist or Papists or Persons professing the Popish Religion but that the same shall descend and come and remain to be held and enjoyed by Protestants for the strengthening and supporting of the English Interest and the Protestant Religion is hereby be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person educated in the Popish Religion or professing the same and being under the Age of Eighteen Years shall not within Six Months after he or she shall attain the Age aforesaid take the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy and also subscribe the Declaration set down and expressed in an Act of Parliament made in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the more effectual preserving the Kings Person and Government by dissuading Papists from sitting in either House of Parliament to be by him or her made repeated and subscribed in the Courts of Chancery or Kings Bench in England or Ireland or Quarter Sessions in any County in England or Ireland where such Person shall reside (which said Oaths and Declaration the said Courts and Quarter Sessions are severally hereby required to administer) and continue to be a Protestant after the taking the said Oaths and Declaration aforesaid every such Person shall in respect of him or her self only and not to or in respect of his or her Heirs or Posterity be disabled and is hereby made incapable to inherit or take by Descent Devise or Limitation in Possession Reversion or Remainder any of the Lands Tenements Hereditaments or Possessions aforesaid or any Rent or Profit issuing out of the same or any Part thereof and that during the Life of such Person or until he or she shall take the said Oaths and make repeat and subscribe the said Declaration in Manner aforesaid the next of his or her Kindred who shall be a Protestant shall have and enjoy the said Premises without being accountable for the Profits by him or her received during such Enjoyment as aforesaid

AND it is further enacted That every such Papist or Person making Profession of the Popish Religion shall be disabled and is hereby made incapable to purchase either in his or her own Name or in the Name of any other Person or Persons to his or her own Use or in Trust for him or her or any of the Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or Possessions aforesaid or any Rents Profits Tithes or Incomes in or out of the same And that all and singular Estates Terms and any other Incomes and Profits whatsoever in or out of the Premises and all Conveyances and Declarations of Trust concerning the same which shall be made suffered or done to or for the Use Benefit and Relief of any such Person shall be utterly void and of none Effect to all Intents Purposes and Constructions whatsoever

AND it is hereby further enacted That all Leases for Life or Lives or for any Term of Years or otherwise which shall at any Time hereafter be made of any the Lands Tenements or Hereditaments hereby dissolved or conveyed by the said Trustees as is aforesaid shall be made to such Persons only as are of the Protestant Religion and to none other And if any Lease for Life or Lives or for Years or otherwise shall at any Time hereafter be made of any the Lands Tenements or Hereditaments aforesaid as or in Trust for any Papist or if any Lease of any such Lands Tenements or Hereditaments shall be made to a Protestant and the same shall afterwards be assigned to or in Trust for any Papist every such Lease so made to or in Trust for any Papist and likewise every such Assignment shall be void and the same is and are hereby adjudged and declared to be ipso facto null and void to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever And in such Case as well the Person making any such Lease or Assignment as the Person to whom or for whose Use or Benefit the same shall be made (as one such Person shall accept such Lease or Assignment) or shall occupy any the Lands or Tenements therein contained shall forfeit Treble the full Yearly Value of all the Lands so let assigned or occupied One Moiety thereof to His Majesty His Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to such Person (being a Protestant) who shall sue for the same in any of His Majesties Courts of Record at Dublin by any Bill Plea or Information wherein no Excessive Proportion Wage of Law or Imparience shall be allowed

PROVIDED always That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to make void any Lease that is or shall be made of any Cottage or Cabin under the Yearly Value of Thirty Shillings per Annum to any Day Labourer whatsoever

V  
If Purchaser make Default in Payment, Trustees may sell and dispose of Purchase Money as herein contained.

VI  
After Payment of Purchase Money, the Purchaser is to hold and enjoy as under Stat 15 W 3.

VII  
Papists under 18 not to enjoy the same in after obtaining the Oaths taking the Oaths and subscribing the Declaration of Stat 30 Car II

and shall not continue to be a Protestant after taking the said Oaths, be disabled for himself, but not for his Heirs, &c. and during his Life he Protestant next of Kin may enjoy

VIII  
Papist disabled from purchasing any of the said Lands &c.

and Conveyances to such Persons void

IX  
Leases for Lives, or for Terms for any of the said Lands, &c. to be made to Protestants only, and if made to or in Trust for Papist,

the same is to be null and void.

Tenancy

X.  
Proviso for Leases of Cottages &c.

<sup>1</sup> continued on the following.

XI.  
Persons for certain  
Reasons, dis-  
posed to the said  
Treasures under  
Sec. 11 W. III  
c. 2.

For Treasures to  
make a Deduction  
out of Purchase  
Money, as herein  
expressed.

XII.  
Treasures acquired  
of Rent, in-  
creased before  
Payment of the  
Rent of the  
said 14 Years  
Purchase.

XIII.  
General Assent.

XIV.  
Reason for passing  
the Statute.

Sec. 11 W. III  
c. 2.

Right and other  
Dispositions of the  
said Estates by the  
Treasures, to be  
made to Protestants  
only.  
Papists, for  
unimpaired.

and all Treasures  
Conveyances, &c.  
for the Benefit of  
Papists, &c. void.

XV.

Papists, for  
benefit ex-  
pressing.

Backwardness  
attained after Age  
as herein expressed,  
not taking the  
Oaths of Allegiance  
and Supremacy,  
and subscribing the  
Declaration of

Provision also That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to extend to any Revenues Impropriate or Vicarages Tythes Oblations Offerends Glebes or other Things to the same Rectories or Vicarages severally and respectively belonging as appertaining which were by a Clause in the aforesaid Act vested in the Treasures in the said Act named to the Uses Intents and Purposes therein mentioned. But that all such Rectories and Vicarages Tythes Oblations Offerends Glebes and other Things whatsoever belonging with their Appurtenances shall still continue to be vested in the said Treasures to such Uses as are in and by the said Act directed and appointed. Any thing in this Act to the contrary in anywise notwithstanding. But in such Case the said Treasures are to make a Deduction and Allowance after the Rate of Thirteen Years Purchase out of the Purchase Money to be paid unto them for such Rectories or Vicarages or other Matters aforesaid to all and every Person or Persons who had purchased the same their Heirs or Assigns.

Provision also and be it further enacted That the Treasures in the said Act named for Sale of the aforesaid Estates in Ireland shall be and are hereby assigned and discharged of and from all Rents or Profits or other Sums of Money by them or any for or under them received or to be received for or out of any the Lands Tenements and Premises aforesaid at any Time before the Payment of the Remainder of the said Thirteen Years Purchase by the said Purchasers respectively and of and from all Actions Suits and Demands for or in respect thereof.

SAVING nevertheless to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors all Rents issuing and payable out of or for the said Premises and also saving to all Bodies Politick and Corporate their Heirs and Successors and to all and every other Person and Persons their Heirs Executors and Administrators (other than the said Treasures in the said Act named) all such Estate Right Title Interest Claim and Demand whatsoever of law and out of the said Premises as they or any of them might have had in case this Act had not been made. Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

And for the better Preservation and Encouragement of the Protestant Interest in the said Kingdom of Ireland and to the End that none of the Honours Manors Barons Castles Mountains Lands Townships Rents Revenues Services Remainders Possessions Royalties Franchises Jurisdictions Privileges or Appurtenances whatsoever belonging or in any wise appertaining Rights of Action Titles Conditions Uses Trusts Powers or Authorities Leases for Life Lives or Years Possessions Antiquities Rents-Charges or Reversions whether Freehold Copyhold or of what Nature or Kind soever they be within the said Realm of Ireland nor any of the Estates or Interests whatsoever in the said Kingdom of Ireland which by an Act made in the Eleventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by Sale of the forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland and by a Land Tax in England for the several Purposes therein mentioned were vested and settled in the Persons in that Act named (Trustees nominated and appointed for putting in Execution the Powers and Authorities in the said Act enacted relating to the said forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland) and their Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns respectively or which by the said Act or by any subsequent Act or Acts are ordered or directed to be disposed of or sold by them or any of them for the Purposes in the said Act or Acts contained may ever hereafter descend or come by Limitation Purchase or otherwise to any Papist or Papists or Person or Persons professing the Popish Religion but that the same forthwith from and after the Disposition and Sale thereof may be possessed and enjoyed and from thenceforth for ever hereafter descend come and remain to be held and enjoyed by Protestants for the strengthening and supporting of the English Interest and the Protestant Religion in Ireland. Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Dispositions and Sales of all and every the said Estates and Interests which shall be made by the said Treasures or any of them shall be made unto Protestants only. And that every Person being a Papist or professing the Popish Religion shall be disabled and is hereby made incapable to purchase either in his or her own Name or in the Name of any other Person or Persons to his or her Use or in Trust for him or her any of the Honours Manors Lands Townships Royalties Franchises and other Beneficements of what Nature or Kind soever vested in the said Treasures in order to the selling the same or any Rents Profits Tolls for Years or other Interests whatsoever in or out of the same and that all and singular Estates Trusts for Years Interests or Profits whatsoever in or out of the said Premises and all Conveyances and Declarations of Trust concerning the same which shall be made suffered or done to or for the Use Benefit or behoof of any Papist or Person making Profession of the Popish Religion shall be utterly void and of no Effect to all Intents Purposes and Contractions whatsoever.

And for preventing the said Premises and every Part thereof at all Times hereafter from coming into the Hands of Papists or Persons professing the Popish Religion Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Papist or Person professing the Popish Religion during the Time of his assuming a Papist or professing the Popish Religion shall be a Person capable to inherit take or make Title unto by Descent Purchase Limitation Devise or other Conveyance whatsoever in Possession Reversion or Remainder or to have hold or enjoy any of the said Honours Manors Beneficements and Premises or any Trust or Interest therein or any Rent or Profit issuing out of the same or out of any Part thereof and that if any Person professing the Popish Religion or educated in the same and not having solemnly and publicly renounced it being of full Age shall not within the Space of Six Months after the recovering of his or her Title or being under the Age of Eighteen Years shall not within Six Months after he or she shall attain the Age aforesaid take the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy and also

subscribe the Declaration set down and expressed in an Act of Parliament made in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the more effectual preserving the Kings Person and Government by disabling Papists from sitting in either House of Parliament to be by him or her made required and subscribed in the Courts of Chancery or Kings Bench in England or Ireland or Quarter Sessions in any County in England or Ireland where such Person shall reside (which said Oath and Declaration, the said Courts and Quarter Sessions are hereby severally empowered to administer) and continue to be a Protestant after the taking the said Oath and Declaration aforesaid every such Person shall in respect of him or her self only and not to or in respect of his or her Heirs or Posterity be disabled and is hereby made Incapable<sup>(1)</sup> to inherit or take by Devise Devis or Limitation or Purchase in Possession Reversion or Remainder any of the said Honours Manors Lands Tenements Hereditaments or Premises aforesaid or any Trust or Interest in Rent or Profit issuing out of the same or out of any Part thereof and that during the Life of such Person or until he or she shall take the said Oath and Declaration he or she shall not be or she shall take the said Declaration in Manner aforesaid the next of his or her Kindred who shall be a Protestant shall have and enjoy the said Possessions without being accountable for the Profits by him or her received during such Exemption as aforesaid.

AND it is hereby further enacted That all Leases for Life or Lives or for any Term of Years or otherwise which shall at any Time hereafter be made of any the Honours Manors Lands Tenements Hereditaments and Premises above mentioned shall be made to such Persons only as are of the Protestant Religion and to none other. And if any Lease for Life or Lives or for Years or otherwise shall at any Time after such Sale be made of any the Honours Manors Lands Tenements Hereditaments or Premises aforesaid unto or in Trust for any Papist or Person professing the Popish Religion or if any Lease of any such Honours Manors Lands Tenements Hereditaments or Premises shall be made to a Protestant and the same shall afterwards be assigned unto or in Trust for any Papist or Person professing the Popish Religion every such Lease so made unto or in Trust for any such Papist or Person and likewise every such Assignment shall be void and the same so made and are hereby adjudged and declared to be ipso facto null and void to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever. And in such Case as well the Person making any such Lease or Assignment as the Person to whom or for whose Use or Benefit the same shall be made (so as such Person shall accept such Lease or Assignment) or shall occupy any the Lands or Tenements therein contained shall forfeit Twofold the full yearly Value of all the Lands so let assigned or occupied One Mowry thereof to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Mowry to such Person (being a Protestant) who shall sue for the same in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Dublin by any Bill Plea or Information wherein no Enjoyn Protection Writ of Law or Injunctive shall be allowed.

PROVIDED always That nothing in the last foregoing Clause contained shall extend to make void any Lease that is or shall be made of any Cottage or Cabin under the yearly Value of Thirty Shillings per Annum to any Day Labourer whatsoever.

PROVIDED That nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to extend to make void impeach or produce any Lease of [any of] the said forfeited Estates or [other] Estates made or to be made by the said Tenants for any Term not exceeding One Year.

AND whereas His said late Majesty King William in consideration of a Fine of Six hundred and eighty five Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Four Pence exacted by the Commissioners of Accounts in Ireland to be due from His said Majesty to Major Walter Delanoe for Arrears of Pay for his Services in the Kingdom of Ireland did in the Month of October One thousand six hundred ninety six make a Lease to the said Major Walter Delanoe of some forfeited Estates in the said Kingdom for the Term of Twenty one Years the said Estates being subject to great Incumbrances and a Mortgage for the Life of

Francis the Refractor of Ignacius Plunket: And whereas William Palmer Esquire did purchase from the said Major Delanoe Part of the said Estates called Depurick in the Barony of Drooge and County of Monaghan for the Sum of Five hundred Pounds the said Sum being by him paid to the said Walter Delanoe for the Remainder of the said Term of Twenty one Years subject to the said Mortgage and hath since also laid out Six hundred Pounds and upwards in buying in the said Mortgage Estate in the said Lands in dividing a Bogg and building and planting upon the said Estate to the great Improvement thereof And whereas notwithstanding there are but about Fourteen Years to come in the said Lease the same is made void by the late Act of Parliament for securing the Forfeitures in that Kingdom And the said William Palmer hath (unless relieved by Parliament) lost the Money so paid and laid out by him and of which the Publick hath had and will have the Benefit. Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Trustees shall within Twelve Months pay to the said William Palmer his Executors Administrators and Assigns the Sum of One thousand one hundred Pounds and in default of such Payment as aforesaid it shall and may be lawful to and for the said William Palmer his Executors Administrators and Assigns to have hold and enjoy the said Premises called Depurick aforesaid with the Appurtenances for and during the Remainder of the said Term of Twenty one Years according to the said Lease and Assignment thereof to him made And in case of such Default due and Lease (as in the Premises called Depurick) and the said Assignment thereof shall be and is hereby confirmed and made effectual the said Act or any thing therein contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding subject nevertheless to all and every the Clauses Matters and Things in this Act contained directed to be done and performed by the said other Protestant Purchasers.

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which the Courts are to administer, and not continuing a Protestant, disabled.

And Protestant next of kin to take during the Life of such Person, or until he shall take the Oath, &c.

XVI. Reason for Lease and Years of the said Lands, &c. to be made in Protestants only.

Lease and Assignment in Papist, &c. void.

Protestant on Lease and Lease.

XVII. Proviso for Lease of Cottages, &c.

XVIII. And for Lease not exceeding One Year.

XIX. Reason for giving the Forfeiture.

The Trustees to pay Mr. Palmer £1,100, and so much thereof the said W. Palmer to pay the Premises called Depurick, as he may be entitled to.

<sup>(1)</sup> incapable G.

<sup>(2)</sup> mentioned in the Bill.

XX.  
Proviso for  
Oath-taking  
Persons to take the Oath  
of Supremacy in  
Acts relating to  
the said  
Lands in Ireland

AND to be further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Acts which have passed this Session of Parliament relating to the said Lands or Interests in Ireland which do enjoin the taking the Oath or Oaths of Allegiance by any Person or Persons whatsoever and wherein the obliging the taking the Oath of Supremacy is omitted all and every the Person and Persons who are thereby enjoined to take the Oath of Allegiance shall be and as lawfully obliged and enjoined at the same Time to take the Oath of Supremacy also under the like Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities to see in the said respective Acts mentioned and contained for and in Default of taking the Oath or Oaths of Allegiance and subscribing the Declaration therein mentioned

XXI.  
Proviso in the  
Quantity of Land  
to be let with  
Cottages, &c.

AND it is hereby further enacted and declared That there shall not be let with any Cabbie or Cottage to any Day Labourer (as by any Acts of this Session of Parliament relating to the said Lands in Ireland is provided) above the Quantity of Two Acres of Land and not above One Cottage or Cabbie with such Land to any one Day Labourer and that in case any such Lease or Leases shall be so made or more Land be let than is aforesaid the Lease of such Cottage or Cabbie as well as of the said Land shall be and is hereby declared to be ipso facto null and void to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever and as well the Person making as the Person taking such Lease or occupying such Cottage or Cabbie or Lands shall forfeit Terrible the full Yearly Value of the said Cottage Cabbie or Land to be used for sown and distributed as any other Penalties by the said Acts are to be recovered and distributed

Lease in the  
contrary void

Penalty on Lease  
and Leases.

XXII  
Public Act.

And to be further enacted That this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts as a Publick Act and all Judges and Justices are hereby required to take Notice thereof without special pleading the same

#### CHAPTER XXVII.

An Act for confirming a Purchase made by Her Majesty and an Exchange between Her Majesty and the Dean and Canons of the Kings free Chappell within the Castle of Windsor

[From the Original Act in the Parliament Office, No. 31.]

Recital of the Title  
of the Dean and  
Canons.

Enactment.

WHEREAS the Dean and Canons of the Kings free Chappell of Saint George the Martyr within his Castle of Windsor are lawfully seized and possessed in the several Messuages Barres Stables Orchards and Ferry Acres of Land Meadow and Pasture in the Parish of New Windsor in the County of Berks heretofore more particularly described (that is to say) All that their Stubble Barre and Garden on the South Side of Pound Street in the Borough of New Windsor and Two Tenements on the North Side of the said Street And also all those Four Tenements and an Orchard containing an Acre lying in the said Street late in the Possession of John Topham Esquire Two Acres of Land adjoining to a common Meadow called the Shute Three Acres of Meadow Part in the Great Avenue and the rest in the said Shute in the Possession of Doctor Jones, a Close of Meadow Ground called Hurdew Close containing by Estimation Seven Acres Four Acres and a Half more of Meadow Ground in the Shute late in the Possession of the said John Topham Esquire Fifteen Acres of Meadow Ground in Datchet Head One Acre of Land or Mill Field and Eight Acres more in Datchet Head The far greatest Part of which Premises have of late been made use of and employed for and towards the making the great Avenue from Windsor Great Park to the said Castle and enlargement of the Little Park and for other convenient and useful Accommodations to the Royal Palace there and the Roades lyes so depend that the said Dean and Canons cannot without Prejudice sell Part of the same Premises without disposing of the Whole And therefore it is Her Majestys Pleasure to become Purchaser of all the said Premises from the said Dean and Canons and she hath agreed to make them an equivalent Satisfaction for the same

And that Her  
Majesty would  
become the  
Purchaser.

III.  
Recital of the  
Title of Richard  
Duke to an  
Annual Rent of  
4000. 15. 00.  
heretofore made.

And that the  
Premises out of  
which same rent  
are enjoyed by said  
Dean and Canons  
subject to the said  
rent and that said  
Dean and Canons  
are willing to accept said Rent  
in Exchange for  
the Premises  
then heretofore  
described, and that  
Her Majesty had

And whereas Richard Duke of Saint James's Parish Westminster in the County of Middlesex Gentleman is seized in Fee of an Annual Rent of Forty eight Pounds Seven Shillings and Nine Pence reserved and issuing out of several Premises Residues Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments in the County of Devon City of London and elsewhere in the Kingdom of England which (amongst other Things) by certain Letters Patents of King Edward the Sixth under His Great Seal of England bearing Date the Seventh Day of October in the First Year of His said Kings were granted to the said Dean and Canons and their Successors under the said Yearly Rent as by the said Letters Patents now recited upon Record may appear Which said several Premises Residues Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments now are enjoyed by the said Dean and Canons or their Underleases subject to the said Yearly Rent which Rent the said Dean and Canons are willing to take and accept in Exchange for the said Premises heretofore particularly described and mentioned to be situate lying and being in the said Parish of New Windsor in the County of Berks And Her Majesty by the Advice of the Lords Commissioners of Her Treasury and of Her Exchequer General hath agreed that the said Rent shall be conveyed to or vested in the said Dean and Canons and their Successors so the said Premises out of which the same was reserved and made payable may be held by them freed and discharged of and from the same And in order to make



good the said Agreement Her Majesty hath paid the said Richard Dalton the Sum of Thirteen hundred Pounds for the absolute Purchase of the Inheritance of the said Rent of Forty eight Pounds Seven Shillings and Nine Pence

And whereas the aforesaid Agreement cannot well be completed without an Act of Parliament To this End therefore that the said Agreement may be perfected the said Dean and Canon and the said Richard Dalton do in most humble Manner beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That so much of the said Premises herein before mentioned to be actions lying and being in the said Parish of New Windsor in the County of Berks as are now made use of and employed towards the making the great Armas from Windsor Great Park to the said Castle and the Enlargement of the Little Park and for other convenient and useful Accommodations to the Royal Palace there shall be and are hereby vested in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and that Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall from henceforth have hold and enjoy the same against the said Dean and Canon and their Successors for ever and that the Rector of the said Premises herein before particularly described and mentioned to be actions lying and being in the said Parish of New Windsor in the said County of Berks shall be and are hereby vested in Samuel Trewes Esquire Her Majesties Surveyor General and His Heirs upon Trust nevertheless that he the said Samuel Trewes and His Heirs shall and do from time to time sell dispose and convey the same or any Part or Parts thereof to such Person or Persons and at such Rate and Price as the Lord High Treasurer of England or the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall from time to time direct and appoint for the Benefit of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Rent of Forty eight Pounds Seven Shillings and Nine Pence shall be and is hereby vested in the said Dean and Canon and their Successors and that the said Dean and Canon and their Successors shall from henceforth have hold and enjoy the aforesaid Perpetual Rectories Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments now granted by the said Letters Patents of King Edward the Sixth as aforesaid and every Part and Part thereof (now belonging to the said Dean and Canon) to them and their Successors for ever freed and discharged from the said Rent of Forty eight Pounds Seven Shillings and Nine Pence

Saving always to all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate their Heirs and Successors Executors and Administrators (other than Her said Majesty Her Heirs and Successors the said Dean and Canon and their Successors and the said Richard Dalton and his Heirs and Assigns) all such Rights Titles Estates Interests Claims and Demands whatsoever of or to or out of the aforesaid Premises or any Part thereof as they or any of them had or ought to have had before the making of this Act to all Intents and Purposes as if this Act had never been had or made this Act or any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

agreed that and that should be saved to said Dean and Canon, and that the said perpetual rent of said Rent Dalton

## III.

To make of the First described Premises as well as the second and third as agreed upon Trust to sell as herein mentioned

and the Rector of the said Parish shall be and is hereby vested in the Surveyor General upon Trust to sell as herein mentioned

## IV.

The said annual Rent of £48 7s 9d. saved to the said Dean and Canon, and they and their Successors to enjoy the said Premises, &c. upon which the same may be charged, freed and discharged hereinafter

## V.

General Saving

ITEM quodam Petitione petita personis concernentibus in se forma Adversum continetur exhibita hanc esse possibile Deinde Regem in Parlamento predicto quoniam Tenet subsecutusur vis

1. An Act to enable the Right Honourable Lady Henrietta Olivia Maber and Guardian of the Right Honourable Henry Earle of Thomond an Infant to make Leases of His Estate in Ireland for the discharging of Debts and of a Charge of Four thousand Pounds for his Share Portion.

2. An Act for the Relief of Frances Countess of Tyrone Relict of Richard late Earl of Tyrone of the Kingdom of Ireland

3. An Act for enabling Sir William Mordaunt Baronet to sell Part of a capital Messuage Lands and Hereditaments herein after mentioned in Ashley in the County of Cheshire he having bought other Lands and Tenements in New thereof

4. An Act to enable Trustees to sell certain Lands Tythes and Tenements for the Payment of the Debts of Francis Pausley Esq<sup>r</sup>. deceased

5. An Act for vesting several Messuages Lands and Tenements in the Parish of Whitchurch in the County of Cheshire in Trustees to be sold for paying off the Incumbrances charged thereon and for other Uses therein mentioned

6. An Act to enable Warner Lee and Warner Warner to make a Joynture upon his Marriage.

7. An Act for the vesting and settling divers Manors and Lands of Francis Wighams in Infant lying in the County of Stafford in Trustees to enable them to settle and convey the same upon the Marriages of the said Francis Wighams to such Uses Intents and Purposes as shall be agreed upon.

8. An Act for confirming the Title of Thomas Rose Gent to Lands called Rumpstone and for Sale of Lands called Cammors Chase in the County of Dorset for Payment of the Debts of William Rose Gent deceased

and for selling the Manor of Chesham Fitzwethers in the County of Somerset with the Overplus on the said Sale on Mary Rose an Infant Daughter of the said William in Fee of Three thousand Pounds Portion for the said Infant.

viij. An Act for confirming a Purchase made by Her Majesty and an Exchange between Her Majesty and the Dean and Chapter of the Kings Free Chapel within the Castle of Windsor.

x. An Act for the Sale of certain Mannors and Lands of John late Earl of Exeter for Payment of the Debts and Performance of the Will of the said Earl.

xi. An Act for selling certain Lands and Tenements of Manners Earl of Abington in Trusts to be sold and purchasing other Lands of equal Value and limiting the Lands to be purchased to the same Uses as the Lands to be sold are limited.

xij. An Act for Relief of Dorothy Barreng Dowager of Upper Quay and Captain James Roche with relation to the Irish Indulgences.

xij. An Act for the Sale of the Manor of Avington in the County of Salop and selling a Farm called Gelly Hall and a Molesey of the Manor of Temple Lawrence in the County of Worcester of better Value in Fee thereof.

xiv. An Act for charging the Estate late of William Adams Esquire deceased with Portions and Maintenance for William Adams and Elizabeth Adams his younger Children.

xv. An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of Stephen Senn Gent and Dorothy his Wife and for applying the Monies raised thereby for Payment of his Debts and for the Portion of Mary and William Senn Two of their younger Children.

xvi. An Act to enable Robert Appenz the elder and Robert Appenz the younger Esquires to raise Money out of their Estate for Payment of a Debt due to Her Majesty and other Debts.

xvii. An Act for confirming and settling of diverse Charities given by the last Will of Job Mawson Gent deceased.

xviii. An Act for the Relief of Thomas Kightly Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.

xix. An Act to enable Jeffrey Palmer Esquire to make a Jointure upon Elizabeth his Wife.

xx. An Act for the Relief of Hannah MacDonnell with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.

xxi. An Act for the Relief of Captain Thomas Bellow with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.

xxii. An Act for the Relief of Edward Senghams Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.

xxiii. An Act for selling the Estate of William Mackness Gent and Katherine his Wife in Trusts to be sold for the Purposes therein mentioned.

xxiv. An Act for the better Government of the Hospital of Bald in the County of Warwick founded by the Lady Katherine Lovell.

xxv. An Act for the Relief of Nicholas Baginall Esq. with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.

xxvi. An Act for the Relief of Colonel Henry Luttrell with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.

xxvii. An Act to enable the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Saint Peter in Exeter and their Parsons and Vicars to make Leases of and in the Manor of Calmeck in the County of Devon.

xxviii. An Act for vesting in Trustees the Estate late of Sir William Powell Baronet deceased for raising Portions for the younger Children of Sir John Williams and Doree Mary his Wife (Daughter of the said Sir William Powell) and to enable William Williams their eldest Son to make a Jointure to each Wife as he shall marry.

xxix. An Act for vesting certain Messuages and Tenements in the Counties of Bedford and Middlesex in Trustees to be sold and for purchasing Lands or Rents to be settled to the same Uses.

xxx. An Act for the more effectual Settlement of the Estate of John Stans of Baldwin Brightwell in the County of Oxford Esquire in his Family and Name.

xxxi. An Act to enable Trustees to make Sale of Part of the Estate of Humphrey Bury for paying off a Mortgage and a Pension charged thereupon.

xxxii. An Act for creating Hospitals and Workhouses within the Town of Sudbury in the County of Suffolk for the better employing and maintaining the Poor thereof.

xxxiii. An Act to vest several Lands and Tenements in the County of York in Trusts to be sold for the raising of a Portion for Heselden Township an Infant.

xxxiv. An Act to enable the Trustees of James Hunt Esquire deceased to sell Timber for the Payment of his Debts and Legacies.

xxxv. An Act to enable Edward Mansel Esquire to raise a further Sum of One thousand Pounds on a Mortgage of the Impropriate Rectory of Llanidloes for the Payment of his Debts.

xxxvi. An Act for enlarging the Time for John Lord Haverham to make his Claim before the Trustees for the forfeited Estates in Ireland.

- xxxv. An Act for the Relief of the Thomas Downville Baronet with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- xxxvi. An Act for the Relief of Francis Earl of Carlingford and others against several Outlaws in the County of Tipperary in Ireland.
- xxxvii. An Act for the making Provision for the Protestant Children of the Earle of Glancorke and the Lord Dophin.
- xxxviii. An Act for the Relief of Thomas Earl of Limerick of the Kingdom of Ireland and Eschequer Countess Dowager of Limerick with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- xxxix. An Act to enable Rebecca Windham to sell and dispose of an Estate late Sarah Verdon's in the County of Norfolk.
- xl. An Act to enable the Bishop of Gloucester and his Successors to make distinct and separate Leases of the Mannor Lands and Premises therein mentioned.
- xli. An Act for the enabling Abraham Barwell to make a more ample Settlement of his Estate for the Benefit of his Family and to sell Part thereof for raising Portions for his younger Children in his Life time and for Payment of his Debts.
- xlii. An Act for the better Improvement of Suffolk Place in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey.
- xliii. An Act for settling the Estate late of John and Robert Wenslow Gent deceased upon Trustees to be sold and the Purchase Money applied to the Uses therein mentioned.
- xliiii. An Act for vesting the Lands of Henry Puckert a Lunatick in Trustees in order to make suitable Provision for him his next Heirs and next Relations.
- xlv. An Act for the Relief of Sir Edmund Everard Peter Fagan and the Protestant Children of Sir Anthony Mulhady deceased with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- xlv. An Act for the Relief of William Lord Viscount Montgoy of the Kingdom of Ireland with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- xlv. An Act for the Relief of Robert Edgeworth Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- l. An Act for issuing several Lands in the Counties of Surrey and Sussex the Estate of Mary Johnson Wife of William Johnson Gent in Trustees to be sold for discharging several Mortgages and other Debts charged upon the Estate of the said William Johnson and settling his Estate upon his said Wife and her Children by him clear of Incumbrances.
- li. An Act for enlarging the Time for John Hill Esquire and his Wife to enter their Claims before the Trustees for Sale of the forfeited Estates in Ireland with relation to a Judgment against Robert Gent and for the Relief of the Children of John Grace and the Widow Protestant Children and Creditors of the late Sir Patrick Traut with relation to the said forfeited Estates and for the indemnifying the Earl of Carlingford touching Mortgages Money by him owing to the said late Sir Patrick Traut.
- li. An Act for the Relief of Edward Nugent Esq. with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of Joseph Mitchell Esq. with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of Dennis Mokeby Gent with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the enlarging the Time for Cœur Bradshaw Esquire to prosecute his Claim before the Trustees for the Irish Perforators.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of Jane Lavelin with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of James Estance of Yarmouth Town Agreemendisham Viceroy Esquire George Field and Thomas Edgcock with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of Francis Spring and other Protestant Trustees of the forfeited Estates in Ireland in support of their Real Improvements and for continuing a Protestant Settlement at Perislington and of a Charity at Hodderns in the County of Cork and for the Relief of Alice Countess Dowager of Dorchester and Sir John Dillon.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of Ignatius Geld and his Family with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of Sir William Ashurst Knight with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of Mary Vernon with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of Katharine Obrien Widow and her Children with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of William Spencer Esquire and the Wife and Children of the late Lord Kenmare of the Kingdom of Ireland with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of Katherine Harris an Heir with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.
- lii. An Act for the Relief of Thomas Smith Widow with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.

- liij. *An Act for the Relief of Captain Richard Wolsley and other Protestant Lessors in Ireland.*
- liij. *An Act for enlarging the Time for Sir Stephen Fox to make his Claim before the Trustees for the forfeited Estates in Ireland.*
- liiv. *An Act for enlarging the Time for Rebecca Vicountess Faldland of the Kingdom of Scotland to enter her Claim before the Trustees for the forfeited Estates in Ireland to a Mortgage upon Part of the said Estates.*
- liiv. *An Act for exempting and discharging of Archer French and Sarah his Wife from accounting to the Trustees for the forfeited Estates in Ireland for the Personal Estate of Isidat Furell deceased.*
- liv. *An Act for the Relief of Claudine Talbot with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.*
- liv. *An Act to compensate Philip Savage Esquire for the Charge of Outlawries and attending the Trustees for the forfeited Estates in Ireland.*
- lv. *An Act for the Relief of Maurice Ananday Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.*
- lv. *An Act for the Relief of Thomas Lee Esquire and others Executors of Sir John Hickey Knight and Peter Goodwin Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.*
- lv. *An Act for the Relief of Thomas Flunkett Gentleman and Katherine his Wife with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland and for dispensing Her Majesty to grant Writs of Error for reversing the Outlawries against John Mapes and Lawrence Fes-Gerrid.*
- lv. *An Act for the Relief of John Ellis Esquire with relation to the forfeited Estates in Ireland.*
- lv. *An Act for naturalizing Thomas Saint Leger de Bardeux Joseph de Lannay Alexander de Raquet Des Fourmeaux and others.*
- lv. *An Act for naturalizing Stephen Bonard John Girard and others.*
- lv. *An Act for naturalizing Daniel Van Rysen and others.*
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Anno 1<sup>o</sup> ANNÆ, Stat. 2. A. D. 1702.

STATUTES MADE IN THE PARLIAMENT,

BEGUN AT WESTMINSTER, ON THE TWENTIETH DAY OF OCTOBER,

IN THE FIRST YEAR OF THE REIGN OF

QUEEN ANNE.

AND CONTINUED UNTIL AND ON THE TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY,

IN THE FIRST YEAR OF THE SAME QUEEN.

Ex Statute Parliamenti de Anno Regni Annæ Reginae primo.

IN PARLIAMENTO habuit apud Westmonasterium Veritas Die Octobris Anno Regni Britannicæ reg. Excellentissimæ Domine nostre Annæ Dei Gracia Angliæ Scotiæ Franciæ et Hiberniæ Reginae Fidei Defensoris Rex Primo et continens seq. ad et in Veritas apud Westmonasterium Anno Regni Annæ Regine dñæ Domine Rex Annæ Reginae Primo Cōmuni omnium Dominiarum tam Spiritualiū quam Temporalium & Canonialium Consensu et Regiæ Majestatis Assensu multa inactis ordinata et statuta fuerunt sequenda hoc Statuta ad Verbum et sensum viz.

CHAPTER I.(C)

AN ACT for granting to Her Majesty a Land Tax for carrying on the War against France and Spala.

**M**OST Gracious Sovereign We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled taking into Consideration Your Majesties great and necessary Expenses in the War wherein Your Majesty is engaged for the Preservation of Your Kingdom and Dominions and being sensible that the Continuance of the glorious Success which have already attended Your Majesties Arms (under the Divine Favour and Goodness) will in a great Measure depend on suitable Supplies whereby Your Majesty may be enabled to prosecute and at last to finish the said War to the Honour and Safety of Your Majesty and the Welfare of all Your Subjects and being therefore desirous to make Provision for the Support of Your Forces by Sea and Land and for other Your Majesties most necessary and important Occasions have cheerfully and unanimously given and granted unto Your Majesty the Sum and Sums of Money Rates and Assessments hereafter mentioned and we do humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny shall be raised levied and paid unto Her Majesty within the Space of One Year from the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three and shall be assessed and used in the several Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed according to the Proportions and in the Manner following that is to say

FOR the Town of Bedford the Sum of Six hundred ninety two Pounds Eleven Shillings and One Penny

For the rest of the County of Bedford the Sum of Twenty seven thousand eight hundred sixty two Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny

For the Borough of New Windsor and Castle there the Sum of Nine hundred seventy eight Pounds and Ten Shillings

See Pref.  
2. Ann. p. 1.  
Remember passing  
this Act.

See Appendix page  
14. 15. It is noted in  
One Year from  
25th March 1702,  
on the Counties,  
Towns, and Places  
in the Act men-  
tioned, in Manner  
following

<sup>1</sup> This Bill is intitled "An Act for raising a Land Tax for carrying on the War against France and Spala" and it has passed as the First Act passed in the First Parliament called by that Queen. The Title of the subsequent Acts of this Year are intitled "Fish Port" and "South Port" being in Continuance of the Acts of the preceding Parliament, but it appears by the Head of each Bill that they were Acts of that Parliament, and that is here called Chapter I. in conformity with the above Intendment, and to keep the Numbers of the Chapters as near as may be with those of the common printed Editions

For the rest of the County of Berks the Sum of Forty thousand seventy five Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Borough of Bucks with Berion, Borton Half, Prebend, Rad, Gawston and Lechlarrow the Sum of Six hundred and threescore Pounds and Five Pence Half pany

For the Borough of Wicomb the Sum of Three hundred fifty eight Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence

For the rest of the County of Bucks the Sum of Forty six thousand six hundred eighty eight Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence Half pany

For the University and Town of Cambridge the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred forty six Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny

For the Isle of Ely the Sum of Eight thousand and eight Pounds Five Shillings and Seven Pence Half pany

For the rest of the County of Cambridge the Sum of Twenty one thousand nine hundred seventy one Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Three Pence Half pany

For the City and County of the City of Chester the Sum of Fifteen hundred eighty four Pounds and Seven Shillings

For the County of Chester the Sum of Twenty seven thousand and four hundred Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Ten Pence Half pany

For the County of Cornwall the Sum of Thirty one thousand nine hundred seventy five Pounds and Six Shillings

For the County of Cuschester the Sum of Three thousand seven hundred and thirteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Two Pence Half pany

For the County of Derby the Sum of Twenty four thousand ninety three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Half pany

For the City and County of the City of Exeter the Sum of Four thousand seven hundred and eight Pounds and Five Pence Half pany

For the County of Devon the Sum of Seventy seven thousand eight hundred seventy five Pounds Two Shillings and Ten Pence Half pany

For the Town and County of the Town of Exeter the Sum of Three hundred twenty eight Pounds and Two Shillings

For the County of Dorset the Sum of Thirty two thousand seven hundred eighty eight Pounds Five Shillings and Six Pence Half pany

For the County of Durham the Sum of Ten thousand five hundred ninety seven Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Two Pence Half pany

For the West Riding of the County of York the Sum of Thirty nine thousand three hundred sixty two Pounds One Shilling and One Penny

For the North Riding of the County of York the Sum of Twenty six thousand four hundred and fifty Pounds Seventeen Shillings

For the East Riding of the County of York the Sum of Nineteen thousand one hundred twenty seven Pounds Two Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the City of York and County of the same City the Sum of Four thousand six hundred thirty nine Pounds and Eight Shillings

For the Town and County of [the Town of] Kingston upon Hull the Sum of Two thousand fifty three Pounds Two Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town of Malden in the County of Essex the Sum of Five hundred ninety six Pounds and Eighteen Shillings

For the Town of Colchester the Sum of Two thousand one hundred Pounds Two Shillings and Three Pence

For the Town of Harwich and Dover Court the Sum of Four hundred and three Pounds Thirteen Shillings

For the rest of the County of Essex the Sum of Eighty seven thousand one hundred and six Pounds Eight Shillings and Five Pence

For the City and County of the City of Gloucester the Sum of Thirteen hundred ninety six Pounds Four Shillings and Eight Pence

For the whole County of Gloucester the Sum of Forty six thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds Eight Shillings and Two Pence

For the City of Hereford the Sum of Seven hundred sixty three Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Borough of Loomister the Sum of Three hundred thirty three Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the whole County of Hereford the Sum of Nineteen thousand three hundred eleven Pounds sixteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Borough of St. Albans in the County of Hertford the Sum of Seven hundred seventy four Pounds and Two Shillings

For the rest of the whole County of Hertford the Sum of Forty two thousand one hundred ninety nine Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town of Haveringham the Sum of Four hundred thirty two Pounds Twelve Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the County of Hertfordshire the Sum of Fifteen thousand sixty four Pounds Twelve Shillings and Four Pence

For the City and County of the City of Canterbury the Sum of Seventeen hundred sixty two Pounds Five Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Town and Liberty of Dover the Sum of Nineteen hundred twenty nine Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Nine Pence

For the Town of Folkstone the Sum of One hundred forty four Pounds Nineteen Shillings

For the Town of Faversham the Sum of Seventy seven Pounds and Eight Shillings

For the Town of Faversham the Sum of Five hundred and sixteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Three Pence

For the Town of Tenterden the Sum of One thousand thirty two Pounds and Six Shillings

For the Town and Liberty of Sandwich the Sum of Nine hundred twenty one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence

For the Town and Port of New Romney the Sum of Two hundred forty nine Pounds Seventeen Shillings

For the Town of Lymington the Sum of Seven hundred sixty nine Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence

For the Town and Port of Rye and West Rye within the Liberty of the said Town and Port the Sum of Two hundred forty six Pounds and Two Shillings

For the rest of the whole County of Kent the Sum of Seventy five thousand seven hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence

For the County of Lancaster the Sum of Twenty thousand nine hundred eighty nine Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six Pence Halfpenny

For the Borough of Lancaster the Sum of Six hundred thirty nine Pounds Twelve Shillings

For the rest of the County of Lancaster the Sum of Thirteen thousand two hundred thirty two Pounds Seven Shillings and One Penny Halfpenny

For the County of Lincoln with the City and County of the City of Lincoln the Sum of Seventy two thousand two hundred twenty six Pounds Ten Shillings and Four Pence

For the City of London the Sum of One hundred twenty three thousand three hundred thirty four Pounds Two Shillings and Seven Pence

For Beresford Inn in Fleetstreet the Sum of Sixty five Pounds Four Shillings

For Beresford Inn in Chancery Lane the Sum of Thirty one Pounds Four Shillings

For the Inner Temple and Inns of Chancery the Sum of Four hundred Pounds

For the Middle Temple and Inns of Chancery the Sum of Two hundred seventy two Pounds and Sixteen Shillings

For the Society of Lincoln Inn and Inns of Chancery the Sum of Three hundred forty one Pounds Seven Shillings and Six Pence

For Gray Inn and the Inns of Chancery the Sum of Two hundred fifty two Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Palace of Whitehall and St. James's the Sum of Ten thousand six hundred eighty six Pounds Five Shillings and Four Pence

For the City of Westminster and Liberties thereof and Office executed in Westminster Hall the Sum of Sixty three thousand four hundred fifty eight Pounds and Six Pence Halfpenny

For the rest of the County of Middlesex the Sum of One hundred and eight thousand nine hundred and twelve Pounds Nine Shillings and Seven Pence

For the County of Monmouth the Sum of Nine thousand eight hundred and twelve Pounds Six Shillings and Five Pence Halfpenny

For the City and County of the City of Norwich the Sum of Eight thousand five hundred and eighteen Pounds Eleven Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Borough of Great Yarmouth the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred and twenty Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny

For the Borough of Kings Lynn the Sum of Eighteen hundred and fourteen Pounds Fourteen Shillings

For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in the County of Norfolk the Sum of Two hundred thirty five Pounds

For the rest of the whole County of Norfolk the Sum of Seventy one thousand two hundred sixty eight Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town of Northampton the Sum of Eight hundred and thirty Pounds Seven Shillings and Ten Pence

For the rest of the County of Northampton the Sum of Forty seven thousand two hundred seventy six Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Town and County of the Town of Newcastle upon Tyne the Sum of Two thousand five hundred and eighty Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town of Berwick upon Tweed the Sum of One hundred forty five Pounds Three Shillings

For the County of Northumberland the Sum of Eleven thousand eight hundred twenty two Pounds and Eighteen Shillings

For the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham the Sum of Sixteen hundred and fourteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Seven Pence Halfpenny

- For the County of Nottingham the Sum of Twenty five thousand six hundred sixty two Pounds and Two Pence
- For the University of Oxon the Sum of One hundred and eleven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Two Pence
- For the City of Glouc the Sum of Three thousand six hundred twenty two Pounds Twelve Shillings and Six Pence
- For the City of the County of Oxon the Sum of Thirty five thousand four hundred forty eight Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Seven Pence
- For the County of Rutland the Sum of Five thousand five hundred twenty five Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny
- For the Town of Ludlow the Sum of Two hundred twenty six Pounds and Two Shillings
- For the County of Salop the Sum of Twenty eight thousand eight hundred thirty four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and One Penny Half penny
- For the City and County of the City of Bristol the Sum of Seven thousand three hundred ninety one Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the City of Bath the Sum of Four hundred forty three Pounds Six Shillings
- For the City of Wells the Sum of Four hundred eighty one Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Bridgewater with Haygrove Telling the Sum of Three hundred sixty six Pounds Five Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Somerset the Sum of Sixty three thousand seven hundred and ninety Pounds Four Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Town and County of the Town of Southampton the Sum of Seven hundred sixty four Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny
- For the Isle of Wight the Sum of Six thousand two hundred seventy three Pounds Eleven Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Southampton the Sum of Forty eight thousand one hundred and nineteen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Halfpenny
- For the City and County of the City of Lincoln the Sum of Four hundred and twenty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the County of Stafford the Sum of Twenty six thousand seven hundred Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence
- For the Town of Ipswich the Sum of Two thousand sixty one Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Mary St. Edmunds the Sum of Two thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds and Fifteen Shillings
- For the Borough of Norwich the Sum of Forty Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Ely the Sum of Five hundred and two Pounds
- For the Borough of Salisbury the Sum of Five hundred and six Pounds Eight Shillings and Eight Pence
- For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in Suffolk the Sum of Seventy nine Pounds and Four Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Suffolk the Sum of Sixty eight thousand five hundred and three Pounds Ten Shillings and Six Pence
- For the County of Surrey the Sum of Sixty seven thousand and fourteen Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Six Pence Halfpenny
- For the Town and Port of Hastings and Liberty thereof the Sum of Three hundred seventy eight Pounds and Six Shillings
- For the Liberty of Seaford the Sum of One hundred fifty one Pounds and Eighteen Shillings
- For the Liberty of Pevensey the Sum of One thousand eighty eight Pounds and Ten Shillings
- For the Town and Parish of Rye the Sum of Four hundred seventy three Pounds and Eighteen Shillings
- For the Town of Winchester the Sum of Four hundred and five Pounds
- For the rest of the County of Sussex the Sum of Fifty eight thousand three hundred thirty two Pounds Nine Shillings and One Penny
- For the City and County of the City of Coventry the Sum of Two thousand four hundred sixty three Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Nine Pence
- For the County of Warwick the Sum of Thirty seven thousand four hundred Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the City and County of the City of Worcester the Sum of Two thousand two hundred thirty nine Pounds Nine Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the County of Worcester the Sum of Twenty one thousand four hundred fifty seven Pounds Eight Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the City of New Sarum the Close of the same and Christmas Park the Sum of Nineteen hundred thirty five Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the rest of the County of Wilts the Sum of Forty nine thousand seven hundred thirty six Pounds Eleven Shillings and Five Pence
- For the County of Wiltshire the Sum of Three thousand forty five Pounds Three Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny



For the Isle of Angelsey the Sum of Sixteen hundred thirty three Pounds Seven Shillings and Eleven Pence  
For the Borough of Brecon the Sum of One hundred seventy seven Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eight Pence  
For the Port of the County of Brecon the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Cardigan the Sum of Thirteen hundred seventy two Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence  
For the County Borough of Carmarthen the Sum of Two hundred twenty nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Four thousand one hundred and forty Pounds Three Shillings and Eleven Pence Halfpenny.

For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Two thousand three hundred thirty seven Pounds Six Shillings and Seven Pence

For the County of Denbigh the Sum of Six thousand eight hundred Pounds

For the County of Flint the Sum of Two thousand three hundred and fourteen Pounds Seventeen Shillings

For the County of Glamorgan the Sum of Seven thousand nine hundred and six Pounds Nine Shillings and Ten Pence

For the County of Merioneth the Sum of Two thousand Four hundred thirty two Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Ten Pence

For the County of Montgomery the Sum of Five thousand eight hundred fifty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Pembroke the Sum of Two thousand nine hundred ninety seven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Eight Pence Half penny

For the County of Radnor the Sum of Two thousand Six hundred ninety two Pounds and Six Shillings

And for the Town and County of the Town of Hereford West the Sum of One hundred seventy four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That towards the raising of the said several and respective Sums of Money hereby charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places as aforesaid all and every Person and Persons and all and every Constabularies or Constabularies having sitting or exercising any Publick Office or Employment of Profit (such Military Officers who are or shall be in Muster by the Masters Muster General of Her Majesties Army or in Pay in Her Majesties Army or Navy in respect of such Offices only excepted) and all and every their Agents Clerks Secretaries Substitutes and other Inferior Ministers whatsoever shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings which he or they do receive in one Year by virtue of any Salaries Gratitudes Bounty Money Reward Fine or Profit to him her or them accruing for or by Reason or Occasion of their several Offices or Employments the same to be successively imposed levied and collected in such Manner as hereafter is mentioned

II.

Persons in Office or Employment of Profit (except Military Officers in Muster or Pay in the Army or Navy) and their Agents, to pay as per Form for them Substitutes, &c.

AND to the end the full and entire Sum by this Act charged upon the several Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively as aforesaid may be fully and completely raised and paid to Her Majesties Use He is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Masters Messuages Lands and Tenements and also all Quarries Mines of Coal Tin and Lead Copper Mandick Iron and other Mines Iron Works Salt Springs and Salt Works all Allens Mines or Works all Parks Chase Wastes Woods Underwoods Coppices and all Fabricks Tithes Tolls and all other yearly Profits and all Hereditaments of what Name or Kind soever they be situate lying and being happening or arising within the several and respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or Places aforesaid respectively or within any Parts of the same as well within ancient Liberties and other Liberties and privileged Places as without and all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate Grantees Mandates Franchises and Hereditaments whether Corporate or not Corporate having or holding any such Masters Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises in respect thereof shall be charged with as much Equality and Indifference as is possible by a Personal Rate for or towards the said several and respective Sums of Money by this Act so and imposed or intended to be imposed for or upon all and every such Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or other Places hereby charged thereunto as aforesaid so that by the said Rates so to be raised or assessed for or upon the said Offices or Employments of Profit and for and upon the said Masters Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and other the Premises according to the Purport and true Meaning of this present Act the full and entire Sum hereby appointed to be raised as aforesaid shall be completely and effectually raised assessed levied and collected and shall be paid into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer by Four Quarterly Payments the First Payment thereof to be made upon or before the Four and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three

III.

Lands, Townships, Mines, &c.

to be charged with as much Equality as possible.

To be paid into the Exchequer by Four Quarterly Payments, the First Payment upon the 4th June 1703.

IV.

Where Lands are subject to Rent Charges, Annuities, &c.

the Landlords may deduct Proportion of Tax.

AND whereas many of the Masters Messuages Lands Tenements Tithes Hereditaments and Premises included by this Act to be charged with the Personal Rate as aforesaid stand incumbered with or are subject and liable to the Payment of several Rent Charges or Annuities or other annual Payments issuing out of the same or to the Payment of divers Fee Farm-Rents Rents Service or other Rents thereupon reserved or charged by action whereof the true Owners and Proprietors of such Masters Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments do not in Truth receive to their own Use the true yearly Value of the same for which nevertheless they are by this Act chargeable with a certain Pound Rate He is therefore declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Landlords Owners and Proprietors of such Masters Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments and

Furthers being charged with a Pound Rate as aforesaid to shute and defect said to remain and keep in his or their Hands out of every such Fee Farm Rent or other Annual Rent or Payment so much of the said Pound Rate which shall be taxed or assessed upon the said Messors Messuages Lands and Premises as a like Rate for every such Fee Farm Rent or other Annual Rent or Payment respectively shall by a just Proportion amount unto so as such Fee Farm Rent or other Annual Rent or Payment do amount to Ten Shillings per Acre or more And all and every Person and Persons who are or shall be any way entitled to such Rents or Annual Payments are hereby required to allow such Deductions and Payments upon Receipt of the Residue of such Rents as shall be due and payable to them for such Rents or Annual Payments taxed or charged as aforesaid

*if the Rent exceeds  
10. 10s. per Acre,  
Which Deduction  
is to be allowed  
by the Persons  
entitled to the  
Rent*

## V.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the better assessing ordering levying and collecting of the several Sums of Money so as aforesaid limited and appointed to be paid and for the more effectual putting of this present Act in Execution all and every the Persons hereafter named or such of them as shall be duly qualified according to this Act shall be Commissioners of and for the [several and respective Counties Cities'] Boroughs Towns and Places hereafter mentioned

*The Persons  
hereafter named to  
be Commissioners*

## For the Town of Bedford

The Mayor for the Time being William Spencer Edward Cantuar William Farrer Robert Bell John Spencer Esquires William Foster Doctor of Laws William Marley Francis Haas Gentlemen William Becher William Fildes Thomas Baitson Junior John Puck George Madde Thomas Wilks Aldermen William Nichols Robert Coatsman John Beaumont Henry Peck Henry Lovin Henry Whas Gentlemen

## For the rest of the County of Bedford

The Right Honourable Lord Bruce Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Aylesbury The Right Honourable Edward Lord Russell One of the Sons of William late Duke of Bedford The Honourable Robert Bruce Esquire Lord Russell another of the Sons of the said late Duke of Bedford The Honourable Robert Bruce Esquire The Honourable James Bruce Esquire The Honourable Charles Leigh Esquire The Honourable William Ashburnham Esquire Son and Heir Apparent to the Right Honourable John Lord Ashburnham Sir William Gower Sir John Napier Sir John Cotton Sir John Burgoyne Sir Thomas Alston Sir Francis Charnock Sir John Osborne Sir John Morland Sir Andrew St. John Sir Thomas Franklin Sir John Chace Sir Philip Becher Sir Philip Motson Esquires Sir Thomas Rolfe Sir John Franklin Sir James Avery Sir William Milward William Doncombe Oliver Luke William Becher Lewis Monoux Thomas Broune William Hetherden Samuel Cate Theophilus Napier (?) William Palmer Richard Stone John Vaux John Cockayne William Spencer Richard Edwards William Alston George Edwards Thomas Brumell Robert Mountague Walter Cary John Harvey of Thurlay Henry Ashley Junior Samuel Robt William Pym Humphrey Rich Charles Gery Robert Bell William Ferner [William Ferner?] of Baldretham St. John Thompson Robert Andley John Harvey of Icknoll Matthew Dennis Charles Dycock senior William Livsey Thomas Halfpenny Samuel Roden John Wagnell William Seares John Cator Nicholas Granger John Granger William Whitbread Nicholas Brimble Thomas Johnson George Bordenham Richard Orcher William Border of Western John Huxley William Becher John Bagg William Norcliffe Captain George Bag Richard Backley Maurice Alder Edward Seng Anthony Doleworthy Robert Pulleyn Paschall Livsey Richard Cockayne John Goswick Thomas Wild Thomas Chyngs John Hetherden Lewis Dove William Ferner Junior Nicholas Luke Edward Doncombe Samuel Bedford John Keyling Samuel Onley Bernard Halfpenny Joseph Edmunds Matthew Deane Anthony Errick Robert Pulleyn of St. Neots in the County of Huntingdon and William Aqua Esquires George Nades Francis Bruns Hugh Smith William Barr Thomas Arnold Thomas Beersall of Rauce William Becher John Ashcroft John Cockayne George Edwards William Marley Joseph Godfrey Henry Whitbread Thomas Baker Junior Richard Marley Joseph Godfrey Gentlemen

## For the Borough of New Windsor and the Castle there

The Mayor Aldermen and Deputy Sherriff for the Time being Doctor Gregory Richard Dean Doctor Samuel Pook M. Edward Jones M. John Handells Prebendaries of Windsor Sir John Darnell Knight one of Her Majesties Secretaries at Law John Percy John Machel Charles Aldworth William Okfield William Bowles Humphrey Gains Richard Hale George Linton Charles Pons Thomas Reeve Henry Procter Theodore Raudous Esquires Richard Hampton George Woodson William South David Carr John Brack Gentlemen John Compton Doctor of Physick The Right Honourable John Lord Viscount Fitzharding of the Kingdom of Ireland and Richard Toplam Esquire

## For the rest of the County of Berks

The Right Honourable Henry Earl of Sterling in the Kingdom of Scotland John Lord Viscount Fitzharding in the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Colonel Harry Montague Sir Humphrey Foster Sir John Symonds Sir Thomas Deper Sir William Rich Sir Henry Whitcombe Sir Walter Clerges Sir Edmund Fortplace Sir Wilioughby Anon Sir Oliver Ashcombe Esquires Sir Henry Fox Knight of the Bath Sir Simon Hauncey Sir Edward Norris Sir Christopher Wees Sir William Whistock Sir Jonathan Raymond Sir William Trumbull Sir Thomas Twiss Sir William

\* William Foster William Foster G.

\* omitted on the Roll.

Seamen Sir Henry Johnson Sir Owen Buckingham Sir Jacob Banks Knight Sir John Darrell Knight One of His Majesty's Secretaries at Law George Pei John Hardy senior John Archer Richard Nevill Richard Aldworth Richard Jones William Cherry Edward Pei Robert Pei Edmund Fitzplace Thomas Fitzplace senior Edward Dunch Henry Knight (Thomas Redwell) James Stonehouse senior Charles Garwood senior John Bagnard Francis Norris Lotrus Baynwell William Pei Tenfold Vachell Charles Fitzplace Paul Coburn junior John Higginley senior Edward Smith Robert Southby of Appleton Esquires Francis Boordick Samuel Travers Her Majesty's Surveyor General John Hardy junior Richard Pei Thomas Fitzplace junior James Parrot Anthony Hagrups John Hille of Kingstone Lots Sory Barker Esquires Thomas Beckwith [Willis'] Wharman Henry Bent John Esquires Thomas Strickland William James Esquires John Whitfield Esquires James Hays Edward Sherwood Richard Southby Thomas Turner Francis White John Southby John Whitwell Thomas Dolman Esquires Edward Stride Thomas Sepmure John Smith Robert Knight Robert Packer Esquires Wharman Dunch John Powney John Porter Henry Waterson John Pinner Samuel Whitlock John Head of Hockott William Whitlock Christopher Willoughby Robert Mayor John Wallis John Holloway William Angell William Thompson John Waldman Henry Peacock Thomas Garwood Thomas Higginley junior Thomas Harwood William Smith William Barker Charles Garwood junior Bartholomew Tipping Robert Lee Felix Calvert Robert Rich John Aldworth George Hagrups John Peacock John James of Stanford John Das John Hagrups of Wanchfield John Dalby Charles Wells Esquires Richard Knapp Nicholas Courtney Thomas Lander John Peabody of Sudbury Solomon Lifford Edward Loosden Charles Palmer Doctor of Physick Francis Parry Leonard Henry Henry Stevens George Prebble Edmund Bray Richard Bigg Charles Collins Charles Whitlock Leonard Bigg Francis Gaddard Richard Sherwood William Saint John John Hillebrand Hugh Kane Michael Hyde William Bullock Henry Foxcroft Samuel Barker Joseph Cresswell Abel Badley Ralph Howland Edward Hangerford Thomas Herne John Bigg Doctor Francis Carwell John Winder John Fittings of Inch Pea William Yeldell Robert Thompson William Hervey John Bell John Marryott Thomas Rosia Daniel Haynes Robert Jennings James Jennings Richard Skinner James Stone Charles Lamb Samuel Gower James Goodyer Raa Wallfax Richard Pei Anthony Lever Richard Sneyer William Smith Richard Blackall John Backland senior Thomas Stevens Samuel Watkinson George Lamport Henry Lamport John Thorne junior William Bowden of Reading Francis Bewne Robert Schwand John Selwood Robert Blackall Robert Greenway Richard Gill Henry Knapp Edward Coburn Richard Haw Thomas Haynes John Hardy of Littleton Samuel John Birch of Chesham Bartholomew Yate George Hagrups of Kentwood George Cain Edward Dalby Adam Smith James Quarrelton John Sibster senior John Pei Robert William Newbury Francis Piggot of West Charles Edward Pocock Thomas Strayton senior Richard Fishburne Peter Sawyer Moses Gell William Wright Charles Clarke Nathaniel Gensill Robert Mason Richard Cooper Gregory Gearing John Kane Edward Bawa John Pope junior Charles Loder Francis Loder John Rutter Thomas Oades James Maynard Thomas Cowdell James Madew Richard Lifford John Willer John Fellows Richard Portinger John Head of Langley William Dent James Brewer Doctor of Physick Thomas Jenner Allen of Bedford Benjamin Bulward William Wharman Esquires Thomas Staples Henry Nelson Henry Midup John Mitchell Richard Topham William Southby Richard Wing John Beeson Robert Tyres George Bayley Robert Hastings Walter Kane Robert Hyde Jonathan Edwards Principal of Jesus College in Oxford Richard Skinner of Alder William Gearing Thomas Tyrrell [Richard Stans of Count Robert Sawyer of Dilston] Richard Hyde of Stanfield Benjamin Tompkins John Beoker John Bush Richard Healds of Abington Thomas Yorke of East Hensled Humphrey Beckley senior Frodovalde White William Grover Robert Farns Richard Wrench of Bray John Green Joseph Buss James Quarrelton Thomas Constable of Reading Edward Jennings of Harwell Richard Carrs Charles Parry Henry Alexander also Zennet Valentine Cresson James Harrison Doctor of Physick Adam Head of Chilton John Shingbrough Esq. James King William Grover Miller of Reading Hugh Chapman Thomas Tyrrell Adam Smith Robert Neake William Neake William Sylvester William Horne Francis Knight Thomas Thorne senior William Wilder of Reading The Mayor of Abington The Mayor of Reading The Mayor of Newberry The Mayor of Walsingham The Mayor of Windsor The Mayor of Maidenhead The Alderman of Ovington for the Time being William Tyrrell of Drayton [Willis'] Tyrrell of Stanford is the Vale Owen Buckingham Esquires Henry Cresswell Colwell Beckleton Esq. Henry Prower Esquires John Horne Edward Dove Gentlemen

For the Town of Buckingham with Bonon Barton Hold Prebend End Gwercott and Lymborough

The Bayliff of Buckingham for the Time being Sir Richard Temple Sir Thomas Tyrrell Sir John Verney Sir Edmund Denton Barnum Roger Price Edward Bate William Busby Henry Andrews Edmund Darrell John Rogers Esquires Peter Paxon Doctor of Physick Thomas Hillebrand Thomas Ebermy William Hartley Alexander Ebermy William Mason Richard North Hugh Arnet Edward Parrell George Newman Charles Bant George Link Gentlemen

For the Borough of Wycombe

The Mayor Recorder Alderman Bulbills and Town Clerk for the Time being The Right Honourable Henry Lord Shelbourne of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Orlando Gee Charles Godfrey Wynneford Stryant John Spinkes Esquires John Bigg Doctor of Physick Samuel Wells George Gower John Bates Richard Bates Thomas Bigg Gentlemen

For the rest of the County of Bucks

The Right Honourable Edward Lord Russell One of the Sons of the late Duke of Bedford The Right Honourable James Lord Cavendish One of the Sons of the Duke of Devonshire The Right Honourable William Lord Viscount

Clerke of the Kingdome of Scotland The Right Honourable Henry Lord Shelburne of the Kingdom of Ireland  
 The Honourable Charles Beale The Honourable Henry Beale The Honourable Henry Paget the Honourable  
 Maurice Thompson The Honourable Godfrey Wharton The Honourable William Montagu Sir John Hobart  
 Sir Richard Temple Sir John Chester Sir Francis Garrard Sir John Packington Sir Samuel Gauntlett Sir Thomas  
 Tyrrell Sir Dennis Hangeron Sir Charles Kyrle Sir William Boyse Sir Paul [Whitlock] Sir John Conway Sir  
 John Verney Sir John Whitwong Sir Peter Tyrrell Sir Walter Clarges Sir Henry Seymour Sir Joseph Alden Sir  
 Thomas Topping Sir Edmund Denton Sir Thomas Wyndham Barreter Sir Orlando Goo Sir Cassie Wood also  
 Cresser Sir James Edwidge Sir Roger Hill Sir Robert Clayton Sir William Whitlock Sir Samuel Dukeswood Sir  
 William Pritchard Sir Marmaduke Deyrell Sir Henry Johnson Sir Owen Buckingham Sir William Scares Sir  
 Thomas Cole Sir Charles Duncombe Knights John Tharburne Jean Selby [Sergeant] at Law Richard Hopley  
 Roger Fern of Fern Thomas Pigott James Hobart Jerome Perreux Stephen Waller Duke of Laws Richard  
 Berke Cress Wood also Cresser Thomas Tyrrell Henry Tyrrell Edmund Waller Henry Noel John Beckwith  
 Francis Duncombe of Broughton Charles Godfrey Thomas Ligon of Buxton John Nicholas Johnson Cross Richard  
 Ingoldby William Furne William Drake John Parkhurst Build Wase William Cooke William Bosby Edward Hart  
 of Bell Simon Maine Nicholas Hackett Robert Dorman of Lee Edward Buse John Tynningham Wywood Surgeon  
 Richard Greenville Tynningham Beckwell John Drake Roger Price Joseph Haynes John Proby Thomas Halsey Francis  
 Tynningham John Lee William Lisle James Chase John Rogers Thomas Carter of Oakley John Linbury Barlett  
 Warren Henry Stevens Edward Leigh William Lowndes John Westworth Cresswell William Johnson Roger Chapman  
 Samuel Christie William Evelyn Heywood Dorman John Hargreaves Charles Dorman Robert Dorman of Bell Philip  
 Dorman William Dorman James Dorman of Dorton Edward Laver of Lacombe Francis Ligon William Freeman of  
 Fawcett Coast James Tyrrell of Oakley John Fokner Thomas Chapman Benjamin Lane Henry Gould Darnhall  
 Theobald Robert Tash Joseph Smeether Hugh Houghton Francis Hutton Esquires Thomas Parrot Simon Hawcutt  
 Richard Crawley Leonard Wood Thomas Lister David Baker Thomas Robinson John Woodhouse Doctor of  
 Physick Richard Allyn Brewer With Henry Andrews Thomas Sanders of Newhall John Shepherd of Lypton  
 Joseph Noel Edward Adams Thomas Eyles William Ash of East Cleydon William Russell Thomas Hill Richard  
 Clerke of Chilton Park William Cock John Dorman of Bell Edward Sayer Thomas Eyles junior John Knapp  
 Edward Lane John Dearth Henry Rouse Edmund Rouse Charles Palmer Doctor of Physick Henry Forster Patrick  
 Lamb of Stoke Poges James Tyrrell Thomas Bard Smith Doctor of Physick Henry Pevon Richard  
 Whitchurch John Spacke John Bagg Doctor of Physick Robert Woodson Philip Nave William Meyne of Haguen  
 Danson Fobbert John Povey Anthony Stuart John Winfield Richard Deyrell of Liddings Edward Fuller of  
 Sheringsford Richard Sear of Harbridge John Fellows Henry Austin John Woodlyne John Davenport Robert Gaudes  
 senior George Wells John Price Edward Rose Richard Stace Nicholas of Olney Harvey Thomas  
 Walden Thomas Bosby Doctor of Laws Michael Nevins Robert Gayer of Stoke Charles Holt Thomas Ayloffe  
 Doctor of Laws [Esquire] William Stafford William Hill of Englewood Thomas Smith of Beconfield Thomas Ligon  
 of Stoke Mandeville John Thosel of Lechloune Thomas Thosel of Little Witley Decembris of Bartfeld Henry  
 Carr Matthew Carr William Edgell John Ferren Thomas Glasse Timothy Deyrell Plaque of the Lee  
 Christopher Tawor John Hildesley Henry Harri Richard Colleson Richard Burnaby Wendon Thomas  
 Hodson Henry Culley Richard Deyrell Peter Dickenson Henry Fleisher of Harlow John Gibbons Clement Hiddington  
 Thomas Sumner Matthew Butterfield Richard Style Robert Gaudes junior Michael Sear of Marlow William  
 Hill junior of Chesham Isaac Taylor William Elliott Robert Adams of Swanbourn James Sumner John Tanner  
 Doctor of Physick Wendon William Johnson of Ivinghoe Nathaniel Southam Timothy Wingfield John Sear  
 Simon Perrysan William Nohr Charles Duns Thomas Lake of Buckland Thomas Machell Thomas Barnetfield  
 Robert Choud James Harman senior William Chaloner Joseph Glover Thomas Gibson Francis Meade William  
 Jameson John Ferren William Cannon William Bulwys Francis Johnson William Lamsborne Richard Lane John  
 Fradley John Bagg William Meade Samuel Aldridge Jonathan Hammond Edward Butterfield Barnetfield  
 of Pevon Basset George Franklin William Clark Andrew Ralcliffe John Sear William Thosel of Lechloune  
 John Webb Edmund Maza Robert Mayne of Oving Burned Holt Thomas Greene John Otley John Hill of  
 Westover Richard Harris Richard Barr John Ruse Samuel Wells John Jordan Edward Martin William Hackwell  
 Thomas Goodson John Eames George Monas William Collett Thomas Fellow Thomas Burnaby Joseph Braxton  
 William Whitmore George Grove Thomas Kidgell Isaac Gourney William Thosel of Horton William Herley John  
 Haw of Frouden John Kidgell John Ashew William Robinson Henry Eding Thomas Blake James Harman junior  
 Joseph Haw of Bar William West of Chesham William Ware of Chesham William Gyles junior Richard Keen  
 John Perryman George Dudley of Woburn Reynolds of Muck Nabrough With of Ivinghoe  
 John Cressall Goodwyns of Spetcham Thomas Brewster Roger Adams George Clarke Guntham Henry  
 Adams Esquire

## For the University and Town of Cambridge

The Vice-Chancellor for the Time being The Mayor for the Time being The Honourable Arthur Assheton  
 The Right Honourable Henry Boyle Chancellor of the Exchequer The Honourable Day Wadlow Esquire Sir John  
 Cresser Sir Henry Fekering Sir [Roushou] Collier Sir William Daves Barreter Humphrey Gower Henry James John  
 Correll Samuel Mythe Wright Thomas Scaud Thomas Barberry Charles Rodrick Nelwood Vincent  
 Gabriell Goodring John Balderson Thurlin Miles Bames James Johnson Thomas Bowers Richard Bentley  
 Thomas Green Thomas Richardson Thomas Fitzbruce William Smith Doctors in Divinity William Cooke George

\* Whitlock G.

\* Seymour G.

\* Esquires G.

\* Bachelors G.

Quenden Richard Berry William Baines Brookbank Glessen John Ennis James Johnson  
 Doctors of Law John Gorday Christopher Green John Branderick Thomas Crooke Thomas Hubbard Thomas  
 Thomas Doctors of Physick Fernando Smithays Robert Moss Henry Hawley John Long Buchanan in Divinity  
 James Holmes Andrew Marron Thomas Crouch Henry Bewles Robert Hens Jonathan Chadwick Charles Beaumont  
 More Masters of Arts Samuel Newton Thomas Evans Thomas Fox Nicholas Eagle Charles Chambers  
 John Frohock Thomas Lawson Thomas Forde William Newlin James Fletcher Thomas Feeble junior Benjamin  
 Young Thomas Fox junior Aldermen David Rawlands Granda Pigott William Downing Anthony Thompson  
 William Worts John Perrie Hugh Martin William Laper Thomas Archer junior John Webster Esquires William  
 Barre David Love Gerard Henning William Harring William Wance Samuel Newton junior Joseph Kettle James  
 Harriott Christopher Richardson Benjamin Wance William Reid Abraham Siler John Cooke Thomas Gale James  
 Waddy William Waddy Francis Percy Isaac Thornhill Thomas Allen John Deberough Thomas Sutton Nicholas  
 Apcherpe John Waddell Thomas Crabb Peter Benson William Whitman William Briggs Roger Hunt Alexander  
 Barrell Thomas Waddy Richard Jordan Gentlemen

## For the Isle of Ely

The Right Honourable Richard Lord Gages of the Kingdom of Ireland James Mearns Chief Justice of Ely  
 The Honourable Charles Berke Sir Sewster Peyton Barnet Sir Edward Turner Sir Roger Ingens Knights John  
 Chicheley Thomas Edwards junior Bailiff of the Liberty of Ely Anthony Hammond Sigismund Truillif John  
 Fardham Josiah Cadell Ralph Pimton David Rowland Ralph March William Furney James Furney John Twells  
 John Jessen Hugh Underwood Henry Yates Robert Swayne Thomas Swales John Pepps Malton Carl Simon  
 Barre Thomas Whitman John Pamphyls Robert Apocoe Edward Bellamy Edward Thompson Anthony Thompson  
 John Waddham William Brown James Wyllymet Harcourt Goodrick Henry Goodrich Deacons Bell Richard Read  
 Nicholas Malabar Thomas Fokes Richard Faler Read George Underwood Thomas Percyn Hugh Mark Esquires  
 Doctor Lambie Dean of Ely William Cooke William Bales Doctors of Law Anthony Fisher Simon Fokes Samuel  
 Garsard Esquires Francis Penn Prebendary of Ely William Caldwell Robert Twells Henry Edwards Thomas  
 Backworth Robert Baring John Tremen John Bellamy Esquires John Marshall Thomas Watson William Thorry  
 Thomas Whitman Gentlemen Doctors John Wright Philip Williams Clerk John Hylkloft Teyar Fawer Thomas  
 William Wilton Barre William Marsh William Cole John Keate George Dewane William Reed Penegric Dopley  
 Thomas Martin William Woodward Non Conferences

## For the rest of the County of Cambridge

The Right Honourable Richard Lord Gages of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Hildesheim  
 Lord Allington of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable John Lord Cotes of the Kingdom of Ireland  
 Sir Christopher Hutton Sir John Cotton Sir John Wides Sir Sewster Peyton Sir Henry Mckinney Sir Rowland  
 Colles Sir Paul Whitelocke Sir Thomas Hammers Sir John Bagnyne Sir George Dewane Sir Cove James Sir  
 William Morris Sir Samuel Clarke Beconts Sir Robert Cotton Sir Edward Turner Sir Marmaduke Deyrell Sir  
 Roger Ingens Knights Thomas Hutton Thomas With John Chicheley John Milcom Granda Pigott Edward  
 Nightingale Anthony Hammond John Bentley John Benson Deacons Martin William Furney Malton Caryl  
 Thomas Duckett John Agar Robert Hager Anthony Thompson William Laper Edward Shury Gilbert Wignam  
 John Wilton Bucks Thomas Solter John Bowdell Tyrold Dalon Matthew Hilmortly Albion Smith  
 Thomas Archer Thomas Archer junior David Rawlands Ralph Lane James Wyllymet Charles Boney Peter Sadler  
 Edward Lamb William Sedgewick Christopher Jefferson Tregentell Frampson John Pamphyls John Folter Thomas  
 Fokes William Worts John Perrie Hugh Martin William Holger Thomas Crabb John Crouch Thomas Rendish  
 Robert Thick John Gape Richard Russel Robert King Robert Kemp Roger Ranc Roger Sizer Mallesey Deacons  
 Thomas Richards of Chinterford Parke Arthur Jaclyn Henry Martin Theophilus Tyrold Charles Beyer William  
 Harvey William Evernden William Downing William Clayton Charles Shale John Pike George Whilocks Thomas  
 Beth Esquires John Barre John Keat William Ransard Gentlemen Francis Joseph William Cooke William Bales  
 Doctor Berry John Barker Doctors of Law James Smith Revue of Cottingham Allington Harmon Doctors Kirby  
 John Currier Martin Hill Clerks Alexander Barrell Isaac Deacons Robert Swan Esquires Edmund Glessen  
 Thomas Dodd Daniel Love William Catchers of Fardham John Confort John Walshing Wide  
 Maploft Thomas Leaven William Furchild Robert Cole Thomas Hagger Robert Chalin John Westrop  
 John Nerdex Westward Weld John Keate Samuel Love William Hubbard Allen Haral Gentlemen

## For the City and County of the City of Gloucester

Michael Johnson Esquire Mayor Roger Comberbach Esquire Recorder Sir Richard Leving Knight John Williams  
 Esquire William Isaac William Wilson Hugh Stukley Francis Stollern Peter Bannet William Allen Henry Bennett  
 William Bennett Thomas Reed Aldermen John Marshall Thomas Paragon Sheriffs Benjamin Crickley Robert  
 Menny Robert Hewitt John Kyrenston William Stukley Palston Potington Matthew Anderson Edward Perington  
 Aldermen Richard Addens Town Clerk Edward Stukley John Warrington Thomas Maddocks James Mallesey  
 Owen Ellis William Francis Samuel Heath Thomas Purcell Edward Palston John Baddish Humphrey Page Thomas  
 Wright Thomas Bowker William Allen William Coker Sheriffs Peter Sir John Wreden Barreant Thomas Walworth

Ducor of Law John Egerton Thomas Brookes George Booth Charles Harleton Robert Crumpton John Macey William Garsell Robert Brucewood Thomas Cooper Peter Watson Esquires Captains John Spoke John Holton Robert Calli Robert Foulke Samuel Taylor John Bridg Samuel Huxon Wilkins [Hatter?] Wilkins Macfield Genl

For the County of Chester

The Right Honourable Lyttell Earl of Dyart of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable Richard Lord Viscount Bulkeley of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable George Booth The Honourable George Cholmondeley Sir Joseph Jekyll Chief Justice of Chester Sir Salustius Lavell Sir John Trevor Master of the Rolls Sir Thomas Delva Sir William Atton Sir Thomas Stanley Sir Roger Mowbray Sir George Warburton Sir Thomas Bellier Sir Richard Brooks Sir Francis Lancaster Sir John Werles Sir Henry Bankbury Sir Thomas Mawbray Sir Paul Padar Barnard Sir Robert Cotton Knight and Baronet Sir John Crew Sir William Glagg Sir Richard Leving Knight John Cole Offley Thomas Delva Peter Leigh of Lyme Thomas Atton John Egerton John Ardour Thomas Carrum Nathaniel Booth Peter Leigh of Booths John Warren William Davenport John Lawton Richard Leigh John Allen of Bagley Edward Warren Peter Shadlockley Edward Dawson Jonathan Brown Francis Cholmondeley Roger Wilkins Peter Wilkins Robert Chalmersley Randal Williamson Thomas Hookes Thomas Vernon Richard Lytton Thomas Stevens son Thomas Stevens junior William Taven Thomas Mayneria John Davenport Charles Harleton Thomas Swetnam Edward Swetnam Thomas Ashton Edward Jodell Anna Leigh Peter Leigh Clerk Cree Offley Esquires Reginald Beetham Peter Warburton Thomas Warburton John Daniel of Dursbury Richard Widdell George Venable William Whitmore Roger Royton Edward Hyde George Lucy Henry Bradshaw Robert Beewood William Clayton Roger Whitley Thomas Leigh of Lane Thomas Leigh of Ridge John Wand of Capton George Leicous Robert Crompton Thomas Glaser junior Thomas Roloff of Newbeck William Swetnam Jean Hookshill Thomas Haddingham John Hookshill Esquires Thomas Warburton George Dodd Robert Warburton William Garsell George Langford Lawrence Booth of Twicken Edward Wright of Swetten Henry Brooke Thomas Dodd of Edge Henry Leigh junior Thomas Stanley of Swetten John Macey of Gollington John Leach of Curden Philip Egerton Clerk Thomas Highbottom William Oldfield senior Roger Conduitch Thomas Whetnall Esquires William Oldfield junior Richard Brook of Welford John Leigh John Mafford of Moulton John Parker Thomas Hale Robert Compton Richard Vernon Thomas Bennett John Worrill Francis Nelson The Mayor of Macclesfield for the Time being William Row John Hagg Richard Johnson Alderman John Goss of Poole Esquire William Beckary Esquire John Birkhead Esquire Charles Barker Robert Barker of Stoney Charles Walley Edward Dore Esquire William Hasleton Francis Elcock James Dodd Robert Hyde of Sarnes Gentlemen *Federals of Elton* Joseph Barclay Roger Mainwaring Esquire William Duvall Esquire Edward Vasey Esquire M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Chatter of Chelms M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Bruay of Buckley M<sup>r</sup> William Dodd Senior of Malpas M<sup>r</sup> John Dodd of Bangton M<sup>r</sup> Mask Descentor of Huntington M<sup>r</sup> George Wood junior of Branton M<sup>r</sup> Robert Eddow Gentlemen M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Peel of Bangton M<sup>r</sup> Robert Wacey of Coale M<sup>r</sup> Allen Hewit of Buxley M<sup>r</sup> John Brake of Aston John Dodd of Masey Gentlemen Charles Gardner Esquire of Sockley Colonel Leigh of Adlington

For the County of Cornwall

The Right Honourable Henry Lord Hild Son and Heir Apparent to Lawrence Earl of Rochester The Right Honourable John Garsell Esquire one of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council The Honourable Francis Roberts Esquire The Honourable Russell Roberts Esquire The Honourable Francis Godolphin Son and Heir Apparent to Sidney Lord Godolphin Lord High Treasurer of England The Right Honourable John How Esquire one of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Sir Richard Casse Sir Richard Vernon Sir William Coryton Sir William Godolphin Sir Peter Killigrew Sir John Saint Aubin Sir John Malverwerth Sir Nicholas Morris Sir Peter Pridmore Sir Richard Wray Sir Henry Seymour Barnard Sir Joseph Tredaniel Sir Berth Granville Sir John Cotton Sir William Sweten Knight Hugh Barnard Charles Treveton of Carhayes Charles Trenchard Richard Edgeworth Samuel Kelle George Grevelle James Zouch John Sperron Charles Godolphin John Tredaniel James Butler John Baily Joseph Sawle Robert Rolfe John Malverwerth Henry Duvall Dennis Glynn Charles Grille Thomas Viran John Nichols of Trevean John Nichols of Dowlston Anthony Nichols John Armit of Trecost Sidney Godolphin William Courtney Hugh Portocoe Edmund Pridmore Edward Elton John Pridmore John Monmouth William Nelson John Portocoe Arthur Portocoe Jonathan Trevelyan Warwick Nelson Edward (\*) junior James Kendall John Gregor Alexander Pendurva Samuel Trefess John Trevelyan Francis Bunt Hugh Poyer John Trevelyan Francis Calverdy Henry Manners John Archibald Richard Hole John Wilkous Walter Mopla Nathaniel Mayle James Frede William Baul Francis Belfair John Polvertole Nicholas Morris Edmund Poyer John Enays Richard Enay William Harle Thomas Achyn Alexander Curw John Powell William Curw Philip Mapo John Poshila John North Henry Fowning William Budge Francis Wile George Spy Henry Jont Henry Vincent Hugh Taskin Francis Manton John Courtney Richard Scobell Francis Scobell John Hicken James Kead John Hoblyn Marmion Lattrell Warwick Hawke Gregory Pene Charles Bonfield Sergeant at Law Christopher Baron Sampson Hill William Baily John Williams of Trehouse Jonathan Pridmore John Williams (\*) of Bodreck Thomas Dodson John Charles Staples Robert Thomas Waddon William Morris John Kendall Arthur Knappe William Bennett John Lower William Biking William Hareock of Henda William Sweten John Worth William Kechwick Thomas Hazle John Pateck Thomas Johnson James Knight Joseph Mache John Pridmore of Pridmore Richard Harris of Rocks Henry Boddish William Yee John

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\* of Trehouse William Williams John Williams

Teape Robert Rowe John Spacke Charles Griffin junior Henry Geger John Borchus of Padstow Edward Pease  
 of Pease John Steele Thomas Hobbs of Trevenan Thomas Colpin Henry Scobell John Varon John Hasky  
 Nicholas Courtney Paul Orchard Samuel Gilbert Charles Orchard John Bence John Omer of Sidney John Basset  
 Thomas Curw John Penrose of Monachton William Flimmonk of Boscawen John Bence Richard Trevenon of Varon  
 John Rowe of Penryn Charles Trevelyan John Fox of Varon Walter Langford of Langford Hill Francis Sme Arzila  
 George Saint Arzila Wilkes Halse Francis Penner of Tostack Peter Cookwell Thomas Carlow Sergeant at Law  
 John Assatell of Trevelyan Samuel Kempe Habon Glynn John Williams of Cernowen John Peate William Spy of  
 Bland John French William Burgeyn Heade Billy Henry Jones of Penryn Hugh Jones Esquire Charles Haddy  
 Thomas Worth Reginald Bowden Richard Jack Bennett Haddy of St. Mawes John Walter John Archer Gentlemen  
 Nicholas Keedell Clerk Esmond Gully Robert Hebbys Clerk John Cole Francis Penrose John Archer John Archer  
 junior Anthony Tanner William Vail of Trevelyan John Fisher junior Thomas Dewes Jonathan Wilber Gentlemen  
 Thomas Worth junior Maria Kilgrew Esquires Thomas Fisher Richard Dudge Gentlemen John Thomas senior of  
 St. Iac French College John Penney Peter Major John Goodall William Toller Abraham Stephens John Mark  
 junior Richard Beller Philip Mayo junior Esquires James Trevelyan Clerk Thomas Walter Gent Robert Coker  
 Merchant William Harris of Piskill

## For the County of Cumberland

The Honorable Henry Leonard Esquire The Honorable Goodwin Wharton Esquire Sir Christopher Musgrave  
 Sir John Dalton Sir Harry Fletcher Sir John Lowther Sir Richard Sandford Sir William Pennington Sir Wilfred  
 Lawson Sir Richard Musgrave Barons Sir John Balfour Sir Edward Haill Knights Joseph Pennington Christopher  
 Musgrave Sir Richard Musgrave George Fletcher James Stanhope John Agnew Wilfred Lawson Gifford Lawson  
 Thomas Grenville Richard Langley John Humeau John Dalton Leonard Dykes James Lowther John Passeney  
 Richard Haddison Per-Latus Edward Stanley Robert Carloun Richard Pennington Andrew Haddison Esq  
 Christian Anthony Humeau Thomas Langley Thomas Broughton Fithell Dykes John Foster William Gilpin Henry  
 Moncre Robert Pennington Timothy Fotherstonagh John Fotherstonagh John Sandhouse John Nicholson Charles  
 Orfar Richard Humeau Johnes Layfield Joseph Appleby James Nicholson George Innes John Salkeld Henry Fletcher  
 Christopher Dalton John Stanley Esquires Anthony Pennington William Asher William Copley Bartholomew  
 Haddison Henry Copley Green Wren Richard Eghenly Timothy Haddock James Haddock George Bell William  
 Thomason Humphrey Sandhouse and the Mayor of Carlisle for the Year being

## For the County of Derby

The Right Honorable William Lord Marquis of Hartington Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Devonshire  
 The Right Honorable the Lord James Cavendish Second Son to the Duke of Devonshire The Right Honorable  
 the Lord Roos Son and Heir Apparent to John Earl of Rutland The Right Honorable the Lord Stanhope Son  
 and Heir Apparent to Philip Earl of Cheshamfield Sir William Greely Sir Robert Buxton Sir John Harper Sir Henry  
 Every Sir Edward Coke Sir William Beestly Sir Philip Gell Sir Paul Jenkins Sir Charles Fyfe Barons Sir Simon  
 Dugg Sir Edward Alney Sir Charles Schabache Sir Richard Loring Sir Gilbert Heathcote Knights John Curzon  
 Thomas Coke John Harper Thomas Stanhope William Coke of Trevelyan Henry Gilbert Robert Sachemill Simon  
 Dugg Francis Maudslay John Low Matthew Smith Gilbert Maudslay Henry Kays John Osborne John Harpur of Lonslow  
 Alexander Stanhope Robert Willcott of Derby John Bowers Henry Gilbert junior Thomas Carchon John Every  
 Thomas Goodwin Robert Holden Edward Maudslay Paul Balfour Esquires Thomas Aleney William Horne Samuel  
 Bradshaw Middlemore Pilkington William Hanger John Richardson Samuel Richardson Robert Newton Leonard  
 Fetherston Christopher Pegg Gentlemen The Mayor of Derby for the Time being Thomas Parker Esquire Recorder  
 Thomas Carter John Brookhouse William Francis William Turner Aldermen George Burdley Joseph Parker John  
 Colborne Hugh Bateman Edward Large William Chambers Benjamin Parker William Grayson Edward Parker  
 Edmund Parker James Muttons Solomon Roberts Philip Wason John Holness Godfrey Mayall of Langley Thomas  
 Roberts Samuel Chasman Isaac Chasman Gilbert Chasman Thomas Brookhouse Gentlemen Walter Barlett George  
 Gierley John Bardon Robert Wilson of Ouseburn Robert Harding Charles James Gilbert Thacker John Allen  
 William Barnes John Wilson Philip Fyne Godfrey Clarke Robert Bardon Thomas Gierley Robert Willmott junior  
 of Ouseburn Esquires Downer William Bevine of Stratton in the Fields Esquires Rowland Coates John [Fetherston  
 William] Fetherston Cavendish of Dovedale Samuel Pole Godfrey Mayall of Bredley Thomas Bevine  
 of Bredley Robert Willmott of Duffield Richard Bates Edward Willmott of Spalden Charles Hart Rowland Gierley  
 Paul Johnell Esquires Robert Deary Ralph Deary John Hand of the Brid Walter Copeman William Lee Humphrey  
 Pegg Thomas Sheward John Bradshaw John Chalkner William Shalhouse Richard Stubbs Thomas Mham  
 Gentlemen Brooks Beestly Thomas Eppe Michael Barnes Henry Fyne John Berfield Esquires James Tait Robert  
 Dale George Lee Sampson Baker John Wingfield Francis Leigh Robert Melior John Bosham Robert Fyne John  
 Buxton Benjamin Hayward William Hopkinson Gentlemen William Eppe John Shalhouse Thomas Wright of Langston  
 George Smith Thomas Leigh Henry Bradshaw Thomas Sealford John Bagshaw Henry Bagley Alexander Ruffell  
 Esquires Thomas Wright of Eyton Thomas Bagshaw Benjamin Ashon John Southon James Sherrott Richard Bannan  
 Adam Bagshaw Henry Berfield Samuel Swann Gentlemen Samuel Pierpoint Thomas Glavin John Sawman  
 George Sawell John Wigfield Robert Kruil Robert Ashon Thomas Woodhouse Samuel Dalton Esquires Robert  
 Mowse Arthur Dukyn John Richardson of Newton The Mayor of Cheshamfield for the Time being Richard Toke

Aldermen Andrew Clayton Thomas Birley John Southam George Milward John Wingfield of Halesborough Francis Gregg Richard Hall John Dand Godfrey Watkins Paul Walker John Tarter John Hulton William Houghkins of Overton Henry Gill Ralph Barton Goulsons

For the City and County of the City of Exeter

The Mayor Aldermen and Common Council for the Time being The Right Honourable Sir Edward Seymour Baronet Comptroller of Her Majesties Household and one of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council The Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Exeter for the Time being Sir John Elwell Knight Thomas Gifford Sergeant at Law William Maria Thomas Northmore Robert Woolcombe James Glyde John Belfield Francis Drex Barntons at Law Thomas Warehouse John Osmund William Maggrave William Holwell John Walsord Doctors of Physick Robert Walker Nicholas Martin Jeger Radcliffe Nicholas Bocking Richard King John Hicks Esquiers Isaac Gibbs William Mathews William Ekins Samuel Paine Thomas Mitchell Francis Cooke Truroes Bowdage Philip Hooper Thomas Somers Jerome King William Jope Benjamin Jey George Knowling Julius Deeds Jonathan Ivey William Bargeyne Nathaniel Guler Peter Bainsall Charles Alden John Pryn Edward Chubb Roger Prowse Jacob Rowe John Bloombrooke John Pyle Richard Avelil William Speye Clement Walker Henry Dart Francis Oliver Edward Crosse Nathaniel Rowland Francis Worch Richard Veal Samuel Edwell

For the County of Devon

The Honourable the Lord Edward Russell The Honourable Lord Robert Russell The Honourable Lord James Russell Sons of the late Duke of Bedford The Honourable William Ashburnham Son and Heir Apparent of The Right Honourable John Lord Ashburnham The Right Honourable John Grenville The Right Honourable Sir Edward Seymour Comptroller of Her Majesties Household Sir Peter Prideaux Sir George Chudleigh Sir Francis Drake Sir John Pole Sir Francis Northcote Sir William Drake Sir Arthur Chichester Sir William Courtney Sir William Davy Sir Hugh Achard Sir Nicholas Marzess Sir Walter Young Sir John Trevilsham Sir William Corkin Sir Thomas Parr Sir Thomas Lear Sir John Rogers Baronets Sir John Rolle Sir Henry Fene Sir Simon Leach Knights of the Bath Sir John Howell Knight Henry Thomas Samuel Rolfe Robert Rolle Richard Edgcombe Richard Hale George Parker Richard Duke William Cary James Courtney George Courtney William Courtney Henry Courtney John Courtney Jonathan Prideaux Dennis Rolle Gilson Haydon Gilson Heydon junior Richard Case John Northcote John Hicks William Langford John Cholwich Charles Fennesse William Harris John Harris of Wortham Nicholas Harris Roger Woolcombe William Heydon Christopher Savory Thomas Northmore Gilbert Yerd Henry Munton Henry Chichester William Holwell Doctor of Physick John Bidgood John Quirk Edward Clerk John Gifford John Gifford junior Richard Lee William Calman Henry Walsord John Sanford William Fowell William Eggart Sampson Hale Thomas Drex John Woolcombe Edward Yerd Edward Yerd junior John Coppleston Edward Yerd of Treverton Boer Nicholas Fry Edmund Walwood John Annett Arthur Truscombe Arthur Truscombe junior John Achard Richard Achard Thomas Keop Hugh Fortescue (1) John Shapling Hugh Stafford Thomas Stafford Charles Trelverny John Pullestin George Pownood Thomas Berr Josias Calmady John Williams Hugh Stafford junior Humphrey Gilbert John Worth Richard Norman John Sparks Charles Parker Thomas Gibon Nicholas Hooper John Pratt Serjeants at Law Nicholas Ashford George Maggrave John Forster Thomas Clevedon John Martin John Harris of Mannaton Thomas Melrosek Edmund Pellenstin Peter Berr Richard Osborne Richard Spence Hugh Stevens John Barnfield Ellis Barlett John Hindary William Drake George Yeo Francis Gwin Thomas Dutton John Fry John Trelverny of Ham John Hoblyn John Prideaux George Rilar Lee Courtney Cooker Henry Annett Edward Holwell Andrew Quick Samuel Wooten Thomas Waa William Page John Coffin Robert Fry John Leigh Richard Balliet Thomas Southcott Robert Marwood Gilbert Fry James Young Robert Arary John Arrett Adrian Sweet Robert Walcock Thomas Chalwech Henry Hicks Nicholas Fardon Walter Shapcott Richard Hiffenden Nicholas Rooper Edmund Rooper Thomas Pulman Nicholas Martin Alexander Clarke Thomas Postwood William Morris William Russell William Dyer Thomas Parker Anna Crosser Jasper Radcliffe John Spacott Arthur Champneys John Eastchurch George Bennett Christopher Bak Walter Bogan John Sparway Peter Atkins Anthony Salter John Grevoy Francis Sheppard Andrew Davy Richard Brook Richard Duke junior Samuel Tansie Benjamin Oliver Richard Brode Southcott Luttrell Arthur Kelly Edward Ford Henry Southcott Samuel Rolle of Harston Richard Whiddon John Davy Marshall Apes William Sparks William Downe John Hache John Langford Christopher Lettbridge Richard Nantome Isaac Behnel William Sumner Arthur Culme William Harris of Packwell Henry Mace John Upcott Matthew Jenkins John Dodge Henry Parnyear John Page William Ouseburn William Hallye William Gilbert Richard Bembegg John Bigdon John Raymond Richard Dodge James Northleigh John Brown George Trelverny John Benn Edward Wood Thomas Pyas Doctor of Physick William Bell Nicholas Teist Barbotlowe Anthony John Gray John Fortescue David Leag Thomas Bond William Gilbert William Chelwich Marka Dells John Hayne Coralline Heyne Thomas Gibbs Robert Edgcombe junior Giles Yerd Richard Fowkes Richard Berr Richard Saunders John Ross George Cockman Thomas Hale Frederick Here Nathaniel Horn John Corbridge William Williams John Hale Arthur Salt Ledger Thomas Warren Richard Mallock Nathaniel Cleveland Edmund Pridmore Richard Reynolds Roger Forester Nicholas Brookings Joseph Oliver William Pownock Edward Pyas Thomas Wood Roger Gifford Peter West John Elm Robert Culmore Robert Elm John News Thomas West William Martin senior Abraham Dennis John Rawleigh Philip Dutton Nathaniel Spy Henry Jackson John Northleigh Hugh Seric Walter Hale Barbotlowe Gidley John Synkin John Herman of Plymouth John Jacob



Thomas Carew Thomas Mitchell John Hatfield William Churchcock John Rogers Joseph Webb William Davies Samuel Shadlock John Stackley John Backwyn Arthur Chichester John Traversen William Wood John Angier John Doble William Isaac William Hockwaine Clement Bowdage Richard Dyer Francis Dew John Roope of Midon Roger Cheeke John Weymouth Arthur Fyne Samuel Cooke William Neel Thomas Pearce John Rowle Mallock John Berington William Cooper Peter King Richard Lee junior Daniel Mitchell John Bason John Bennett John Thoms Samuel Pease Robert Berry Francis Proughly Thomas Dyer junior John Merton Richard Coppland Martin Sider Esquire The Mayor of Plymouth The Mayor of Bournemouth The Mayor of Bithfield The Mayor of Tenness The Mayor of Tinsown The Mayor of Torington The Mayor of Darimouth The Mayor of Seesh Neashon The Mayor of Ockington The Mayor of Plynton for the Time being

## For the County of Dorset

The Honourable Henry Thyns The Honourable Maurice Ashley The Honourable William Ashburnham Esquires Sir John Poole Sir Nicholas Napier Sir Charles Napier Sir Richard Newman Barons Sir John Nicholas Knight of the Bath Sir John Mordaunt Sir Jacob Smith Sir William Phippard Knights Thomas Strangways Thomas Chafin Henry Petreton Charles Churchill Lieutenant General Thomas Erie Major General Samuel Rolle Nathaniel Napier Richard Fennes William Steele George Churchill Thomas Trouchart Edward Nicholas John Baskin George Pitt Michael Harvey Richard Brodripp Robert Bowne of Frangan John Merton Playdell William Okeley Edward Seymour John Williams Francis Mohan Robert Seymour William Derrick Thomas Ryves Harry Constable Anthony Derrick Thomas Turberville Thomas Fife William Bowles senior William Whisker Giles Frempton John Mitchell junior John Bell Edward Berkeley Robert Fiske Thomas Fiske Robert Oxenbridge Richard Bingham Hugh Hodgkin John Ennaceant Hugh Chedburgh Charles Harris Gilbert Mohan of Fines John Mitchell John Abington William Floyer Anthony Floyer Thomas Kilmear William Gulstham Richard Evans George Dunsbury William Lawrence John Gould William Weston James Gould William Fildell Robert Honey of Stowupole Thomas Bower Richard Henrile Thomas Gaudy Henry Harley Nicholas Hardy William Bennett of Gubraia Richard Ross Robert Pope Henry Chafe William Bragg junior M. Kent of Wincell Richard Hilder Thomas Gallap Avarham Churchell Robert Brodripp Thomas Meach Anthony Starr John Fisher George Perry Simon Whetcombe William Wake George Wood Thomas Seaward Robert Stephens William Fiske Robert Calliard Nathaniel Read Sergeant at Law William Bennett of Hartgrove Nicholas Bowne Andrew Loder junior Henry Chapman Richard Churchell George Barber Christopher Pitt Doctor of Physick John Pitt Thomas Cockran John Tregowell of Anderton Robert Gould James Gould of Upway John Churchell William Hall Francis Hall Roger Montgomerie John Richards Henry Arnold of Basington John Miller Thomas Gilbert of Poethland John Pike Lewis Cockran Robert Burnidge John Edwards Tregowell Francis William Mager Anthony Elston Richard Wadden John Sugravy Doctor of Physick Solomon Andrews Daniel Dugdale Robert Swaine Robert Barker John Fry Thomas Hawkes Thomas Williams Philip Taylor Merchant The Mayors of Dorchester Shaftsbury Weymouth and Melbourn Regis Corle Warham and Llane Regis for the Time being The Bailiffs of Blandford and Bournemouth for the Time being George Jagger Robert Russell John Ode George Mallins Christopher Collier Simon Orchard Thomas Cooper of Sherborne George Stride John Foy of Badmense Robert Fry Philip Calderon George Winkham Edward Cavell William Collier Thomas Chapman James Hall William Fish William Rose Edward Kennell William Shephard Thomas Shephard George Leven William Lewis John Pech Thomas Ross of Parlock George Gould of Bushall Robert Combes John Birchwood Robert Hensley Courtney Crocker John Pettenger Peter Walter Nathaniel Smith Peter Bathcombe John Vincent of Pothington George Hayter William Harding John Whitcombe Richard Channing of Cropton William Tassent Edward Herdell Edward Norton Samuel Whitcombe David Arbuthnot Jonathan Edwards William Bowles junior William Weston junior John Burnidge John Serrell of Tarnon John Oldfield of Dorchester John Salt Lee William Bell John Taver Merchant of Dorchester Alexander Piffeld Esquire

## For the Town and County of Poole

Sir William Pilgand Knight William Breamble John Carter squire Shadlock Besle Messrs Davell Thomas Smith Joseph Waddles Thomas Hyde John Gyger Robert Bennett George Leving

## For the County of Durham

The Honourable Charles Montague Esquire High Sheriff The Honourable Lord William Poulett Second Son of the late Duke of Bolton The Honourable Gilbert Vane Esquire eldest Son of the Lord Bessard Robert Dorrner Esquire Temporal Chancellor Sir Christopher Montgrevie Knight and Baronet Sir Ralph Cole Sir Henry Lyddell Sir Thomas Willmann Sir James Clavering Sir Richard Southwell Sir John Cosgely Sir Robert Eden Sir William Blackett Barons Sir Ralph Carr Sir Robert Stafo Sir William Bowne Sir Henry Bellays Sir Francis Make Knight The Honourable Deane Musgrave Dean of Durham D. Brookbrook Spectral Chancellor Doctor Gray D. George Whander Doctor Graham D. Morda Doctor Bagshaw Doctor Adams D. Henry Doctor Dobson Doctor Smith Doctor Bown M. Pickering Prelates The Honourable M. Archbishop Booth D. Harwell Henry Langston Esquire Attorney General William Lambton Lyonnell Vane James Darby Thomas Congress Mark Stafo Robert Spurlly William Bromley Richard Murgave John Mutton William Bellingham John Tempest Ralph Headworth Robert Wright Robert Bown Robert Jamison James Clavering John Hilton George Marshall Robert Elston Francis Carr William Synobar Charles Howard William Carr Henry Lyddell John Clavering James Clavering junior Charles Wren George Bown Rowland Pace Esquires Frevil Lambton George Bown Solicitor General Ralph Lambton John

Morles William Emerick Alexander Dutton Ralph Carr Anthony Selvin William Thelton Anthony Emerick Christopher Sanderson Richard Middleton John Carr William Kington William Wilkinson John Gilbert John Middleton Thomas Welfason Esquire John Sperrman Under Sheriff Thomas Mackintosh Cuthbert Bowers John Elms Ralph Hursey Francis Blackston Clerk The Mayor of Durham The Mayor of Stockton for the Year being Ralph Jacobson Esquire Anthony Hall John Harrison Edward Fawkes John Richardson M. A. Apoll Alderman Twined Ralph Stephenson John Gordon Ralph Paxton Robert Carr junior Thomas Brass George Heath Richard Robinson Arthur Fremont John Middleton George Croder William Shaw John Hodgson junior John Sperrman junior James Cooke Wilkes Ashman Francis Baker John Harrison Ralph Hawley Thomas Sharps John Stevenson John Hense Henry Woolfe Thomas Watson Robert Chilton John Martin Ralph Holmes Gabriel Newhouse John Rowell Peter Barwell Richard Southover Gabriel Swanton John Thomson George Cox Perrell Fomer James Clayton John Shook Francis Evelyn Timothy Wright Henry Eden Samuel Barton Thomas Blacket Richard Bonner William Buchanan Simon Gilpin Clerk Matthew Hanco Bernard Doughty Thomas Honeck John Kasse Thomas Sanderson Thomas Barleton Thomas Smith Gentleman Nicholas Greenwood Samuel Oyle Edward Delaval Esquire George Ord of Longridge William Tapher Esquire William Selby of Beale George Watson of Gostwick Christopher Strangeways of Clonwick William Christian Esquire Dr. Tho: Wharton Thomas Huxley Thomas Grey of Marston William Johnson Robert Sutton Robert Watson William Frewer William Ord Thomas Ord Gent: Thomas Owm Francis Talbot of Beale Thomas Neph of Candour Esquire Bernard Fensick Gentleman Francis Woodroffe of Brillingham Clerk Doctor Aldin John Richardson Gent:

For the West Riding of the County of York

The Right Honourable the Lord Marquis of Harrington Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Devonshire William Leed Poewler Brother to the Duke of Bolton George Leed Viscount Countess of the Kingdom of Ireland Henry Leed Viscount Barons of the Kingdom of Ireland Thomas Lord Fairfax of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable Henry Boyle Esquire Chancellor of the Exchequer and One of Her Majesties most Honourable [Privy] Council The Honourable Sidney Wortley Messing The Honourable Goodman Wharton The Honourable Thomas Wrenworth The Honourable Henry Fawkes Esquires Sir George Serle Sir John Dalton Sir William Strickland Sir Henry Goodrich Sir John Armitage Sir John Kay Sir William Kersey Sir John Reed Sir John Ingley Sir Bryan Stapleton Sir Henry Marwood Sir Thomas Freshland Sir George Cooke Sir Geoffrey Copley Sir Walter Henslow Sir Lyon Pilkington Sir Bradwardine Jackson Sir John Wrenshaw Sir Edward Blacket Sir John Middleton Sir George Tanspet Sir Rowland Wren Sir William Ramsden Sir John Wrenworth Sir Hugh Seddons Barons Sir Jonathan Jennings Sir Richard Osbaldeston Sir William Hunter Sir Alexander Dugby Sir William Lowther Sir Thomas Tossell Sir Charles Duncombe Knights John Goodrich Arthur Key Richard Murgrove William Blaken Robert Mowdoun Christopher Tunkard William Wrenworth Thomas Harrison William Lowther William Pitman Robert Buxley William Osbaldeston Richard Beaumont of Wilder Robert Moleworth Cyril Arklington Walter Calverly Esquires William Perpetual Jerome Perpetual Thomas Lister of Thosson Ambrose Paday Reginald Gosham Thomas Foxton Thomas Thurnall of Faby Wilbury Norton Christopher Stockdale John Fairfax Robert Fairfax John Henslowe Charles Osborne Isaac Knight Arthur Ingram Thomas Ingram Denall Oakes Francis Felcombe Thomas York John Ramsden Thomas Viner William Vennor Henry Steyphen Ingelton Leeds Bernard Grenville William Wombell John Lister Robert Hesk Thomas Lister of Woddy Benjamin Wade William Nevill Geoffrey Boreille William Innes John Bright of Baldsworth John Aitchy Esquires Edward Thompson of Marston Henry Thompson of Kirby William Wakham Henry Edwards William Horne Thomas Freeman Richard Washington Roger Hithman Tunkard Robinson James Farrer Thomas Dodson Henry Booth Miles Sturdy Henry Cooke Hugh Smithson John Bradshaw Robert Bessons Robert Melford Christopher Adams Jerome Eyre John Gail Thomas Soames Thomas Wren Edward Parker John Bolter Francis Nevill junior John Watfall John Tucker Richard Thompson Richard Winton Bryan Sanderland Thomas Barker Anthony Barber Richard Soame Simon Soame William Jennings Esquires Samuel Mellich Telfus Hursey Boysson Boynton John Berderson John Tinsley John Walker of Hedingley John Hatfield of Loughton William Norton Richard Stann Thomas Berderson Anthony Duncombe Rowland Norton Mark Stiles John Sinshope of Grounsome Henry Cover Nathaniel Pake Thomas Kike Robert Farnall John Rodes John Aitch John Strouer John Shupe Francis Lindsey William Ellis senior William Ellis junior William Beckwith Simon Parker John Hurry John Bat Richard Shazleworth Thomas Holesse Thomas Spencer of Astcliffe John Wrenston Jonathan Sandilands Roger Newell Leonard Childers John Sinshope of Borthforth John Sinshope of Easwell junior Thomas Wadley John Wilkinson of Grounsdale Ralph Lowther Robert Lowther of Ackworth Andrew Wilkinson Reginald Heber George Twiss Thomas Rookley Lyovell Copley Thomas Boke Francis Fawkes John Cabell Richard Trester Roger Coates Richard Wynn Edmund Norton Robert Frank Thomas Chappell Esquires Doctor Wyvell Dean of Rippon Richard Richardson Doctor of Physick [Several Theophrast Doctor of Physick] John Neal Physician William Ingram Robert Barlow William Hatfield Thomas Robinson John Hatfield of Hatfield John Miter of Padley Richard Hutton of Padley Robert Parker John Copley James Greenwood Henry Greenwood John Gicks Jonathan Lee Thomas Edmunds senior Sandford Arthington Thomas Edmunds junior Richard Ewer William Sotherton Nicholas Henslowe William Tatham William Richardson Jonathan Ashkin William Wren John Spencer of Cawood John Wharley Stephen Wilkes Rob Skelton Robert Spaine George Westy of Gildt Henry Espe of Beasley John Dwyly Hugh Taylor Samuel Walker William Swale Richard Thompson William Rosdall of Sowerby William Green of Thaxter Cicle Graze John Brook of Dodsforth Clerk John Wilkes of Halifax Clerk Benjamin Farnad of Harles Thomas Barlow Thomas Wilson of Borthall Hall Edward Langly

<sup>1</sup> G. 682.

<sup>2</sup> entered on the Roll.

Thomas Craven Richard Lowther Merchant Thomas Gill Andrew Haldie John Wright John Worsley George Woodys William Horrocks of Osgreave under George Ellis Edward Goodwin Thomas Marriot John Sney John Bright of Banner Cross under Abraham Langley of Presby Green John Bright of Banner Cross James Robert Ware Nathaniel Wainhouse Clerk John Wain William Brook of Lanes Francis Elwick Lawrence Kighley Thomas Cohen Colthart Chambers Patience Wad Gregory Fals William Fawcett Robert Isaac Richward West Captain John Bedford Pethall Fish Robert Bell Christopher Goadsorge John Waterhouse Thomas Waterhouse James Christopher Devous Richard Ware Thomas Thompson Elkanah Rich Samuel Trement William Buxfield Joseph Jukes William Backs Edmund Watson Michael Furb James Knowler Peter Hall William Beaumont Thomas Poles of Bury William Appleford William Cattan Thomas Thomsom Francis Barlow Robert Wood Theophilus Shelton John Blackburs John Catta William Hardesty Christopher Weatherhead Richard Booth William Lapidge John Thomsom of Barns Matthew Prince Robert Seaton of Gainshope William Newbold Henry Fowen Nicholas Wolstenholme George Rhodes John Richardson of Woodhall Thomas Sower Charles Wilkison Edward Stanhope of Bolton Samuel Sayer [John Sayer] Thomas Elwick Edward Farwell of Harden Henry Irwin Thomas Trye William Thomsom John Talbot Robert Colclard John Wierop of East Tanfield John Jackson The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of Presbiter for the Time being The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of Doncaster for the Time being The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of Rippon for the Time being The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of Leeds for the Time being Edward Wartley John Woodroffe Edmund Starkey Esquires

For the North Riding of the County of York

The Right Honourable the Lord Marquess of Harrington Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Devonshire The Lord William Paulet Brother to the Duke of Bolton Henry Lord Viscount Downe of the Kingdom of Ireland Thomas Lord Fairfax of the Kingdom of Scotland The Honourable Goodwin Wharfen The Honourable Henry Fairfax Esquires The Right Honourable Sir John Leveson Gower Baronet Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster and One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council The Right Honourable John How Esquire One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Sir Marmaduke Wyvell Sir Griffith Boynton Sir William Feale Sir Charles Hobbes Sir William Strickland Sir John Bell Sir Bryan Snyghen Sir John Napper Sir Philip Spelman Sir Wadsworth Payer Sir Thomas Strickland Sir Henry Marwood Sir William Cayley Sir Christopher Wadsworth Sir William Chapter Sir Thomas Pennington Sir Edward Blackett Sir James Brookes Sir Hugh Southey Sir William Robinson Sir John Worsworth Sir William Lowther Sir Walter Harkworth Baronets Sir Richard Oshalden Sir William Hender Sir Henry Bellasis Sir William Bown Sir Abrarap Dabry Sir Charles Dancombe Knights William Milnes William Blackett Thomas York Christopher Stockdale James Darcy John Ashby Robert Barby William Thompson Thomas Compers Edward Thompson James Pennington Arthur Cayley William Oshalden Cornelius Cayley Acklam Milbanks John Milbanks Henry Frankland William Chulmer Henry Thompson Henry Mearl John Wastall John Heron Francis Wyvell Roger Talbot Francis Perkins Esquires Ralph Lowther Charles Tasker Arthur Ingram Thomas Croft Thomas Worsley Leonard Beck John Gibson Richard Stokes Daniel Lawless John Hall John Heyman Richard Prete Richard Darby Thomas Poles William Pennington George Wright Edward Buxton William Kerton John Wyvell Thomas Stillington William Moore Hugh Bethel Edmund Haselton William Tanchard Charles Turner Thomas Harrison Timothy Madenier Thomas Mearl Layton Fowen Charles Balfour William Dickenson Thomas Wilkison Christopher Wilkison Thomas Gower Charles Allman George Norton Rowland Norton Christopher Perrybay Thomas Robinson Esquires Thomas Robinson of Raskely William Robinson John Mearl of Bithurst Richard Mearl John Talbot William Revely Leonard Thompson James Wilkes Robert Crossfield Robert Squire Francis Crossfield Roger Colvile Benjamin Furnas Nicholas Compers William Kirbington William Wakefield Matthew Ashby Reginald Graham Thomas Balfour Rowland Place Ralph Heyton Thomas Gurnea Robert Fairfax Thomas Langley Henry Bernard William Rowdell Thomas Burton Thomas Rabus John Harland Richard Harland William Beckwith Thomas Hurdstone Roger Gale Esquires Francis Penbarn Clerk James Coopers Ralph Bell John Ward Nathaniel Harrison Gentleman William Wad George Palfrey Ralph Parter John Robinson Roger Lee Thomas Lonsdale of Sawley Daniel Smith Henry Wilkison Thomas Thomsom John Robinson of Keady Richard Allston Francis Walford John Darby Thomas Dalton Edward Carr John Kildewell William Robinson junior James Colclard Robert Newton James Heyden Thomas Solmes William Ford John Saunders William Barden William Talbot John Peison Henry Place Robert Bell Robert Mils Thomas Stokes of Sawley [John] Wierop of East Tanfield John Worsley of Gately James Wane Thomas Patridge Ralph Toward Thomas Beckwith Edward Beckwith William Bane Robert Ward of Stakesley William Ward George Bawes James Robinson Francis Hickson Gorburne The Mayor Aldermen and Recorder of Richmond for the Time being The Bailiffs and Recorder of Scarborough for the Time being Paul Bate John Robinson Gentlemen

For the East Riding of the County of York

The Right Honourable the Lord Marquess of Harrington Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Devonshire The Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Downe of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Fairfax of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable Henry Boyle Esquire Chancellor of the Exchequer and One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Sir Griffith Boynton Sir Charles Hodson Sir William Strickland Sir William D. Quintin Sir William Paker Sir Robert Haldyrd Sir Thomas Radstone Sir John Legard

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Sir John Napier Sir Lyon Pilkington Sir Godfrey Copley Sir Thomas Frankland Sir John Wentworth Barons, Sir Michael Wharton Sir Matthew Pearson Sir James Boddish Sir Richard Osbaldson Sir William Hunter Sir Charles Dancow Sir Robert Constable Knight Fairfax Northcote William Osbaldson Ingley Daniel William Gifford William Thompson William Gos Henry Gay Charles Osborne Elicker Boddish John Ransden William Palmer James Habbelsweil Ralph Warren Charles Walton Charles Denmark Champion of England Edward Bernard Hugh Bethell Thomas Haskett Walter Strickland Robert Menckton Richard Bethell Thomas Langley Robert Packer Richard Kensington Richard Gee Ralph Grey Thomas Aldred Edward Hutchinson Tobias Jenkins Humphrey Rahaman of Thildert Walter Grogens John Taylor Toly Hudson junior Frances Annisley Thomas Wansley Thomas Sillington Thomas Southby Colonel Gilly Edward Thompson John Moyer William Moore Robert Holts William Haster Esquires Henry Thompson Leonard Thompson William Hedden Thomas Candon Thomas Wakefield Robert Crumpton William Aldworth Christopher Percypay James Haster William Dawson Yorborough Constable William Llew Benjamin Overton Bernard Lister Robert Squat William Pearson John Pearson Robert Haster Thomas Gos Thomas Lazen Charles East Richard Darby William Widdham Henry Bernard William Dunper William Dickinson Anthony Doncombe William Southson William Rosendell William Gilly justice Esquires Hodgson Johnson Doctor of Physick Capula Robert Fairfax Captain James Berry Richard Mease Edward Bower William Bower John Bower William Withers Pelly Withinson Thomas Kikaby Leonard Robinson Thomas Hart Frances Hare John Kikaby Francis Elwick Robert Mle of Wintow Robert Mason under Thomas Norton Humphrey Robinson of Beckton Christopher Tatham John Overton Nathaniel Harrison Thomas Myers Thomas Swinburne Mark Kirby John Bacchus Marston Bacchus William Crooke Nathaniel Rogers Thomas Nicholas Henry Rabes Philip Goodrell James Hunt John Thompson Charles Searwill John Dickinson Matthew Ashmole Edward Wilbert Gentlemen The Mayor Aldermen and Recorder at Kingston upon Hull for the Time being [The Mayor Aldermen and Recorder of Beverley for the Time being] The Mayor Aldermen and Recorder of Heddon for the Time being

For the City and County of the City of York

The Lord Mayor Aldermen Recorder and Sheriffs for the Time being Lord Viscount Downe of the Kingdom of Ireland Thomas Lord Fairfax of the Kingdom of Scotland The Honorable Mr. Esch Dean of York The Honorable Goodwife Wharton Sir Henry Goodrick Sir Lynall Pilkington Sir Henry Marwood Sir James Brooke Baronets William Stuckert Doctor of Divinity Henry Watkinson Doctor of Laws Henry Stappin Edward Thompson Thomas Hutton John Aubrey John Sharpe John Moyer Richard Rosendell Robert Fairfax Henry Thompson Richard Wynn Leonard Thompson William Widdham Roger Gale John Taylor Thomas Holmston Esquires William Tanshous William Garforth Thomas Thompson Francis Dawkworth Christopher [Hutton?] Emanuel Jackson Nathaniel Wilson Richard Reimolds Thomas Harrison William Colleson Robert Spire Nicholas Sagar Richard Hewitt Thomas Empson Robert Oates Christopher Bessy Robert Waller William Holmston John Dandy Robert Gellard Ambrose Bedworth John Batten William Mortimer John Besset Samuel Beaton Gentlemen

For the Town and County of Kingston upon Hull

The Mayor Aldermen Recorder and Sheriff for the Time being The Wardens of the Trinity House for the Time being Sir Griffith Boynton Sir William S. Quaker Barons Sir Michael Wharton Esq. William Melzer William Gilly William Dawson John Legard Ingley Daniel Luke Lilington James Barry Lamerclott Roger Esquires Mark Kikaby William Hopes William Crooke Nathaniel Rogers James Howd Everson Thewen John Thornton Marston Bacchus Towers Walle John Collier Michael Baily Edmund Dancow William Mle Andrew Parrott Gentlemen Joshua Scott John Watson Thomas Broadley Gentlemen

For the Town of Malden

Thomas Gibson Gentlemen Sir Charles Barington Esq. Bayliffs Anthony Brumston Esquire Hugh Steward Mountford Brumston William Piche Edward Bullock John Bullock Esquires John Conryne Esq. Recorder William Rosson Clerk John Cookwell John Paul Samuel Ford Peter Robyent Hugh Brown Gentlemen Aldermen Zachariah Taylor Gentlemen James Yarrowe Town Clerk John Stephens John Brockwood Thomas Bone Roger Forrest Stephen Carter Thomas Gosh Isaac Francis Chamberlain Matthew Whitacre John Lawley Jack Barlett Alexander Lindsey Thomas Alexander Gray Nurse Clerk William Foulger

For the Town of Colchester

The Mayor Aldermen and Recorder for the Time being Sir Charles Barington Esq. Sir Thomas Davall Sir Thomas Cooke Sir Isaac Rebow Knight John Eldred John Shaw Isaac Sells Joseph Thornton Samuel Reynolds Thomas Ruse Hope Gifford Thomas Green Samuel Brewman Robert Moore Esquires John Benson Thomas Tharson Doctors of Physick The Upper Governors of the Bay Hall for the Time being John Serll Benjamin Cook John Freeman Richard Dorel Samuel Goss Stephen Kiggs James Lawrence John Rax George Clarke and Matthew Scribner Gentlemen Edward Beckwith Joseph Cusfield Nathaniel Culley Thomas Bennett Clarke Thomas Boyle George Harrison Gals Gock Gentlemen

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Taylor Esquires Robert Wild Timothy Laney John Bennett of Withers Samuel James Esquires Robert Thompson William Cox junior William Stokes John King Gentlemen Benjamin Rockaby William Kiffin Thomas Horne Esq; Sir Henage Pemberton Baronet Henry Featherstone William Spencer Esquires Edward Ardmore Jeron Richardson Thomas Mitchell James Clarkson Samuel Fowler Richard Tye of Harwich Peter Brington John Ruggles Samuel Thosher James Lamb Joseph Wyle William Francis Samuel Thompson William Stebbing Gentlemen William Dyer Godfrey Wolase Esquires Doctor Robert Cary William Beaupre Daniel Hennesden John Hollingworth Edward Hawke Robert Martell Esquires Edward Sabrey Marchant Richard Stanes William Stanes of Kew-Fall Thomas Wrenow Esquires Tho. Beaupre John Seale Gentlemen Daniel Beale Jonathan Ashmore Esquires M. Joseph Avery M. Edward Jocelyn of High Reding M. John Deane William Midway Esquires M. Nathaniel Gullif M. John English M. Michael Bart M. Charles Bernard of Shenfield Thomas Thomson Doctor of Physick M. John Reynar Sr Thomas Millington Knight John Beaupre William Beery John Taylors Esquires Captain Zachariah Taylor Samuel Fish Gentlemen Richard Ingham William Calvert Esquires Richard Reynolds George Crowder Gentlemen Thomas Webster James Westley Colonel John Farwell Thomas Wylde Anthony Collins Edward Clarke Thomas Rema James Guleson Richard Guleson Thomas Cox Langyng Rahow Thomas Rose Nathaniel Lawrence Justice Peter Whitcombe Kinard Delabere William Spragg James Inneson Peter Tenck John Cooper Aggert Hart Andrew Bayley James Lockhart Francis Hart Captain John Bonnell Timothy Felton Cromwell Dutton John Dwyer of Horsechurch Thomas Searcy Esquires William Wood of Hasted William Thompson Thomas Ruben Gentlemen Stephen Beckingham Esq. M. William Dunbar William Glencock Edmund Harphreys George Fish John Dwin Nathaniel Marlowe Esquires Richard Thoroughgood Esq; Robert Rob Richard Cockerill Thomas Wessmore Roger Hasted Thomas Green Thomas Harrington Gentlemen Robert Brawson senior Robert Bletzer junior Esquires George Puckin Robert Hewitt Samuel Strangin Robert Heyburn William Mead Matthew Hincherton Esquires D. Thomas Hinchon David Hinchon Edmund Clark D. Knightley Charnock M. Wilber Barker of Dedham John Gould Esq; Richard Dyott Edward Rigby Thomas Wrenow James Houlton George Finch Simon Thoroughgood of Ramford Esquires Thomas Richmond John Scarpe John Hatcher of Yildham Gentlemen Sir Orlando Bridgman Baronet Sir Jonathan Anderson Knight John Nicholson Thomas Oleson Captain John Bromwell James Bepe John Thoroughgood Leonard Hart Robert Moore Esquires John Freeman Thomas Goodall Thomas Eversand Benjamin Cook John Foster of Worningford Francis Smith of St. Quith Gentlemen Sir Stephen Evans Knight Captain Robert Dorell Thomas Lake Offspring Blackall of South Ockendon Thomas Harper of Overton Kelly of South Harningfield Simon Felton of Bellen Gentlemen James Chapin Gent; George Gyan of Ridgewell Gent; John Lashby Nicholas Beckridge Jeffery Stokes Esq. John Buckett Esq; Simon Farnham Sir Thomas Sale George Knight Garter King at Arms Sir Clapton Allyn Barret James Greene Thomas Stubbs Gentlemen.

For the City and County of the City of Gloucester

The Right Honourable John How Esq; one of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Sir John Powell Knight William Cooke William Hodges Thomas Browne Nicholas Webb Robert Paine William Tipter Late Thomas Searl Giles Rodney John Hyett Thomas Webb Alderman Sir Samuel Luky Mayor Messenger John Crowhill Robert Longden Chamberlain Richard Olley Nicholas Lane William Tye Esq; Randall Fyfield Thomas Vesey Edward Coke Esq; John Cox Esq. John Gale John Verney Esq. Richard Capple Henry Wagners Doctor Wroble John Arnold William Rendle Thomas Farley Thomas Gosling Henry Fuller Samuel Palmer Peter Haynes junr; Served Lye John Bell Capt. Paine William Nicholls Samuel Burroughs Samuel Hayward James Farney Thomas Field John Cooke Thomas Wade Richard Casley Stephen Gythous John Guesey John Singleton William Edwards Benjamin Hyett Thomas Edwards Abraham Biddall Reginald Pinder Esquires

For the County of Gloucester

William Lord Vincent Tracy of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable John How Esq; The Honourable John Verney Esq; The Honourable Robert Tracy Esq; one of the Barons of the Exchequer Sir Robert Adkins Knight of the Bath Sir John Powell Knight one of Her Majesties Justices of the Queens Bench Sir Robert Adkins Sir Francis Russell Sir William Kyr Sir Richard Oaklow Sir John Guss Sir Ralph Dutton Sir Robert Jankinson Sir John Newson Sir Thomas Littleton Sir Robert Southwell Sir William Fawcett Sir Richard Cooke Sir Thomas Cox Sir Michael Hinks Sir William Dumas James Tlyen Richard Dowdwell Kinsed Delabere Thomas Hales Thomas Hodges William Hale Henry Cornwall William Baggett David Warren Danyers Hodges Henry Cromack Nathaniel Stephens Charles Dowdwell Walter Lacombe John Ervington Samuel Trotman William Kingcott Sir George Hanger Sir Richard Holford Knight Thomas Hicks Robert Fyfield Robert Overly John Rogers John Meredith John Deane William Clumberck Thomas Malters Samuel Sheppard Richard Howe Thomas Smith Philip Sheppard Nathaniel Ryder Henry Chivers Thomas Stephens Johnas Aghwesh George Brad Myrmond Colchester Robert Paine John Maddox Walter Tate Reginald Pynder John Dumas Cole Wexman Wynant Walter Newson George Lloyd James Mitchell William Tye Thomas Chester James Smith George Smith Richard Jones William Pannetfoot William Wall Thomas Brown Doctor Beale M. Richard Inglis of Sturton M. Richard Becken of Hagloe M. William Skon M. Kedgeina Hoskins M. Richard Brink of St. Bennetts M. Jasper Schale M. Edwin Baldeysa John Packhurst William Watson Samuel Dobkins of the Farnes Miles Beale Samuel Stanner William Cooke Edward Cooke William Gales William George John Cooke William Hodges Stephen Baldeysa Robert Colvington Edward Chamberlayne Samuel Barker Richard Haynes John Stuffed Samuel Coddington John Nelson Thomas Trigg Nathaniel Pyre William Baldeysa Richard Dighton Samuel Halsey Jasper Chapman Thomas Perrell William Robinson Henry Inard Charles Cooke

George Gilbert Doctor Greenwood John Berkeley Apoteker Rish of Doderley Thomas Kerle of Southrop Robert  
 Pomer Henry Payton Joseph Jones son; Henry Dobbin Sir James Roushew Christopher Bond jun, M<sup>r</sup>. John Ben  
 M<sup>r</sup>. Edward Field M<sup>r</sup>. Symon of Traddington Henry Collet senior Henry Collet junior Nicholas Siegle Thomas  
 Widdow Walter Kable of Southrop Richard Kerle of Lechlade Robert Morgan of Talsford Benjamin Hyett of  
 Gloucester Tho: Webb Mercer of the same John Gythens of the same Thomas Try junior Stephen Gythens of  
 Gloucester Thomas Rowley John Shewell William Taylor of the same William Harris Richard Wrele Doctor of  
 Physick Charles Smith John Robins of Mandon John Meredith junior Thomas Stephens (1) John Stephens Thomas  
 Deacon Charles Cox Thomas Warner Edward Hill Richard Stephens Galsford Hall William Bonner Gardener  
 Richard Dym M<sup>r</sup>. Woodward of the Mark John Hopkins Thomas a Dean William Harbury William Skinner of Prussia  
 Gardener Richard Haywood of Barton Thomas Morgan Reynold Jones William Harwood Gent; James Hawkins  
 Gent; Edward Southwell Thomas Chamberlain Sir William Jaxon John Carter The Honourable Gilbert Comany  
 George Fox of Sotley Doctor Hall Edward Chamberlayn Margrebury William Bason of Barton on the  
 Hill Theophilus Lee of Adinstrop Robert Parsons Rector of Oddington Charles Freeman of Twining John Boske of  
 Crocks Anthony Samsbury of Sawdell Locat of Hymfield Sir Samuel Eckley of Harnstead John Sturmer  
 Philip Heywood Thomas Parker William Johnson William James Michael Hordley John Segesser George Small of  
 Hampton George Savage Thomas Small of Avington John [Gosset?] of Marston Grist; Richard Neat Thomas Kemble  
 William Sire Thomas Bartholomew John Mow Nicholas Sire John Barnes Daniel Kemble Thomas King William  
 Jones The Bayliff of Trebury for the Time being Thomas Dunning of Periton William Green Gent. Thomas  
 Foley of Stouken Chambers Slaughter Sir Edward Fox Samuel Hoving John Hyford of Dicon William Samsbury of  
 Ashton Henry Irvine Richard Talboys of Dicon Edward Stephens of Eastington Colonel Sandy of Mandon  
 John Tracy William Wilmore Charles James John Brink Charles Goff Christopher Woodward Thomas  
 Woodward John Driver Thomas Soudman Capitan Sandford of Southouse senior M<sup>r</sup>. Sandford junior Richard  
 Walwyn John Bridges William Samsbury of Sowe Hill M<sup>r</sup>. John Pwer M<sup>r</sup>. Finner M<sup>r</sup>. Barnes M<sup>r</sup>. Hays  
 Charles Thomas Savage John Stratford of Milnes Post Thomas Mesick Rowland Sandford Mathew Cox M<sup>r</sup>. Hurst  
 of Pibworth Robert Holmes Thomas Southem M<sup>r</sup>. Arundell junior Henry Collet William Dabwell John Martine  
 Edward Topl John Browne Richard Browne Robert Dornes Thomas Stephens Edward Stephens Henry Cape  
 John Smith Christopher Cole Richard Chatterback of Nappend Samuel Robinson Charles Wynd John Prynt Nicholas  
 Wrenstead William Wilson Edward Webb Thomas Dawes Edward Stephens junior Thomas Vest Thomas Fink  
 Goddard Philip Shoppard jun; Thomas Vest Francis Woodward William Payer Charles Hunt William  
 Bown Doctor Kenderley Charles Hazock George Burdman William Fetherbush Thomas Walker Henry Ware  
 William Bewne of Fowday Thomas Edwards George Webb John Jacob John Brunwich William Whittington  
 William Lawrence John Parsons junior Thomas Robt Thomas Ronge John Jeffrie William Probit Edward Mather  
 John Bridgman Thomas Masson Estance Hardwick Henry Pook Edmund Probit John Thomas of Gloucester John  
 Selwin William Sadyr Edward Bay Charles Cox William Hayward William Hagen William Bridges William  
 James Thomas Stephens John Jones Thomas Davies John Mayor John Ansdell Giles Nash William Beadley Giles  
 Venele William Khr Daniel Lyons Thomas Sall John Hyett Henry Collet John Belton Lawrence Mace George  
 Townsend Edward Hill William Penbridge John Griffen William Holday Nicholas Webb of Gloucester Doctors  
 Rodges Thomas Webb Will; Lane James Berrow Edward Bond John Phipps Edward Mather Richard Tippet  
 John of Douse Thomas Bark Colonel Matthew Dore Norton George Berrow Charles White Christopher Bond  
 John Dutton William Winkley William Smart Thomas Steeg John Hyford William Pwllt Stephen at Lee  
 Edward Hagedorf jun; William Heywood of Quobley Thomas Kuchase Matthew Hale Edward Southwell Richard  
 Skipp of Decoyton Hall Thomas Bewrie of Gloucester M<sup>r</sup>. Thomas Norwood of Loxington Jonathan Gasteron  
 William Gardner of Gerton Charles Corwell William Rogers of Downton Barrage of Tollysty Gabriel  
 Hale Sir Thomas Day Richard Coddington Robert Yoe Thomas Edwards Richard Wade Sir John Smith Joseph  
 Jackson of the Park Richard Pope Nicholas Harding junior Nathaniel Lye Doctor in Divinity Anthony Collier of  
 Barton on the Water John Jordan Francis Windham John Tracy Thomas Savage William Soughton John Vasey  
 of the City of Gloucester Esquire Humphrey Serch Doctor Anthony Lawrence Charles Harrison John Jacob of  
 the Rock Esq; William Moxey Capitan Sandford of Leonard Stanley Esquire William Dunning Edward Mitchell  
 Gardener William Courten Robert Radcliffe Clerk Edward Field Gardener Thomas Stokes M<sup>r</sup>. Hyett of Alton  
 M<sup>r</sup>. Robert Goddard M<sup>r</sup>. Robert Higgins Richard Keble OBE Richard William Gough and John Chandler  
 Gardener

## For the City of Hereford

The Right Honourable James Lord Viscount Southampton of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable  
 Thomas Lord Coningsly of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable James Bridges Thomas Foley James Morgan  
 Henry Gurnell Robert Symonds Robert Dobbin senior Robert Dobbin junior James Wellington Robert Harford  
 Nicholas Philipps Esquires  
 Curawell Esq; Mayor of the City of Hereford Thomas Clarke Richard  
 Wastley Richard Pook Thomas Church Gabriel Myke John Mow Henry Smith Joseph Taylor Thomas Aldame  
 John Williams son; Roger Williams Theophilus Alpe James Lane Benjamin Hill Adam Wiggins John Hill Cove  
 Woodhouse Richard Hewkins Richard Bagshaw William Stephens James Price Hugh Roid Edward Weaver John  
 Smith James Lloyd Thomas Roid James Worsington John Patard Richard Philipps Gilbert Horne Philip Sandway  
 Barlowe Clerk George Wellington Charles Paine William Matthews Thomas Fawc William Waddy John Barnes  
 Gardener

## For the Borough of Londenster

The Shaltes for the Time being The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Coningsby of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Herbert Croft Baronet High Steward of the said Borough Edward Harley Recorder of the same Isaac Teuchies John Caswell Edward Bingham Henry Browne Vincent Edwards Gentlemen John Darton Clerk Esq. Richard Hodge Richard Poole John Bingham Thomas Harris Caleb Powell Samuel Tiler James Poole Thomas Price James Caswell Richard Nicholson Edward Williams John Whittington Thomas Chelmsick Jonathan Davies John Poole Captain John Caswell Robert Weaver Samuel Clarke Humphrey Lawrence Jonathan Talley Henry Seaward John Jennings Thomas Toldereys Joseph Stensbury Joseph Parrish Gent.

## For the rest of the County of Hertford

The Honourable Robert Harley Esquire Speaker of the House of Commons The Right Honourable Lord Viscount Seadmore of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Coningsby of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Henry Thynn Robert Price Esq. One of the Barons of the Exchequer Chamber Barbones James Bridges and Thomas Coningsby Esquires Sir John Williams Sir Francis Charleston Sir Herbert Croft Sir Barnabas Seadmore Sir Thomas Morgan Sir John Hoskins Sir John Packington Sir Richard Cocks Barons Sir John Williams Esq. Henry Gorges Lawrence Thomas Price James Morgan John Seadmore of Kewchurch Thomas Cornwall of Stapleton Herbert Westfaling Herbert Kaddel Westfaling Charles Baldwin John Darton Esq. Thomas Cocks Edward Cornwall Henry Cornwall Thomas Foley of Whitley Thomas Foley of Stoke John Haw Charles Cornwall Samuel Pitt Thomas Caswall John Booth of Letton Herbert Ashley John Price Robert Dobbins Esquire Edward Harley Salway Whittington John Salway John Birch William Jones of Lichborne Francis Baskerville Marshall Bridges Thomas Wignott John Neave William Dunsen [senior William Dunsen's] junr. Humphrey Thomas Richard Skipp Thomas Harley William Hinkley Edmund Lenthurst Francis Bridges Robert Uden Robert Minors Timothy Gears John Kirk Richard Bessley Richard Reed Robert Chapin Younger Cooke Robert Paine William Gwyllym of Langton James Woodhouse Thomas Dupps Colen Bridges James Wellington Henry Wignott Anthony Baldolph Thomas Rawlin Symonds Vaughan Humphrey Mayo George Curves of Upson Henry Bull of Dunford Samuel Birch Robert Carter Thomas Gwyllym of Whitchurch Bridgrock Hatfield John Teuchies of Backhall Isaac Herborne John Carter Rowland Rugh John Trice Francis Gears John Long William Bridges Esquire William Bridges Esquire of Colwell John Shepherd Robert Dobbins Esquire David Rowlands John Stratford Richard Hooper Richard Pye Henry Ineson John Delahay of Ewerby Robert Moore John Jefferys Esquires David Williams and William Beccart Doctors of Physick William Ramsay George Mason and James Walwyn Merchants William Lamb William Hoskins Thomas Penoyre of the Mount Thomas Howards Robert Withammas John Shedd of Ingon William Wall William Piddell John and Philip Hootkin of Bevisston Henry Jones Thomas Owen of Little Bampton John Seaborn of Truxilla Thomas Aldous of Montington Thomas Carpenter of Tillingham Esquire James Westfaling Thomas Marret John Berrington of the Brickhouse French Woodhouse John Kellay of Fendhope Richard Clark John Huxford of Hordley Edward Pelly Daniel Kerry Esquire Thomas Lough of the Hill John Smith of Hemor Alban Thomas Francis Fotherick John Greenly Thomas Carpenter of Tillingham Esquire John Middlebrooke Thomas Harper of Quabbe Joshua Cross Nicholas Phillips Paul Williams Gilbert House Herbert Croft Thomas Jacey of Wharwick John Kierwood of Letton Joseph Jery Richard Assenart John Bridges Henry Jones Esquire John Capell M. Chamberlain of Letton William Lewis Thomas Harris John Delahay Farley Osborne John Noble Gey Hill William Dan Esquire Benjamin Brewster Clerk and Richard Bond of Watford Captain Margrave of Hemstead Richard Price of Beadon George White of the New Wear Edward Pye Chamberlain Robert Warrer of Amory Thomas Birch Charles Carter of Lobbury John Hall of Balfon John Carpenter and Martin Bradford of Doven William Phillips of Newson Thomas Kadd William Skinner of Beckenham and John Barnes of Hildcourt Edmund Yemmes Gentlemen Allan Gills of Mazon Esq. Henry Vaughan Gent. Samuel Swift Esq. Charles Seth Gent. Richard Hagson John Skipp John Lytle Knole Robert Symonds Esquires George Wellington John Hyatt of the Broomie Tasterlain Gwyllym Henry Jones of Mazon Gentlemen John Walton Esq. Major Casby John Sheddall of Ash Gent. Philip Jackson Esq. Thomas Delahay Esquire of Tweton William Gurner Gent.

## For the Borough of S. Albans

The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen for the Time being The Honourable George Churchill John Gape junr. Henry Kellgrave Thomas Aris Lewis Montgomery James Bennett Esquires John Cole Arch Deacon of S. Albans John Coatsworth Doctor of Physick Thomas Gape Robert New John Dalton and John Knollys Gentlemen

## For the rest of the County of Hertford

The Honourable Robert Cecil Esq. Sir Samuel Gerrard Sir Henry Mazon Sir Robert Jocelyn Sir Robert Asch Sir Gilbert Hoe Ken Sir John Spencer Sir Edward Schright Sir John Napper Sir George Warburton Sir William Cooper Sir Richard Outlaw Sir Bryannes Madden Sir Thomas Foskitt Sir Edwin Sadler Sir Thomas Bryngrove Sir Thomas Pope Blount Sir William Luckin Sir Peter Seane Sir John Shaw Sir Armentak Saue Barons Sir William Linn Sir Thomas Hyde Sir Ralph Saxcliffe Sir Edward Turner Sir Thomas Robt Sir John Buckall Sir Henry



Chamery Sir George Hurdley Sir Benjamin Thichborne Sir Edward Clerk Sir John Wolfe Sir Robert Southwell  
 Knights George Churchhill Henry Gaj Sirs Titus Charles Casar Ralph Freeman senior Ralph Freeman junior  
 Thomas Halsey Robert Elton William Maxon James Goodson [Richard Goodson?] William Harvey Richard  
 Hamilton Philip Butler John Plummer William Cooper Edward Chester Robert Chester William Gore James Warrington  
 John Gape [senior John Gape?] junior John Austen William Peck Wilkin Lowndes George Halsey Edmund Field  
 William Coward Sergeant at Law John Wood Francis Flyer William Lerum John Poyner Edward Sayer William  
 Farrier William Allen Samuel Robinson George Nader Thomas Peck John Lenton John Cooke Franklin Mabe  
 William Culford Simon Harcourt John Coggin John Charleston Wilkin Dyer Thomas Twynty Wilkin Priestly Ralph  
 Skinner Byde John Byde Henry Kilgrew Ralph Wignam Thomas Ricknors junior Jeremiah Hale Thomas Howar  
 Wilkin Hale of Thorley Wilkin Peir Wilkin Richard Hardhacon John Woodhouse Edward Neill Joseph  
 Edwards Nicholas Bonley Robert King Thomas Arms Robert Chester of Bygyere Richard Hilder Israel Mayo George  
 Mayo Peter Slaughter Roger Coningsby Samuel Jones Henry Child Thomas Child Edward Brice senior Edward Brice  
 junior William Brice Edward Brice de Northerton Thomas Aris Thomas Taylor Henry Widdington Alexander  
 Wold Richard Woodston Thomas How Pike Cowich Strange Jeddies Charles Tarter Giles Dent Adolphus Meeklik  
 Edward Seymour Wilkin Freeman Edward Ratcliffe John Ayngre Thomas Boynton Henry Kingsley Thomas Taylor  
 Joseph Jordike Wilkin Cardiner Thomas Edwards Giles Denton Thomas Denton Wilkin Addison Thomas Day  
 Henry Coghill senior Henry Coghill junior Godman Jenkins Edward Goldborough Thomas Bad of Holden Thomas  
 Neeland Joseph March John Duncombe Joshua Lomax Thomas Lomax Wilkin Pyle Francis Brewer Edward  
 Freck Robert Heysham Spencer Cooper Robert Farnham John Fargue Edward Smith Robert Markham Wilkin  
 Goodwill Ebenezer Sadler James Bennett Wilkin Bacon John Ruckley John Cockayne Marmaduke Rowden John  
 Kestek John Sandford John Richardson Daniel Nicolle Philip Farwell Henry Casar Esquires Wilkin Coxon  
 George Needham Alan Cox Wilkin Jerness Lewis Montgomery John Robinson Wilkin Wolfe John Miles John  
 Crane Thomas Baldwin Robert Gale Thomas Nicols John Nicols of Althorpe John Nicols of Mistry Richard  
 Emmerton Thomas Emmerton Henry Baldwin Francis Cole John Roberts Wilkin Flecher George Underwood  
 Robert Thorogood Richard Waller Edward Fisher Henry Smith junior of V. Albans Henry Smith junior of  
 Langley Robert New Richard Way Richard Degrall Richard Bagg Matthew Williams John Gill Edward Denny  
 Ralph Hawkins Richard Hew Daniel Ludington Marmaduke Allington Francis King sen. Francis King jun.  
 Wilkin Carpenter Wilkin Cress Wilkin Lake Edward Halsey Robert Dwyer Edward Dwyer John Griffin Edward  
 Laundry John Poyner Anthony Hiddlyth Eagon Boynton Robert Hedgesley Richard Reyner Wilkin Wright John  
 Warburton John Harrison Joseph Castron George Dwyer Joseph Crangthorne Philip Mitchell Robert Bad Isaac Finch  
 John Bass Nicholas Marmal Henry Dalfors Robert Lay Samuel Harris Joseph Alcock Thomas Glacock Thomas Adams  
 Wilkin Fawcley Wilkin Dase James Verry Charles Calico John Chamery John Lammus Thomas Tanner Wilkin  
 Turner John Hobbs John Dulon John Brickett Wilkin Hinder Richard Wynn of Barnar Edward Field Wilkin  
 Barney John Wall Richard Undermyre of Warr James Mitty Israel Kenton Thomas Ashby Wilkin Chew Benjamin  
 Jones senior John How John Nandy Robert Dinahle Doctor of Physick Richard Bayles Doctor of Physick John  
 Dinahle senior John Dinahle junior Gentleman Thomas Fuller Doctor in Divinity Peter Fisher Doctor in Divinity  
 Wilkin Stanley John Cole Arch Dutton of V. Albans The Mayor Recorder and Alderman of Hereford for the Time  
 being The Mayor of V. Albans for the Time being Charles Tallow Doctor of Physick

## For the Town of Hereington

Charles Boyle Esquire Anthony Hammond Esquire Thomas Harris Mayor Hugh Hapletoft Clerk John Negro  
 Edward Audley Philip Soper George Moxley Joseph Darlow Aldermen Wilkin Peacock senior

## For the County of Hereington

The Honourable Sidney Worsley alias Montague Esq. [The Honourable Edward Worsley alias Montague Esq.]  
 The Honourable Charles Boyle Esq. Sir John Cotton Sir Robert Bernard Sir John Coopers Sir Robert Jonhson  
 Sir Henry Pickering Baronets Sir Charles Duncombe Sir John Marshall Sir John Shaw Sir Edward Lawrence Knights  
 John Proby John Dryden Arthur Tansour William Pierpoint Sirs Titus Robert Agnew Anthony Hammond John  
 Big John Cotton William Nalour James Turlington Charles Gentry John Ferner John Pocklington George Blundell  
 Douce John Kingleton John Polley Robert Polley Philip Barry Charles Casar John Wrigley Doctor of Physick  
 Henry Ashby Francis Herby Richard Dear Robert Thompson Arthur Jacobs Lawrence Blt Henry Kingsley Walter  
 Cary Francis Delchamps John Knite Baldwin Coopers Robert Agnew junior Edward Bellamy Charnock Bevon  
 Robert Hernd Charles Sheppard John Ruby Robert Harvey John Brownell James Mason Nicholas Bonley John  
 Francis de Courcennet Esq. John Big junior Richard Nalour John Ferner junior Abraham Blt Edward Hinger  
 John Hanger John Ashcroft Richard Halsey James Wright Thomas Waight Edward Checkley John Bellamy Mark  
 Newman John Peaher Richard Casar Jonathan Read Martin Lary Robert Sower Wilkin Sparrow Roger Peck  
 Francis Paine Henry Tills Robert Yates Alford Clarke Thomas Mille Lawrence Tansour Thomas Potts John  
 Howell William Peacock Wilkin Douse senor John Read Joseph Hanger Wilkin Nicholls William Coldwell  
 Robert Smith Edward Audley Thomas Harris Francis Negro John Adley John Peacock Capten Price John Dumas  
 Nicholas Levent Timothy Kreds Henry Casar John Wrigley Henry Edmunds Walter Thong Richard Astrey Bartholomew  
 Bonley John Selke Edward Lacey John Lawren Richard Warwick Richard Beaham Wilkin Bowker  
 Spauler Charles Galspe John Besser Gentlemen

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## For the City and County of the City of Canterbury

The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen for the Time being Sir William Honywood Sir Thomas Hales Barons George Soyes Henry Lee Edward Nutt William Broadbent John Cason Samuel Mills John Haddon Lawrence Hodges William Watson John Whitefield Jeffrey Boys William Turner Edward Cragford George Barrett Esquires Thomas Taylor Doctor of Laws Captain Samuel Beane John Hobday Gentlemen

## For the Town and Liberty of Dover

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Sir Abraham Jacob M<sup>r</sup>. Frederick Derwick Captain Robert Jacob M<sup>r</sup>. Nathaniel Watson

## For the Town of Folkestone

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Sir Philip Bender Sir Basil Drexell Barnet John Mitchell John Booter Jacob Des Bourville and John Taylor Esquires

## For the Town of Faversham

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Sir Thomas Hales Sir Basil Drexell Sir James Ouzden Barons William Broadbent John Grogden John Taylor Esquires William Derde Doctor of Physick

## For the Town of Faversham

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being and Thomas Napleton Esquire

## For the Town of Tenterden

The Mayor for the Time being Kenneth Curtis William Hickmore John Martle William Curtis William Finch and Thomas Marshall Gentlemen

## For the Town and Liberty of Sandwich

The Mayor Jurats Bailiff and Town Clerk for the Time being John Mitchell Esq: Sir Henry Furness Knight.

## For the Town and Port of New Romney

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being M<sup>r</sup>. John Masall junier M<sup>r</sup>. Edmund Martin and M<sup>r</sup>. Robert Cobb.

## For the Town of Lydd

The Bailiff and Jurats for the Time being M<sup>r</sup>. John Fowle M<sup>r</sup>. John Jonsson

## For the Town and Port of Hythe and West Mithcote within the Liberty of the said Town and Port

The Mayor for the Time [being] Robinson Beaz William Brown Henry Derde Elms Bennett William Strake David Forman Jurats Jacob Des Bourville Esq: Sir Philip Bender Barons John Booter Esq: and Thomas Tourney Gent:

## For the rest of the County of Kent

The Lord Fairfax Baron of Cambruge of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable Sir George Rooke one of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council and Vice Admiral of England The Honourable Hervey Finch The Honourable James Berle Esquires Sir John Selway Sir Thomas Roberts Sir Thomas Twissles Sir George Rivers Sir Henry Palmer Sir Thomas Colepepper Sir Robert Marham Knight and Baronet Sir Philip Bender Sir Thomas Knatchbull Sir Oliver Selles Sir Basil Drexell Sir Stephen Leonard Sir James Ouzden Knight and Baronet Sir John Rapsey Sir William Honywood Sir Thomas Hales Sir Humphrey Miller Sir George Pelvie Sir Nathaniel Powell Sir Robert Asson Sir Robert Fagg Sir Robert Pinner Sir John Shaw Sir William Thomas Sir George Chasor Sir John Mayden Sir John Lambacher Sir Jacob Astley Sir Francis Head Sir William Cooper Sir Edward Bettenson Sir Michael Biddulph Sir Gilbert Hae Kent Sir Caspar Fox Sir Richard Seely Sir Chauncy Dering Sir Martin Lunsley Sir Roger Twenden Sir William Swain Barons Sir Benjamin Bathurst Colliers Sir Francis Leigh Sir William Pritchard Sir Charles Beckenough Sir Robert Fawcett Sir Nicholas Took Sir Edward Gregory Sir Thomas Neeres Sir James Eberdridge Sir Claudy Sherell Sir John Sparrow Sir Isaac Roberts Sir John Legh Sir Francis Watkins Sir Richard Rabon Knight Henry Lee George Super Edward Knatchbull William Coge John Brown Robert Crawford Thomas King John Mitchell Matthew Apley Philip Papillon John Booter John Cooke James Hayes James Herbert William Ash William Hooker Thomas Elm Jacob Des Bourville Edward Roper Henry Canham Herbert Russell William Beaumont Francis Becham John Hyde William Redman Thomas Dilliton Leonard Duggs William Lambeth Thomas Lambeth Jeffrey Ambrose of Sherborne Pennington Har Richard Britton John Lush John Cason Samuel Lunsell

Charles Burgess Humphry Styles Richard Thersell Brooks Bridges James Masters of Taxes Robert Bakin  
 Worley Wharwood Philip Packer Thomas Palmer Roger Toulson Edward Weller John Hardness Nathaniel Denew  
 George Scott Lawrence Bridges Humphry Miller Robert Fine Charles Ashurst Thomas Twidale Owen Delancey  
 Christopher Warrin John Bennett Robert Avenon James Masters John Taylor of Byflown John Boys John Conhage  
 Richard Tyeer Wilkes Brown William Turner William Brockman Thomas Mayle William Delaine Esquires Sir  
 James Bruce Baronet George Peay William Selby Peter Delmay William Aldworth Edward Cary John Perry Mayor  
 Gibson John Cooke Richard Gibson Philip Gibson Thomas Osborne Ralph Balfan Edward Graham Reynold  
 Peckham William Standeron John Wilkenson William Hooywood of Eltham Richard Godwin Thomas Manley  
 Thomas Lake William Fleetwood John Maylow Simon Biddulph Edward Lawee Remage Daring Edward Crofted  
 Walter Hopper John Kennell William Gherrill Gerrard Gane Nicholas Cooke George Black Henry Ousden John  
 Napleton Henry Hawley James Hawley James Cold Robert Beak John Eedyn Edward Astan William Wilkenson  
 William Emerson Leonard Berthelmeow Drayton Robert George Gilford William Robert Francis Fenster Ralph  
 Peley John Buggin John Brett Fisher Robert Hooywood Abraham Hill Edward King Francis Barrell Edward Gence  
 Thomas Gelford James Fattrey Esquires John Thorsen Sergeant at Law Edward Draycott Captain Pallet John  
 Golden Neebth Raa Godfrey Misset Arnold King Elfr Canfield William Newman Francis Waterman Capran  
 Park Donal White Captain Service Thomas Scott William Courthope Samuel Plummer William Wren Roger Pate  
 Thomas Napleton Edward Nee Robert Mitchell Thomas Warber barrat Shaw Thomas Selyard Christopher Allison Edward  
 Manning John Hill John Crump John Dyke Edward Tooks Charles Knodrick William Crofted Richard Hulse Benjamin  
 Godfrey John Bond William Turner Henry Godfrey William James Roger Kirby Edward Bagshaw Peter Godfrey  
 Thomas Tamar Samuel Mills Hammond Teyms Stephen Ashton Charles Comar Francis Wheeler Richard Shewson  
 William Tindall George Etkan William Spencer John Smith John Brown William Dixon John Copping of Desk  
 Thomas Marla Charles Fagg Thoi Grainger Esquires George Ousden Doctor of Laws D. Wd; Desks Thoi; Nemer  
 Edward Boys Capt. Waters Henry Denis Thomas Terson Doctor Salisbury Cde The Mayor of Rochester for the  
 Time being John Hagg junior William Head Nathan Hayes David Heath The Mayor of Maidstone for the Time  
 being Current Calver Francis Finch George Peay William Reader William Welbels Francis Corn John Bryon  
 Thomas Fagg William Best George Whitlock Thomas Brett Gentlemen The Mayor of Gournes for the Time  
 being Christopher Watson William Yate John Christmas Thomas Chelish Francis Broken George Charter Edward  
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 Parbury Cape Thomas Jennings Joseph Lewis Captain Richard Edin Thomas Corin Isaac White Gentlemen The  
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 Heme Scholman Houghton Edwin Wyatt John Savage Richard Gee John Sayntson Peter Courttop Samuel Boys John  
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 Esq; Robert Core Gant Peter Burrell Edward Boys George Burrett Thomas Jackson Esquires Robert Yardley John  
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 Newenden Richard Bower Robert Cokk Paul D'Randa Gentlemen William Watson John Twidale Christopher  
 Smith Henry Rides Esquires

## For the County Palatine of Lancaster

The Honourable Charles Sandley Esq. The Right Honourable Sir John Leveson Gower Chamberlain of Her  
 Majesty's Duchy of Lancaster Sir Charles Houghton Sir Tho Sandley Sir Ralph Ashton Sir Robert Duckenfield  
 Sir Roger Brudenburgh Sir William Pennington Sir John Mand Sir Thomas Standish Sir William Lawther Sir Cyril  
 Webb Sir William Stans Barons Sir Christopher Greenfield Sir Edward Cherrill Knight Richard Bold Roger Kibbe  
 Robert Heythorn Oswald Beldgum Thomas Leigh Thomas Stronger Andrew Pender Peter Shuckebury Peter Leigh  
 William Clayton Thomas Johnson Nicholas Sturkey Thomas Fleetwood James Holt Edward Fleetwood Richard  
 Harnwood John Ashurst William Parfington Roger Howell Charles Huston Henry Hilson Richard Ashoe John  
 Hysdley Christopher Ruckwiese John Entwile Thomas Rythe Thomas Brydell Edward Rythe Alexander Oshelston  
 Richard Spencer John Warren Edward Warren Thomas Banks William Rowson Thomas Adlyst Thomas Serjant  
 Samuel Chestnut of Tarnon James Duckenfield Charles Duckenfield William Gearing John Beall Edward Parker  
 Robert Parker William Holmes Leigh Batta Johnas Horton Edward Wilson Henry Harkness Miles Sandys Robert  
 Mowdley Peter Egeston Alexander Johnson Thomas Lyndly Ralph Holden Charles Rythe William West John Fensick

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\* Sanders G.

\* Lambington G.

Ralph Levery Edward Richon, Nicholas Rigby Benjamin Houghton Richard Clayton Jonathan Buckthorne John Huddesbete Nicholas Rigby junior Henry Greenough Richard Ennsdale [Berie Ennsdale] John Walsley John Ashton Thomas Loner John Penivell Richard North Richard Longworth John Dancy Richard Ashton Thomas Richardson Edmund Cufe Robert Hile Thomas Shorran John Hodgson Edward Heale Richard Penivell Thomas Whitley George Beck Roger Fleming Alexander Heiketh Samuel Cooke Oliver Lane William Slater William Londe Robert Roper Roger Heiketh Charles Leigh Alexander Hile George Puyett Charles Hifton George Leigh junior George Farrington jun Thomas Parson Richard Walsley Thomas Berman Christopher Dancemey John Cuse Thomas Towels Charles Haldon Edward [Haldon] Thomas Holdcroft George Kenyon John Green William Keby John Veale Oswald Mansley William Nagall Ralph Egerton Edward Brice Peter Osmold Nicholas Rathan Nicholas Gaffile Thomas Roughley Thomas Crofts Samuel Wilson Richard Windall Richard Richmond Clark Shenton Richmond William Clayton Andrew Holden Peter Atherton Esquires John Wright Thomas Smith William Leigh Thomas Tyrer George Derbyshire George Gethorne Thomas Parson John Case Thomas Cooke Andrew Dandy James Boman Jonathan Case John Clayton Thomas Clayton of Adlington John Oldfield Robert Mollens John Harrell John Wilson Richard Houghton William Hulton Thomas Carnell John Gethorne Thomas Heywood Robert Hildwell Richard Holland Richard Dickinson William Reason John Louch James Hasecroft Thomas Snell Thomas Croft Edward Parr James Goulas Edward Hek John Berry John Croston Thomas Madder John Earl of Warrington John Haru Nicholas Fawcokley Joseph Hooper Miles Lonsdale Richard Tenge Thomas Studdard Richard Sparkling Boston Shalesworth Richard Longdon Edward Scott Cadogan Shaples Thomas Swearing James Gilbott Sylvester Morecroft William Galsbre Henry Parr Alexander Dory John Towsley Robert Walsley Ursal Shattsworth John Bealcham James Bess Edmund Robinson Richard Eldridge William Hill Samuel Holway Edward Gaskin John Hopwood of Manchester Thomas Barker John Gresham William Buckley Esq; Alexander Bander Lawrence Tanser John Robinson Robert Benson [Esquires] The Mayor Recorder Aldermen and Bayliffs of Lancaster for the Time being Tho; Robinson Esq; Thomas Francis Nicholson Richard Simpson Edward Hensley Esq; Richard Ashton The Mayor Aldermen and Bayliffs of the Borough of Preston for the Time being Roger Sadell sen; Daniel Chaddock Jeffrey Richon John Lomas John Winkler The Mayor Recorder Aldermen and Bayliffs of the Borough of Wigan for the Time being Berie Ennsdale Edward Harri Esquires Henry Browne Robert Markland Richard Wells Gentlemen James Hervey [James Hervey] The Burgesses of the Borough of Newton for the Time being The Bayliffs and Recorder of the Borough of Clitheroe for the Time being Richard Walsley Esquire Richard Coomek Thomas Dugdale Gentlemen Arthur Ashton John Ashon The Mayor Aldermen and Bayliffs of the Borough of Liverpool for the Time being David Dunsen John Forbester David Poole John Cleveland John Forbester junior Joseph Begg and George Mawley.

For the Borough of Lancaster

Edmund Crockett Esquire Mayor and the Mayor for the Time being William Rising Master Symon William Penack John Mayor Lawrence Carter jun; Tyringham Stephens Esquires Tyringham Stephens John Hagle William Barr Gentlemen William Southwell George Best sen; John Wilkes Henry Parr Henry Dave Samuel Woodland John Abney Richard Townsend Richard Wenna Robert Lord Robert Hobson Thomas Hardison John Baudett Arthur Nosa James Anns Thomas Ale Richard Foxon John Ward James Gutteridge Edward Lord Alderman and all such as shall hereafter be made Aldermen while the Commission shall be in force Sir George Beaumont Baronet James Winstanley Esquire

For the rest of the County of Lancaster

The Right Honourable William Lord Macclesfield of Harington Son and Heir Apparent of William Duke of Devonshire Scourp Lord Viscount Howard of the Kingdom of Ireland John Lord Ross Sen and Heir Apparent of John Earl of Rutland Baron Lord Sherrard of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Charles Berie Esquire Henning Finch Esq; John Verney Esq; John Noel Esq; George Wason Esq; Sir William Vilem Sir Robert Haulidge Sir Thomas Mickleworth Sir Roger Case Sir Justus Isham Sir John Chester Sir William Boughton Sir George Beaumont Sir Wolstan Day Sir Richard Halford Sir Edward Smith Sir Benjamin Hudson Sir William Ellis Sir Nathaniel Curzon Sir John Hapton Barons Sir William Rawlinson Sir Edward Almey Sir Edward Wigley Sir Ambrose Phillips Sir Charles Descombe Esquires Robert Haulidge Jeffrey Pelner Edward Seikh John Delforant Thomas Balington William Whaley senior John Williams James Westsley George Wright Thomas Cooke Thomas Boothby Charles Bennett Francis Mondy Edward Ryland Serjeant at Law Henry Tanser Serjeant at Law Mathew Jackson Clerk of the Parliament George Ashby Thomas Groaty William Igo Thomas Stillingham Beane Charles Morris Richard Llane senior Richard Llane junior S. John Bennett Rowland Brown Gilbert Fekesing George Hewit William Boothby senior William Boothby junior John Wilson Robert Wilson Thomas Herring Thomas Bradwell Isaac Wootton Clifton Park James Armiton Roger Row Samuel Beardsbridge Euseby Bowell Archibald Palmer Davren Hodges John Thorekhang John Sales John William Chaslyn Henry Tate Thomas Okeover Henry Dyma Richard Chaslyn Bartlet Scott Edward Needham William Whaley junior Leonard Vaw James Hainell Stringang Ashby Charnell Maud Roger Smith George Poole Thomas Caldwell William Fawc Robert Quay William James Samuel Cortis Brewell Cortis John Mayor William Elmer John Mison Doctor John Gury Doctor Henry Fawc John Brown Duplex Henry Wilson Philip Wilson Belgrave senior William Belgrave junior William Wootton Henry Low John Benkin Thomas Chastells William Frank

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Michael Wrighton Henry Mighad Mathew Eywode Thomas Frendgite Wilham Bontbridge John Bontbridge John Waghman Turringham Stephen Charles Furbush Wilham Ruding Esquire Evcard Goodson John Colles Miles Whitworth Henry Smith Wilham Clerk John Smith Robert Smith Charles Hircut Edward Reynolds Thomas Leung Wilham Mead Richard Burgess Wilham Wells senior Wilham Wells junior Robert Sausley John Oldenhow John Hall Samsel Shakerow Stephenson Wilham Adkins Richard Green Edward Magginton Thomas Pilkington Wilham Joyce Gentlemen

For the County of Lincoln and City of Lincoln and County of the said City

The Right Honourable the Lord Wilham Powlett Second Son of the late Duke of Bolton The Right Honourable Lord Viscount Carlisle of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable the Lord Roos Son and Heir Apparent of John Earl of Rutland The Right Honourable Robert Lord Willoughby Son and Heir Apparent of Robert Earl of Lindsey Lord Great Chamberlain of England The Right Honourable the Lord Sherris of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Falfax of the Kingdom of Scotland The Honourable Charles Berke senior The Honourable Philip Berke The Honourable Peregrine Berke junior Vice-Chamberlain and one of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council The Honourable Thomas Rupert Manners The Honourable Wilham Cecil The Honourable James Berke Charles Berke junior The Honourable Peregrine Berke junior The Honourable John Verney The Honourable Thomas Sanderson The Honourable James Sanderson The Honourable Wilham Manners The Honourable Wray Sanderson Sir Henry Mareson Sir John Tyrwhit Sir Thomas Hanney Sir John [Belles?] Sir Thomas Trollop Sir George Mackham Sir Willoughby Hickman Sir Wilham Elks Sir John Oldfield Berens Sir Wilham Macdougall Sir Rowland Grey Sir Edward Berkham Sir Thomas Willoughby Sir John Thorsell Sir Charles Cray Sir John Newton Sir Walter Clapton Sir Thomas Skipton Sir Edward Furner Sir Thomas Ruk Sir Michael Warren Sir John Thompson Sir Wilham Buck Sir Edward Haney Sir John Skerard Sir Hardeleph Watneys Sir Richard Carr Bannons Sir Thomas Mares Sir Edmund Turner Sir Thomas Trevill Sir Benjamin Richert Sir John Mares Knight The Honourable Champion Dymock Wilham Fitzgibbon Stephen Redwell Christopher Boreford Francis Esquire Vincent Gresham George Wildcoot Bryan Nevill Esquire John Kelgham Doctor of Divinity John Chaplin Christopher Hales Wilham Thorsell de Riby Louis Dymock Richard Sherwood John Beach de Ranc Robert Tyrwhit Thomas Powell Henry Newland Wilham Manton Cytis Wemye Peter Short Richard Rathcop Wilham Long de Burton John Macdithons junior John Skakope Thomas Newcomla Robert Rowell Edward Dymock de Lincoln John Ellis Martin Brown Henry Thorsell John Nel thorp John Appleby Stephen Harbison George Langton Richard Ellis Charles Dymock de Southorpe Edward Joly John Bryan Philip Nerve Rasmus Hart Thomas Lister Wilham Boreford Wilham Hyde Thomas Viner Richard Wint Esquire Richard Bay Edward Hales Anthony Wingfield Cyprian Thornton Richard Holford Thomas Burrell de Doreby John Harvey Jonathan Corstille Snow Richard Snow Robert Goodall Lewis Harre Henry Harre Marcus Johnson Wilham York Thomas York Esquire John Toller Robert Fisher Noah Neale Daniel de Line Esq; Sigismund Trafford James Belter Ralph Pearson Redon Park Wilham Belgrave Wilham Ambler John Pader Christopher Palmer Thomas Cox of Narmington Esq; Stephen Hinchinson Wilham Hurly Thomas Hardy Benjamin Smith Rich; Cathbert Gentlemen George Newcomla Charles Fox Charles Ruse Francis Anderson John Leach de Hemsleth Esquire Wilham Wilton Samuel Barker Thomas Alkton John Ely junior Edwin Andersen John How James Ashton John Tera Wilham Tomsen George Smith Richard Wilmington David Ware Warriner Warriner Thomas Yorker Richard [Bendall?] John Cusley Peter Mapland Thomas Hails Robert Sanders Adam Blund Isaac Newton John Burton Wilham Boomer Wilham Cotton John Appleby John Key Wilham Taylor de Kockington Dymock Wapleale Anthony Barton Humphrey Hild Anthony Thompson Henry Lauch Benjamin Cathbert Wilham Safford John Quinsy Robert Jackson Thomas Edithill junior Charles Esay Thomas Hurly Thomas Moore Edward Dickinson Wilham Marshall John Nerve Doctor Fallowood de Stanford John Evans Ralph Muddison Thomas Poole Robert Hauns Henry Caywood Edward Austin Eustices Merton Edward Wilby Thory Todd Barth Winderly Wilham Ay Wilham Delanewer Henry Andrews of Ogarby Humphrey Wilton de Wilton John Bewwe Wilham Wilby Henry Proton John Holton Robert Caldercott Peter Huzock George Snowden Gentlemen Anthony Lucas Doctor Riches George Merton Richard Win Wilham Kirk Esquire John Shilthorpe senior John Shilthorpe junior Humphrey Browne Robert Long Henry Bell Gentlemen John Thorsell Andrew Hackett Thomas Emerson Christopher Furlis Edward Paine John Paine John Pakey Esquire Wilham Jeoppe de Duxington Arthur Mores Joshua Short Gent; 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Barkilpe [Will; Barkilpe?] Isaac Gardner Edward Sackor John Brookfield Wilham Doughty John Calcuth Wilham Chapman Gentlemen Mathew Lister The Dean and Chapter of Lincoln Robert Cawdon John Harvey George Furlis Esquire Thomas Young Wilham Thompson of Rockham John Halsey John Fisher Richard

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Turkey William Stanford Philip Stanford George Clayton William Fortney John Weyman Samuel Cooper Stephen Bridge William Abell William Shaw Christopher Knads William Chapman de Sberay John Johnson de Lyrcela John French junior Robert Laming William Tiddle William Scornett Langley Grou Arthur Crumey John Berney William Arlark Richard Pollock John Phillips Thomas Place John Tully Richard Milner Robt. Crockett Christopher Robson Richard Clapton Wd Scapellato William Wolby Henry Moore de [Shakespeare] Robert Dyrnach Richard Pye George Dufresnoy Ric<sup>o</sup> Stanford Edward Goughland George Hardy Richard Kelson Penelope Walker Robert Paine Saglier West Flemwood Farrington John Nikkall Maria Loma William Wardenley Thomas Cocker Richard Cook Michael Bolton William Fullbeck William Grest de Birmingham Matthew Kirke Edward Bruene de Grested William Tadpole John Patchbeck Charles Morton James Provan Samuel Provan Thomas Ray John Medfield Thomas Pichal John Parker Samuel Beven Benjamin Broochhead Gerdeman William Garsfield Vincent Amoret de Harrington Marquis of Bute Richard Pilkington John Babb Timothy Mellington

Johnes de Lincoln Gentlemen William Gibbs de Lincoln Esq: Zachary Bacon Speaker John Arnyy Walsh Robert Cowick [Esquires] Robert Skipper William London Esq: de Salfordshaven

Thomas Withamson John Eschard de Buxley Anthony Thompson de Boodby Gentlemen Edmund Ingram John Marshall Robert Gardner David Field William Alcock Hewson Alcock William Tully Joseph Chapman Broadstone Bewne Samuel Neale Robert Popham Mark Rightell Gervase Shurpys John Shchange Timothy Heaton Richard Wakegar Augustine Serpense Thomas Place Richard Taylor Robert Coggan John Popplewell William Woodhirst Samuel Mettram John Thary John Shaw Dyrnach of Gristley Gerdeman John Mervile Francis Hayne Esquires Daniel Elmsy John Dinsley Robert Skipper William London Nicholas Taffer James Thompson Gentlemen

For the City of London with the Liberty of St. Martin Le Grand

The Lord Mayor and Aldermen for the Time being Sir Salsburi Lovell Recorder and the Recorder for the Time being The Honourable Robert Harley Esq: Speaker of the House of Commons The Right Honourable Sir Charles Hedges K<sup>t</sup> Principal Secretary of State Sir Edward Northey K<sup>t</sup> Her Majesties Attorney General Sir Simon Harcourt K<sup>t</sup> Her Majesties Solicitor General The Right Honourable Henry Boyle Esq: Chancellor of Her Majesties Exchequer Sir Thomas Lisle Bar: Sir Samuel Barnardiston Sir John Mordaunt Sir Henry Ayliffe Sir Henry Ashurst Barnard Sir William Cowper Sir David Pindar Barons Sir James Smith Sir William Russell Doctor George Comdore Sir Robert Becherell Sir Henry Furness Sir William Cole Sir Bartholomew Graudens Sir James Orliff Sir Thomas Vernon Sir Matthew Anderson Sir John Leithard Sir Jeremy Sambrooke Sir Thomas S. George Sir Richard Rymer Sir [Gabriel] Roberts Sir Stephen Evans Sir John Cape Bar: Sir Robert Ashurst Sir Rowland Aynsworth Sir Thomas Coddan Sir John Eyles Sir William Scovon Sir Edward Wills Philip Popham John Morris Doctor Henry Newton Chancellor of London John Canyns William Strong John Smith John Jeffris Charles Chamberlaine John Nicholls William Debenewit John [Hobbs] William Fawkesley Deputy William Gann Deputy Thomas Pelp George Boddington Thomas Gardner Deputy Peter Joye William Fawkes General Canyns Robert Raworth Thomas Collet Charles Bull Richard Wren Charles Godolphin Thomas Epps Deputy John Harvey Henry Corbish John Stunne Joseph Wright John Ward Samuel Rawnsome senior Edward Bailler Thomas Esme Deputy Matthew Hordernhouse William Natt Maria Eyles Charles Thosold Duncan Doe Sir Thomas Frankland Sir Robert Cotton John Mayne Samuel Sumner John Radge Joseph Wells John Decle John Freeman Sir Theodore Jensen James Dunsor Samuel Ryecroft Sir Cloudesly Shervell William Nevill John Shobbrooke Deputy Peter Dunsor [Sir] Richard Haddock Charles Serghes Dennis Lyddall John Bell Peter Godfrey Thomas Phipps John Wells John Mansfield Deputy John Hardier Daniel Daville Coland Perry Anthony Borne Edward Clarke Myer John Allen William Rame Abraham Ledwiler Robert Knight Freeman Collias Deputy Nathaniel Trech Benjamin South John Teedy Deputy Godfrey Webster Richard Guleson Peter Gray Thomas Cole Deputy Edward Baker William Seeding Thomas Fyfe Deputy Timothy Lacey Nicholas Wilson Francis Levent Richard Bellow Benjamin Rookley Thomas Crahan Joseph Maria William Lewis Peter Parker Deputy Arthur Champneys Frederick Elms Robert Bessow senior Robert Bessow junior Thomas Vyner Robert Moore Samuel Jackson Sir Richard Howe Sir James Eytton Robert Ashburner George Nicholls Cape: William Phillips John Midgley Alexander Palfiel John Eggleston Benjamin Berenmuth Daniel Wray William Duker Abraham Banks Jacob Dixon The Honourable James Bridges George Newland Sir Thomas Davall Samuel Shephard Peter Lakos Come Chamberlaine Richard Barnes Deputy James Hallet Augustus Marriot John Moore Deputy Richard Preble Francis Thacker Edward Ernick Nathaniel Horne Sir Francis Dalwood Thomas Norbury Richard Acton Deputy William Richardson Deputy Peter Elms Nathaniel Long Edward Fenwick Samuel Lappington Peter Vandewerth Robert Stampers Deputy Thomas Dade John Sherwood Thomas Molmen Thomas Cowper Francis Eyles William Walker John Roberts William Ettrick Joseph Denton George Walcott Anthony Starr Charles Middlemore Marchant Anthony Tansay Deputy John Townsend James Bull John Lees Richard Cradock Esq: Robert Child William Ashurst Samuel Perry William Kent Jeremiah Gough John Fisher William Wills Francis Page Robert Lancelotti Thomas Lambert Robert Heytham Giles Hrytham Thomas Hall Judith Robson John Upson Edward Grace Leonard Wood Thomas Scavon Samuel Mayne John Page Edmund Dunsen Edward Brewster Coland Peter Robert Barlock Edward Clarke Deputy Thomas Fryer James Ogber Robert White Joshua Bell John Perb Samuel Lock Aveland Clarke Deputy Thomas Fryer James Ogber Robert White Joshua Bell John Perb Daniel Allen Harwardale Habbles Samuel Ledwiler Peter Esquivas Henry Dry Edward Strony John Wright Deputy James Cooke Richard Taylor Robert Chrell Rapert Beven Nicholas Charles Sir Michael Hicks Charles Lee Thomas Spencer Doctor George Branspoken Andrew Cox Francis Marshall Charles Marshall Benjamin Smith

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\* Rymer O.

\* intended on the Roll.

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Thomas Lockington Ephraim Beuchamp Anthony Hammond Henry Greenhill Robert Maddox senior Robert Mollins senior Collier Rathbrooke George Townsend Francis Perry Edward Hammond William Peshall Matthew Lock junior Robert Fowler Thomas Watson Deputy Charles Gooton William Russell Richard Glover Thomas Wilson Henry Raper William Croxfield William Ford Thomas Townes Will. Allen James Harriot Francis Beaumont Roger Burrough Joseph Crayke Abraham Perren Robert Yandley Francis Fisher Captain John Frick Charles Peers Stephen Waller Doctor of Laws Thomas Vernon Maximilian Western Francis Midway Daniel Baker Abraham Huchins Francis Panneforth Lawrence Cotes Deputy George Fostell Deputy Thomas Humphrys Deputy Thomas Noddes John Ferre Roger Poston Felix Frost John Scott Richard Blom John Curlich John Cocks Thomas Salter John Cooper Deputy Richard Crawley Walter Stanes Colonel John Howard John Estence George Cole George Pash Thomas Pash Thomas Blackmore senior Thomas Blackmore junior Samuel Ogley Thomas Powell William Andrews Deputy William Carpenter John Cradlock George Richards Benjamin Hershaw Richard Gough Samuel Clarke John Halse John Nicholson Robert Comport William Dobson Thomas Pater Major Thomas Ned William Beckford John Moor in Minors Lane John Moor on Tower Hill Charles Rusdell Thomas Renda John Peshall Esquire Thomas Brewster Merchants Gibbon Baguill Richard Glover John Gryll John Hungerford William Humphries Thomas Hammond Thomas Lockington Arthur Moor Joseph Chaplin James Oles Francis Lee Gabriel Smith Farhod Hall Roger Hudson John Silke Thomas Tuckfield Henry Daniel Noyse Joseph Ashm Benjamin Hooper John Blackhall

For Serjeants Inn in Chancery Lane.

The Right Honourable the Lord Chief Justice Holt M<sup>r</sup> Justice Nevill M<sup>r</sup> Justice Dowd M<sup>r</sup> Justice Gould M<sup>r</sup> Baron Barry M<sup>r</sup> Baron Price M<sup>r</sup> Serjeant Black M<sup>r</sup> Serjeant Levell M<sup>r</sup> Serjeant Aylly M<sup>r</sup> Serjeant Conard

For Serjeants Inn in Fleet Street

The Right Honourable the Lord Chief Justice Trevor The Right Honourable the Lord Chief Baron Ward M<sup>r</sup> Justice Blacoe M<sup>r</sup> Justice Poyers M<sup>r</sup> Justice Tracy M<sup>r</sup> Baron Smith M<sup>r</sup> Serjeant Poyers M<sup>r</sup> Serjeant Hooper M<sup>r</sup> Serjeant Jenner M<sup>r</sup> Serjeant Whitmore

For the Inner Temple and the Inns of Chancery thence belonging

Sir Simon Harcourt Knight Her Majesty's Solicitor General Edward Jennings Esq. William Ferrer Esquire and the rest of the Benchers for the Time being

For the Middle Temple and the Inns of Chancery thence belonging

Sir Edward Northey Knight Her Majesty's Attorney General Sir William Whitelocke Knight one of Her Majesty's Council John Caryon Esq. one of Her Majesty's Council The Treasurer for the Time being and the rest of the Benchers of the said Society

For Lincoln Inn and the Inns of Chancery thence belonging

The Honourable Charles Egmont Esquire Charles Montgomerie Esq. (\*) Henry Fleming Esquire Edward Brode Esq. And all the Benchers of the said Society

For Gray's Inn and the Inns of Chancery thence belonging

George Gifford Ralph Cooke Daniel Bedingfield William Dixon Thomas Carter William Barby John Brewar Warwick Lake Hugh Smithson Gifford Lawson Richard Vaughan Christopher Mangrove Richard Mangrove and William Joseph Esquires and all the Benchers of the said Society for the Time being

For the Palace of Whitehall and St. James's

The Right Honourable Sir Edward Seymour Baronet Comptroller of Her Majesty's Household The Right Honourable Sir Charles Hedges Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State Sir [Benjamin?] Bathurst Sir Thomas Pelton Sir William Twiss Anthony Rowe Charles Scarborough Edward Griffith Wilkes Hartman Esquires Colonel Charles Goddard Sir Charles Connell Sir Christopher Wren William Bridges Francis Goyne William Lowndes Esquires Sir John Stanley Buzant Edward Nicholas Matthew Prior James Clarke Hugh Chedleigh Francis Assen John Ellis John Tucker Richard Wray Francis Noyse Peter Bume John Poyry and George Clarke Esquires

For the City of Westminster and the Liberties thereof

The Honourable Robert Harley Esquire Speaker of the Honourable House of Commons The Right Honourable Lyonel Earl of Dyrrert of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable Richard Earl of Hinchliff of the Kingdom of Ireland one of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council The Right Honourable William Viscount

\* John Hungerford Esquire John Conant Esquire &c

\* &c. &c.

Chapen of the Eagleon of Scotland The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Comynghy of the Eagleon of Ireland  
 The Right Honourable Henry Boyle Esq; Chancellor and Under Treasurer of the Exchequer Sir Henry Goodrich  
 Knight The Right Honourable Sir Charles Holles K<sup>t</sup>, one of Her Majesties Principal Secretaries of State and one  
 of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Sir Thomas Latimer Baronet Treasurer of the Navy The Right  
 Honourable John Grenville one of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Henry Lord Hyde Son and Heir  
 Apparent to the Earl of Rochester The Honourable Philip Howard John Trevelyan Robert Burtis Henry Frederick  
 Thynne Sir Stephen Fox Knight Sir John Lawther of Whitby Sir Walter Craggs [Sir<sup>1</sup>] Richard Onslow Sir  
 John Manners Baronet Sir Edward Northey Knight Her Majesties Attorney General Sir Simon Harcourt Knight  
 Her Majesties Solicitor General William Lowndes Esquire Secretary to Her Majesties Treasury Sir Philip Meadows  
 senior Sir John Nicholas Sir Charles Cornwall The Honourable Frenglas Beale William Ashburnham George  
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 Sir John Wolstenholme Sir William Wogan The Honourable Charles Bertie Robert Crill Thomas Newport Goodwin  
 Wharton Richard Hill Esquires Sir Robert Cotton Sir William Henrywood Sir Charles Oyne Sir Henry Dutton  
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 Robert Mordaunt Sir Ralph Delaval Sir William Trenchard Sir John Franks Sir Richard May Sir Christopher  
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 Peter Kilgrew Sir Robert Southwell Sir Richard Holled Sir Edward Lawrence Sir Humphrey Walth Sir Thomas  
 Salts George Sir Thomas Trevell Sir John Hardie Sir Orlando Gee Sir George Roake Sir William Haider Sir  
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 Hammond Thomas Porey George Woodson Charles Twitty Francis Thacker Richard Elder John Tynker [Esquires<sup>3</sup>]  
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 Charles Kilgrew John Wilson Galton Charles Wentworth Charles Whankey Edward Pennington Captain Richard  
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 Williamson senior John Pury Thomas Putter Gilbert Pelham William Watkins Henry Wythers William Lewis  
 John Arnold James Bringle Esquires Thomas Boswley Henry Sales John senior Doctor William Gibbons John  
 Radcliffe Samuel [Garth<sup>6</sup>] William Green John Thompson Robert Baker Hugh Chedleigh Philip Mould Hovey  
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 Kent Richard Cooper John Hume of Cavest Garden Leonard Martin Richard Owen Francis Chapman Edward  
 Noble John Davison John Randall Richard Miller William Monkhouse Henry Gohery Henry Evans Granville Gibbons

<sup>1</sup> Incorporated in the Bill.<sup>2</sup> Parliament G.<sup>3</sup> Esquires G.<sup>4</sup> Whores G.<sup>5</sup> Guards G.



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 of Ireland George Lord Viscount Castleton of the Kingdom of Ireland William Lord Viscount Cleryne of the Kingdom  
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 Bench The Right Honourable Sir Edward Ward Chief Baron of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer The [Lords]  
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 The Right Honourable Sir Edward Seymour Sir Edward Northey Sir Simon Harcourt The Honourable Henry Paget  
 Robert Pemes Coates Howard James Borne Robert Beria Thomas Newport Gilbert Coventry Robert Shirley Philip  
 Howard James Bridges James Herbert Pauley Bette Hugh Hase Esquires Sir John Heriot The Honourable the  
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 Thomas Frankland Sir Thomas Hobson Sir John Hebbel Sir Cane James Sir Henry Johnson Sir Richard Middleton  
 Sir Godard Netharp Sir Richard Newdgate Sir Richard Onslow Sir Charles Pitt Sir John Smith Sir Thomas

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\* Lord G.

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<sup>o</sup> G. wine

<sup>o</sup> Lawrence G.

<sup>o</sup> Wine G.

<sup>o</sup> Gaskier G.

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Hunter Sir Augustus Palmer Sir Harvie Petre Sir Robert Kemp Sir Roger Potts Sir Ralph Hart Sir Edmund Bacon Sir Jacob Astley Sir Edward Ward Sir Nicholas Garrard Sir William Cooke Sir John Carden Sir Francis Buckley Sir Robert Manners Sir Francis Westham Sir Richard Allen Bassons Sir Edward Tarnes Sir Francis Gayton Sir William Ruse Sir Cyril Wyth Sir John Tanner Sir Robert Clayton Sir Thomas Ryeftown Sir Isaac Preston Sir James Edridge Sir Charles Turner Sir Andrew Fossaine Sir Edward Chisholm Knights Robert Walpole Edward Coke John Harbord Edmund Woodhouse Francis Windham Ash Windham Robert Knapp Algernon Potts Philip Astley James Hume John Horne Charles Le Grosse Denzell Osolow Christopher Calkrop of Buxton Clement Herne Robert Sackling Erasmus Earle John Harvey Rahan Gony Samuel Beller Thomas Elliot John Norris Daniel Bedingfield Christopher Bedingfield George England Ralph Harc Robert Dery John Mogy Arthur Broadwater Joshua Mathews Robert Bultiffe Charles Shaw John Wages junior Andrew Fossaine Marston Kendall Robert Gooch Leonard Mages John Rappa Thomas de Gony John Boughton Anthony Prostant Thorough's Garden

Parishes of Beekesham Oliver Le Neve Benjamin Dehuck William Walsh Christopher Crow Edward Osborne of Bocking John Thurston Robert Cuffe Bessingborne Gaudy William Bayley Philip Shoppen Edward Lee John Brink Augustine Briggs Edmund Behn William Brudenelles Giles Madwell Galesw Arringer Thomas Blaford Richa Browne Henry Nages John Wackhouse Edward Wilson Edmund Belff Harriet Berners John Wackhouse Thomas Day John Ad John Jarry Thomas Townshend Masfield Spelman Henry Spelman Thomas Browne John Page Francis Long Michael Symonds Martin Calthorpe Edmund Somers John Lash John Jay Thomas Wright Percy Forke Francis Gardner Ing Fossaine Benjamin England Tho: Berney South Fleetwood John Lovell John Herne of Wingham Israel Lang George Vernon Thomas Shandern Thomas Rest Martin Folkes Richard Fender William Stiles Sigmund Twiford Frederick Tilley Clement Rappa John Marriott Horatio Walpole Gregory Davies Thomas Marsham John Pell Charles Tamer son: John Hubart of Buxham Thomas Berrett Henry O'Garra John Kayser Joseph Weld Jack Prins John Harris Charles Widge of Edwinton Robert Bewie William Spelman Thomas Perrot Horon of Ketteringham Thomas Edwards James Tynes John Benay of Wansham John Benay of Westwick Robert Doughty of Haworth George Dunswood Orlando Belgians Roger Poyas Charles Bedingfield Philip Bedingfield of Branshage Richard Dolewood John Fasham John Fasham John Ewens Clerc Gurnes of Hadenham Henry Hare of Doding Charles Newes Edward Jales of Wood-dalling Thomas Clarke of Marlingford Thomas Hagan Hobart Astley Thomas Archibald Thomas Cates Edward Lamb of Wotton Thomas Bewish of Colkirk Jacobus Symonds John Forde Walter Bacon Philip Rely Engrines Robert Horne Edward Lestrage Clarent Gooch Francis Nages James Colburn Robert Doughty Thomas Talbot Robert Silham Robert Jennings John Cate Thomas Bessoke Robts Brower of Fulmstona Wingham Eochelham Philip Vincent Edmund Anguish Humphrey Ruse Nicholas Sillemans William Cony Nicholas Holmes John Ward Robert Fick Francis Noss Charles Burrell William Spranger John Wogan junior William Sanford Leonard Mages junior Edward Knight Charles Bidd Edward Serf Timothy Cason William Person Robert Seal Thomas Beware Robert Haarer William Hare Henry Kalingan John Browne of Stanning John Peck Thomas [Scotell] Thomas Scott Peter Wilson Thomas Cropley Edmund Thomsdorp Roger Crow William Belver of Goresick John Buxton Roger Jennings James Betts John Nathan Robert Sackling junior Henry Bell Benjamin Bell Edward Bewes Philip Woodhouse William Holley Edmund Ralf William Kallins Lawrence New Henry Toms William Newman of Bacoethorpe Francis Jemmy William Payne Warner Warner Robert Bessley William Laughly Henry Hart Richard Taylor Richard Howard John Turner Edward Eyre John Lovell junior John Bennett John Benth Thomas Horne Charles Bruff of Stoddy Barnham Raymond Samuel Baken of Bologham Augustus Hall John Cooper John Cate of Omsby John Winstenhouse of Cator William Tamer of Ingles Christopher Harne Thomas Sayer John Clerk junior Mathew Long Henry Dury [John Dury] Edmund Keene of Melton Henry Frouthingham Richard Carter John Brewster Robert Houghton Peter Seamus Graham Page Edmund Ward Roger Lestrage Henry Jay Edward Currier Mathew Holcott Thomas Holfeld of Buxton Robert Gooch of Brook John Sayer Thomas Bessley Thoroughwood Upwood Thomas Upwood Francis Herne Deansdon Nicos John Burroughs Gen. Richard Mount Esq: Ridd Smith of Hockham William Smith of Creston Gent: Isaac Moxham Thomas Sutherland of Taverham Gent. William Hubert Esq: Robert Dorn of Crooke Edmund Wilson Gent. Christopher Sayer Esq: Christopher Calkrop Esq. Sir Robert Jennings Knight Edward Barber of Denver Gent: Dora of Cuffe Aere Esq: Humphrey Pridmore Dean of Norwich

## For the Town of Northampton

The Mayor for the Time being Sir Robert Haldridge Sir Justitia Innes Sir Mathew Dudley Bassons Sir John Briscoe Kt. Thomas Cartwright Bartholomew Tate Robert Haldridge Francis Arundell Richard Rakeford Francis Morgan Harvey Esq: Edward Stanford William Ward Thomas Thornton Thomas Andrews Henry Bessons Gerard Gore Edward Lathins Robert Berton Thomas Calhoun Knightly Tharum Esq: Daniel Gostwood Doctor of Physick John Calhoun John Clarke junior John Clarke junior Samuel Clifford John Silby Robert Ince William Elie Jonathan Warner Thomas Chadwick Robert Biles Theophilus Whitson William Wallis James Green Edward Ivory William Agutter senior Thomas Bratfield William Perle Thomas Atterbury John Knight George Hayes Gentleman

## For the rest of the County of Northampton

The Right Honourable Lord Earl of Dysart of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable Lord James Russell One of the Sons of the late Duke of Bedford The Right Honourable Lord Newcastle Son and Heir Apparent of the Earl of Peterborough The Right Honourable William Lord Pitt Williams of the Kingdom of

Inland The Lord Chief Baron Wad M. Justice Blasco The Honourable William Cull Esq: The Honourable Charles Berle Esq: The Honourable Sidney Wortley alias Mountague Esq: The Honourable Charles Egerton Esq: The Honourable John Viner Esq: The Honourable William Mountague Esq: The Honourable Thomas Wentworth alias Watson Esq: The Honourable Henry Paget Esq: The Honourable James Griffin Esq: The Honourable George Cockburn Esq: Sir John Egerton Sir Robert Hestridge Sir Jacobus Adams Sir Roger Caro Sir Erasmus Norwich Sir Edward Nicolls Sir Pope Dawson Sir Lewis Palmer Sir John Langham Sir John Wolstenhale Sir James Robinson Sir Charles Blackthorn Sir S. Andrew S. John Sir Mathew Dudley Sir Caesar Child Sir John Grenville Sir Richard Newman Sir John Pichering Baroness Sir William Craven Sir Benjamin Bathurst Sir John Briscoe Sir Robert Clarke Knt. Thomas Cartwright Gilbert Dalben Bartholomew Tate Thomas Pemberton John James Ralph Freeman Thomas Coke Francis Arundell Charles How Edward Stoufford Thomas Thornton Tobias Chaucerrey Harvey Ekme Bernard Tryon Francis Saaz John Henry Farnes William Ward Thomas Carr Nicholas Breton Charles Tryon Charles Kokhans Francis Cooke Thomas Woodcocke Edwin Lloyd Henry Williams Holbeck William Walthorne Henry Brown Lucy Knightley Horatio Moore Lide Hucker William Lee of Cold Ashby Henry Sawyer William Adams of Chawston John Ekim Edward Jackson John Hodges William Wilkeson Francis Hurly Thomas Tuff Hutton Compton Richard Raynsford Germain Gore Robert Brimton Anthony Palmer Edward Sandon John Fiddlers Eliza Steward Matthew Oglebeare Richard Grand John Allcock Thomas Andrew Braden of Baron Randolph Wilkes Thomas Hartbury William Lide John Pocklington Robert Donner Edward Bagshaw Charles Fox John Wollall John Lyns Francis Mayson George Kendrick William Hastings John Hastings Samuel Wake alias James Francis Saunders Francis Arundell jun: Robert Andrew William Langdon Thomas Lester Henry Longville Moses Batham William Ives John Freeman George Ashby John Bridges Samuel Collins Richard Kissen Thomas Mako Noah Nale William Clarke John Dehenson Charles Parker Thomas Denton Thomas Rowell Roger Pemberton John Ash Joseph Haynes John Bury Esquire Donat Thomas Walsey Archdeacon of Northampton Samuel Foxman Doctor in Divinity Henry Bacon Richard Blackburgh Edmund Barrow George Clarke Augustus Freeman Thomas Muldwell Jacob Dancer William Samuel Charles Wilkeson Robert Freeman Joseph Arie Thomas Jennings John Stephens George Benson Edward Adams William Foxman of Bicester Richard Gosnell Richard Dehenson John Adams James Lowry Robert Newcomb John Rowell William Ash Edward Bush George Luffield John Spanton Richard Freeman Richard Under senior Henry Gorn Gerdenson Robert Wilton Clerk The Mayor of Northampton The Mayor of Brackley The Mayor of Higham Ferrers for the Time being.

## For the Town and County of Newcastle upon Tyne

The Mayor Recorder Aldermen and Sheriff for the Time being

## For the Town of Berwick upon Tweed

David Snow Esq. Major Samuel Ogle Esq: Recorder John Pratt Stephen Jackson senior Edward Neilson Thomas Grice Anthony Compton jun. James John Pitt George Rowly Samuel Foster Stephen Jackson jun. Bayliff Christopher Ord Alderman John Sibbitt Town Clerk Sir Francis Blake Es. Jonathan Hirsthouse Esq: Edward Mayne Esq: Anthony [Langton] sen. John Strick William Scott John Forster Robert Rodham Robert Watson Adam Wilson Arthur Edmonson John Stanton Caddick Brady Joseph Foster Edward Crisp James Douglas Gentlemen

## For the County of Northumberland

The Honourable Charles Mountague Esq: Sir John Delarall Sir Charles Heson Sir John Middleton Sir William Van Caloen Sir Edward Blackett Sir William Blackett Sir Thomas Lorraine Sir Francis Liddell Sir James Claveling Sir Henry Liddell Baroness Sir Robert Skelton Sir Francis Blake Sir Robert Blacking Sir Orlando Gee Knight Baroness Sister Thomas Foster of Edlington Philip Beckwith John Grey John Skelton William Ogle John Skelton Thomas Foster of Camblith Robert Hildesley Thomas Collywood Robert Maford John Bacon Charles Howard Samuel Ogle William Skelton of Pallady William Carr of Ashby Matthew Whitfield William Fenshik Joseph Carr Will: Carr Tho: Beath Robert Maford of Maford Robt. Fenshik Ralph Ogle Michael Widdon Henry Hutton Semy Swinburne Richard Foster Edward Rodham John Macken Edward Delaval William Reedy Thomas Berkenmopp William Taylor Thomas Owen Richard Hadnam John Addison Robert Skelton William Lowndes John Rogers Francis Foster Henry Foster Vaughan Phillips John Conneworth Ralph Brindley Edward Cooke Roger Wilson Robert Lide William Straker John Foster William Ramsey Henry Colledge Alexander Colledge John Hill Lake Cressall Robert Foster Thomas Pinner Given Aysenly Gabriel Hill Henry Oyle William Jenkinson Ralph Jenkinson George Alderton James Elderton John Cressall Ralph Oyle Henry Jaudon Thomas Bark William Browne Esquire The Bayliff of Morpeth for the Time being John Rodham Robert Aemmer John Rowhead John Fenshik Ralph Grey George Lawson George Fletcher Gilbert Parks Ralph Anderson George Wilson William Porman Thomas Gray Thomas Burdell William Chastons of Leodall Member Parliament Robert Foster George Foster Robert Conneworth Thomas Reedy Thomas Mills Thomas Tole Thomas Gray William Reed John Reed John Cooke Nicholas Greenwell of Colledge Nicholas Benbowe Thomas Teasdale Ralph Pater Gabriel Hill of Colledge Joseph Fenshik Thomas Carr Thomas Wallis William Alder of Kirknewton Richard Ord Henry Robinson John Cooke of Tegenus Thomas Stady John Chastons Robert Algood Edward Chastons Christopher Barrow Alexander Browne George Alder of Fenshik

## For the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham

The Mayor Deputy Recorder and Aldermen for the Time being James Facewell Samuel Hallows John Mannes Thomas Mansfield Matthew Smith Thomas Charlton Robert Porter Thomas Masley Esquires Duane John Bos Samuel Gurne George Langford John Shewen William Jackson John Smith Charles Harvey Gentlemen

## For the County of Nottingham

The Right Honourable Sir John Viscount Howe Baron Chaworth of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Thomas Willoughby Sir Francis Molyneux Sir George Scudle Sir Hardolph Waneceys Sir Willoughby Holman Barons Sir Thomas Parkyns Sir Godfrey Copley Sir Nathaniel Curzon Sir John Parnes Sir George Hesketh Barons Sir William Stanhope Sir Mathew Jenion Knights William Percypont Robert Sacheverell John Williams John Handlison Philip Shennet Barlase Warren Parkins Claverworth James Farwell Thomas Masley George Gregory Beaumont Parkyns Gilbert Melfington Esquires Christopher Kilkerton Robert Porter Cudill Cooper William Barnard John Digby Charles Stanhope Percy Mokeness Henry Shostbrooke John Emerson Thomas Charlton Gilbert Charlton Robert Harding Philip Lacock

Chate of Dalton John Harbord George Masch Richard Butler Thomas

Thornson Winford of Lenton John Plummer Richard Fox Gerard Munday Manners Richard Lloyd Edward Payne Christopher Berriford William Cartwright of Ousington William Cartwright of Normanton George Cartwright of Saxton Thomas Newdysse

Lee of Norwell Germaine Eyre Esquires John Thornthugh Francis Stringer John Selinger William Levis Charles Mellich Edward Mellich John Keyser John White Thomas White Thomas Hewitt John Clarkson Isaac Knight William Simpson George Neville Edward Neville Edmund Dickinson Timothy Ellis Robert Hucker John Hucker Jonathan Achtem John Grouty Thomas Mansfield John Lator Besborough Basset Esquires Edward Crowwell John Bos Doctors of Physick John Kercheville William Woodhouse Thomas Bristow John Neale John Walker Jeffrey Brook John Sney George Brough James Watkinson William Drury John Simpson George Wharton Jeremiah Halfhide Gentlemen Edward Southworth Christopher Johnson

Rose of Redford William Ward Benjamin Broadhead George Danson Thomas Hall Francis Thornhill John Wildmore Thomas Colles The Mayor and Aldermen of Newark for the Time being The Bailiffs of East Redford and the Six senior Aldermen for the Time being Thomas Bynfield of Southwell

## For the University of Oxford

The Vice Chanceller for the Time being all the Heads of the Colleges and Halls The Honourable Henrice Finch and William Brouley Esquires Doctor William Josc Regius Professor of Divinity Doctor John Hammond Canon of Christ Church Doctor John Wallis and Doctor David Gregory Savilian Professors Doctor Thomas Hoy Professor of Physick the Proctors for the Time being George Cooper Charles Harris Theophilus Painter George War William Hackett Oliver Thimblestone John Fulkas Jacob Beharr Richard Walker Gentlemen

## For the City of Oxford

The Mayor and Bailiffs for the Time being The Honourable Henry Berke Thomas Rowney Francis Nancey Esquires Sir Robert Jenkinson Sir John Dayley Sir Robert Duffwood Barons Sir Edward Norrey Sir Edmund Warcup Sir Sebastian Smith Sir Robert Hamilton Sir William Claxton Knights Thomas Ennace Henry White James Mansel Aldermen John Teyler Timothy Beames John Knibb Daniel Webb Thomas Selous Tobias Paine Michael Cripps Assessor William Wright Esquire Recorder Charles Harris Anthony Hyman Gentlemen

## For the rest of the County of Oxford

The Right Honourable Edward Lord Viscount Combury Son and Heir Apparent to Henry Earl of Chichester The Honourable Henry Berke The Honourable Henrice Finch The Honourable James Berke Esquires Sir John Cope Sir Robert Jenkinson Sir John Dayley Sir Palmandow Parnson Sir John Walter Sir Thomas Linton Sir William Gyren Sir Henry Ashburn Sir Edmund Penelope Sir Robert Duffwood Sir William Robt Sir Edward Cobb Sir Thomas Wheat Sir Thomas Tipping Sir John Thompson Barons Sir Edward Hungerford Knights of the Bath Sir Edward Norrey Sir Henry Johnson Sir Edmund Warcup Sir William Wadlock Sir Sebastian Smith Sir Francis Blake Knights John Cudrey John Carr Miles Stapleton Doctors in Divinity Thomas Boucher Doctor of Law Anthony Hungerford Richard Lobb John Stone Charles Stone George Allott Francis Clarke John Denton Edward Dunch George Chamberlain William Guazock Thomas Hord William Baily John Crooke Harry Cole Robert Barber Edward Perrett James Brown William Padsey Henry Hall John Wallis James Herbert Robert Jennings William Jennings William Tipping of Ewelme James Jennings Robert Mayor John Nene Humphrey Wadham Simon Wharwood a Dean John Darvres Thomas Rowley Samuel Treason Thomas Crip Francis Norrey Thomas Cartwright Thomas Carr Thomas Mappin Philip Newman Sebastian Lyford William Gullley John Gas Thomas Padsey William Widdick Roger Price Edmund Bry Walter Knight Thomas Woodall William Aldworth Aulster John Pollard John West Jonathan Shephard Lemall Trotman John Bray William Walker Samuilus Vercy William Sacheverell Henry Pascock Thomas Jordan George Tipping Bartholomew Harris William Parsons Edmund Woodward Gregory of Halsey Richard Taylor of Wilton Francis Knapp Robert Parsons Martin May Thomas Smith of Kington

*Heads of Hampton Gay* John Highard Gilbert Jones Thomas Stevens Adam Spengill Thomas Brightman Francis Greenway Richard Eynas Anthony Eynas George Carr Thomas Rolfs Richard Thompson Sutton Coghill John Wheeler John Gwyler Laurence Lord settler Laurence Lord junior John Dabwell John Wile of Dreyton John Smith Giles Dates Richard Blackhall George Gooding of Lanchford Charles Harris Thomas Woodward of Tockley Richard Crooke Robert Standford John Oaker Jonathan Sawyer Benjett Knight John Winkler Edward Whitte Clement Kerr Ralph Whitler Ralph Whitler junior William Blackhall Charles Holt John Collier Thomas Allett Thomas Greenwood of Chichester John Clarke of Amos Henry Beck William Rawlston Henry Ashurst Richard Smith Philip Wrenson John Constant Doctor in Law William Wright Laurence Fenshale John Dornier of Ashover Stephen Glynn William Ceremey William Freeman Richard Lydell John Standen Thomas Brigham John Grevoy William Bruce William Goodmough Henry Bishop William Newell James Jennings John Medkale Esquires John Helleway Robert Vasey Gabriel Sepanour John Heddall James [Libb'] Adam Newman John Carter Richard Leaver Richard Hacker of Kington William Taylor of Wilton Richard Carter Richard Lobb junior James Jennings Edward Whistler Shrove Papson Thomas Nash of Watlington Thomas Earnest of Parson William Toney of Hely Nicholas Marshall From of Hesley Richard Winkler Francis Nash of Hesley John King of Barwick Thomas Hall of Chisner John Mason of Spokes Church John Newell of the same Randolph Heble of Warblton Thomas Dubson of Amos John Liddall of Uxmore Henry Wolenshelme Edward Becher Esq. Robert Cox Doctor in Divinity Richard Bigg John Tail Goss The Mayor Aldermen and Town Clerk of the Town of Woodstock for the Time being The Mayor Aldermen Capridi Burgess Recorder and Town Clerk of the Town of Banbury for the Time being The Warden of Hesley for the Time being The Bayliffs of Bedford Chipping Norton and Watney for the Time being John Jordan of Fulbrooke David Hughes John Carter Richard Bartholomew Greenham Edward Curran Esq. William Bea Doctor of Laws Samuel Redwell Henricke Lenton Thomas [Law'] Goss Sir Simon Hancourt His Majesty's Solicitor General Henry Beeson and Francis Kirk Esq. John James Hawkins Esq. Ralph Trusdall Rector of Whitley Henry Carey Clerk Thomas Goudie Gent. Badloe Warren James Turrell Esquires.

For the County of Rutland

The Right Honourable Edmund Lord Shrewsbury of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable John Verney Esq. The Honourable John Noel Esq. Sir Thomas Mackworth Sir Thomas Barker Baronet Sir Jeffrey Jeffreys Knight Esquires Russell Philip Sherrard Richard Holford John Browne Robert Mackworth Edward Browne Clement Brown Samuel Browne Edward Harwood John Wingfield John Warror Anthony Palmer Charles Tryon Charles Tyrrell [Willesborough] Sir Samuel Tryan Christopher Chibbott William John Richard Snow Thomas Burnell Bartholomew Burton John Sherington William Johnson Nicholas Bellingham Edmund Harrison Esq. Edward Smith Gent. Andrew Burton Esquire

For the Town of Ludlow

The Bailiffs for the Time being The Honourable Robert Harley Esquire Speaker of the House of Commons The Right Honourable Richard Lord Newport Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Bradford The Honourable Thomas Newport Esq. Sir Lichborne Pepps One of the Justices of Her Majesty's Court of Queens Bench Sir Thomas Pepps Her Majesty's First Sergeant at Law Francis Herbert Esq. Sir Francis Churleton Baronet Thomas Gervaise Esq. Francis Lloyd Esq. Recorder Charles Baldwin Esq. William Gower Esq. Richard Charles Esq. Henry Wignore Esq. Robert Powls Esq. John Sulway Esq. Richard Dash settler Philip Cole Thomas Lee Rowland Eardley John Sharron Aldermen Captain Thomas Jones Valentine Davies Doctor Bayley Robert Kny Richard Cole Benjamin Curvey John Baldwin John Stodd John Beeson Thomas Sabery Samuel Bowdler Edward Robinson junior John Jones William Price Edward Lee John Arden

For the rest of the County of Salop

The Honourable Robert Harley Esquire Speaker of the Honourable House of Commons The Right Honourable Robert Lord Viscount Kilmarney of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Richard [Lord] Newport Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Bradford The Honourable Henry Thynn Esquire The Honourable Thomas Newport Esq. The Honourable Sir John Leveson Gower Chancellor of Her Majesty's Duchy of Lancaster Sir Lichborne Pepps Knight One of the Justices of Her Majesty's Court of Queens Bench Sir Charles Lisleton Sir Robert Corbett Sir Humphrey Briggs Sir Edward Aston Sir Richard Middleton Sir Francis Charles Esq. Sir John Wynne Sir William Williams Sir Edward Lightfoot Sir Thomas Lowley Baronet Sir Isaac William Child Sir Henry Gough Sir Humphrey Mankworth Sir William Forester Sir Thomas Pepps Her Majesty's First Sergeant at Law Sir George Norton Knight William Fyfe John Churton Arthur Murrenring Charles Kington & Cooley John Knapp of Horley William Prynce John Walcott Esq. James Hincpoat Francis Herbert Roger Owen William Owen George Weld Richard Corbett Walter Mosley Thomas Spett Thomas Rock Charles Cotton John Cotton Walter Waring Charles Baldwin Roger Pope settler Roger Pope junior John Lazen de West Coppice John Cotton Richard Courtier John Wace William Bromley Bartholomew Lantley Henry Newson John Bridgman Blunden Charlton John Cole Joseph Selby Thomas Gervaise William Hancour Sherrington Downport Eldred Lancourt Lee Thomas Llane Thomas Child Thomas Gough John Thomas John Harley settler John Harley junior John Cherywell Edward Kerry Richard Milton Esq. Edward Vaughan Edward Child Edward Klenesley Thomas Hart Thomas Corbett Thomas Edwards William Gower John Taylor Thomas Widd Esq. Henry Smallwood Thomas Ryan Robert Riggs William Young Thomas Wingfield Lloyd Edwards John Powell Thomas Powell de Park John Walter Francis Buckley Arthur Weaver James Gower



Robert Lloyd Edward Cascon Henry Mison Edward Jennings Edward Wainwright William Taylor Edward Owen de Woodhouse Esq; Thomas Jones de Sanderford Ralph Browne Bartholomew Beale Richard Perkinson Thomas Sanderford de Sanderford Richard Leighton de Rodehaye Rowland Cotton Andrew Charlton Thomas Gaudier Edward Downe Thomas Severin Henry Powell Esq; John Hollings Doctor of Physick John Underhill Doctor in Physick Adam Orley Doctor Doctor of Divinity John Price Doctor of Divinity John George Samsel Dabson Roger Casbet The Mayor of Shrewsbury for the Time being The Bayliffs of Bishopscastle for the Time being The Bayliffs of Wenlock for the Time being The Bayliffs of Bridgnorth for the Time being The Mayor and Coroners of Arnesley for the Time being Samuel Adleston John Hall Bulkley Mackworth Simon Hammer Richard Hosier Richard Salter Edward Gerswell senior Edward Gerswell jun. John Fawcett Esq; Jonathan Scott sen. Jonathan Scott jun. John Scott Collier Wolrick Rob; Wood Tho; Owen de Shrewsbury Thomas Owen de Whitley John Cole de Shrewsbury Richard Higgins Richard Preshed John Williams Gabriel Wood Francis Baldwin sen; William Gumpson sen; Edward Lloyd John Cooke Draper Rowland Haugh Thomas Acton Whitmore Acton Esquires William Browne Arthur Devenax Charles Walton Esquires Richard Samsel de Acton Philip Cotton Samuel Bowdler de Albion Thomas Gumpson Laurence Stephens John Mason de Banow Timothy Russell William Hammons George Sanford William Kinscott de Ryton Edward Kerkley Abel Kerkley Esquires John Rudge Richard Litchfield John Sheppard William Boycott Thomas Mason Charles Mason Henry Best Esquires William Baldwin Richard Walter Thomas Whitcomb [de] Bridgnorth Edward Minton Humphry Owen Andrew Hill Thomas Howle jun Edward Jorda Andrew Kendrick Esquires Robert Olive Esq; John Harnedy Esq; Thomas Hawkes John Morris Meddison of Meddison George Hudson Walker Woodman Richard Farmer Roger Fusch Henry Griffith Esquires Robert Wild Thomas Wild Edward Blackway John Baldwin de Manslow Benjamin Whitcomb Robert Kerry John Sheppard de Eppengrove Edward Pardee Alexander Deanecker Samuel Dodd Robert Dodd Edward Shelley Thomas Jones de Skerit Richard Sheppard William Russell Edward Owen de Eaton Masons Bernard Hammond John Pryor John Latham Thomas Hill de Seaton Thomas Hill de Seaton junior James Kerkley Esquires Thomas Spendlers Melvins Jones William Child Laurence Shadwell Thomas Cleve Robert Moor Bail Wood Edward Jordan William Whitmore Esquires William Beale Joseph Macklinton Edward Jones Thomas Calkson of Berwick Robert Poma John Kinnerley of Balgoe Richard Oakley Esquires Corfield of Charnwell William Bowdler George Pally Thomas Hurley Esquires [Richard] Hurley Thomas Holland Richard Hild Esquires John Felton Richard Ward of Haxton Mackworth Young John Wilmot de Doolington John White William Robinson of Guin John Whitmore Humphrey Sanford Esquires [Thomas] Farmer de Chiddeshull Thomas Harwood William Berkeley Esquires William Whithorley Thomas Gant of Shrewsbury George Hold Esquires Thomas Ludwick Esquire George Herbert Gilbert Charlton Acton Baldwin Philip Epton Esq; Charles Charlton Thomas Barnoughs Herbert Langley John Firring Edward Philips Doctor of Physick Timothy Seymour Richard Lloyd John Hill of Hawkestone Thomas Shanton jun; John Higgins Roger Gathings Andrew Lloyd Thomas Downes James Davis Thomas Browne of Chilton John Eddes Edward Martin Thomas Church Esq; James Bettes Samuel Jordan John Weaver John Weaver jun. John Baxton John Dicks Esq; John Selvey John Nicholas de [Chosenark] Thomas Hill of Selvington Robert Phillips Draper Richard Lloyd Lee Brookes James Gibbons of Austerly Grestleton George Chamber of Lappington Roger Whitley Thomas Jocklas Thomas Bowdler Peter Scarlett Richard Edwards Joseph Rind William Wood of Macklinton Grestleton William Pennel de Barons Lands Gent. John Ashbrooke Thomas Adney Henry Bowdler William Hayward Maurice Hayward Philip Kenthall Richard Berthall Daniel Peacock George Ascher William Baldwyn of Hlan Grestleton.

## For the City and County of the City of Bristol

William Lewis Esq; Mayor Seymour Peckett Recorder Sir William Chatterbank Sir Thomas Day Sir John Knight Sir John Merrick Sir Thomas Carr Sir John Dailhouse Sir William Daines Sir John Hawkins Joseph Cresswell William Swayne Richard Lane William Jackson Arthur Hart Robert Yate Samuel Wall John Becher Robert Herley Thomas Edwards Joseph Knight John Sanson Michel Page Joseph Jackson William Browne Robert Langton Nathaniel Wade Thomas Day Joseph Earle John Scrove Humphrey Conley John Carey Thomas Merrick John Kumsay Nathaniel Haggat Henry Davy John Herley Richard Taylor John Floyd Giles Merrick George Morgan John Sanderford Marmaduke Bowdler John Yeamans Robert Dreading John Bradway Henry Combes Will; French Pet; Saunders Franc; Whitchurch Nathaniel Dry John Day George Stephens James Hildridge William Whithead Robert Bond Isaac Davis Samuel Selvy Richard Haply Abraham Elton Christopher Shaw Richard Fracklyn William Bernedie Thomas Hart Anthony Swayne Francis Rogers Henry Watts Morgan Smith Henry Whithead Abraham Hook Philip Franks Henry Walter Eschell Longman Thomas Moore William Robson George Mason John Widdring Thomas Whitmore and Edward Tookill Esquires

## For the City of Bath

The Mayor and Bench of Aldermen for the Time being William Halkewick Esq; Alexander Fopham Esq; John Treachard Esq; Recorder

## For the City of Wells

The Mayor and Recorder for the Time being William Coward Sergeant at Law M. Mathew Iohn M. William Salmon M. Bridges Cooks senior M. Charles Bacon M. Thomas Casper M. Joseph Norton William Coward junior Esq; Harry Bridges Esq; William Hughes Esq; William Westley Esq; M. John Day senior M. Thomas Muzacks M. Richard Corcoran

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\* Edward G.

\* inserted on the Roll

\* Chiddeshull G.

## For the Borough of Bridgwater

The Mayor for the Time being Sir Francis Warr Baronet Recorder Sir Thomas Wroth Baronet Nathaniel Palmer Andrew Cross Esquires Robert Balch John Gilbert George Cross Thomas Bore Squall Darby John Harvey William Tisdall Doctor Morgan George Balch Doctor Allen

## For the rest of the County of Somerset

John Lord Viscount Fisharding of the Kingdom of Ireland Francis Lord Hawley of the same The Honourable Henry Thyn Esq; The Honourable Francis Grenville Esquire The Honourable Sir Edward Seymour Baronet Comptroller of Her Majesties Household Sir Philip Spelman Sir Thomas Wroth Sir John Smith Sir Thomas Hales Sir John Trevethin Sir Francis Warr Sir John Sans Barbe Sir Francis Windham Sir John Tyne Sir Henry Seymour Baronet Sir Theo Bridges Sir Stephen Fox Sir John Knight Sir George Norton Sir Thomas Hassell Sir William Wogan Sir Charles Carverett Sir Jacob Balch Sir John Ewell Sir Richard Newson Sir John Robinson Knights Henry Parnham Thomas Stangevoles George Horner Alexander Pughes Tetsworth Lattrell John Warr Edward Redfey Nathaniel Palmer John Windham John Speke John Sandford Francis Gwynne William Coward Sergeant at Law John Hunt Alexander Lattrell Joseph Langton William Rakhams John Piggott Edward Clarke Edward Baker Robert Longton Edward George Anthony Daisick [William Estrick] Baldwin Malles William Heller Carew Midway Richard Parnam senior Richard Parnam jun. William Gore Robert Yale Henry Hasley Thomas Carew Francis Rolle John Lee John Codrington George Maygrave George Long Thomas Horne of Hensham Thomas Chafin Richard Morgan John Prowse of Abbridge John Prowse Samuel Rolle John Keyes Sergeant at Law Henry Balguy William Coventry George Doddington John Hampton William Mayne Thomas Maygrave Stuart Goodenough William Martin John Champneys William Phillips Edward Phillips William Hellyard Benjamin Harrington Anthony Suckler John [Vallier] John How Henry Lee William Martin Henry Montpelier Thomas Oke of Totton Andrew Cross William Hughes Anthony Bentley John Burdige John Stracey Marshall Bridges William Bridges Thomas Edwards William Okells Henry Eves Edward Stole of Downside Edward Brode of Down Thomas Warr William Jones Henry Burchard of Gause Court Christopher Harrell Robert Sydenham Thomas Beever William Wesley Walter Green John Worth John Blewett of Knoll Francis Vaughan John Doble William Francis Nicholas Francis Humphrey Spelman Thomas Gale Roger Laverage Thomas Samborne Samuel Horner Edmund Boyer John Trevethin John Young of Trest Richard Fraser Philip Bennett John Jones Arthur Lucy Edward Oke Alexander Pugham Thomas Earle William Earle Anthony Ellison William Speke William Lyde Curdston Lyde John Lardden John Hady John Webb Gerard Newcourt John Holby William Coward junior John Bernard William Whitcomb John Willsons James Anna Robert Baker of Ash Pryn John Burford Doctor Robert Parnam Azzort Richard Cooke John Berron Samuel Pitt Merchant William Blackford Richard Cox Gastreaux Younger William Mass John Crevelick Roger Spelman Robert Eversand Thomas Ledingham Street Raymond Hugh Midham William Boshon William Harman John Nive John Blinman Thomas Compton David Yee William Hulse of Mithard Edward Ryder Thomas Bacon Nathaniel Wain Richard Nutcombe Nathaniel Day Thomas Honey Henry Besser Thomas Besser John Prynham Doctor Parsons of Taunton George Vaughan Edward Gillingham Henry Gatchell Isaac Williams John Baker of Hanwood Thomas Besser Anthony Poole John Gould Nathaniel Pitt George Cross Esquires The Mayor for the Time being Thomas Hobart senior Francis Hobart junior John Thobald John Friend Robert Balch John Gilbert Wilkes [Gusley] Robert Lucas John Southey Thomas Groves Thomas Twitell Nicholas Marshall Thomas Baker Christopher Rawson Thomas Garton Edward Webb William Walther senior William Walther junior William How junior John Bond Charles Bardon Edmund Daw John Stracey John Tansor John Mogg of Ferringham John Salaman junior of Huggins Robert Smith of Littleton Henry Wasthouse Robert Wotles William Bull Herbert Smith junior Gent. William Phil Esq; Sir Thomas Hales Baronet Richard Hipsley Gent of Chertown

## For the Town and County of the Town of Southampton

The Mayor for the Time being Roger Montpelier Esq; Recorder Michael Crow Esq; Frederick Tylney Wharton Dutch Esquires John Speed Doctor of Physick William Bulkeley Esq; Adam De Cardonell senior Adam De Cardonell junior Richard White John Smith Christopher South Capelle Gorse Elm De Grouchy Thomas Brockbridge John Lee Daniel Pickard Jonathan Ingles Thomas Cornelius James Melb Alexander Akorn John Thornburgh Goldsmith Peter Bulkeley Regye Clatterback John Wisse Nathaniel Knight Gent. John Brackstone Robert Califford Samuel Sashon Doctor of Physick William Cropp Leonard Cropp

## For the County of Southampton with the Isle of Wight.

Charles Lord Marquess of Winchester Son and Heir Apparent of Charles Duke of Bolton The Right Honourable the Lord William Powlett Second Son to the late Duke of Bolton The Right Honourable the Lord James Russell One of the Sons of William late Duke of Bedford The Right Honourable Edward Lord Viscount Cambray Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Charendon The Right Honourable John Lord Curzon of the Kingdom of Ireland

\* Inherited on the Ball

\* Hallyer G.

\* Soudry G.

Governour of the Isle of Wight The Honourable Francis Cornhill Esq; Son and Heir Apparent of Folke Land Brooke The Honourable John Gervail Sir Robert Worsley Sir Charles Barmington Sir John Bennet Bart Sir Nicholas Stuart Sir Robert Smith Sir John Hobbs Sir John Dillington Sir Hugh Scudamore Sir Host Hooks Sir Richard Onslow Sir Dudley Lucy Sir Brocas Gardiner Sir Charles Shackbrough Sir William Oglander Bartons Sir Charles Wadham Sir Thomas Miller Sir Dewy Balfrey Sir George Rooke Sir Jacob Banks Sir John Cope Knights The Honourable John Smith Esquire One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Major General Erle Governor of Portsmouth Thomas Hobson Richard Norton George Pitt James Zouch Norton Powlett Thomas Hobbs Gabriel Winder Henry Dewley Frederick Vane Thomas Jerrold Richard Claunders John Leigh Richard Holt Richard Cobb Richard Knight Charles Cole James Tuckbourne John Polier Richard Bishop William Bishop Jonathan Gordon William Salomon George Briggs John Fawcett Thomas Brocas senior John Shackbrough Anthony Bosley Richard Norton of Alstead Richard Wiltoughley Edward Goddard [Raynolds Cathrop Henry Goddard] Oliver Coorewell William Gifford Edward Chase John Bromfield Edmund Boulton of Harwell Henry Kingdell Edmund Lambert Wharrie Derek Thomas Lee Richard Edgcombe George Clarke George Stanley Thomas Dora William Preston Henry Hache Robert Knolls Lewis Baskle Arthur Hyde Francis Dickson George Dickson John Healey William Hesant senior Thomas Lewis William Forbes James Dewy Peter Moss Tho: Chas. Nicholas Hedger William Cape Leonard Blinn John Saxly Thomas Tott Edward Hooper Thomas Phipps Richard Woolston Ralph Bachnell Edward Richards of Yvetland Alexander Drake John Moore Richard Jerome William Pitt Roger Harris Richard Markes George Stanley George Oglander senior Henry Worsley Thomas Feakes William Witham of Minsdown William Witham of Anwell Andrew Witham Benjamin Ruffhead Charles Norton Robert Mitchell Anthony Morgan Ashburnham Felt Thomas Barlow Roger Banton Henry Fortcroft Francis Swetten John Banton Robert Banton George Duke George Nicholas Robert Polier Thomas Edwards Thomas Dore of Witley Thomas Dore of Brooke Thomas Brocas junior Thomas Warr John Lindsay John Rivers Edward Pile Thomas Brewer John Goodier Peter Bannock Walter Godfrey Henry Healey Thomas Cobb Edward Pelfin William Stephens of Exeter Richard Pile Thomas Fox James John Weaver John Lisle Jeremiah Croy Casselins Cornelia William Knappes Edward Lide William Gadder John Gibson Samuel Phipps Esquires Doctor Wickart Dean of Winton Edw: Young Dean of Salisbury Doctor Markland Master of St. Cross Doctor Nicholas Warden of Winton College Doctor Thomas Baye Doctor Robert Eyrn Doctor Henry Eades Doctor Thomas Dacon John Foyle of Norton William Howe junior Joseph Hazzard Thomas Dore Ellis St. [John?] John Brown George Harrington Doctor of Laws Roger Housenden Dutton Gifford Charles Howe Esquires William Coker Mathew Gombes Doctor of Physick Henry Hunt Henry Holmes Charles Severn Lawrence Jackson Captain Bridges Captain Lane John Worsley James Worsley Henry Moss David Ury of Exeter Thomas Ury of Garmouth Major Henry Worsley William Enderick John Pitt Thomas Fleming Henry Fleming George Marley Anthony Gaslon Henry Cornhill Alexander Alcorn William Tabe John Ruffhead Anthony Start Will: Bachnell Henry Holt James Harris George Vernon Charles Worsley James Hooper William Bowman John Lockman Francis Ashley George Hastings Maurice Hart John Miller Henry Lucy Rich: Kent Paul Burrell Ellis Mewes Thomas Coward Richard Low George Truss Richard Couper David Parker Robert Kercher Esquires William Cooper John Bule of Alton William Smith Thomas Barbanke John Good Thomas Wrencombe Isaac Croger James Grove Peter of Alford Joseph Shipson Robert Parker William Parker Richard Cowbide of Woody William Smith John Harwood senior Augustine Kinchen John Hooper Joseph Wharham Henry Sugar John Vining John Green Thomas Hazzard William Wrencombe Thomas Hewkins Benjamin Hunter John Allen Henry Stelford John Harwood junior John Bray William Bennett of Parvane Alan Garvey John Nere Francis Mills John Aston Joseph Harwood Robert Doreas Richard Hale Giles Lyford Thomas Rushmore William Hooper Richard Bennett of Bewsey Walter Thomas Thomas Beahan Edward Hooker Junior William Walden John Heskeworth William Fisher John White William Turner William Warras Stephen Lock Charles Tridder Captain Symonds Thomas Crasley William Dale of Chant Chasch Nicholas Pile Henry Payer Thomas Ridge William Brandon Simon Hinch Thomas Barton Robert Langport George Wakeford Harz Walters John Hinchard Thomas Cole of Cove Benjamin Williams Clement Newsham Robert Bailey The Mayor of Linsington for the Time being Francis Hartbury Nicholas Stanley William Smith Doctors of Physick Captain Clements Thomas Robinson Nicholas Mike Nicholas Opey Robert Porter Bryn Richards Thomas Smith Joseph Croftall William Goldwate Richard Wilmson The Mayor of Winchester for the Time being Edward Grace John Pender senior Thomas Worsell Richard Good James Bannock Henry Sharpe Anthony Yalden John Blake Thomas Pake John Pance Thomas Cresse John Tarrant The Bayliffe of Andover for the Time being Joseph Wadlow Gabriel Goldary John Sunkens Robert Holmes John Kyle Edward Warden Nicholas Flower William Barwick Alexander Daniel The Mayor of Portsmouth for the Time being John Bishely The Mayor of Petersfield for the Time being William Pay John Palmer Edward Rooke The Mayor of Christ Church for the Time being Thomas Stephens The Mayor of Yarmouth for the Time being Robert Lammes Anthony Palmer John Stephens of Barton William Stephens of West Cove Edward Stephens Timothy Lucas John Newsham Francis Doreas William Legg Thomas Newsham James Blake Gilbert of Pitt The Mayor of Newport for the Time being Robert Leigh of Newport David Ury of Fawcett John Leigh of Newport Henry Lide George Meggon Esq; Blithford of Merton John Mitchell William Saggans William Ury of Yarmouth David Ury of Garmouth George Barrell Esq; Edward Hookes senior Gert The Mayor of Romney for the Time being Henry Pope Gent. William Green Gent. Andrew Webb of Ringdun John Reeves Henry Morryson Esquires John Wagon of Nicknolls Gent.

## For the City and County of the City of Litchfield

The Bailiffs and Sheriff for the Time being: William Robinson Thomas Adee Gent. Sir Michael Kidolph Baronet Richard Dyott Richard Pyott Isaac Hawkins John Rawlins Esquires George Newell Justice Richard Hensley John Dyott Thomas Denham Samuel Mowley Richard Barnes George Harding William Gwilde Francis Baily James Hammond John Bullock William Gwilde John Barker John Parker Robert Lloyd George Hector Gentlemen

## For the County of Stafford

Thomas Nibbs Esq; present High Sheriff The Honourable Charles Egerton The Honourable John Gray The Honourable Henry Paget The Honourable William Ward Sir Charles Lindsay Sir Bryan Broughton Sir Thomas Perchell Sir John Leveson Gower Sir Charles Walsley Sir Walter Wrennley Sir Walter Eggey Sir Edward Littleton Sir Thomas Lowley Sir Thomas Bolton Sir Michael Kidolph Sir Robert Barden Baronet Sir Henry Every Baronet Sir Charles Pyc Barnett Sir Simon Dagg Sir Henry Gough Sir Charles Skimble Knight Sir John Chester Baronet Sir Edward Hungerford Knight of the Bath Benjamin Webb Edward Byrch Sergeant at Law Thomas Broughton Edward Littleton John Bullock of Studow Thomas Foley John Pentall Edward Baggot Philip Foley Edward Murrenning of Wintawee Walter Chetwold John Post Ralph Sturdy Thomas Lane Robert Vernon Edmund Arblaster Rawland Cakover Rawland Cotton of Bellaport George Rodney Bridges Henry Vernon under Walter Gough John Hoo William Parker George Parker Philip Holles Matthew Hovey Edward Littleton of Willagton Junior William Cones Charles Chetwick Charles Broadfield Francis Eden Richard Pyott Ralph Fyfe James Wood John Lawton Richard Dyott William Walsley William Sturdy of the Spokes Thomas Crompton William Inge John Young James Whitshall John Newton Charles Coar Henry Vernon Junior John Shoben Peter Perchour James Gowerman Thomas Cross Richard Shoben William Anson Peter Wetherburn William Tindall John Aspley Thomas Leigh Edward Paden Michael Noble William Miraud William Lee Isaac Hawkins William Marshal Michael Brandrath William Bedy Thomas Parker Thomas Dickens Richard Wilks John Lane Copwood Holles Thomas Poole of Aspley Edward James Walter Lander John Eggington [John Dukens] of Loston Thomas Hechme John Langley Junior Henry Heyworth Rawland Fith John Broome Thomas Lacy Henry Leigh Thomas Whitty Esq; John Bewick David Watson Thomas Tanton John Hestbeck William Tindall Junior George Lee Samuel Pyle Thomas Foley of Snake Thomas Bagdall Edward Short Walter Foster Edward James Esquires John Arch John Anley William Shillcross Thomas Webb of Woodford Thomas Brown Walter Mowley Esq; John Biddly Edward Barber James Rindland Gabriel Wood Henry Beorgville John Wodgwood John Wheeler of Woodhouse John Dolphin Edward Shelden William Lawton The Bailiffs of Tamworth for the Time being Thomas Bagdall The Mayor of Stafford for the Time being Leigh Brooker Esq; Walter Noble Gent. John Whitwick Esq; Sir John Fyler Knight John Scott Gent. Samuel Adderley Charles Gwiley Esquires Arden Christopher Rhodes Gentlemen Gerard Passport Richard Whitworth Thomas Whitty Junior Ralph Sturdy Junior Esquires Thomas Bulley Thomas Vernon William Rowse Gentlemen Mowley of Rebon Thomas Mowley Ralph Adderley William Childfield Edward Walde Isaac Vilers John Crane Thomas Elmerley Daisy Maron Thomas Dockey Esq; John Brandrich Richard Shewen William Webb John Mawle Edward [Thames] Ralph Lander James Baly William Baly Walter Young John Cudbeck Leverett Shadwell Gentlemen William Mowley Thomas Noble Edward Faden William Poole Richard Swinden Esquires Humphrey Hodges John Taylor John Williamson William Albert William Ranshor Thomas Lewis William Abbott of Audley John Danor Henry Walton John Dyotte Richard Barnes Gentlemen Thomas Hollinhead Thomas Ferson Chadish Lase Gentlemen Joseph Gindler Sergeant at Law Thomas Gay Esq; The Mayor of Newcastle for the Time being William Lawton William Barden Samuel Bell Thomas Borden Gentlemen

## For the Borough of Ipswich

The Bailiffs Recorder and Portreeve for the Time being John Bence Esq; M<sup>r</sup> Sergeant Whimker

## For the Borough of Bury St. [Edmonds]

The [Aldermen] The Recorder Coroner and Town Clerk for the Time being Sir Thomas Fokm Baronet John Harvey Esq; Thomas Burroughs Thomas Mayo Samuel Grove Richard Prime James Burroughs Doctor of Physick Henry Gibbon Samuel Bursley John Chamberlain

## For the Borough of Dunwich

The Bailiffs and Aldermen for the Time being Sir Charles Holme Baronet Sir Robert Knapp Baronet Robert Knapp Esquire Thomas Neal Esq; Recorder there

## For the Borough of Eyn.

The Bailiffs for the Time being The Honourable Spencer Compton Esq; Sir John Castleton Baronet Sir Joseph Jekyll Knight One of Her Majesties Secretaries at Law Henry Edgar Nathaniel Deye Thomas Deye Esq; Richard Harding John Howells James Harvey Thomas Chomery under James Harlwyn Samuel Baxton Robert Henry Edward Man Thomas Brown John Field Duffield Gentlemen

\* mentioned on the Roll.

\* Statute G.

\* Edwards G.

\* Aldermen G.

## For the Borough of Salisbury

The Mayor Aldermen and Stewards for the Time being Sir George Elwert Sir John Cordell Sir Thomas Robinson  
Baronet Joseph Heleils Miles George Dunswood Samuel Wrenner Esquires Clement Ray Thomas Hall Bernard  
Carter Roger Scutts Thomas Carter Robert Garling John Parsh (\*) Roger Vowle John Fox Joseph Wals Maria  
Burns Barker Guntinson.

## For the rest of the County of Salisbury

Lyonell Esq. of Dymock of the Kingdom of Scotland. H.M. Esq. Lord Alington of the Kingdom of Ireland. The  
Honourable William Maynard Sir Robert Bacon Sir Thomas Henner Sir Thomas Felton Sir John Playmon Sir Edmund  
Bacon Sir Robert Kemp Sir Simon Devere Sir Thomas Spring Sir John Castleton Sir George Elwert Sir Dudley  
Culham Sir William Fowler Sir John Ross Sir Robert Barnardiston Sir John Duke Sir Samuel Barnardiston Sir  
Francis Matham Sir Robert Davies Sir John Cordell Sir Charles Bels Sir Francis Hickley Sir William Cooke Sir  
Samuel Clarke Sir Richard Allen alias Angulish Sir Thomas Robinson Baronet Sir John Shaw Sir John Foley Sir  
George Wrenner Sir Henry Johnson Sir Joseph Bland Sir Richard Gippe Sir John Cannon Sir Edward Turner Sir  
Cesre Wood alias Cresser Sir Stephen Fox Sir Isaac Rebow Sir John Robinson Knight Charles Fox John Harvey  
Compton Felton Thomas Glenham John Playmon Orlando Bridgman William Butler William Johnson William  
Harvey Robert Walpole Thomas Tyrell Charles Blom Charles Kalpe John Hunt Charles Croft Read Edward  
Warren Richard Norton Robert Maddocks Thomas Oldham Thomas Williams Edward Robert Henry Foley John  
Redman Robert King Richard Bekendon Hamond L'Strange John Sculman Thomas Widdgrave John Park William  
Rivers Robert Dancy Thomas Smith of Barton Anthony Crofts John Wright Robert Nasson John Cornuass Henry  
Edgar Aubrey Barnardiston Charles Whitlow Sergeant at Law John Bence Anthony Potts Thomas May Thomas  
Kenside Anthony Wroth Edward Alpe Edmund Shepard William Collett Thomas Evans Charles Kilgrew John  
Reynolds Henry Wood alias Wals Thomas Carter Thomas Bets John Browne of Aldborough Charles Wood alias  
Cresser Roger Kerrington Thomas Neale Thomas Dye Thomas Elce Nicholas Freeman John Pells Joseph Alan  
John Felton Robert Rumbrook Peter Alderman Gregory Clarke William Randall John Per Thomas Barnardiston  
senior Thomas Bland sen: John Barker of Wickham Thomas Bright William Hammond senior William Cooke Andrews  
Warner Samuel Blackley John Bland Samuel Bland senior Samuel Waller George Golding John Elford Thomas  
Widson William Hammond Thomas Alford William Lucas Thomas Berlish senior Bartholomew Soume Wilton  
Hayle Edward Gale Thomas Brind Thomas Folke Richard Phillips senior William Tye Joseph Weld Nathaniel  
Simonds Richard Fryer John Inwood Charles Dowling Anthony Wingham Richard Aubrey Daniel Browning Edmund  
Harvey John Cadworth Charles Wright Thomas Palmer Esq. Doctor John Dade John Gordon William Nere  
William Glascock Robert Kemp Robert Beckes William Brind Gilbert Dalben Jacob Bland William Russell William  
Lee Robert Dackes John Canham Joseph Browne John Fryer of Painsclough John Sheppard (\*) Ash Henry Goring  
Robert Coffer Thomas Hiss of Belstead Samuel Bately John Barker John Jacob Bartholomew Pymon senior Barnaby  
Gibson junior John Warren Edmund Coleman Bridges Nightingale Nathaniel Day William Haines John Dursken  
Thomas Miles Joseph Tewel Doctor John Thoroughgood William Beames Nathaniel Barnardiston Francis Dakins  
Esq. John Wrenner John Branding Richard Freeman John Batten Bartholomew Young Alexander Bence William  
Fulbright Thomas Fulbright John Pissbeck Thomas Mitchell Nicholas Edgar George Warr Richard Jenkinson  
Edward Blome Thomas Bright Devereux Edgar Thomas Smith Francis Edgar John Spencer Samuel Greve Thomas  
[Master] Richard Farnley John Fowle John Feasley Richard Prince senior William Turner Jeffrey Molywood Josias  
Jeffrey Joseph Thurston John Wright of Ipswich James Hursey Robert May William Edgier George Gale Thomas  
Carter John Pells John Gibson George Dunswood Robert Kildington Philip [Bacon] John Morley John Pampila  
Robert Auld Robert Wight Edward Coleman junior John Brewer Thomas Taylor John Sawyer William [Conell] John  
Spitham Robert Smith Samuel Lawrence Thomas Copley John Palkin Thomas Ewes William Byatt George Goody  
William Nelson Benjamin Elcock Richard Phelps junior Thomas Lucas Francis Barker Stephen Alton Thomas  
Meadows John Jex Henry Dumas Christopher Calhoun Esq. Thomas Parke Matthew Inke Edward Alton Thomas  
Covill James Cole John Lamb John Borough John Wide Samuel Reynolds Doctor John Wills Henry Hall Henry  
Appelthwaite Henry Spence Robert Jorrey John Sparks Wrenner William Bence Edward Thompson Edmund Anguish  
Stephen Soume John Coleman William Moss junior Christopher Berry Esq. of Kilsdon Philip Hammond  
of Beordon John Hooker Walter Coddicks of Walsham Brook Richard Gippe of Bozingsclough John Goodwyn  
Gloverston Laurence Marm John Ross Henry Cooper Esq. Thomas Cooper Edward Osborne Robert Seckling John  
Bewster Guntinson Doctor Peacockbridge Doctor John Walsam Clare Gurnea Charles Reddingfield Philip Skyes Esq.  
Doctor William Coward Thomas Read Robert [Freke] Edward Cox George Vernon Samuel Warner Thomas Bacon  
Catham of Mildenhall John Rigby Thomas Russell Cobbs Reibbrooke Richard Harne William Vowle  
Benjamin Thompson Nathaniel Lawrence Doctor Thomas Thurston Samuel Spence Roger Seelys Anthony Gaydon  
Esq. of Thorpe John Folkes Doctor Hugh Chasberlain Gent. John Aston Esq. John Baskley Gent.  
William Charthell Esq. Richard Richardson Esq. Richard Buddle of Hadley Thomas Knights John Syer Thomas  
Hayes Oliver Tutor William Crane Robert Richmond Gent. Charles Barwell Anthony Barry Samuel Barnardiston  
Thomas Ashby Esq. Robert Thompson of Barnardiston Esq. John Coltham of Havert Esq. Sparrow of  
Laymham Joseph Clapham Gent. Thomas Barnardiston junior Gent. Richard Prince senior Sir John Holland Baronet  
Sir Bradstreet Colles Baronet William Hays Christopher Smith

\* Thomas Barker Thomas Parsh G.

\* H. G.

\* Moore G.

\* Bence G.

\* Lavel G.

\* Folke G.



Familiar for the Time being John Hawkins Thomas Agre John Ball Morisfield Emily Timothy Wilson John Torrey Joseph Leigh Jacob Drury Francis Lee Richard White Thomas Jordan John Spence Richard Jewell Edward Elby Thomas Harris Captain Bartholomew Thomas Bartholomew Thomas Cowen Christopher Smith Philip Foster John Angell Henry Forrester Henry Johnson William Somers Gerard Andrews Henry Wyatt Thomas Wyatt William Davidson John Evered John Hunt Peter Korman William Monthly Isaac Cox Thomas Hammond Richard Hammond Jonas Shah Daniel Wright Edward Smith George Heath Robert Benbow William Berlock Nicholas Hudson John Cox Nathaniel Bourne William Golden John Symons George London John Payne Richard Devon Francis Tyringham Theophilus Heath James Dacome Edward Dymelcher Charles Dubois William Ramo John Gernard John Smith Richard Ridger John Lifford Benjamin Cooke Jacob Harvey Thomas Mayle Philip Hooper Richard Marsh John Smith Edward Gains Philip Price John Drury James Groves Nathaniel Cox Henry Mackenfield Timothy Radcliffe Thomas Smith Nathaniel Holton Henry Bishop Richard House Thomas Bishop Thomas Lambert Arthur Wasklyn Captain Thomas Browne Edward Lane John Punnington Richard Rogers William Smith Roger Shorter William Hanco John Grant Charles Salter John Lamb James Addison William King William Cook William Reeves junior Robert Norman John Hickman Richard Glover Anthony Farlington Hugh Shortridge John Basson Reginald Martin John Wharles Isaac Shaw Richard Saunders Thomas Mowley Edmund Halsey Thomas Todd Christopher Tilden John Haskie Henry Smith John Harrison Gilbert East William East John Ball John Billinghurst Richard Arnold Benjamin Hookingsley Joseph Hookingsley William Trimmer John Fox Andrew Parker William Stevens Joseph Shering William Poryear Richard Moggart Edward Jackson Thomas Baines William Hammond John White Benjamin Lordell John Glad Thomas Harris Henry Hare Joseph Walsh Thomas Allen Thomas Jern of Clapham Gentlemen Thomas Toper Joseph Shorne Henry Spence John Cripps John Lewis John Denton William Bourne Gentlemen Evan Evans Gentleman George Wood Gentleman Thomas Allen Lawrence Chellich John Durnal Edward Jackson senior Edward Jackson junior

For the Towne and Port of Hastings and the Liberty thereof

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being The Honourable William Ashburnham Son and Heir Apparent to the Right Honourable John Lord Ashburnham John Pulmaney Peter Gort and Robert Assis Esquires Richard Waller Town Clerk Edward Milward Esquire

For Sudford and Pottoway

The Bayliffs and Jurats for the Time being Sir Thomas Dyke Baronet Thomas Fagg Esquire The Honourable Thomas Pelham Esquire Sir William Thomas Baronet William Lewndes Esquire

For the ancient Towne and Parish of Rye

Thomas [Gabriel?] Esquire Mayor and the Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Sir Robert Assis Baronet Joseph Odley and Thomas Fagg Esquires Joseph Tucker Edward Wilmshurst Thos. Bishop Walter Watson and John Young Gentlemen

For the Towne of Winchelsea

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Sir Robert Assis Sir George Chant Sir William Ashburnham Baronets George Clarke James Hayes John Hayes Robert Assis Robert Baker Joseph Odley Esquires Charles Clayton Thomas Jenkins Bayliffs Samuel Newman Gentlemen

For the rest of the County of Sussex

Arthur Lord Irvia of the Kingdom of Scotland Henry Lord Walsen Son and Heir Apparent to the Earle of Suffolk John Lord Cans of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir John Pelham Sir William Thomas Baronets The Honourable William Ashburnham Esquire Son and Heir Apparent to the Right Honourable John Lord Ashburnham Sir Robert Fagg Baronet The Honourable Spenser Compton Esquire Sir William Ashburnham Sir Thomas Dyke Sir William Colepeper Sir Richard Ouslow Sir William Wilson Sir Philip Gell Sir George Parker Sir George Chant Sir Richard Farington Baronets Sir Edward Hungerford Knight of the Bath Sir John Balfour Sir Nicholas Pelham Sir Edward Selwyn Sir James Smith Sir Thomas Miller Sir Thomas May Knight Thomas Pelham John Lakener Henry Pelham Thomas Newdigate Esquires Thomas Binge Doctor of Law George Goring John Munton John Mosley Trezor Thomas Bead John Spence Esquires John Fuller Esquire George Baker Alexander Staples John Miller Esquires John Parker Gentlemen John Machell Richard Ouslow Henry Yates George Gutter Nathaniel Palmer Esquires William Williams Gentlemen Peter Gort Thomas Freeweys George Courthay Esquire John Market Randolph Tarry Edward Page Gentlemen [Edward?] Woodward Esquire Walter Roberts Gentlemen Thomas Penworth Esquire Thomas Gery Gentlemen John Apsey William Gurnsey William Westbrooke John Cooke of Goring Esquires Francis Mose John Chal Richard Styles John Cooke of Goring Gentlemen John Lee Esquire Richard Cooper Thomas Shah Humphrey Jerkes Thomas Knowles Richard Banks Anthony Crumwell Robert Hall John Nichols Paul Bernard Gentlemen Doctor Henry Eden Doctor George May of Chichester The Mayor and Aldermen of Chichester and Arundel for the Time being Samuel Weston Gentlemen Charles Goring senior (\*) Charles Goring Baronet George Miford John Pell Richard Nokes Richard Patten Hugh Reason Thomas Gurnwick of Elm Robert Baker John

\* Gabriel G.

\* Thomas G.

\* Sir J.

Mitcham John Humble junior George Osborn Gentleman Stephen Jessop Esquire Lewis Beakle Richard Ray  
 Arthur Turner Edward Madgwick Christopher Nevill John Dobell Gentlemen Richard Brodger Charles Fagg Robert  
 Ouse Richard Pann Anthony Springett John Brewer Robert Austin Esquires Aspley Newton Gentlemen Robert Fagg  
 Esquire Thomas Russell Gentlemen William Newton Esquire Benjamin White Doctor of Physick Edward Morley  
 William Cobden John Haynes John Welch John Shelley Wilkes [Barber?] John Weeks Gentlemen Thomas Fagg  
 Esquire John Peasly Barrow Robert Thomsen Richard Barber George Oxenlander Stephen Fuller William Peasly  
 Esquire of Perworth Gentlemen Peter Goodbody Richard Shelley Esquires John Newsham John Board John Gosson John  
 Weller John Baker William Michell Thomas Chomman William Jowett Samuel Blew Thomas Westham Gentlemen  
 Richard Peckham Esquire John Buxbridge Gentlemen John Farnham Fleetwood Farrington Charles Sargison Dennis  
 Liddell Esquires Sir Henry Peasly Knight William Bayne Gentlemen Timothy Burrell Esquire Ogle Riggs George Pae  
 Thomas Baker Joseph Bentley Gentlemen John Cogges Esquire John Taylor Rufus William Elton Esquire Doctor  
 John Peckham Thomas Alvey Doctor John Joy Captain William Fletcher Walter Bartlett Gentlemen Christopher  
 Cole Gentlemen Thomas Chastler Philip Child of Goring Gentlemen Sir Edward Freese William Bury Aches  
 William Gentlemen William Leves Esquire William Series Hugh Pinfild Gentlemen Doctor James Baker Doctor  
 Abraham Newman Richard Lincol Leonard Gale Walter Russell William Bishop junior George Soper Edward Page  
 George Tolson Alexander Bridges Francis Pease Richard Pease Robert Haselden John Sedgwick Thomas Budge  
 Gentlemen Captain Nicholas Best William Benge John Gestrick of Jervis Esquires Francis Parashy Peter Barnworth  
 Lewis Bolton John Sudler Gentlemen Henry Cooper Lawrence Alcock Esquires Matthew White Thomas Medley John  
 Pollard Edward Barker Gentlemen Francis Wynn Esquire Richard Syke Gentlemen William Nelson Rufus Richard  
 Bartlett John Bowen George Parker Joseph Fagar Gentlemen George Moore Gentlemen Thomas Pelham of Cottesbri  
 Esquire Thomas Frewin Edward Grace William Wainbrook of Eton Esq. William Board Thomas Feller Samuel  
 Barton Gentlemen John Ashburnham Esquire George Stanley Thomas Baker of Mayfield James Plummer Samuel  
 Thomas Ashborne Esquire Robert Hall John Barraud John Gestrick Joshua Bartlett Gentlemen William Chomman  
 John Milford William Pann Esquires Douce Mordant Thomas White Esquire Henry Goring John Mitchell junior  
 William Smith John Pann Gaurin French Gentlemen Sir Richard May Knight Joseph Offley Nicholas Marmoth  
 Thomas Carr Esq. John Taylor William Yalden of Blackdown Gentlemen William Henshaw Esq. John Stowe of  
 Nessery Edward Mannings Daniel Giffon Nathaniel Trudcroft John Ellis William Whitehead Gentlemen John  
 Ward Esquire Francis Moss Gentlemen Ciel Bishop Henry Beckley Esquires George Stanley of Cackham Walter  
 Elphick Jacob Williams John Elgar Francis Gossier William Gable Gentlemen James Butler Grass Week Esquires  
 Thomas Barnworth Henry Alderson Richard Goldham William Jowett Edward Wand Gentlemen The Bayliffs of  
 Mitham for the Time being Thomas Bernard Nicholas Hetherden Robert Broom junior John Dyke Gentlemen Charles  
 Goodwin Thomas Scarlett Philip Child Gentlemen Thomas White Esq. Thomas Lincol Gent? William Poller Esquire  
 Nicholas Gilbert Gentlemen The Bayliffs of Mitham for the Time being Henry Colles Gentlemen William Benge  
 Esquire John Buxbridge George Bridger Gent? Oliver Waddy Esq. Miles Edgar Gentlemen Sir Thomas Millington  
 Knight Edward Pale Gentlemen Thomas James John [Peake?] Gentlemen John Gestrick of Sherman Esquire Gentlemen  
 William Mills of Gestrick Esq. Henry Cobden of Wootton Gent? Richard Holmes junior John Domet of Mitham  
 William Gestrick John Syant  
 Elton of Yapton Edward Jordan senior Gentlemen John Bechem Esquire  
 John Kelle Gent? Henry Bray Esquire George Mills William Spinks Gentlemen George Pann Charles Adams John  
 Elton Gentlemen John Peckham Merchant Henry Capron John Alcock of Melbourn Gossier Doctor Henry Chapell  
 Samuel Huxner of Redbourne George Viden of Broad John Freshold of Uffington Edward Le Norc of the same  
 Esquires James S. Arnold Elford Laseles Charles Everfield Esquires John Enson Thomas [Nevill?] Richard Chancel  
 and Gentlemen Henry May Esquire Thomas Crowther Gable Esq. John Thredwell Gentlemen Gabriel Eagles  
 Laseles Lee Edward Warren Esquires John Young Walter Burket of Stapham Budge Gentlemen James Butler  
 Esquire Robert Palmer of Perworth Esquire James Monson Esq. George Newton Gentlemen John Fuller junior William  
 Wilson Esquires Peter White Gent? Thomas Jenkins Esquire Philip Harcourt Henry May Esquires Robert Eschener  
 Esq. John Mitchell Richard Marshall Gentlemen Henry Pala Robert Pala Gentlemen Edward Milward James Morris  
 Edward Shelly Philip Henshaw Esquires [Edward?] Jordan Gent? Henry Cooper Esq. George Newton Gent? Edward  
 Trevelock Gent? Henry Gale Gent? John Hargrave Gent? John Linfold Gent? Arthur Rowland Gent? Thomas Lancaster  
 Gent? George Nalden of Rodwick Gent? John Evans Esquire Nathaniel Hart Gent? John Mitchell Esquire Richard  
 Nichol Gent? William Smees Esquire John Colpe Gentlemen Henry Nichol Gent? Steward of Mitham  
 Esquire Aylmer of Trilford Esquire Thomas Gestrick of Han Esquire William Graywick of Han Edward  
 Manning Thomas Baker of Yapon John Nash of Waltham

For the City and County of the City of Coventry

The Mayor for the Time being William Lord Deputy of the Kingship of Ireland Sir Christopher Hales Treasurer  
 Sir Orlando Bridgeman Barrister Richard Hopkins Thomas Cory Basil Fiddling William Jenon William Dayle  
 Edward Hales Edward Hopkins Edward Taylour Henry Green George Bolton John Bowser senior John Bowser  
 junior Robert Bask Thomas Budge Thomas Bayley Henry Smith Robert Smith Edward Hill Humphrey Burton  
 junior Thomas Hanson Thomas Hopkins Rowland Berkley also Green Timothy Staughton Horatio Hopkins Arthur  
 Gregory Thomas Roffington also Brown Esquire John Heywood Gent? Thomas Hart Thomas Amos Samuel  
 Colles and Edward Haddford Gent? Jacobus David John Yardley Thomas Palmer Kerby Osdam John Bennet  
 Thomas Wright senior [Thomas Wright junior?] Thomas Greenish Thomas Haller junior Samuel Walker Gentlemen

\* Baker G.

\* Peake

\* Nevill G.

\* Edward G.

\* O. Smith.



## For the County of Warwick.

The Right Honorable Henry Lord Viscount Hyde Son and Heir Apparent of the Earle of Rochestre The Right Honorable William Lord Digby of the Kingdoms of Ireland The Right Honorable Henry Lord Falconer of the Kingdoms of Ireland The Honorable Gilbert Comyns The Honorable John Venney The Honorable Francis Gerrell Esq. Sir John Montague Sir Charles Holt Sir Robert Barden Sir Simon Clerk Sir Richard Temple Sir Gideon Fisher Sir William Boughton Sir Jacob Astley Sir John Bridgman Sir Charles Shackburgh Sir John Burygate Sir Thomas Willoughby Sir Thomas Russ Sir Fuller Skipwith Sir William Wheeler Sir John Hubbard Sir Christopher Males Sir Orlando Bridgeman Sir Richard Cotton Sir Henry Parker Barnum Sir William Underhill Sir John Clapton Sir Thomas Rotherham Sir Thomas Wigmore Sir William Wilson Knight William Bousley Andrew Arthur Robert Somerville Orlando Bridgeman George Lady Basil Filding Richard Northgate Arden Alderley Edward Rappington Hercules Underhill Edward Clapton Francis Conway alias Seymour William Palmer Richard Hepburn Hambley Wyley John Price William Jones Charles Newsham Hugh Bousley Hugh Parker Lisle Hackett Thomas Vyner Sumell Broderidge Tabitha Harvey Anthony Trotman Hugh Clapton Thomas Rowley Francis Kock Thomas Furber Thomas Andrews Edward Bentley Anne Ingram Charles Jenson William Colmore Ward Dike Esquire William Daughle John Chawind Robert Harvey Simon Biddulph Robert Fisher Henry Greene Humphrey Boughton Francis Boughton Edward Boughton John Shackburg John Cooke John Farmer Thomas Purn Bernard Whalley John Marriot George Bohm Thomas Grey Henry Neale John Clarke Thomas Newsham William Hildeth William Faberson John Anderson William Leggan John Appletree Thomas Gibbs Humphrey Goswold William Boughton George Allogg Richard Eymon William Gower William Peake George Sackervell Charles Chabwick Joseph Simon Giles Palmer William Purley Arthur Gregory Gilbert Alderley Esquire William Ligon John Astley Thomas Archer John Jenson Francis Bapine Hambley Halden Theodore Striford Thomas Levin Timothy Skaplan John Searston Thomas Cooke Edward Bramwood George Neeth John Adde Booth Alfery Robert Boyce Thomas Searston Charles Wende Michael Adell John Gainshaw Humphrey Whadcock John Newsham Charles Bentley Robert Smith Thomas Leggin John Oakley Gent The Mayor of Warwick for the Time being The Mayor of Stratford for the Time being The Bayliffe of Tamworth for the Time being

## For the City and County of the City of Worcester.

The Mayor Aldermen Sheriffe and Towns Clerke for the Time being William Bousley Robert White Barnall Self Thomas Wyde Charles Cooke Esquires Robert Hlzer Henry Cyles William Besscott William Baker Nicholas Pugh Henry Hall Edmund Wyatt Thomas Reynolds Thomas Besscott (\*) John Wall William Walker Francis Choke John Smith Benjamin Parks John Hardy Herbert Walling William Purdie junior Thomas Albert Genderson Robert Dagot Esquires Edward Philley Genderson

## For the County of Worcester.

Sir Robert Adins Knight Richard Amphlett John Amphlett William Amphlett John Appletree (\*) Esquires William Andrews Richard Avenant Gentlemen Nuffin Earle of Belhuscon in the Kingdoms of Ireland Charles Boleys Rowland Berkeley alias Gown John Besscott Timothy Bickshaw William Bousley of Holt William Bousley of Upton Simon Barker John Brages Esquires Martin Ballard William Bousley John Bousm Thomas Boush Beeshell Robert Beeshell Thomas Burleton senior Thomas Burleton junior Arthur Bapine Robert Baggot Richard Barnford Thomas Band Gentlemen Nicholas Barnaby Richard Barnaby Esquires The Bayliffe of Bewdley Thomas Bergh Esquire Stephen Boleys Genderson Sir Anthony Craven Barnum Sir Thomas Cooke alias Winford Barnum The Honorable Gilbert Comyns Charles Coches John Chapla Francis [Clarke?] Thomas Cornwell Thomas Clunio Alliance Cliffe of Astley senior Alliance Cliffe of Astley junior Alliance Cliffe of Mathon Thomas Chole Hygham Cooke Thomas Cooke James Compton Richard Carwardin Arthur Charles Benjamin Caldwell Henry Chastrell Edmund Chambers Genderson Sir Edward Dingley Knight Sir Ralph Dutton Barnett Richard Dowerdwell [George?] Dowerdwell Charles Dowerdwell Gerard Dutton Robert Dewley Robert Dommor John Dutton Esquires The Bayliffe of Dourwith The Mayor of Evesham Henry Lord Falkner of the Kingdoms of Ireland Thomas Foley of Withy Thomas Foley of Bock Philip Foley North Foley Richard [Foreman?] Esquires Richard Fulwood John Foreman John Field Genderson John Fulwood Aschdown of Worcester The Honorable John Grey Henry Guyon Abell Gower George Genderson Benjamin Gowers Esquires Edward Gibbs Gent Edward Gaudes Humphrey Greenwell Esquires Sir Thomas Harwood Esq. William Harwood Charles Harwood John Robeson Esquires Thomas Hunt Henry Hodges Henry Hunt Child Hill Thomas Hadley Genderson Doctor Moses Hodges [M?] Henry Hicks of Stourton Thomas Hurst Esquire Thomas Hunsford Gent Thomas Gervoise Benjamin Jelliff Biggins James Henry Jeffrey Benjamin Jeffrey Esquires Henry Johnson Barnard Jenson Genderson Doctor John Jephcott Phoenix Jackson Esquires Charles Knottford Esquire Sir Charles Lattison Barnett Edmund Lechners Anthony Lechners William Lygon Thomas Leach Esquires Edward Leach Arthur Low Edward Lane Genderson Thomas Low Esquire Hambley Low Esquire Sir Christopher Mongrave Baronet William Moor Francis Martin Genderson Mr William Martin of Earlescombe Thomas Mann Genderson Lechners Maria Esquire Edward Martin Gent Robert Milner James Nayrick Genderson Belgen Naulon Henry Neale John Newport Richard Naulon Thomas Naulon Esquires James Nash William Norton Gent Mr Thomas Owen of Irons Sir John Pakington Bar. Sir Henry Parker Bar. Hugh Parker Humphrey Purnett

\* Apudbury Philip Esquire G.

\* Charles D.

\* Thomas Appletree G.

\* Thomas D.

\* Charles G.

\* attached on the Roll.

[Thomas Perrot John Perrot] Samuel Pitts Gifu Parsons George Porter Edward Palmer Esquires M<sup>rs</sup> John Price  
 Chancellor of Worcester M<sup>rs</sup> Edward Perdigon William Pynes Gent<sup>l</sup> Sr Francis Russell Sr Thomas Rees Sr James  
 Rutherford Sr William Rich Baccant John Ridge William Ridge Edward Russell Hugh Russell Gentlemen Thomas  
 Rowley Esquire Sr Edward Seabright Mr Richard Seabright Thomas Savage Robert [Savage] Walter Savage senior  
 Walter Savage junior George Savage William Savage Anthony Seaback Francis Sheldon Esq, John Sheldon Daniel  
 Sheldon Samuel Shide Thomas Sobory Gentlemen Samuel Swift Thomas Stephens senior Thomas Stephens junior  
 John Soley Handrey Soley Charles Stanger Esquires M<sup>rs</sup> James Stillingfleet M<sup>rs</sup> Richard Sturt of Upton Charles  
 Swift Gentleman Samuel Stables Gent<sup>l</sup> The Honourable Robert Tracy One of the Justices of the Common Pleas  
 Sr John Talbot [Knight] Edward Taylor Henry Townsend Esquires Francis Taylor Gentlemen Thomas Tomkins  
 Esq, Thomas Twiney Thomas Tomkins Samuel Taylor Gentlemen Thomas Vernon William Vernon senior William  
 Vernon junior John Vernon Esquires The Right Honourable Thomas Windsor Treasurer Blackwater in the Kingdom  
 of Ireland The Honourable Ferdinando Dudley Ward The Honourable William Ward The Honourable  
 John Wentworth William Walsh Silvey Wessington Robert Wylie Thomas Wylie Walter White Francis Wessington  
 Esquires John Wheeler Edward Wheeler Nicholas Wheeler Thomas Walter Thomas Watson Gentlemen William  
 Washbourne Esquire Richard Wheeler Gent<sup>l</sup> John Wall Pymon Wilcox Gentlemen Talbot Young Thomas Yarnall  
 Thomas Yarn Esquires

For the City of New Sarum the Close of the same and Chertsey Parks

The Mayor and Aldermen for the Time being Robert Eyre Esquire Recorder Charles Fox Thomas Jarvis  
 William Heust William Windham Charles Montague Edward Pinner Francis Swanson Gilbert Ashley George  
 Windham Herbert Saladin John Hill James Harris William Hewes John Gaudin Thomas Chaffin Marks Thomas  
 Lambert George Stanley William Heust junior William Westfield Edward Gaudin Richard Kent Esquires

For the rest of the County of Wilts

The Honourable John Lord Montague Son and Heir Apparent [to] the Duke of Pemborough The Honourable  
 Edward Lord Viscount Cornbury Son and Heir Apparent of the Duke of Chandon The Honourable Charles  
 Lord Bruce Son and Heir Apparent of the Duke of Aylisbury The Honourable Henry Lord Hyde Son and Heir  
 Apparent of the Duke of Rochester Henry Lord Coltrane of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Henry  
 Thyns The Honourable Robert Bruce The Honourable James Bruce The Honourable Maurice Ashley Cooper The  
 Honourable Henry Burre The Honourable Robert Burke The Honourable Francis Greville The Honourable William  
 Ashburnham The Right Honourable Sr Edward Seymour Comptroller of Her Majesty Household The Right  
 Honourable Sr Charles Hedges One of Her Majesty's Principall Secretaries of State The Right Honourable John  
 Smith One of Her Majesty's Privy Council Sr Walter Scott John Sr John Bevan Sr Seymour M<sup>rs</sup> Sr Richard  
 Gresham Howe Sr James How Sr Henry Seymour Sr [Edward] Erskine Sr Walter Long Sr James Long  
 Sr James Ash Sr Robert Dabwood Sr William Packer Barnum Sr Edward Hangerford Sr John Nicholas Knight  
 of the Bath Sr George Hangerford Sr John Talbot Sr Stephen Fox Sr John Stanley Sr Mathew Andrews Sr  
 Richard Holford Sr Francis Child Sr Charles Dancombe Sr John Pyles Knight Henry Gant John Edward Seymour  
 Richard How Richard Lewis John Windham George Fox Alexander Popken senior Alexander Popken junior Robert  
 Hyde Henry Scott John junior Charles Montague Walter Hangerford Edward Nicholas John Hall Carew Ransleigh  
 William Willoughby John Eyre Robert Eyre Thomas Lewis Edmund Dranch Richard Jones Thomas Bennet  
 of Galloway Thomas Servile Thomas Holby Edmund Lambert Thomas Bennet junior Edward Nicholas of Mansfield  
 Maurice Rockland Thomas Fox William Ash Alexander Thistlewaite Charles Fox Edward Nicholas of Wootton Bassett  
 John Nicholas of Canney Francis Goddard Thomas Prinke of Haveringham Francis Stenhouse William Yrechurch  
 John Glasville Thomas Batherville Edward Mott Thomas Chantrelle  
 Family of Wiltshire  
 Wroughton of Wilcott Thomas Goddard of Swindon William Harvey Thomas Perreuddack William Windham  
 William Windham George Grubb Henry Clivers Edmund Windham Richard Chandler James Litch Edward  
 Young Charles Hart Thomas Phipps of Haywood John Young John Knight John Williams John Mchayna Samuel  
 Ash John Ash of Dinton James Ash of Langley Richard Neill William George Robert Pierpill Charles Raymond  
 Charles Tucker Benjamin Gifford Samuel Wainlock Edmund Hangerford John Bennett William Heust senior  
 Gabriel Ashley William Wallis Richard Aldworth John Dew Jacob Sells Isaac Sells Edward Tapp Henry Poole  
 Samuel Butler Henry Coker Edward Pere of Alton John Handy junior John Hippley Richard Mawgrie Thomas  
 Smith of Nickham Thomas Stables John Durrant of Monkes John Appleby Francis Norwiche John Harwood  
 Doctor of Physick Robert Nicholas of the Doctus William Westfield of Ficksweke William Weaver Gifford Tollyer  
 Michael Hurley Edward Hurley Richard Jewels Richard Long Edward Seymour of What Perch Edward Lisle  
 Nevil Marston William Yorks William Pynes Walter Geron Benjamin Giles Edmund Webb George Clarke  
 John Yrechurch Thomas Escourt James Montague George Spych Perry Walter White Thomas Goddard of Radlow  
 Thomas Chaffin of Zeles Edward Heyson Oliver Carley Thomas Melish of Bathury Fox of Dunsington  
 John Jacob senior John Jacob junior Edward Duke John Hill of Sarum Steery Burke Thomas Lambert of Sarum  
 Anthony Hangerford Walter Parker senior Walter Parker junior Francis Wroughton Robert Duke of Lake Thomas  
 Chaffin Markes John Gaudin Francis Swanson Ab John Stokes Charles Mitchell John Webb Charles Paynell Charles  
 Bewin Wilton [Christopher Mitchell] (1) Michcock Henry Pissel John Coker Edward Poyle Counsellor of Law Stephen  
 Bluch Henry Norre John Long of Baynton Francis Thistlewaite Joseph Hangerford Charles Scoop William Beach of

<sup>1</sup> continued on the Roll

<sup>2</sup> O. omitt.

<sup>3</sup> of O.

<sup>4</sup> Windham Walter O.

*William Andrew Duke Walter Long of Wrentham John Long John Widman Edward Horne Thomas Stanger of Ivy Church John Kite of Boscawen Edward Ryder Robert Smith Henry Dennis Edmund Playdell of Mudgehall Thomas Webb John Harvey John Hobbs Edmund Smees Daniel Webb Richard Dove John Jeffreys John Knight Charles Brindson of Wotton Bassett William Coles Thomas Fuller Burston Boardbar Henry Blake Thomas Grove George Hill William Hewes Bessier at Law William Lyford Thomas Powell Thomas Hayward Nicholas Elliot Richard [Mansell?] Thomas Haskett John Brock Nicholas David [William Glass?] William Goss of Sarum*

*Esquire of Pincray John Smith of Alton Matthew Smith Jonathan Hill George Twigg of Walsby George Wilson Esquire John Flower Henry Wharmham Henry Eys of Woodhampton Edward Goldard of Purton Henry Beadley Jasper Chapman George Morley John Langford Edward Ash John Fisher of Chace Francis Cole Thomas Preskly Robert Hill Robert Mansell Esquire John Harvey of Cole Parke Christopher Willoughby John Mitchell Edward Goldard of Ogbourne George Duke of Sarum Peter Temple Joseph Hobson Anthony Treman Charles Viner Lovelace Esq. Thomas Philippe Tobias Richmond Zacharias Bayly William Shann Thomas Jacob Leonard Esquire Giles Earle James Horne of the Close in Sarum Richard Earle senior Richard Earle junior Thomas Earle John Ballard Doctor of Physick George South Richard Mabbok Robert Gore Francis Kemble junior Robert Lawrence Thomas Hunt of Lavington John Clarke of Bymore John Goldard Anthony Mathews Jonathan Rogers William Pansy of Bampton Gray Thomas Sharpe Edward Esquire Thomas Habbert Alexander Baxter Edward Playdell George Foreman William Greenfield John Horton of Broom Edward Melish Hamley Fishelweber Robert Jenkins James Wild John Northweather William Vince Joseph Wright William Cole of the Close in Sarum Thomas Deane Henry Miles William Nemoys Henry Read John Horton of the Deane Richard Earl of Cockfield George Goodwin John Threlkeld George Turner Phillips of Wadsworth Richard Crouch William Pakeney John Nelson John Ellis John Eyles Thomas Bennett of Steple Ashton Robert Robinson Esquire Doctor of Physick George Harrison Walter Knight William Sewkley William Sutton John Spurgeon Robert Tack of Lynches Thomas Phipps junior John Rolle Richard Knight of Finton Robert Symons John Widman William Woodfield of Fawant Robert Hawkins James Power Richard Speiser Walter Scott of Chippesham John Scott of Ivy Ambrose Hulrey Richard Kingdon son Thomas South of Cusham Thomas Rucker Thomas Harris of Ockington John Harding Edward Medlicott William Slade Thomas Hinde Richard Reid Robert Burdett Thomas Hunt of Exford Richard Baskerville Joseph Hughes Richard Goldard of Sealdon Thomas Sailer Edward Peirce of the Deane Edmund Pizant John Bennett of Southbrooke John Nicholas of Altoningy George Malleson Doctor of Physick John Smith of Chiswood Thomas Edwards of Hathersow Robert Moundrell junior of Compton Barrett Josiah Shepleed Benedict Browne Richard Greenfield Thomas Brock Thresher of Bradford Adam Tuck of Chippesham John Bushden Hope Long Thomas Clark of Milson Samuel Gibbs of Wimbury The Mayor of Salisbury for the Time being The Mayor of Wilton The Mayor of the Deane The Mayor of Marlborough and the Two Justices of the Peace for the Time being The Aldermen of Salisbury The Bayliffs of Chippesham for the Time being Peter Accort Jacob Sells of Milham Richard Miller James Sutton Benjamin Street Charles Savage of the Deane Ambrose Awley of Bem Henry Martin William Sutton Ambrose Paradise of Bem Thomas Salmon of Lavington Thomas Long of Reveton Thomas Smith of Corham Mitchell of Cusum Henry Barrett John Langford Henry Hawkins Thomas Stokes Richard Kent of the Close in Sarum Thomas Scott of Kington Olive Richmond of Ashton Keynes Henry March of Sarum Thomas Street Esq. Thomas Hardyman William Norris Counselor at Law William House of Huddon Richard New John Ayde of Twesley John Taylor*

#### For the County of Wiltshire

*The Honourable Goodwin Wharton Esquire Sir Christopher Manners Sir Richard Sanford Sir William Freshington Sir John Lowther Baronet Sir Christopher Philipps Knight James Gresham Richard Lowther Henry Gresham Richard Bradshaw William Fleming John Dalton Richard Crackingthorpe John Newton Christopher Hilton Charles Overy Edward Wilson James Hird Christopher Rawlin William Knipe John Archer John Knipe Hugh [Mansell?] Esquires Thomas Dows Thomas Shepard Gentlemen William Johnson Thomas Godale Robert Kilner Henry Gert Joseph Dawson Richard Lowry Gentlemen The Mayor of Appleby and Kendall for the Time being*

#### For the County of Anglesy

*Richard Lead Bulkeley Viscount Cathels in the Kingdoms of Ireland The Honourable Robert Bulkeley Esquire Sir Roger Morton Sir Arthur Owen Barons John Penley Marmaduke Gwynne Nicholas Bagnall Peter Lloyd Henry Whitt John Williams Owen Bald William Robinson Francis Bulkeley George Wylliams Thomas Wynne John Owen of Penrhos William Meyrick John Owen of Penrhos Owen Hagg Stron Phodias John Thomas Doctor John Jones Deser of Bangor William Griffith of Caerffyllo Robert Owen John Wynne William Morgan Roger Hagg William Jones Francis Edwards Hugh Wynne of Tregefnorth Owen Roberts John Williams of Clontarck Thomas Fletcher John Lloyd of Brindley Esquires John Owen of Bolla Thomas Roberts of Cantler Thomas Williams of Quin Henry Williams of Trepyrdar Gentlemen John Vaughan Esquire Har Heyden Attorney for North Wales Henry Williams of Llancornbury Owen Davies and Kendrick Esq. Clerks The Mayor of Beaumaris for the Time being William Owen Esquire Owen Williams of Marston John Lloyd of Mayne y Perth*

## For the Town of Brecon

The Bailiffs and Aldermen for the Time being Thomas Walker Esquire [Recorder] Sir Edward Williams Sir Jeffrey Jeffreys Knights John Morgan of Tredegar John Jeffreys John Walters John Pyle William Walter Daniel Williams Robert Lucy William Phillips Lodowick Lewis Richard Hughes Henry Jones John Davies Esq. Henry Thomas Edward Hughes William Ashby Henry Williams John Jeffreys Samuel Wooley Daniel Price Roger Jeffreys Meredith James Towns Clerk Goddard

## For the rest of the County of Brecon

The Right Honourable the Lord Arthur Somerset Second Son of Henry late Duke of Beaufort The Honourable William Aubrey Esquire Sir Thomas Williams Bart. Sir Edward Williams Sir Jeffrey Jeffreys Knights John Jeffreys John Morgan of Tredegar Thomas Mansel of Bryn Pery John Lewis of Colbance Thomas Walker Walter Vaughan of Trefardul William Vaughan of Ditro Sackville Gwynne Daniel Williams Marzabade Gwynne Francis Lloyd John Walters Robert Lucy James Parry Lodowick Lewis Richard Jeffreys John Walters John Davies Lewis Lloyd Richard Hughes Lewis Powell of Rh Glyn Thomas Parry of Llynn Kenrum Miles Stedman of Doly-Gore John Prior Lewis Harrod William Walter John Fletcher Paul Williams Charles Parry Esquire Edward Games of Tregea Edward Games of Cory Edward Jeffreys Edward Walter Edward Hugh Coroner Henry Williams of [Llangatock] Edward Williams of Tallyn Lewis Jones of Data Thomas Jones of Tredegar Joshua Parry Thomas Maddock John Thomas Francis Lewis Edward Jones [Roger Jones] of Llandilo Thomas Harrod Henry Herbert William Lloyd senior John Jones of Derynack George Powell William Ashby Daniel Price Daniel Jones of Bayle Charles Vaughan of Tredegar Lewis Harrod Goddard Hugh Powell Chamber of Saint David Edward Gwynne Tobias Williams Jacob Jones Howell Griffiths Clerks Doctor William Morgan Doctor of Physick

## For the County of Cardigan

The Right Honourable John Lord Viscount Lichbourne of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir William Wogan Knight Sergeant at Law M<sup>c</sup> Sergeant Nerve Thomas Webb Esq. Sir Vaughan Pryor Baronet Sir Humphry Mackworth Knight Sir Charles Lloyd Knight John Lewis of Coedmore Esquire Lewis Price Esquire John Tredegar Esquire Henry Lloyd Esquire Thomas Jones Esquire William Herbert Esq. John Loughorne Esquire David Lloyd of Crysfryn Esq. Edward Jones Esquire Richard Lloyd Esquire David Parry Esquire John Lewis senior Esquire John Lewis of Gwynne Esquire Richard Stedman Esquire John Lloyd of Penwoll Esquire Walter Lloyd of Olmonish Esquire Hugh Lloyd of Penbally Esquire Samuel Hughes of Colbance Esquire Walter Lloyd of Vrylitt Esquire Thomas Lloyd of Brecon Esquire Oliver Howells Esquire John Knowles Esquire Samuel Hughes of Allogosh Esquire The Mayors of the Towns of Cardigan and Aberystwyth for the Time being Hugh Lloyd of Penbally Esquire William [Kenrick] Esquire John Lloyd of Llandreochan Esq. Lloyd Radcliff Richards Thomas Knowles Nathan Griffiths The Reverend Doctor John Edwards Francis Vaughan John Jones of Aberystwyth John Bowen Doctor Lloyd of Penbally Esquire Esquire Lloyd Richard Phillips of Malcor David Lloyd of Llandreochan Esquire Lewis Gwynne Stephen Parry William Lewis Richard Phillips of Lloyd Jack William Hughes John Jones of Tallyn Simon Pryor John Parry of Cwellyn Morgan Howells of Penbally William Walter James Lewis David Jones of Cardigan Rem Lloyd Esq. Esq. Esq. Goddard Howell Parry Esquire Lewis Charles Price John Parry Esq. Griffith Henry Rogers Owen Evans Thomas Richards Clerk John Jones of Carrog David Griffiths Daniel Jones of Naisio Stephen Parry of Rhodrig David Henry Parry Henry Davies Griffith Lloyd Thomas Bowen John Bowen James Williams Goddard

## For the County Borough of Carmarthen

The Mayor Council and Sheriffs for the Time being Sir Sackville Crow Sir Anthony Radd Sir Arthur Owen Burrows Richard Vaughan of Treawedd David Gwynne William Belgrave Henry Lloyd of Llanphar John Edwards George Lewis Esquires John Morgan John Powell Nicholas Williams William Lloyd Anthony Jones and James Phillips Goddard

## For the County of Carmarthen

The High Sheriffs for the Time being The Honourable William Aubrey Esq. and His Apparent of John Lord Aubrey Esq. Sir John Phillips Sir Thomas Gwynne Sir William Mansel Sir Sackville Crow Sir Anthony Radd Sir William Russell Sir Arthur Owen Sir Edward Mansel Sir Thomas Powell Burrows Sir William Wogan Sergeant at Law Sir Orlando Gore Sir Charles Lloyd Knight Philip Nerve Sergeant at Law Thomas Webb Esquire Richard Vaughan of Treawedd Thomas Mansel of Maudlow John Tredegar Thomas Corwallis Griffiths Rice Richard Vaughan of Treawedd David Gwynne of Talbarn Sackville Gwynne of Glyntrane Thomas Lloyd of Berthelwood Morgan Jones of Tregli Thomas Lloyd of Alreoch Griffith Lloyd Rowleigh Mansel Walter Middleton Richard Middleton of Middleton Hall Roger Maynwaring Thomas Penbryn John Lloyd of Llangatock William Belgrave Henry Owen Thomas Lloyd of Daryll Arthur Gwynne John Williams of Tally John Williams of Aberystwyth

\* mentioned on the Roll.

\* Llangatock G.

\* Jenkins G

Thomas Gwynne the elder Edward Jones of Inver Cowd Henry Lloyd of Llanerghen Henry Lloyd of Llanllwrogg John Williams of Carnarvon Samuel Hughes of Llanfahan Samuel Hughes of Llanfyllen y Brant John Vaughan of Denbigh John Edwards John Browne of Fford Erasmus Lewis John Langhorne Thomas Mynwaring Edward Vaughan John Morgan Nathan Griffith Walter Morgan George Lewis Rees Thomas Esq. Henry Phillips of Rhant John Powell Owen Bowen Henry Lewis of Griffiths Ellice David Lewis of Llanceryd Henry Vaughan John Jones of Colwynke William Bingham of Castle Pigeon James Phillips Zachary Bennett of Llanfahan Daniel Llanur Rowland Phillips of Cefnigine James Jones of [Cobrey] Thomas Morgan Hugh Jones David Williams of Morweny Anthony Williams David Lewis William David Edward Davies of Penryn Thomas Phillips of Llanfyllen Mathew Harbottle Jenkins Esq. Richard Phillips of Puffil Dewy Anthony Jones of Abangwily Thomas Phillips Lewis Lloyd John Phillips of Whar House John Jones David Evans of Camarvon Evan Price Lewis Jones of Trede Rhos Morgan Jones of Golden Green Oliver Howells Richard Phillips of Penryn George Lewis John Williams of Dolgwyn Gwenten

## For the County of Carnarvon.

The Right Honourable Richard Lord Viscount Berkeley of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Lord Edward Russell Son to the late Duke of Bedford The Honourable Thomas Berkeley Esquire The Honourable (\*) Robert Berkeley Esquire The Honourable Thomas Berkeley Esquire junior Sir Robert Morgan Bar Sir Robert Canan Bar Sir Griffith Williams Bar Sir Arthur Owen Bar [Sir William Williams Bart] William Pesley Mawndaka Gwynne Nicholas Bagwall Roger Price Richard Vaughan Prince Lloyd Owen Hughes Henry Vaughan of Fard Glas George Caymore of Ceymone George Twidlan Thomas Wyne of Bolvest Meador Jones Love Parry Thomas Hatcher Lloyd Bolck Esquires John Jones Doctor of Divinity Robert Wynne Doctor of Divinity Owen Wynne of Glas-Goyd James Brinker Richard Glynn Arthur Williams Rowland Wynne of Llanfahan John Rowlands John Thomas Thomas Effen Richard Madrys Edward Holland Griffith Wynne of Symlyn Rowland Wynne of Glas-ealen William Morgan Richard Edwards Hugh Lewis Owen Wynne of Pen-y-bryn John Lloyd of Penrhyn Simon Jenkins Esquires Humphrey Roberts John Williams of Brynwr Owen Owens of Kefu Gwenten Llanidol Berkeley Clarke John Vaughan of Cae March William Griffith of Pen-y-bryn Edward Price of Llyn John Robert Griffith of Bach-y-nant Robert Lloyd George Thomas Roberts of Vardwell Gwenten Elis Anwyl Clerk George Kiffin Clarke John Vaughan Esquire Bar Myrddin Attorney for North Wales

## For the County of Denbigh

The Right Honourable Sir John Trevor Master of the Rolls Sir Joseph Mordaunt Chief Justice of Chester Eubank Thelwall High Sheriff for the said County Sir John Wynne Knight and Baronet Sir Richard Middleton Baronet Sir Walter Egger Bar Sir Robert Cotton Knight and Baronet Sir John Conway Bar Sir Roger Morgan Bar Sir William Williams Bar Sir Edward Broughton Bar Edward Vaughan Edward Baggot Edward Brown Thomas Cosma Robert Davies Richard Morgan Richard Vaughan Ambrose Thelwall Kenneth Lyon Roger Morgan David Parry Price Ellice Joshua Edworthy Cadwallader Wynne William Robinson John Roberts of Harodysack Hedd Lloyd John Middleton Elis Lloyd Sidney Godolphin Thomas Jones Maurice Jones Owen Wynne John Hill Elis Meredith David Maurice Thomas Wynne Esquires John Williams Robert Griffith Edward Chambers Esquires William Camm Esq. John Wynne of Gop John Pakenham of Huxley Wern Robert Wynne of Mawndaka John Maurice John Lloyd of Gwrick Simon Thelwall John Wynne of Farnes Huntingdon John Lloyd Brynllwyr Henry Vaughan Thomas Holland Thomas Meredith Maurice junior of Llanfyllen Edward Wynne of Llanfyllen Foulk Vaughan of Bontallop Esquires Evan Wynne Esquire Doctor Robert Wynne Chancellor of Saint Asaph Francis Lloyd Clerk John Robinson Clarke Robert Salisbury Clarke Thomas Lloyd of Plas Malack Thomas Smith Clarke Maurice Jones Clarke David Lloyd of Bodnant David Lloyd of Llanfyllen John Pakenham of Picket Edward Lloyd of Delwydden Peter Penketh of Emlant Doctor Michael Rowlands Edward Lloyd of Llanfyllen Andrew Thelwall Thomas Price of Glynn Thomas Price of Betsh Hugh Hughes of Brynwydder William Salisbury of Darnall senior Meredith Wynne of Nanglyn Gwenten Anthony Townsend Esquire Thomas Lloyd of Kefu Esquire Thomas Morvan Richard Wynne of Abernethy Edward Maurice William Edwards of Elyon Perce Feallion of Mawndak Roger Gehin John Vaughan of Cae John Lloyd of Plasgwyn Gwenten John Doolan Esquire The Aldermen of the Town of Denbigh for the Time being The Aldermen of the Town of Ruthin for the Time being The Mayor of Holt for the Time being Thomas Price Gent

## For the County of Flint

The Right Honourable Sir John Trevor Master of the Rolls and one of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Sir Thomas Hanner Sir Robert Cotton Sir Richard Middleton Sir John Conway Sir William Glynn Sir Roger Morgan Sir Paul Pinder Sir William Williams Baronets Sir Joseph Mordaunt Chief Justice of Chester Sir Richard Level Knight Thomas Morgan of Rhydd William Hanner of the Fens William Currier Roger Price Robert Davies William Lloyd John Broughton Richard Morgan Thomas Esq. Edward Lloyd of Tybryn Thomas Whaley of Astm Edward Browne Elis Young John Wynne of Cappelney Thomas Evans Owen Burton John Roberts George Hope John Williams Hugh Griffith Thomas Balleys Edward Morgan Twardon Kendrick Epton John Lloyd of Penrhobin Charles Kynaston Peter Penke Josiah Jones Thomas Folkes of Vynall Richard Parry John Davies Thomas Williams Peter Davies John Wynne of Farn Edward Conway Thomas Ravenscroft of

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\* Richard Berkeley Esquire the Honourable G.

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Tekhill Thomas Selberry of Ledbrook Esquire Beaumont Perceval Doctor of Divinity Robert Wynne Doctor of Divinity and Chancellor of St Asaph Daniel Price Doctor of Divinity and Dean of St Asaph Thomas Pennant Roger Meyers of [Kilhamer] Roger Meyers of Gorse John Hughes John Pennant John Price of Brynaglais Doctor Potter John Palstan of Tekhill Francis Edwards Thomas Crutchley Denmore Esquire John Perry of Pellocheg Edward Parry of Pedyd Mian Thomas Parr of Gweryston John Lloyd of Soughton Robert Fowler of Vaynall William Ball Clarke Richard Edwards Clarke Thomas Edwards of Brinliff John Wynn of Llenwood Thomas [Basset of Man-y-gwaled John Wynn of Towst Samuel Meyers John Davies of Bostyri Edeble Wynn William Crutchley Thomas Jones Roger Jones Humphrey Jones Joseph Ellis John Lloyd of Dorrington Thomas Williams of Brecknell Brock William Butler Thomas Edwards Thomas Morion Edward Griffith Richard Davies Edward Bechell Thomas Panton Edward Lewis Henry Parry Thomas Jones Thomas Humphrey Humphrey Thomas Evan Lloyd Robert Brooks Robert Mathews Thomas Hughes Gent<sup>d</sup> Rice Jones Rector of Baege John Shore Rector of Warburbury Richard Hilton Vicar of Hunner

## For the County of Glamorgan.

Sir Edward Mansell Sir Edward Studding Sir Charles Kenney Sir John Anwary Sir John Thomas Barments Sir Rowland Owen Sir Humphrey Mackworth Sir Humphrey Edwards Knights Thomas Mansell Thomas Mansell of Britton Perry John Morgan Richard Lewis Thomas Mansell of Penrice Richard Jenkins Thomas Lewis Francis Gwyn Richard Sely Philip Herbert Samuel Edwards William Sely Richard Carrs Edward Mansell William Mathews Charles Butler [Thomas Bann] Robert Jones Edmund Thomas Francis Wadham Thomas Thomas Oliver Sant John George Howell Evan Evans Edward Turlerell William Aubrey Richard Herbert John Price Christopher Postrey William Dawkins Esquire Jeremiah Dawkins Thomas Rice of Ogmore Robert Deer Lyeon Llewellyn Thomas Powell of Llanow John Basset Gwyn Herbert Lewis Thomas of Swansea Griffith Thomas Alexander Fraser James Allen Rowland Hughes Mathews Sely Roger Powell Daniel Maurice Esquires John Thomas of Marlar William Harris Hopkins Thomas Thomas Popkins Philip Williams Richard Williams Thomas Boller Robert Boller John Watkins of Gedyfyr Anthony Thomas Richard Watkins of Pantygoyd Richard Jenkins Anthony Powell of Llydych William Price of Paik William Morgan of Corrigora Richard Thomas of Gedyfyr Edward Jackson John Jenkins Clarke William Thomas of Hakin William Hopkins-Clarke Evan Thomas of Glamorgan Thomas Robert Thomas Powell of Tandy John Jones John Mathews of Routh James Harris V<sup>o</sup> de Llanvencr William Richards of Canille Thomas Williams Alexander Perrell senior Craddock Noel Lewis Cox William Jones Christopher Mathews Robert Thomas Williams Lambert Gent<sup>d</sup> The Bayliffs of Canille for the Time being William Thomas Towne Clark The Bayliffs of Ceebridge and the Portmores of Muth and Swansea for the Time being The Honourable William Ashmunham Esquire

## For the County of Merioneth

Sir John Wynn Knight and Baronet Sir Richard Middleton Bart Sir Griffith Williams Bart Sir William Williams Knight and Sir Roger Selwyn Roger Price Francis Herbert Edward Vaughan Richard Owen John Nunn of Llanerog Vincent Corbett John Lloyd William Pugh Richard Vaughan Robert Lloyd Thomas Price Morris Jones of Ddole David [Lloyd] of Hendow Charles Hughes Edmund Meyrick Robert [Nunn] Owen Wynne William Wynne John Vaughan of Cargl John Vaughan of Gwedyfyr Maurice Vaughan Clarke William Eyles Evan Wynne of Cwennant Richard Morris Esquires Edward Holland John Jones John Nunn of Manaford John Lloyd of Rhedeg Esquires Thomas Lloyd of Llanerwan Edward Owen of Gwentafin John Vaughan of Dolwynmawddwy Robert Owen of Dolwynmawddwy Thomas Parry John Vaughan of Penman David Lloyd of Deby Gylman William Ansell of Llanerwan Thomas Meyrick Gwynne William Jones Clarke The Rector of Mowdy Rowland Vaughan Clarke The Rector of Caerbellan Thomas Morgan Edward Morgan William Jones Clarke The Rector of Mowdy Rowland Vaughan Clarke The Rector of Caerbellan John Maurice of Maesmore Thomas Humphreys The Rector of Llanedwys William Humphreys Morris Williams Griffith Wynne of Talpith John Evans of Talpith Gentlemen Atholus Savage Clark Edward Wynn of Llanerwan Humphrey Hughes Rees Hughes of Pantparthor Gent<sup>d</sup> Henry Parry of Llanerwal Clarke Robert Price of Ynawrthas Esq Maurice Owen of Tygryn John Williams of Ldg Edward Lewis of Talpith John Lloyd of Eilin Hugh Hughes of Penlenger Rowland Owen of Gwedyfyr Meredith Jones Gwynne Owen Eyles Clarke John Pryor of Tygryn Gentlemen

## For the County of Montgomery

Sir Joseph Jekyll Knight Chiefe Justice of Chester Sir Vaughan Price Sir Charles Lloyd Sir Richard Middleton Sir William Williams Sir Edward Leigh Baronet Sir Richard Lovell Knight William Pugh of Mathern John Kynaston Francis Herbert Edward Vaughan John Pugh John Mathews Mathew Morgan Actonians Owen Walter Gwyn Lloyd Edwards Walter Demeaux John Vaughan Thomas Rocks Arthur Demeaux Richard Merton John Herbert Evan Glyne Gabriel Wynne Philip Eyles Daniel Whittington Sir Isaac Evan Jones of Llanthomas Robert Mason Nathaniel Maurice Humphrey Kynaston Perce Lloyd Arthur Weaver Edward Owen Edward Price Rowland Owen Lancelot Williams Thomas Severn Price Chas Adm Price John Rees Richard Ingram Humphrey Lloyd Richard Owen of Glym John Williams Henry Biggs Samuel Atherton Arthur Demeaux junior George Demeaux Edward Newell Esq Ralph Kynaston Richard Price Richard Hughes Gilbert Jones John Griffiths of Glanham Richard Rock John Bright John Thomas of Brecon Roger Trevor Thomas Owen Robert Ingram Rowland Griffiths Brecon

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Wynne William Lloyd of Pyrcast Richard Price of Gwaleky Thomas Griffiths Thomas Hudson Edward North John Vaughan of Myrold Hugh Davies John Davies Thomas Garbett William Evans of Llandrindaw Manges Edwards Richard Price of Penarth David Meredith of Llanberis Richard Wilson Edward Evans Richard Glynn Evan Bowen of Prydd John Wilson Edward Price Randall Owen Richard Waringham of the Fawr William Price William Davies John Lloyd of Dargay John Middleton of Church Saint Book Isaac Jones John Pugh of Kerry Lewis Williams Robert Davies of Maesnewer Mathew Mathews Peter Griffiths Richard Price of Betws Thomas Bagg George Robinson Edward Lloyd of Talgarth John Jones of Glanmorog Gwendolen John Morry John Edwards Thomas Parry Clarke Ben Jones of Gwent John Price Gwilym

## For the County of Denbigh

Sir John Pukington Bart. Sir John Phillips Bart. Sir Thomas Sturges Bart. Sir Arthur Owen Bart. Sir George Buckley Bart. Sir William Wogan Knight Sir Richard Walter Knight Philipp Nere Sergeant at Law Thomas Webb Esq. Essex Meyrick Esq. Wyrrnot Owen Esq. Wirwack Luke Esq. John Barlow Esquire William Scarfield Esq. Lewis Wogan Esquire Charles Owen Esq. John Lewis Esq. Morris Bowen Esq. Charles Philip Esq. George Lant Esq. Thomas Lloyd of Gorse Esq. Walter Middleton Esq. William Wogan Esq. John Meyrick Esq. John Edwards Esq. Hugh Bowen Esq. Henry Walter Esq. John Lewis Esq. George Bowen Esq. William Warren Esq. George Owen of Colby Esq. George Mease Esq. William Meyrick Esq. John Phillips Esq. George Lloyd Esq. William Allen Esq. Lewis Vaughan Esq. George Bowen Esq. William Wheeler Esq. Hugh Lloyd Esq. John Davis Esq. Thomas Lloyd of Penegwern Esq. Owen Ford Esq. William Ford Esq. William Lewis Esq. John Langhorne Esquire William Northern Chancellor of Sazr David Edwards Meyrick Treasurer of S' David William Davies of Llanberis Gent. William Phillips of Haythog Gent. Francis Meyrick Gent. James Phillips junior James Phillips junior Gent. Roger Adams Gent. William Adams Gent. George Warren Gent. John Warren Gent. Robert Williams Gent. John Owens of Penrhilly Gent. [George Owens of Penrhilly Gent.] Thomas Langhorne Gent. John Langhorne Gent. William Langhorne Gent. Vaughan Langhorne Gent. Thomas Bowen of Willems Gent. Barre Bowen Gent. William Bowen of Llanidloes Gent. Mathew Bowen Gent. William Bowen of Ffithrill Gent. John Fowler Gent. Nicholas Holland Gent. Thomas Davies of Llanegwern Gent. John Child Gent. John Jones Gent. Nicholas Morgan Gent. John Roberts of Waulod Gent. William Roberts of Eadlloke Gent. George Harris Gent. John Symonds Gent. John Phillips of Ford Gent. Edward Phillips Gent. William Davies of Nash Gent. George Lucy Gent. George Lewis Gent. William Jones of Corwen Gent. John Allen Gent. David Allen Gent. Daniel Payne Gent. John Dickson Gent. John Tucker Gent. John Wogan Gent. William Hlewsch Gent. Francis Moore Gent. Thomas Pope Gent. James Hearn Gent. John Rach Gent. Maria Maria Gent. Philip Rice Gent. Morris Morgan Gent. Roger Lloyd Clarke Peter Lewis Clerk The Mayor and Aldermen of Penrhilly for the Time being The Mayor and Aldermen of Tenby for the Time being

## For the County of Radnor

The Honourable Robert Harley Esq. Speaker of the House of Commons The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Coringby of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Rowland Gwynne Sir Edward Williams Sir Lucas William Child William Fowler John Wilson Edward Harley Edward Lewis of Montgomery Hugh Lewis Edward Price Thomas Lewis of Harpton Henry Cornwall Edward Howarth Llewellyn Powell Robert Cates Manselbair Gwyn Morgan Vaughan Richard Crowther Nicholas Taylor Henry [George] John Jefferys Lewis Lloyd William Roberts Richard Walely Thomas Lewis of Kingwith John Walsham Peter Richards Guy Haslam Charles Baldwin Thomas Harley Esq. Robert Lucy Evan Bowen Thomas Howarth Nicholas Meredith John Davies of Vranode Thomas Bowen John Bates of Coedlough Harriet Wogan David Powell John Davies of Llothydd Charles Bannock Evan Vaughan Coroner Esquire Thomas Davies of Coerystker Adam Price Nere Lewis Thomas Hall Lemuel Lloyd Andrew Davies Nicholas Lestly Isaac Stephens Thomas Tennant Lloyd Wagon John Stephens Henry Ball Thomas Powell Edward Phillips Griffith Penn Walter Price John Whitney Thomas Owens James Doss William Chamberlaine Roger Russell John Clarke John Watkins of Aberdove Thomas Griffiths of Loyney Walter Griffiths Henry Winter Hugh Evans Thomas Price Robert Williams Henry Vaughan John Price The Sheriff of Radnor for the Time being Robert Price Esq. Recorder One of the Barons of Her Majesties Court of Exchequer John Davies of Vranode Hugh Stevens Hugh Lewis of Howdwell Herbert Weston Samuel Tennant Lloyd Wagon Henry Ball Esquire Joseph Hall Griffith Paine David Powell John Stephens Isaac Stephens Philip Taylor John Powell David Morgan Charles Lewis Edward Fowler Thomas Holland Herbert Richards John Richards Samuel Selby Walter Whitney Vaughan Powell Pinar Lewis Radnor Powell Hugh Gough John Davies Gentlemen

## For the Towne and Countie of the Towne of Hereford-West

The Mayor Aldermen and Sheriffs for the Time being Philip Nere Sergeant at Law Thomas Webb Esq. Sir John Pukington Bart. Sir John Phillips Bart. Sir Arthur Owen Bart. Sir William Wogan Knight Wyrrnot Owen Esquire John Barlow Esquire William Scarfield Esquire William Wogan Esq. John Meyrick Esq. Charles Philip Esq. William Wheeler Esq. George Owen Esq. John Langhorne Esq. Thomas Davies Clerk John Pumber Clerk Owen Phillips Gent. Charles Davies Gent. North Bowen Gent. James Wright Gentlemen Richard Sparks Gent. Richard Smith Gent. Thomas Child Gent.

**VI.**  
Commissioners to meet in the several Counties, &c. on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> of April 1709. 2<sup>o</sup> 1709.

Commissioners to be directed in Writing the Proportion to be paid in each Division according to the Assessment. Stat. 2<sup>o</sup> 1709. c. 1.

May subdivide themselves, and agree when there shall be in each Division, for such Division not to receive more than what is in any other Part of the County.

**VII.**  
Commissioners to agree what Number shall be in each Division.

Commissioners to cause Proportion to be equally assessed.

Proportion to be directed in Subdivisions, &c. according to the Rate, &c. and Charge thereon to make Commissions.

**VIII.**  
Each Person attending without Excuse is to bring to serve, Penalty.

**IX.**  
Commissioners to direct Warrants for Assessors.

Assessors to make the full Rate and levy in Certificate of Assessment.

and to return Collectors.

For whom Payable, &c. according to

And be it further enacted and declared That the several Commissioners aforesaid shall meet together at the most usual and common Place of meeting within each of the said Counties Ridings Cities Burroughs Townes and Places respectively for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners on or before the Sixth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and three and shall meet afterwards in like Manner as often as it shall be necessary for the putting this Act in Execution And the said Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present at such General Meeting or Meetings or the major Part of them are hereby authorized and required to put this present Act in Execution And shall undertake and set down in Writing the several Proportions which ought to be charged upon every Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division respectively for and towards the raising and making [up] the whole Summe by this Act charged upon the whole County Cade or other Place for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners according to the Proportions which were assessed on the same Hundreds or Divisions respectively by virtue of the Act of Parliament made and passed in the Fourth Year of the Reigne of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary [of blessed Memory] entitled [An Act for granting to Their Majesties an Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound for One Year for carrying on a vigorous War against France] And shall also if they see Cause subdivide and distribute themselves and the other Commissioners not then present into lesser Numbers use as Three or more of the said Commissioners may be appointed for the Service of each Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and as may be expedient to the carrying on Her Majesties Service hereby required Hereinbefore not thereby to recede the said Commissioners or any of them from acting as Commissioners in any other Part of the County or Place for which they are appointed.

And for the more effectual Performance thereof be it enacted and declared That the Commissioners at such General Meeting or the major Part of them then present shall also agree and set down in Writing who and what Number of the said Commissioners shall act in each of the said Divisions or Hundreds and shall deliver true Copies of such Writings to the Receiver General to be appointed by Her Majesty or in pursuance of Her Direction to the End there may be no Failure in any Part of the due Execution of the Service by this Act required And the Commissioners within the several Hundreds Laths Wapentakes Rapes Wards or other Divisions or any Three or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the several Proportions charged on the respective Hundreds Laths Wapentakes Rapes Wards or other Divisions for or towards the Aid hereby granted to be equally assessed and taxed within every such Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division, and within every Parish and Place therein according to the last of these Judgements and Direction And for that End and Purpose to direct their several or joint Precept or Precepts to such Inhabitants High Constables Petty Constables Bayliffs and other like Officers or Ministers and such Number of them as they in their Discretion shall think most convenient to be Presenters and Assessors requiring them to appear before the said Commissioners at such Place and Time, not exceeding Six Days as they shall appoint And at such their Appearances the said Commissioners or such of them as shall be then present shall openly and to the face be read unto them the several Rates Duties and Charges in this Act contained and also openly declare the Effect of their Charge to them and how and in what Manner they should ought to make their Assessments and how they ought to proceed in the Execution of this Act according to the true Meaning of the same.

And if any such Constable Petty Constable Bayliff Officer or Minister or other Inhabitants to whom any Precept shall be directed shall absent themselves without lawful Excuse to be made out by the Oath of Two credible Witnesses which Oaths the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby imposed to administer or if any Officer or Person appearing shall refuse to serve then every such Officer or Person so making Default or refusing to serve shall for every such Default or Refusal forfeit and loose to Her Majesty such Summe as the Commissioners or so many as shall be present at the major Part of them being present shall think fit not exceeding the Summe of Five Pounds nor less than Forty Shillings.

And at and after such Charge given as aforesaid the said Commissioners shall take Care that Warrants be issued forth and returned to Two at least of the most able and sufficient Inhabitants of each Parish Township or Place within the respective Divisions thereby appointing and requiring them to be Assessors of all and carry the Rate and Summe of Money by this Act imposed and shall therein also appoint and prefix a certain Day and Place for the said Assessors to appear before them and to bring in their Assessment in Writing which said Assessors are hereby strictly enjoined and required with all Care and Diligence to assess the full Summe given them in Charge respectively upon all Officers and Employments above the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound according to this Act and by an equal Pound Rate upon all Manners Lands Tenements Rents Houses &c. and other the Persons within the Limits Circuits and Bounds of the respective Parishes or Places for which they shall be appointed Assessors as aforesaid and shall bring with them at the Time and Place so as aforesaid proofed for their Appearance a Certificate in Writing of the said Assessment and shall then also recorde the Names of Two or more able and sufficient Persons living within the Limits and Bounds of those Parishes Townships Constables or Places where they shall be charged respectively to be Collectors of the Monies which shall be assessed as aforesaid and to be paid to Her Majesty by the Act for whose paying in to the Receiver General or his Deputy in Manner hereafter mentioned such Monies as they shall be charged withall the Parish or Place wherein they are so employed shall be answerable.



And if any Assessor so appointed or to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to serve or shall make Default at the Time appointed for his Appearance (not having a lawful Excuse to be witnessed by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses) which Oath the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them have Power to administer) or shall not perform his Duty every such Assessor shall for every such Neglect or Refusal or Default forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such 80s as the Commissioners or some one of them as shall be present or the major Part of them shall think fit not exceeding the Summe of Forty Shillings nor under the Summe of Ten Pounds to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels in like Manner as by this Act is appointed for the levying of the several Rates and Assessments hereinafter mentioned in case of Neglect or Refusal of Payment and to be charged upon the respective Receiver General together with the said Rates and Assessments.

And every Assessor appointed or to be appointed by virtue of this Act shall before he take upon him the Execution of the said Employes/ take the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by an Act made in the Parliament hold in the First Year of the Reigne of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the strengthening the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths which Oaths any Two or more of the said Commissioners in the County City or Place where the said Assessor is to be made have hereby Power and are required to administer.

And for the completing of the whole Summe charged as aforesaid and to the End the aforesaid Summe charged upon the several and respective Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and Places may be duly collected and true Accounts thereof made the said Assessors are hereby required to deliver one Copy of their respective Assessments fairly written and subscribed by them unto the said Commissioners within the Time to be prefixed as aforesaid And the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them are hereby ordered and required to sign and seal Two Duplicates of the [said] Assessments and the One of them to deliver or cause to be delivered to Two or more honest and responsible Persons to be Collectors which the said Commissioners are hereby authorized to nominate and appoint for each Parish or Place with Warrant to the said Collectors to collect the same Assessments payable as aforesaid so as the said several Sums may be paid to the Receiver General at the respective Times hereby limited And the said Commissioners are hereby required to deliver or cause to be delivered a Schedule or Duplicate in Parchment under their Hands and Seals fairly written containing the whole Summe assessed upon each Parish or Place unto the Receiver General of each County Riding City Borough Town or Place respectively or his Deputy and shall transmit or cause to be transmitted a like Schedule or Duplicate into the Queens Remembrances Office of the Exchequer and this the said Commissioners shall cause to be done upon or before the Eighth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and three or within Twenty Days after all Appeals to them made being first determined for which Duplicates the Remembrances or his Deputy shall give to the Person that brings the same a Receipt in Writing gratis under the Seal of Ten Pounds to be recovered to the Queens Use as other Pensions are by this Act recoverable.

And to be enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Persons so appointed to be Collectors as aforesaid shall levy and collect all and every the Rates or Taxes so assessed and charged according to the [Insert and] Direction of this Act which said Collectors are hereby required to demand all and every the Sums and Sums of Money which shall be so taxed and assessed of the Parties themselves at the same shall become due if they can be found or else at the Place of their last Abode or upon the Premises charged with the Assessments And the said several Collectors shall collect and levy the said Moneys so charged for Her Majesties Use and are hereby required and enjoined to pay unto the respective Receivers General or their Deputies all and every the said Rates and Assessments by them respectively collected or received at such Time or Times Place or Places as the Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall appoint and so as the whole Summe due for each Quarterly Payment shall be paid or answered by the Collectors to the Receiver General or their Deputies respectively upon the Dates and at the Times by this Act appointed for the Payment thereof.

And to be further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Moneys received by the said Collectors within the respective Division or Hundreds as aforesaid shall from Time to Time be duly paid to the Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies to be appointed under his Hand and Seal whereof Notice under the Hand and Seal of the Receiver General shall be given to the Commissioners or any Two or more of them within the respective Divisions or Hundreds within Ten Days after the next General Meeting and so from Time to Time within Ten Days after every Death or Removal of any Deputy (if any such shall happen) And the Receipt of such Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies or any of them (which Receipt or Acquittance shall be given gratis to the Collectors for all Moneys by them paid) shall be a sufficient Discharge to every such Collector And the respective Collectors are hereby required to pay in all and every the Sums so received by them unto the said Receiver General or their Deputy or Deputies For the Payment whereof the said Collectors shall not be obliged to trouble above Ten Miles from the Place or Places of their Habitations.

And to be further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Summe of Four hundred ninety five thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds Ninepence Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the First Quarterly Payment shall be collected levied and paid unto the Receiver General of the said several Counties Cities or other Places who shall be appointed as aforesaid on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred

X.  
Assessor making Default.

Penalty.

Duties.

XI.  
Oath by Assessor only Stat. 17. c. 1. s. 11.

Two Commissioners may administer the said Oath.

XII.  
Assessor to deliver one Copy of Assessments to Commissioners.

who are to sign and seal Two Duplicates, one to be delivered to the Collectors, the other to the Receiver General.

A like Duplicate to the Remembrances Office; all Appeals being first determined Remembrances to the Remembrances, Penalty &c.

XIII.  
Collectors to deliver to Receiver General, or his Deputy, all the Sums of Money due at the Place of Abode.

Collectors to pay to Receiver General, or his Deputy, all the Sums of Money due at the Place of Abode.

XIV.  
Money received by Collectors paid to Receiver General or his Deputy within Ten Days after the next General Meeting and so from Time to Time within Ten Days after every Death or Removal of any Deputy (if any such shall happen) And the Receipt of such Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies or any of them (which Receipt or Acquittance shall be given gratis to the Collectors for all Moneys by them paid) shall be a sufficient Discharge to every such Collector And the respective Collectors are hereby required to pay in all and every the Sums so received by them unto the said Receiver General or their Deputy or Deputies For the Payment whereof the said Collectors shall not be obliged to trouble above Ten Miles from the Place or Places of their Habitations.

XV.  
Time for First Quarterly Payment.

- Time for Second Quarterly Payment, and three And the Sum of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the Second Payment of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and three And the Sum of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the Third of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and three And the Sum of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the Fourth and last of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four
- XVI.**  
Receipt of Receiver General Discharge to Bankers, &c.
- Receiver General within six Days to pay into the Exchequer.
- Accounts to Receiver General.
- Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Receiver General from time to time within the Space of One Month next after he shall have received the full Summ that shall be charged on any Hundred or Division for each particular Payment that is to be made to such Receiver General by virtue of this Act shall give to such Commissioners as shall act in such Hundred or Division a Receipt under his Hand and Seal acknowledging the Receipt of the full Summ charged upon such Hundred or Division for each particular Payment which Receipt shall be a full Discharge to such Hundred or Division for such particular Payment against His Majesty Her Heirs and Successors which said Receipts (\*) are hereby required forthwith or at farthest within Twenty Days after the Receipt of any Money of the Taxes or Duties by this Act granted to transmit or cause to be paid the Moneys by them received into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer And the Lord High Treasurer or Lords Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury for the Time being are hereby authorized to allow to the said Receiver General of each County Riding City and Town respectively a Salary for his Pains not exceeding Two Pence in the Pound for so much as he shall pay into the Exchequer upon the clearing of his Accounts.
- XVII.**  
Collection to be made in the Pound.
- Commissioners Clerks to have Three Warrants in the Pound for setting the Assessments, &c.
- Also be it further enacted (and declared\*\*) by the Authority aforesaid That the Collectors of the Rates and Assessments hereby granted for gathering the particular Sums charged upon the Parish or Place for which they shall be appointed Collectors by virtue of this Act shall upon Collection of the whole Sums appointed to be collected by them and Payment thereof as is hereby before appointed here and receive for their Pains in collecting and paying the Moneys Three Pence in the Pound which the said Collectors are impowered to deduct out of the last Payment of the Money of their several and respective Quarterly Payments And the said Receiver General upon the Receipt of the whole Assessments of the County Riding City or Town for which he is appointed Receiver General in Case he hath received the several Duplicates of each Parish or Place therein, and that Duplicates shall be returned to the Office of Her Majesties Remembrancer of the Exchequer as aforesaid and not otherwise shall allow and pay according to such Warrant as shall be in that Behalf given by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them Three Half pence in the Pound and no more for the Commissioners Clerks for their Pains in fair writing the Assessments Duplicates and Copies herein before directed and for all Warrants Orders and Instructions relating thereto
- XVIII.**  
Persons neglecting to pay Rates.
- Collectors to demand.
- not to keep the Distress Four Days if the Owner is a Clergyman
- then to appraise and sell and retain Overplus
- Also be it further enacted and declared That if any Person shall refuse or neglect to pay any Summ of Money whereat he shall be taxed and assessed by this Act upon Demand by the said Collectors of such Place according to the Precept or Warrants to him or them delivered by the said Commissioners that then and in all and every such Case and Cases he shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collectors or any of them, and they are hereby authorized and required to levy the Sums assessed by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of such Person refusing or neglecting to pay or to distress upon the Messuages Lands Tenements and Premises as charged with any such Summ or Sums of Money And the Goods and Chattels then and there found and the Distress not taken to keep by the Space of Four Days in the Cases and Charges of the Owners And if the said Owners do not pay the Sums or Sums of Money so taxed or assessed within the said Space of Four Days then the said Distress to be appraised by Two or more of the Justices where the same shall be taken or other sufficient Persons and to be sold by the Collectors for the Payment of the said Money and the Overplus owing by such Sale (if any be) over and above the Tax and Charges of taking and keeping the said Distress to be immediately returned to the Owners thereof
- XIX.**  
May break open Places, Chests, &c. in the Day Time giving to witnesses Constables, &c.
- Also moreover it shall be lawful to break open in the Day Time any House and upon Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners any Chest Trunk Box or other Things where any such Goods are lying to their Assistance the Constable Townsmen or Headborough within the Counties Ridings Cities Towns and Places where any Refractory Neglect or Resistance shall be made which said Officers are hereby required to be sitting and waiting in the Premises as they will answer the contrary at their Perils
- XX.**  
Questions upon the Law determined by Commissioners.
- Process awarded not being or contrary among Goods, &c. appraised (excepted in the Common Law without Bail
- Also if any Question or Difference happen upon taking such Distress the same shall be ended and determined by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them And if any Person or Persons assessed by this Act shall neglect or refuse to pay his or their Assessment by the Space of Ten Days after Demand as aforesaid or convey away his or their Goods or other Personal Estate whereby the Sums of Money so assessed cannot be levied according to this Act in every such Case any Two or more of the Commissioners aforesaid for any City County or Place are hereby authorized by Warrants under their Hands and Seals to compel such Person or Persons (except a Peer or [Peer's] of this Realm) to the Common Gaols there to be kept without Bail or Mainprize until Payment be made of the Money assessed and the Charges for the bringing in of the same be paid and no longer

\* General G.

\* inserted in the Roll.

\*\* Printed in King's Printer's Copy.

And the several and respective Tenant and Tenants of all Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments which shall be rated by virtue of this Act are hereby required and authorized to pay each Sum and Sum of Money as shall be rated upon such Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and to deduct out of the Rent as much of the said Rent as in respect of the said Rents of any such Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments the Landlord should or ought to pay and bear And the said Landlords both mother and immediate according to their respective Rents are hereby required to allow such Deductions in Payments upon Receipts of the Residue of these Rents

XXX.  
Tenants of Houses and Lands may pay the Rate and deduct out of Rent.

Landlords to allow such Deductions

Also it is enacted and declared That every Tenant paying the said Assessments last mentioned shall be acquitted and discharged for so much Money as the said Assessment shall amount unto as if the same had been actually paid unto such Person or Persons unto whose his Rent should have been due and payable And if any Difference shall arise between Landlord and Tenant or any other concerning the said Rates the said several Commissioners or any Two or more of them in their said several Sessions shall and have hereby Power to settle the same as they shall think fit

XXXI.  
Tenant paying acquits.  
Commissioners may settle Differences between Landlord and Tenant as in Rates.

Also if any Person or Persons shall find him or themselves aggrieved in that the Assessors have overrated him or them and in Six Days after Demand made of the Sum of Money assessed on him or them do by him or themselves or by his or their Stewards or Bayliffs complain to Three or more of the Commissioners whereof Two of the Commissioners who signed or allowed his her or their Assessments to be of that Number) the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall have and have hereby Power within six Days after the Demand of the Assessment is aforesaid to relieve such Person or Persons and to charge the same on such other Person or Persons as they shall see Cause And Appeals Once heard and determined to be final without any further Appeals upon any Petition whatsoever

XXXII.  
Over-rate may be complained against within Six Days after Demand

Appeals final.

And in case the Proportions set by this Act upon all and every the respective Counties Ridings Cities Towns and Places shall not be fully assessed levied and paid according to the true Meaning thereof or if any of the said Assessments shall be rated and imposed upon any Person not being of Ability to pay the same or upon any copy or void House or Land where the same cannot be collected or levied or that through any wilfulness Negligence Mistake or Accident the said Assessment charged on such County Riding City Town or Place by virtue of this Act happen not to be paid to the Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies of the respective Counties as in this Act is directed that then and in all and every such Case and Cases the several and respective Commissioners Assessors and Collectors aforesaid and every of them respectively are hereby authorized and required to assess or estimate or cause to be [assessed or] [estimated] levied and paid all and every such Sum and Sum of Money upon the respective Divisions and Hundreds wherein such Deficiency shall happen or Purishes therein as to the said Commissioners or such Number of them as by this Act are authorized to cause the said Assessment hereby required to be made shall seeme most agreeable to [to] Equity and Justice The said new Assessment to be made collected and paid in such Manner and by such Means as in this Act for this Assessment is declared and directed

XXXIV.  
If Property in County, Inc. be not fully assessed, the Commissioners to cause new Assessments to be made.

Also be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That if any Assessor Collector or other Person or Persons appointed by the said Commissioners shall wilfully neglect or refuse to perform his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this present Act the said respective Commissioners or any Three or more of them have hereby Power to impose on such Person or Persons not refusing or neglecting his or their Duty such Fine or Fines as by them shall be thought fit so as the same amounts not the Sum of Forty [Pounds] nor be under the Sum of Twenty Pounds for every Offence which said Fines shall not be taken off or discharged but by the Consent of the Majority of the Commissioners who impose the same but shall be levied by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of the Offenders And in Default of Goods and Chattels the Offenders to be confined by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them to Prison there to remain till Payment of the said Fines And that all Fines to be imposed by virtue of this Act shall be paid to the respective Receivers General and by them into the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer and shall be accounted in the Duplicate in Parchment fairly written to be transmitted to the Office of the Queen's Remembrancer as aforesaid that the same may thereby be known and charged on his Account

XXXV.  
Persons neglecting, &c. or evading Act, Forfeits.

to be levied by Distress;  
if no Distress, Imprisonment;  
Fines paid to Receiver General, &c.

Also be it further enacted and declared That if any Collector due shall be by virtue of this Act appointed by the Receipt of any Sum or Sums of Money thereby to be assessed neglect or refuse to pay any Sum or Sums of Money which shall by them be assessed as aforesaid and to pay the same as in this Act is directed or shall detain in his or their Hands any Money received by them as any of them and not pay the same as any of them in their respective Divisions are hereby authorized and empowered to imprison the Person and seize and wear the Estate as well Freehold as Copyhold and all other Estate both Real and Personal of such Collector to him belonging or which shall descend or come into the Hands or Possession of his Heirs Executors or Administrators whenever the same can be discovered and found And the said Commissioners who shall so seize and secure the Estate of any Collector or Collectors shall be and are hereby empowered to appoint a Time for the

XXXVI.  
Collector not paying Money received by him Imprisonment, and Real and Personal Estate liable

Commissioners seizing Estate to sell & Dispose of Money of Commissioners as Deeds

## Proceedings.

General Meeting of the said Commissioners for each County Riding City Towne and Place and there to cause Publick Notice to be given of the Place where such Meeting shall be appointed Six Dates at least before such General Meeting And the Commissioners present at such General Meeting or the major Part of them in case the Majorities directed by any such Collector or Collectors be not paid and satisfied as a ought to be according to the Direction of this Act shall and are hereby empowered and required to sell and dispose of all such Estates which shall be for the Cause aforesaid seized and secured or any Part of them and to satisfy and pay into the Hands of the Receiver General or his Deputy for each County Riding or Place the Sum which shall be due and is the Hands of such Collector or Collectors their Heires Executors and Administrators respectively

XXVII.  
Commissioners in  
all before them  
Collectors, and  
receives (touching  
all Payments of  
Assessments)

Act is it hereby further enacted and declared That at the Expiration of the respective Times in this Act prescribed for the full Payment of the said Four Quarterly Assessments the several and respective Commissioners or any Two or more of them within their Division or Hundred shall and are hereby required to call before them the Collectors within each respective Division or Hundred Parish and Place to examine and receive themselves of the full and whole Payment of the particular Rates and Sums of Money charged upon the same Division or Hundred and every Parish and Place therein and of the due Revenue of the same into the Hands of the respective Receivers General their Deputy or Deputies of the said County Riding City Towne or Place respectively and by such Receiver General into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer to the End there may be no Failure in the Payment of any Part of the Assessments by virtue of this Act to be assessed and paid nor any Arrears remain chargeable upon any of the said Counties Ridings Cities Townes and Places respectively And in case of any Failure in the Payment the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the same to be forthwith levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

and in case of  
Failure to levyXXVIII.  
If Controversy  
concerning raising  
Assessments,  
Commissioners  
appointed to  
withdrew,  
In Default  
Commissioners  
present may assess  
raising also  
All Questions  
concerning Rates  
levied determined  
by Commissioners.

Act is it hereby enacted and declared That in case any Controversy arise concerning the said Assessments or the dividing apportioning or Payment thereof which concerns any the Commissioners by this Act appointed the Commissioners so concerned in the said Controversy shall have no Voice but shall withdraw at the Time of the Debate of any such Controversy until it be determined by the rest of the Commissioners and in default thereof that the Commissioners then present shall have Power and are hereby required to impose such Fine or Fines as in them shall be thought fit upon such Commissioners so refusing to withdraw not exceeding the Sum of Twenty Pounds and to cause the same to be levied and paid as other Fines to be imposed by virtue of this Act are to be levied and paid And all Questions and Differences which shall arise touching any the said Rates Rates or Assessments or the collecting thereof shall be heard and finally determined by the Commissioners in such Manner as by this Act is directed upon Complaint thereof made to them by any Person or Persons lawfully aggrieved without further Trouble or Suit in Law

XXIX.  
Privileged Places,  
Towns, for not  
assessing.  
For Fines and other  
Rents liable.  
Towns to pay  
proportionally.  
Indemnified.

Act is it further enacted and declared That no Privileged Place or Person Body Politick or Corporate within the Counties Ridings Cities and Townes aforesaid shall be exempted from the said Assessments and Taxes and the they and every of them and also all For Farms Rents and [and] other Rents Payments Sum and Sums of Money or Annuities issuing out of or payable for any Lands shall be liable towards the Payment of every Sum by the Act to be taxed and levied and all the Towns are hereby directed and authorized to pay them proportionally according to the Rates and Assessments by this Act appointed and directed and all such Towns shall herewith stand and kept harmless by the Authority of this Act from any further Payment of any such Proportion of any such Rent Rents Sums of Money or Annuities to any Person or Persons to whom any such Rent Rents Sums of Money or Annuities are aforesaid charged or ought to be paid to all Issues and Purposes whatsoever as fully and amply as if they had paid the same to any Person or Persons to whom the same is or are assessed or become due

XXX.  
Power for Colleges  
in the Universities  
of Windsor, Eton,  
Westminster, and  
for Hospitals in  
respect of Rates of  
Colleges, &c. and  
for Clergy  
Hospital and other  
Hospitals and  
Alms-houses.

Provided that nothing in this Act contained shall extend to charge any College or Hall in either of the Two Universities or the Colleges of Windsor Eton or Westminster or the (\*) Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the Widows and Children of Clergy-men of the College of Brecon or any Hospital for or in respect of the Rates of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any of the Buildings within the Walls or Limits of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any Master Fellow Scholar or Exhibitioner of any College or Hall or of Reader Officer or Member of the said Universities Colleges or Halls or any Masters or Others of any School for or in respect of any Stipends Wages Profits or Exhibitiones whatsoever arising or growing due to them in respect of the said several Places and Employers, in the said Universities Colleges or Schools or to charge any of their Houses or Lands which on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred and three did belong to the State of any College or Hall or to Christ Hospital Saint Bartholomew Broadwell Saint Thomas and Becket Hospital in the City of London and Borough of Southwark or any of them or the said Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the poor Widows and Children of Clergy-men for the College of Brecon or shall extend to charge any other Hospital or Alms-houses for or in respect of any Rents or Revenues which on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred and three were payable to the said Hospitals or Alms-houses but to be received and disbursed for the immediate Use and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Alms-houses only

\* inserted in the Bill.

\* = Corporation of the, G. &amp; King's Printer Copy

PROVIDED That no Tenant that hold and enjoy any Lands or Houses by Lease or other Grant from the said Corporation or any of the said Hospitals or Alms Houses do choose or enjoy any Freedom Exemption or Advantage by this Act but that all the Houses and Lands which they so hold shall be rated and assessed for so much as they are yearly worth over and above the Rents reserved and payable to the said Corporation or to the said Hospitals or Almshouses to be received and disbursed for the immediate Support and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals or Almshouses

XXXI.  
Lands, &c. held by Leases from Hospitals, &c. to be rated at their yearly Value above Rent reserved.

PROVIDED also That nothing contained in this Act shall be construed or taken to discharge any Tenant of any the Houses or Lands belonging to said Colleges Halls Hospitals Almshouses or Schools or any of them who by their Leases or other Grants are and do stand obliged to pay and discharge all Rates Taxes and Impositions whatsoever but that they and every of them shall be rated and pay all such Rates Taxes and Impositions any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXXII.  
Tenement and Hospitals, Colleges, &c. not exempt from Taxes

AND it is hereby further enacted That all and every Auditors Receivers Recoverers all their Deputy and Deputies who audit or receive any Fee Farm Rents or other Chiefs Rents due to Her Majesty or the Queen Dowager or to any Person or Persons claiming by any Grant or Purchase from or under the Crown shall allow Four Shillings for every Pound of the said Rents and proportionably for any greater or lesser Sum to the Party or Parties paying the same without any Fee for such Allowance upon the Penalty of Twenty Pounds to the Parties grieved to be recovered as aforesaid and if any Auditor of the Revenue or any of them belonging to Her Majesty or to the Queen Dowager or any Deputy or other Person acting for or on the Behalf of any such Auditor shall in the Account of any Rents Receiver or otherwise set improper any Tenant or other Person or make any such Tenant or other Person or his or their Estate liable to any Excessive Fines or Vexation whatsoever for any Sum or Sums of Money which by the true Intent and Meaning of this Act ought to be allowed after the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound or shall refuse neglect or delay to allow and finally discharge the same in the proper Accounts wherein the same ought to be allowed or discharged that then and for every or any such Offence every such Auditor as Deputy or Person acting for such Auditor shall forfeit the Sum of Two hundred Pounds to the Party [aggrieved] to be recovered as aforesaid and shall be also incapable to serve in Office or Place (\*) of Trust or Profit under Her Majesty or the said Queen Dowager

XXXIII.  
Persons for Allowance in respect of Rents due to Her Majesty or the Queen Dowager, &c. without Fee Penalty given. Auditors unable suing any Person except,

Penalty thereof, and Incapacity of Office.

AND it is enacted That the Officers of the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer and in other the Publick Office upon Request to them made by the respective Assessors shall deliver to them gratis true Lists or Accounts of all Fee Salaries Wages and other Allowances payable at the said Receipt or in the said Publick Office to any Comptroller or Comptrollers Officer or Officers chargeable by this Act for the better Guidance of the said Assessors in the charging of the same and that in all Cases where any such Fee Salaries Wages or other Allowances or Profits charged by this Act shall be payable at the Receipt of Exchequer or by the Collectors of Her Majesties Household or out of any other Publick Office or by any Her Majesties Receivers or Paymasters the Tax or Payment which in pursuance of this Act shall be charged for or in respect of such Fee Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits shall and may in case of Nonpayment thereof be deducted and swept out of the same or out of any Money which shall be paid upon such Fee Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits or for Arrears thereof and be applied towards Satisfaction of the Rates and Duties not otherwise paid as aforesaid and the proper Officers in the said Exchequer and other the Publick Office aforesaid shall keep true Accounts of all Moneys swept and (upon Request) shall give Copies of such Accounts to the proper Collectors of such Moneys for the respective Parishes or Places where the said Moneys are assessed by this Act

XXXIV.  
Officers of the Exchequer, &c. to deliver Lists of Fees, &c. to Assessors gratis. Duty may be swept out of Fees, &c.

Officers in Exchequer, &c. to Accounts of keep Moneys swept.

PROVIDED nevertheless That no Clause or Provision in this Act shall extend to the lessening or Abatement of the full Sum appointed by this Act to be taxed levied collected and paid but that the same be fully assessed taxed levied collected and paid in the several and respective (\*) Cities and Towns aforesaid in such Manner and Form and to such Uses as herein is before mentioned and declared

XXXV.  
No Clause in this Act to extend to lessen the Rate.

PROVIDED That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to alter charge decrease or make void any Contract Contract or Agreement whatsoever between Landlord & Tenant or any others touching the Payment of Taxes or Assessments any thing herein before contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXXVI.  
Proviso for Contracts between Landlord and Tenant.

PROVIDED also and be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That for avoiding all Obstructions and Delays in assessing and collecting the Sums by this Act to be rated and assessed upon any Messuages Lands Tenements Rents Tythes or other Hereditaments all Places Constabularies Divisions and Allowances which have been used to be taxed and assessed shall pay and be assessed in each County Hundred Rape Wapentake Constabularies Division Place and Allowance as the same heretofore have been usually assessed [in<sup>o</sup>] and not elsewhere

XXXVII.  
Places used to be assessed to pay as heretofore

PROVIDED nevertheless That the Hundred of West Hamfield formerly rated and assessed in the Lath of Alenford in the County of Kent may for the future if the Commissioners think fit be rated and assessed in the Lath of Surrey in the County aforesaid as likewise may the Tything of Neerlance in the County of Oxon be assessed in the Hundred of Hampton in the said County and the Tythings of Chislebury Falter and Farnock in the Hundred of

XXXVIII.  
Proviso as to assessing West Hamfield, West Bocking, Wrotham, Chislebury, Farnock, Tything, Falter, and Farnock of Oxon.

\* grieved O. \*\* as any other Office or Place, \* O. & King's Prisoners Copy. \*\* Constables, \* O. & King's Prisoners Copy \* O. const.

Chadlington in the said County as also the whole Towne and Parish of Leeds in the County of Yorke in the Hundred of Skipton in the said County and the Forest of Charn shall be assessed and pay whose the same was assessed for the Year And of Four Shillings in the Pound granted to Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary

XXXIX.  
In Action for  
renting Ash,  
General Issue.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Pleine Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance or in Execution of this Act such Person or Persons to sued in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue (Not Guilty) and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Prosecutors shall become nolle prosequi or forgoe further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict passe against him the Defendants shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in any Case where Costs by the Law are given to Defendants

Treble Costs

XI.  
Proceedings in case  
of Lands and  
Houses unoccupied,  
and so Return  
found.

Provisione alowed be it further enacted That in case any Lands or Houses in any Parish Place or Constablenick shall be unoccupied and no Distresse can be found on the same by reason whereof the said Parish Place & Constablenick are forced to pay and make good the Tax assessed upon such Lands lying unoccupied then it shall and may be lawful at any time after the Collectors Constable or Tythingman of the said Parish Place or Constablenick for the Time being to enter and Distresse upon the said Lands or Houses where there shall be any Distresse (\*) and Distresses if not redressed within Four Daies by Payment of the Tax and Charge of the Distresse to sell rendering the Overplus to the Owner or Owners of such Distresse and the said Collectors Constable or Tythingman are lawfully enjoined to distribute the Money raised by the said Distresse and Sale proportionally to the Purpoe who contributed to the Tax of the unoccupied Lands and Houses

XLI.  
Where Wood  
Lands are assessed  
and so Distress,  
Wood may be cut  
and sold, except  
Timber Trees.  
Buyers may cut  
and carry away.

Provisione alowed be it enacted That where any Woodlands shall be assessed and no Distresse can be had then in such Case it shall be lawful to and for any Collector Constable Headborough or Tythingman by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of Two or more of the Commissioners of that Hundred or Division at reasonable Times in the Year to cut and sell in any Person or Persons so much of the Wood growing in the Woodlands so assessed (Timber Trees excepted) as will pay the Assessment or Assessments so behind and unpaid and the Charge incident thereto and that it shall and may be lawful for the Person or Persons so behind and unpaid to Assign to whose such Wood shall be sold to fell cut downe and carry away the same to his owne Use rendering the Overplus if any be to the Owner any Law to the contrary notwithstanding

XLII.  
Where Rate or  
Tythes, do not  
pay, Officer may  
enter, &c.

Provisione alowed be it further enacted That where any Tax or Assessment shall be charged or laid upon any Tythes Tolls Profits of Markets Fairs or Foberyes or other Annual Profits not distributable in case the same shall not be paid within Six Daies after such Assessment is charged or laid and demanded that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Collector Constable or other Officer thereto appointed by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the Commissioners aforesaid by this Act to seize take and sell so much of the said Tythes Tolls and other Profits so charged as shall be sufficient for the paying of the said Tax or Assessment; and all Charges occasioned by such Nonpayment thereof rendering the Overplus to the Owner (if any be)

XLIII.  
Receiver General  
employing Money  
to be due when the  
same have been  
paid, &c.

Also for the better providing such urgent Vacations as might be occasioned by such Persons as shall be appointed Receivers General of any of the Sums of Money granted by this Act and so the Intent that the said Receivers General may receive a true Account from His Majesties Court of Exchequer of any Sums of Money as shall be received by them and every of them their and every of their Deputies and Deputies Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any such Receiver General shall receive or receive into the said Court any Sums or Sums of Money to be in arrears and unpaid after the same have been received either by such Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies or any of them or shall cause any Person or Persons or Places to be set onoper in the said Court for any Sums or Sums of Money that hath been so received that then every such Receiver General shall be liable to pay to every Person or Persons that shall be lawfully vexed or damaged by reason of such unjust Confiscate Returns or wrong onoper Treble the Damages that shall be thereby occasioned to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Pleine or Information in which no Assignee Process or Wager of Law shall be allowed nor any more than one Imparance and shall shew forth to Her Majesty Her Heire and Successors Double the Sum that shall be so unjustly certified or returned or caused to be so onoper

Penalty to Party.

Penalty to the  
Queen.

XLIV.  
Commissioners to  
assist the Assessors.

Also be it enacted That the said Commissioners within their Divisions or the major Part of them which shall be present shall assist every Assessor within their Division for all and singular the Matters and Things for which by this Act has ought to be rated and assessed and as well all Sums assessed upon every the said Assessor as the Assessments made and sent by the Assessors aforesaid shall be written returned kept and gathered according to the true Meaning of this Act

XLV.  
Inhabitants of  
Cities, &c. not  
compellible to  
act out of Limits.

Provisione also That no Person inhabiting in any City Borough or Towne Corporate shall be compellible to be any Assessor or Collector of or for any Part of the Rates and Assessments lawfully granted in any Place or Places out of the Limits of the said City Borough or Towne Corporate

\* "Overplus to be found and the Distress;" D is King's Printer Copy

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That every Rate Tax or Assessment which shall be made or imposed by virtue of this Act in respect of any House or Tenement which an Ambassador (\*) Agent or other Public Minister of any Foreign Prince or State now dead or hereafter shall inhabit or occupy shall be paid by the Landlord or Owner of the said House or Tenements respectively

XLVI.  
Landlords to pay  
in Taxes when  
Foreign Ministers  
reside.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Privileged and other Places being Extrajurisdiction or not within the Constableness or Precincts of the respective Assessors to be appointed by virtue of this Act (although in any moiety or other Part they have not been rated heretofore) the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall and are hereby required to nominate and appoint Two fit Persons living in or near the said Privileged or other Places as aforesaid to be Assessors for the said Places and to make and restore the said Assessments in like Manner as by this Act is appointed in any Parish Tything or Place and also to appoint Two or more Collectors who are hereby required to collect and pay the same in the Manner appointed by this Act for collecting and paying all Sums of Money chargeable by this Act

XLVII.  
Persons computing  
Precincts of  
Assessors and  
Collectors in  
Privileged Places

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Commissioner Assessor or Collector who shall be employed in the Execution of this Act shall be liable for or by reason of such Execution to any of the Penalties mentioned in an Act made in the Five and twentieth Years of the Reign of King Charles the Second for preventing Disorders which may happen from Popish Recusants or in any other Act made in the Parliament holden in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third entitled (An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors)

XLVIII.  
Commissioners do  
not liable to  
Penalties of Stat.  
25 Car. II. c. 2. and  
13 W. & M. c. 2.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That no Person shall be capable of sitting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or executing any of the Powers therein contained (unless it be the Power hereby given of administering Oaths) until such Time as he shall have taken the Oaths appointed by an Act of Parliament made in the First Years of the Reign of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the abrogating the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths which Oaths it shall and may be lawful for any Two or more Commissioners to administer and they are hereby required to administer the same to any other Commissioners

XLIX.  
Commissioners to  
take the Oath  
last in W. & M.  
Stat. 1. c. 2. § 10.  
which Two Com-  
missioners may  
administer.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That if any Person lawfully appointed a Commissioner shall presume to act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act before hee shall have taken the Oaths which by this Act he is required to take and in the Manner hereby prescribed he shall forfeit to Her Majesty the Sum of Two hundred Pounds

L.  
Commissioners  
acting before taking  
the Oaths,  
Forfeits above.

PROVIDED also That every Person rated or assessed for his Office or Employment shall be rated and pay for his said Office or Employment in the County City or Place where the same shall be executed although the Revenue or Profits arising by such Office or Employment are payable elsewhere

LI.  
Persons in Office  
rated where Office  
executed.

PROVIDED always That the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls the Masters in Chancery Six Clerks Clerks of the Post Bagg Examiners Registers Clerks of the Insolvent Clerks of the Affidavit and Subpoena Offices and all other the Officers of the Court of Chancery that execute their Offices within the Liberty of the Rolls shall be there assessed for their respective Offices Salaries and other Profits and not elsewhere and that all Assessable Salaries and Pensions payable to any Officers in respect of their Offices shall be taxed and assessed where such Officers are rated and assessed for their Offices and not elsewhere and every Person who shall be rated or assessed for or in respect of any House or Messuages Lands or Tenements or other the Premises according to this Act shall be rated and assessed in the Places where such Messuages Lands and Tenements and other the Premises respectively do lie and not elsewhere

LII.  
Chancery Officers  
within the Liberty  
of the Rolls to be  
assessed there  
Other Persons in  
respect of Personal  
Estates to be rated  
where resident.  
Persons having  
Lands, &c. who  
to be rated.

PROVIDED That if any Person or Persons by reason of his her or their having several Mansion Houses or Places of Residence or otherwise be doubly charged by Decision of this Act in respect of his or their Office or otherwise then upon Certificate made by any Two or more of the Commissioners for the County Riding City or Place of his her or their last personal Residence under their Hands and Seals of the Sum or Sums charged upon him her or them (which Certificate the said Commissioners are required to give without Delay Fee or Reward) and upon Oath made of such Certificate before any Justice of the Peace of the County or Place where the said Certificate shall be made (which Oath the said Justice of the Peace is hereby authorized and required to administer) then the Person or Persons so doubly charged shall for so much as shall be certified be discharged in every other County City or Place

LIII.  
Persons having  
several Mansions  
Houses, and doubly  
charged in respect  
of Personal Estates,  
relieved on  
Certificate of  
Commissioners  
granted without  
Fee.  
And an Oath  
before Assessors of  
Truth.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Estate or Interest in any Fresh Stream or running Water brought to the North Parts of London commonly called the New River or in the Thames Waterworks or in Mary-Bone or Harpend Water or any Runn or Ponds arising thereby And all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Interest in any Office or

LIV.  
Share in the New  
River, Thames,  
Marybone, or  
Harpend Water,  
Office of Revenue  
from Fee

Crown or other  
Light,  
Interest in the  
Queen's Hereditary  
Revenues,  
to pay at per  
Petition,  
how and by whom  
assessed,  
and by whom and  
to whom the Rates  
to such Court paid.  
Post Office

Stack for mowing of Houses in Case of Fire or in the Context or other Lights or in the Stack or Stacks by the putting of Books or belonging to the House commonly called the Queens Printing House shall pay by the same the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the full yearly Value thereof towards the City Assessment and shall be assessed by the Commissioners nominated and appointed by the said City or any Two or more of them for their respective Stacks and Inns and the aforesaid Stack or Stacks and the same shall be paid by the Governors and respective Treasurers or Receivers of the said River Waters and Waterworks and of the said Office and Stacks respectively and be deducted at and out of their next Dues and And every Person having any Salary in respect of any Office or Employment exercised in the Ward in London where the Post Office is situate shall be assessed and pay of the same in the said Ward the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound towards the said Sum by this Act granted

LVI.  
Papists of 16 Years  
of Age not having  
taken the Oaths, to  
pay Double, to be  
paid by W & M  
+ R & S.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Papist or reputed Papist being of the Age of Sixteen Years and upwards, who shall not have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by an Act made in the First Year of the Reigne of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary intitled (An Act for 't) exempting the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sum and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned and contained he or she should or ought to pay or be charged with to be assessed levied collected assessed and paid in such Manner by such Wares and Means and according to such Rules and Directions and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are before in this Act expressed or appointed for and concerning the abovesaid Sum and Rates

LVII.  
Persons whose  
names are not  
entered in the  
Muster of the  
Commissioners to  
be taken the Oaths

Provided nevertheless That if any such Papist or reputed Papist within Ten Days next after the First Meeting of the said Commissioners in the respective Counties or Places where he or she ought to be taxed or assessed according to the Intent of the present Act shall take the said Oaths before Two or more of the said Commissioners (which Oaths the said Two or more Commissioners are empowered to administer) in that Case he or she shall not be liable to be doubly assessed as aforesaid

LVIII.  
Persons of 16 and  
upwards, who shall  
not have taken the  
Oaths before  
Execution of Act,  
and being  
summoned, shall  
refuse to take them,  
or neglect to appear  
before the  
Commissioners, to pay  
Double.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person being of the Age of Sixteen Years and upwards and being within the Realm at the Time of the Execution of this Act, who shall not before that Time have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by the said last mentioned Act and upon Summons by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners shall refuse to take the said Oaths at the Time appointed in the said Warrant or shall neglect to appear at such Time before the Commissioners in order to take the said Oaths (which the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered and required to administer) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sum and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act beforementioned or contained he or she should or ought to pay or be charged with in manner as is before in this present Act appointed touching Papists or reputed Papists

LXIII.  
Commissioners to  
summon Persons to  
appear and take the  
Oaths

AND be it further enacted, That any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed by this Act upon Information given or upon any Cause of Suspicion in that Behalf shall and are hereby required and empowered to cause every Person suspected or against whose name Information shall be given to be summoned to appear and to take the said Oaths as aforesaid

LXIV.  
Persons for whom  
no Oath is required  
to be taken  
before the  
Commissioners, to  
pay Double, to be  
paid by W & M  
+ R & S.

PROVIDED nevertheless That whereas certain Persons Dissenters from the Church of England commonly called Quakers and now known to be such do scruple the taking of any Oath it shall be sufficient for any such Person to make and subscribe the Declaration of Fidelity contained in an Act made in 't) the First Years of Their said late Majesties Reigne intitled (An Act for exempting Their Majesties Protestant Subjects dissenting from the Church of England from the Penalties of certain Laws) which Declaration any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed for executing this Act are hereby empowered and required to administer and every such Person so doing shall not be liable to or chargeable with any of the Double Rates aforesaid

LXV.  
Commissioners to  
summon Persons to  
make the Double  
Assessment to be  
made for not taking  
the Oaths, if the  
Assessment is not  
made

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where any Assessor or Assessors who by this Act are required to make a Double Assessment upon Papists or reputed Papists for not taking the Oaths aforesaid shall neglect to do his or their Duty therein, the respective Commissioners of the County Riding Hundred Division or Place where such Double Assessment ought to have been made or any Two or more of them shall take Care and are hereby authorized and required cause such Papist or Papists to be doubly charged according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act.

LXVI.  
Persons who are  
liable to be doubly  
charged for not  
taking the Oaths,  
to pay Double, to  
be paid by W & M  
+ R & S.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That where the Owners of any Lands Tenements and Hereditaments are liable to be doubly charged as Papists or reputed Papists by reason of their not having taken the Oaths according to the Intent of this Act in every such Case such Owners only shall be charged with and shall pay the said Double Rates and the respective Tenants of such Lands Tenements and Hereditaments are hereby discharged of and from the same any Covenant for Payment of Taxes or other Agreements to the contrary notwithstanding



PROVIDED always That the Prison of the Queens Bench Prison House Lands Gardens and the Common Walls and all the Houses Profits and Perquisites of the Office of Marshall of the said Queens Bench lying and being in the Parish of St George the Martyr in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey And also the Prison House Land and Gardens of the Prison of the Marshall of the Marshalsea Prison and all Office Perquisites and Profits of the Marshalsea Court and Prison lying and being also in the said Parish of Saint George in the Borough of Southwark and County of Surrey shall be charged and assessed to the Assessment in the said Parish of Saint George and Borough of Southwark and not elsewhere Any thing to the contrary in any Law notwithstanding

LXII.  
Prison belonging to the Queen's Bench Prison, &c. and the Marshalsea.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Waterworks in the Borough of Southwark shall be rated and assessed towards the Same by this Act granted by the Commissioners and Assessors of the County of Surrey and not by the Commissioners or Assessors of the City of London Any thing herein enacted to the contrary notwithstanding

LXIII  
Southwark Waterworks, by whom rated and assessed.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That the Waterworks in the City and Liberty of Westminster shall be rated and assessed by the Commissioners [or] Assessors of the said City and Liberty (towards the said Sum by this Act granted) and not by the Commissioners or Assessors of the City of London Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding And all Commissioners Collectors Head Collectors and Receivers are hereby required and enjoined to apply themselves with all Diligence to the utmost speedy and effectual Execution of their several and respective Duties and to use their utmost Endeavours that all Taxes Office and other Things herein charged may fully and duly pay the Rates and Assessments according to the Direction of this Act and so as Her Majesty's Service herein may not be delayed or hindered through any of their wilful Neglect or Default

LXIV  
The like as to Westminster Water-works.

Persons concerned in Execution of Act to use Diligence.

PROVIDED That no poor Person shall be charged with or liable to the Poor Rate imposed by this Act upon Lands Tenements or Households whose Lands Tenements or Households are not of the full yearly Value of Twenty Shillings in the whole

LXV  
No Person liable to Poor Rate, whose Lands or Tenements are yearly.

And be it further enacted That if any Collector of any Parish or Place shall keep in his Hands any Part of the Money by him collected for any longer Time than is by this Act directed (other than the Allowance made unto them by this Act) or shall pay any Part thereof to any Person or Persons (other than to the Receiver General of such County or Place or his respective Deputy) that every such Collector shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Forty Pence And in case any Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the Moneys paid to him or them by any Collector by virtue of this Act to any Person or Persons whatsoever other than unto the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer and at or within the respective Times limited by this Act or in case such Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the said Money by any Warrant of the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners or Comptrollers of the Treasury for the Time being or upon any Tally of Pro or Tally of Anticipation or other Way or Device whatsoever whereby to divert or hinder the actual Payment thereof into the Receipt of Exchequer as aforesaid that then such Receiver General shall for every such Offence of himself or his Deputy forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pence to him or them that shall sue for the same in any Court of Record by Bill Plaint or Information wherein no Enjoinder Prohibitory or Writ of Habeas Corpus is to be allowed

LXVI  
Collection of Tonnage, by keeping Moneys collected in their Hands solely, or not duly paying the same.

Receiver General or his Deputy not duly paying Moneys received under this Act.

Penalty also

And it is hereby further enacted That the Lord Treasurer Under Treasurer or Comptroller of the Treasury for the Time being or any of them do not direct any Warrant to any of the Collectors or Receivers General or their Deputies for the Payment of any Part of the Moneys lawfully given to any Person or Persons other than into the Receipt of the Exchequer as aforesaid nor shall they or any of them direct any Warrant to the Officers of Exchequer for striking of any Tallies of Pro or Tallies of Anticipation nor do any other Matter or Thing whereby to divert the actual Payment of the said Moneys into the Receipt of the Exchequer nor shall the Officers of the Exchequer strike or direct or permit the striking of any Tally of Pro or Tally of Anticipation upon any of the said Moneys upon any Account or Warrant whatsoever nor shall any Teller draw down any Tallies whereby to charge himself with any of the said Money until he shall actually have received the same

LXVII  
Treasury not to direct any Warrant to Collectors or Receivers General for Payment of Moneys otherwise than as before mentioned, &c.

PROVIDED also and be it enacted That no Stay of Prosecution upon any Command Warrant Motion Order or Direction by Non vult effectus process shall be had made admitted received or allowed by any Court whatsoever in any Suit or Proceedings by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information or otherwise for the Recovery of all or any the Parts Penalties or Forfeitures upon any Person or Persons by this Act inflicted or therein mentioned or for as in order to the Confession or Disability of any Persons offending against this Act

LXVIII  
No Stay of Prosecution in Actions by Penalties, &c.

PROVIDED also that if any Person or Persons who shall be charged or assessed by this Act to or with a Poor Rate upon his or their Manors Lands Tenements Households or other the Premises shall upon Complaint made to the Commissioners in such Manner and within such Time as are herein directed in Cases of Appeals make it appear to the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Proof upon Oath that such Assessment Gosh exceed Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the full yearly Value in such Case upon every such Proof and due Examination thereof the said Commissioners are hereby required to state and lessen the Assessments so much to the same shall exceed Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the one yearly Value and no more and shall cause the Money assessed to be returned unrecharged and levied in such Manner as

LXIX  
Commissioners empowered to state, or find that Lands are overcharged above what is the Poor Rate.

And the Money shall be to be returned, as they shall judge most exped.

any Two or more of them in their Judgments; and Thenceforth shall judge most equal just and reasonable within the whole Hundred Leth Wapentake or other Division where such Overdues or Charges do happen although the Pound Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound be thereby excused or if any particular Part or Parts of the same or any Person therein shall appear to them to be undercharged then the Monies so stated shall and may be raised upon such particular Part or Person so undercharged so that the whole sum payable to Her Majesty for such Hundred Leth Wapentake or other Division shall be fully and duly answered and paid without being diminished by reason of any such particular Abatement. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

LXX.  
Receiver General  
responsible for his  
Deputies, and in  
agreement to state  
of them, but the  
Sub-Collector be  
not bound to travel  
above Ten Miles  
to pay the Money  
he collects.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Receiver General of each County shall nominate and appoint fit and proper Persons for whom he shall be answerable to be his Deputy or Deputies to receive from the said Sub-Collectors all and every the Rates Duties and Assessments by them respectively collected or received. And the said Receiver General are hereby required to nominate and appoint so many of such Deputies in their respective Counties that no Sub-Collector may be forced to travel above the Space of Ten Miles from the usual Place of his Abode for the Payment of the said Monies that shall be by him collected or received and if any Receiver General shall neglect or refuse to nominate and appoint such Deputies in Manner aforesaid or shall wilfully neglect to attend by himself or Deputy at the Time and Place by him appointed for his respective Receipts such Receiver General shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Monies so lost or forfeit that shall sue for the same by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster in which Action or Suit no Escoigne Protection Privilege or Wager of Law shall be allowed.

LXXI.  
When and  
Commissioners  
enough for City,  
Borough Towns  
for County or  
riding County  
may act.

PROVIDED nevertheless That in case there shall not be a sufficient Number of Commissioners for any [City] Borough Towns Cinque Port or Place (for which by this Act Commissioners are particularly appointed) capable of acting according to the Qualifications required by this Act for putting this Act in Execution that in every such Case any the Commissioners appointed for the County at large within which such City Borough Towns Cinque Port or Place doth stand or which is next adjoining thereto may act as Commissioners in the Execution of this Act within such City Borough Towns Cinque Port or Place.

LXXII.  
When Two  
General Meetings  
of Commissioners  
for the several  
Ridings of the  
County of York.

PROVIDED also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the West Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Towns of Rotherham and the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the North Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Towns of Thirsk and the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the East Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Towns of Easingwold. Any thing in this Act before mentioned to the contrary notwithstanding.

LXXIII.  
Register to be kept  
in the Exchequer  
of Monies paid into  
the Exchequer.

PROVIDED also and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be provided and kept in Her Majesty's Exchequer that it is to say in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt One Book or Register in which all the Monies that shall be paid into the Exchequer for the Pound Rates and Duties lawfully granted shall be entered and registered upon and distinct from all other Monies paid and payable to Her Majesty.

LXXIV.  
Penalty for  
Assessing to Quare  
Dowager and  
Priest George of  
Devonshire.

PROVIDED also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not change or be construed to change Her Majesty the Queen Dowager or Her Treasurer or Treasurers with the above mentioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of the yearly sum of Ten thousand nine hundred seventy two Pounds Ninety Shillings and Three Pence and One Tenth Part of a Penny and One thousand two hundred thirty six Pounds Sixteen Shillings and a Penny Half penny granted to Her Majesty by Two several Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England One bearing Date on or about the Twentieth Day of December One thousand six hundred and seventy two and the other bearing Date on or about the Ninth Day of October One thousand six hundred and seventy four or to charge His Royal Highness Prince George Marquess of Devonshire or his Treasurers with the above mentioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of the yearly sum of Thirty thousand Pounds granted by several Letters Patent under the Great Seal of England or for or in respect of any Assay that is or shall be granted by Her Majesty to or in Trust for His said Royal Highness but that the said Assayees or yearly Sums and Her Majesty the said Queen Dowager and His Royal Highness and their respective Treasurers Treasurers and Receivers General in respect of the same shall by virtue hereof be acquitted and discharged of from and against the said Duty of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year and all Payments whatsoever which might be charged by this Act for or in respect of the said yearly Sums as if this Act had never been made. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

LXXV.  
Qualifications for  
Persons being a  
Commissioner for  
any County or  
riding, Angles,  
Middessex, Cus-  
sages, Gloucesters,  
and Gloucesters  
excepted.

PROVIDED also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or of any the Powers therein contained in or for any County at large within the said Kingdoms of England or Dominion of Wales (the Counties of Angles Monmouth Cardigan Glamorgan and Carmarthen excepted) or in or for any of the Ridings in the County of York unless such Person by himself or his Treasurers or Treasurers was named or did pay in the same County or Riding for the Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more of his own Estate by virtue of the Act made and passed in the First Year of His

Majesty's Judges intitled (An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by direct Subsidies and a Land Tax) or under such Person so appointed to be a Commissioner shall at the Time of the Execution of this Act be by himself or Trustees or Trustees liable to be sued by virtue of this Act for an Estate in Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of the said Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more within the said County or Riding and which was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding by virtue of the Act last mentioned.

PROVIDED nevertheless and it is also hereby enacted That no Person who is appointed to be a Commissioner for executing this Act shall be disabled from acting as a Commissioner within and for any City Borough Cinque Port or Corporate Towns only whereof he shall be an Inhabitant at the Time of the Execution of this Act nor from acting as a Commissioner within any the Inns of Court or Inns of Chancery and that no Attorney or Solicitor at Law practicing as such or any Receiver General or Collector of any Aid granted to Her Majesty shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this present Act any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

And it is hereby further enacted That any Person intended by this Act to be disabled for any the Causes aforesaid shall nevertheless presume to act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act as say the Powers therein contained every such Person for such Offence shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons that will inform of or sue for the same to be recovered in any His Majesty's Courts of Record by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Subt confederative whereas no Enquiry Provisions [sic] Wager of Law or more than one Imparience shall be allowed.

And in case any Question hath been or shall be made how far any Lands or Tenements belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse not excepted by Name out of this Act ought to be assessed and charged with the Land Tax be it enacted and declared That the same shall be determined by the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them (Two of the said Commissioners who signed or allowed such Assessment being of that Number) upon Appeals before them at the Day or Days by them appointed for the hearing and determining Appeals whose Determination in such Case shall be final.

And in regard the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny is by this Act appointed to be raised wholly by the said Tax of Four Shillings in the Pound upon Officers and by the said Pound Rate upon all Messuages Lands Tenements Rents and other Hereditaments without charging Goods Wares Merchandises and other Stock in Trade and without charging Moneys at Interest towards the making up of the said Sum be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners within the several Cities Counties Ridings Hundreds Lath Wapentakes Roper Wards and other Divisions respectively or any Three or more of them who shall in pursuance of this Act sign and seal the respective Schedules as Duuplicates which are to be transmitted into the Queen's Remembrancers Office in the Exchequer as aforesaid shall and they are hereby authorized and required in the same Duuplicates respectively to ascertain and certify in [the] Words or length and not in Figures the just Sum Same in gross which by virtue of the said Act made in the Fourth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary awarded An Act for granting to Their Majesties an Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound for one Year for carrying on a vigorous War against France was assessed for or upon any Personall Estates consisting only of Goods Ready Moneys and Debts or any of them including Officers Lands Tenements and all other Things whatsoever (not being Goods Ready Moneys or Debts) which were then taxed or assessed within every such City Riding Hundred Lath Wapentake Roper Ward or other Division respectively or in each of them where any such Personall Estate was assessed as aforesaid so as the said gross Sums so assessed for Personall Estates as aforesaid and to be assessed in the Duuplicate are to be made was actually assessed either grately or specially within the Duuplicate which was transmitted into the Exchequer for the Assessment made by virtue of the said Act of the Fourth Year of Their said late Majesty's Reign within every such City County Riding Hundred Lath Wapentake Roper Ward or other Division respectively and not otherwise.

And it is hereby enacted That the several and respective Sums which shall be so ascertained as aforesaid and certified in the said Duuplicates to be made by virtue of this Act for such Personall Estates as aforesaid assessed in any County City Riding Towns Hundreds Lath Wapentakes Roper Ward or other Division as aforesaid shall be assigned and taken as Part of the said Sum by the said Act charged as to be charged upon every such and the same County City Riding Towns Hundreds Lath Wapentakes Roper Ward or other Division respectively and every Parish Town and Place therein towards the said Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and a Penny by this Act granted and the same shall be allowed in all Accounts thereof by virtue of this Act without any further or other Warrant to be used for had or obtained in that Behalf.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That if any Commissioner for executing this Act shall wilfully and knowingly insert or cause to be inserted in any Duuplicate to be returned as aforesaid any greater or larger Sum of Money than ought to be inserted therein by virtue of this Act for such Personall Estates as aforesaid assessed upon the said Act of the Fourth Year of Their said late Majesty's Reign or under Colour thereof with an Intent

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LXXXVI.  
Commissioners who  
are disabled from  
acting as Commissioners  
for any City, &c.  
as being an  
Indebted  
Receiver of Aids,  
&c. disabled.

LXXXVII.  
Persons disabled  
from acting as  
Commissioners,  
Penalty &c.

LXXXVIII.  
Commissioners who  
are disabled from  
acting as Commissioners  
for any City, &c.  
as being an  
Indebted  
Receiver of Aids,  
&c. disabled.

LXXXIX.

Commissioners who  
sign Schedules or  
Duuplicates in the  
Exchequer, &c.  
not charged by  
Name, ought to  
be charged.  
Appeals determined,  
&c.

LXXXI.  
The Acts so  
assessed, to be  
taken as Part of  
the said Sum  
charged by this  
Act.

and to be allowed  
in all Accounts  
without further  
Warrant.

LXXXII.  
Commissioners  
executing in a  
Duuplicate to be  
returned a greater  
Sum than was  
assessed by 4 W. &  
M. c. 1.

*Provisio dicitur  
Magno in the  
Queen, Manly in  
Informant*

to defend Her Majesty then every such Commissioner for every such Office shall furnish the Same of One hundred Pounds to wit One Majesty thereof to the Queen and the other Majesty thereof to such Person or Persons as will Inform as set for the same to be assessed by Account of Debt or of the Court Bill Suit or Informations in any of Her Majesties Courts of Records in Westminster whoso no Ensigne Protection Wager of Law or more than one Impugnance shall be allowed

*LXXXIX.  
Collection of  
Aukage Duties,  
and new Water-  
works at Easter  
to pay the Tax,  
and to be allowed  
the same on their  
Accounts.*

Also he is enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the respective Persons who have received or collected or shall receive or collect the party Profits of the Aukage Duties and New Waterworks respectively within the City and County of Essex for the Time being shall be and are lawfully charged and chargeable with the Payment of the Tax that shall be assessed on the said Profits respectively by this Act to be levied in such Manner as other Aids and Assessments in and by this Act are directed and the respective Persons so charged as aforesaid and paying the same shall be allowed the same on their respective Accounts by their respective Employers or Proprietors for the Time being any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

*LXXXIII.  
First Prison where  
and how assessed.*

Provided always That the Prison of the Fleet Prison House Lands Gardens and the Cloven Side and all the Rates Profits and Perquisites of the Office of the Wardens of the Fleet lying and being in the Parish of Saint Bridget alias Brides London shall be charged and assessed to the Assessments in the said Parish of Saint Bridget alias Brides London and not elsewhere any thing in this Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

*LXXXIV.  
Officers of the  
Dock Yard at  
Stoke Newington,  
to be assessed as  
Plymouth, in the  
next Provisions as  
in 1691.*

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers of Her Majesties Dock Yard now at Stoke Newington near Plymouth shall be assessed upon this Act for the Salaries and other Profits of their Places within the Town and Parish of Plymouth where the Salaries of the Old Dock Yard at Plymouth in the Years One thousand six hundred thirty three were assessed and not elsewhere nor in the full Proportion which was assessed upon the said Town and Parish of Plymouth in the said Year One thousand six hundred thirty three but again assessed thence by virtue of this Act and so as the said Parish of Stoke Newington be not charged with a greater Proportion in respect of the said Salaries and Profits than they were in the said Years One thousand six hundred thirty three any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

*LXXXV.  
Provision for  
assessments  
the Officers and  
Wardens, Port  
Knights of Windsor,  
Ar.*

Provided always That this Act shall not extend to charge the Penalties of any superintended Commission or Warrant Sea Officers or the Penalties of Widdows of Sea Officers also in the Service of the Crown or the Revenue of the most Noble Order of the Garter or the Penalties of the Poor Knights of Windsor payable out of the Exchequer nor that the same shall not extend to lessen the Sums provided by this Act.

*LXXXVI.  
Royal of Stat.  
20 10 11 W III.  
as inserted in Stat.  
12 13 15 W III.  
c. 20*

And whereas notwithstanding the Directions and Provisions of the several Acts of Parliament made in the Ninth Tenth and Eleventh Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third made in an Act of the Twelfth and Thirteenth Years of the Reign of the said late King entitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty for defraying the Expence of His Navy Guards and Garrison for One Year and for other necessary Occasions and notwithstanding the Directions and Provisions of the said last mentioned Act several considerable Sums of Money of the Aids granted to His late Majesty by the said several Acts do remaine unassessed [and] not levied and are delinquent within several Countyes and other Places by reason the Directions contained in the said several Acts have not been duly complied with many of which said Arrears and Delinquencies are in the Accounts of several Receivers General not as respects upon whole Countyes Parts of Countyes Ridings and otherwise and the rest of the said Arrears and Delinquencies are wholly unaccounted for to His late Majesty or the present Queen Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all and every such Countyes Ridings Cities and other Places where the Majesties granted by the said several Acts or any of them or any Part thereof do remaine unassessed or not rated the Commissioners for putting this present Act in Execution for such Countyes Ridings Cities or other Places respectively or so many of them as shall be present at a General Meeting for such Countyes Riding Cities or other Places or the major Part of them shall inquire and inform themselves of and concerning all and every such Sums and Sums of Money as in arrears as delinquent upon the said former Acts or any of them and shall cause the same to be charged upon the respective Hundred Divisions and Subdivisions upon which the same ought to have been charged or rated by the said several Acts respectively in such Manner as by the said several said Acts or any of them is or are respectively directed or appointed (that is to say) each of the said Arrears as are due to Her Majesty upon the said Act of the Ninth Year of His Majesties Reign shall be charged upon such Hundred Lots Wapentakes Roper Wards and other Divisions and Subdivisions respectively as the Commissioners for the whole Countrey Riding City or other Place for which they were Commissioners at their First General Meeting for that Aid did according to their Discretion charge with the same.

*Reason for this  
Enactment.*

*In Counties, the  
where the Money  
granted by the said  
last-mentioned  
Acts remain  
unassessed, or not  
assessed, Comptons  
money under this  
Act to require  
thereof as a General  
Meeting, in Manors  
where contained*

*LXXXVII.  
Misdemeanors  
by Commissioners  
where default  
Provisions to the  
last mentioned Aid*

Provided always That where default Provisions to the Aid last mentioned were before the making of the said Act of the Tenth Year of Her Majesties Reign charged upon one and the same Hundred or Division at several General Meetings of the Commissioners in such particular Cases only the Commissioners for putting this present Act in Execution or so many of them as aforesaid shall proceed by the Rule of charging the Third Fourth Part in the said Act annexed upon the respective Hundred Divisions and Subdivisions as the said former Commissioners ought to have done And each of the said Arrears as are due to Her Majesty upon the said Act of the Tenth and Eleventh Years of His Majesties Reign shall by the said Commissioners for putting this present

Act in Execution or so many of them as aforesaid be charged upon such Hundreds Divisions and Subdivisions as have not paid or not fully paid the Third Fourth Parts to the said Aid granted in the Tenth Year of His Majesty's Regency or (a<sup>1</sup>) Money or Two Fourth Parts to the said Aid granted at the Eleventh Year of His Majesty's Regency And to that End and Purpose the said Commissioners for putting this present Act in Execution shall at their First General Meeting for the Counters Riding Cities or Places where such Deficiencies are standing out determine the Proportions which by this and the said former Acts ought to be charged upon every Hundred Division and Subdivision for making good of the said Arrears or else shall then appoint a Second General Meeting for that Purpose and shall meet together at such Second General Meeting accordingly and then and there execute the Powers by this Act to them given in that Behalf.

And the Commissioners for executing this present Act within the respective Hundreds (\*) Divisions and Subdivisions sheweth or so many of them as in the like Cases are a Quorum for executing this present Act shall and are lawfully required to take Care that the Proportions of the said Arrears be reviewed and charged levied and rated accordingly by such Writs and Warrants and with the like Powers and Authorities as are by this Act given or provided for raising the Money hereby granted And shall cause the Moneys so raised to be paid to the respective Receivers General who are or shall be appointed to receive the same to His Majesty's Use on or before the First Day of September One thousand seven hundred and three And such Receivers General shall pay every Shilling due by them received less the Exchange within Twenty Days after the Receipt thereof And after the Payment of any such Arrears or Deficiency for any such County Part of a County Riding City or other Place the said Receiver or Receivers for the same Money act in the Accounts already passed shall be discharged And the said Receivers General and the respective Collectors and Clerks to the Commissioners for their Service and Payers about the said Arrears shall have such and the like Allowances as they respectively should have had for the same Moneys in case they had been levied and paid upon the said former Act Provided that nothing herein contained shall extend to alter the Charge made upon any Part Hundreds Divisions or Subdivisions by any Certificate which hath been returned pursuant to the said former Acts or any of them.

And it being just and reasonable that the respective Parts Hundreds Divisions and Subdivisions upon which the said Arrears are standing out should easily be distinguishable therewith it is hereby further enacted That when the said Commissioners for executing this present Act or such and so many of them as aforesaid shall have set down and ascertained in Writing the Proportions of the said Arrears which ought to be charged upon every Part Hundred Division and Subdivision as aforesaid they the said Commissioners respectively or each of them as aforesaid shall make a Certificate thereof in Parchment as well in Words as in Figures with the Names of the respective Commissioners which shall be attested for the said respective Parts Hundreds Divisions and Subdivisions and transmit the same under their Hands and Seals into the Office of the Quorum Returner in the Exchequer before the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and three And in case the said Arrears in any such Part Hundred Division or Subdivision be not raised and paid to the Receiver General for His Majesty's Use before the First Day of September One thousand seven hundred and three then the Process of the Exchequer shall and may issue (out<sup>1</sup>) against the Inhabitants of every such Part Hundred Division or Subdivision respectively for Non-payment thereof or against the Commissioners acting or appointed to act for such Part Hundred Division or Subdivision respectively to compell them to execute the Powers of this Act in reference to the said Arrears or Deficiencies Any thing in this or the said former Acts contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigner Bodies Politic or Corporate to advance and lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer upon the Credit of the said Rates Assessments and Sums of Money by this Act granted as aforesaid any Sums which shall not exceed in the Whole the Sum of One Million and eight hundred thousand Pounds and to have and receive for the Performance thereof Interest at the Rate of Five Pence per Centum per Annum And moreover that no Money to be lent upon the Security of this Act shall be repaid or repaid by virtue of this Act or any other Act of Parliament whatsoever.

And it is hereby further enacted That all and every Person or Persons who shall lend any Money upon the Credit of this Act and pay the same less the (said<sup>1</sup>) Receipt of Exchequer shall immediately have a Talley of Loan struck for the same and an Order for his, her, or their Repayment, bearing the same Date with his, her, or their Talley in which Order shall also be contained a Warrant for Payment of Interest for the Performance thereof at the Rate aforesaid to be paid every Three Months until the Repayment of the Principal.

And that all such Orders for Repayment of Money to be lent shall be registered in course according to the Dates respectively without other Preference of one before another and that all and every Person and Persons shall be paid in course according to their Orders shall stand registered in the said Register Books so as the said Person Native or Foreigner his Executors Administrators or Assigns who shall have his Order or Orders first entered in the said respective Books or Register shall be taken and accounted the first Person to be paid out of the Moneys to come in by virtue of this Act and he or they who shall have his or their (Order or Orders) next entered shall be taken and accounted to be the Second Person to be paid and so successively and in course and that the Moneys to come in by this Act or for the said Rates and Assessments as aforesaid shall be in the same

How Arrears due upon the said Acts 14th to W III. to be charged.

LXXXVIII. Commissioners to cause the same to be reviewed and rated as to the Receivers General, who are to pay into the Exchequer.

Upon Payment of Arrears, the Receiver discharged, Allowances to Receivers, &c.

Proviso for Charge made upon any Hundreds, &c. extended under the said Acts.

LXXXIX. Certificate in Parchment of Arrears standing to be transmitted to Returner in the Office of the Exchequer before 10 Aug 1704.

If not paid before 1st Sept 1703, Process of Exchequer to be against Inhabitants, &c. or Commissioners.

XI. Persons may lend Money to Her Majesty on credit, up to £1,000,000 at 5 per Cent per Annum. Money lent to the Act not to be taxed.

XII. Talley of Loan to be struck and Warrant for Interest to be issued.

XIII. Orders for Repayment registered according to Date of Talley, and paid in Course.

Moneys to come in by this Act to be lent successively.

\* the O.

\* Super O.

\* O. out.

\* according to the Roll.

Order liable to the Satisfaction of the Moneys to be lent as aforesaid to the respective Parties their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns respectively without undue Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or divertible to any other Use Intent or Purpose whatsoever

**XXIV.**  
No Fee for pre-  
senting or making  
Book, but for the  
Payment of Money  
lent.  
Penalty.  
Fines.

And that no Fee Reward [or<sup>1</sup>] Gratitude directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesties Subjects for presenting or making of any such Book or Register or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party aggrieved by the Party offending with Treble Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place and

**XXV.**  
No undue Prefer-  
ence by Officer.  
Penalty.  
Fines.  
Deputy.

And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party grieved and shall be disqualified of his Place or Office and if such Preference be unduly made by any his Deputy or Clerks without Direction or Power of his Master then such Deputy or Clerks only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever incapable of his Place or Office

**XXVI.**  
Auditor, Clerk of  
the Peils, or Teller  
not making Pay-  
ment in due Order,  
Penalty.  
New Position  
reverted.

And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct the Order or the Clerk of the Peils record or the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as aforesaid directed then here or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and Clerks therein offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid all which said Penalties Fines Damages and Costs to be incurred by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Emption Protection Privilege Wager of Law Injunction or Order of Restraint shall be in any wise granted or allowed

**XXVII.**  
Persons whose  
several Orders bear  
Date the same Day.

Provided also and be it hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies for Loans or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date on the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted no undue Preference which of those be raised first see as here enters them all the same Day

**XXVIII.**  
Paying subsequent  
Orders of first  
Demand to whom  
Case no undue  
Preference

Provided also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to incase any Penalty in point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerk of the Peils record and the Teller do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand their Moneys and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take their Moneys and bring their Orders in their Course so as there be so much Money reserved as will satisfy precedent Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for their Interest upon Loans being in case from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them

**XXIX.**  
Orders for Payment  
of Money lent may  
be assigned by  
Indorsement  
Memorial thereof  
without Fee

And be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans to be registered by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Books of Registry as aforesaid his Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Words of Assignment to be endorsed and written upon his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and an Entry or Memorandum thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge willingly make shall suffice such Assignee his Executors Administrators and Assigns to the Benefit thereof [and Payment thereon<sup>2</sup>] and such Assignee may in like Manner assign again and so times again and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or have made such Assignments to make void release and discharge the same or any of the Moneys thereby due or any Part thereof

**XXX.**  
Clause to settle the  
the Proposition for  
the several Persons  
in Hampshire  
Elected.

And whereas many Inconveniences have happened about proportioning the Sum for the several Divisions within the Hundred of Hantsford in the County of Warwick be it enacted That the Proposition which was returned into the Exchequer for the Year One thousand six hundred sixty three shall be the Rule in this Act to raise Money hereby granted in the aforesaid Hundred and every Division therein unless it shall be otherwise voted and dissolved by Two Thirds at least of the Commissioners who shall be present at the first General Meeting And the said Commissioners are hereby required and adjured to see and finally to determine the same

**C.**  
All Loans, the  
belonging to  
Hantsford, the  
assigned by Stat  
g W & M. c. 1.  
shall be charged  
by the Act, but  
no other

(<sup>1</sup>) Provided also and be it hereby enacted That all such Loans Revenues or Rents belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse as were assessed in the Fourth Year of the Reigne of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary shall be and are hereby adjudged to be liable to be charged towards the Payment of this present Act and that all such Lands Tenements Hereditaments Revenues or Rents whatsoever belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse as aforesaid shall be charged toward or assessed by virtue of this present Act any thing therein contained to the contrary in anywise notwithstanding

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Original AD in a separate Schedule.

## CHAPTER II.

*An Act for enabling Her Majesty to settle a Revenue for supporting the Dignity of His Royal Highness Prince George Hereditary of Denmark in case he shall survive Her Majesty.*

*Est. Parl. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. 26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. 34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 39. 40. 41. 42. 43. 44. 45. 46. 47. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59. 60. 61. 62. 63. 64. 65. 66. 67. 68. 69. 70. 71. 72. 73. 74. 75. 76. 77. 78. 79. 80. 81. 82. 83. 84. 85. 86. 87. 88. 89. 90. 91. 92. 93. 94. 95. 96. 97. 98. 99. 100.*

**M**OST gracious Sovereign vs Your Majesty most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous upon all Occasions to express our grateful Sense of Your Majesty's Wisdom and Justice in the Administration of the Government the Efforts and Pains wherof do daily enjoye the Hearts of all Your good Subjects and considering how acceptable it will be to Your Majesty that a good safe and competent Revenue be settled upon Your Majesty's most dearly beloved Husband Prince George Hereditary of Denmark for supporting his Honour and Dignity in case he should survive Your Majesty (whose Life God long preserve) as well in Consideration of the mutual Love and Affection which Your Majesty bears towards the said Prince and of the eminent Virtues wherewith that excellent Prince is endued as also with Regard to the great and useful Services which under Your Majesty's Authority he hath performed and doth continue to perform for the general good and Advantage of this Nation and all other Your Majesty's Dominions And well knowing that in the last Session of Parliament a good and prudent Provision was made by Your Majesty by the Advice and Consent of Your Lords and Commons for preserving the Inheritance of several Revenues of the Crown in and by an Act intitled *An Act for the better Support of Her Majesty's Household and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown* whereby all Grants thereof (other than such as are therein expressed) are declared to be void nevertheless most humbly cheerfully and unanimously beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Queens most Excellent Majesty by any Letters Patents or Indentures or by several Letters Patents or Indentures under the Great Seal of England hereafter to be made to give and grant unto his Royal Highness the said Prince George Hereditary of Denmark or to any other Person or Persons to the Use of or in Trust for the said Prince One Annuity or yearly Sum of One hundred thousand Pounds of lawful Money of England to be issuing and payable out of and to be charged and chargeable upon the several and respective Duties and Revenues hereinafter mentioned and in the Proportions following (that is to say) the yearly Sum of Fifty thousand Pounds Part of the [said] yearly Sum of One hundred thousand Pounds out of the Rents and Duties of Excise which by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His Majesty Royal Uncle King Charles the Second (out of blessed Memory) intitled *An Act for taking away the Coast of Wines and Livens and Tunnage in Capes and by Knights Service and Purveyance and for selling a Revenue upon His Majesty in law thereof which Act was confirmed by another Act made and passed in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty were given and granted to His said late Majesty King Charles the Second His Heirs and Successors for ever and the yearly Sum of Fifty thousand Pounds (being the Remainder of the said yearly Sum of One hundred thousand Pounds) out of all the Revenues and Monies arising and to arise by virtue or in pursuance of the Act of Parliament made and passed in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King Charles the Second intitled *An Act for erecting and establishing a Post Office or by virtue or in pursuance of any [other] Act or Acts of Parliament whatsoever for establishing vending or sending the Revenue of the General Letter Office or Post Office or Office of Post Master General in the Crown or any [other] Act or Acts of Parliament relating to the said Office to have hold forever undivided and enjoy the said Annuity or yearly Rent or Sum of One hundred thousand Pounds in such Proportions as is or shall be ascertained immediately from and after the Dissolution of Her Majesty for and during the natural Life of the said Prince the said Annuity or yearly Rent of One hundred thousand Pounds and every Part thereof to be paid at the Four most usual Feasts or Days of Payment in the Year (that is to say) at the Feast of the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist Saint Michael the Archangel and the Birth of our Lord Christ by even and equal Portions the First Payment to begin and be made at each of the said Feasts as shall or may first and next happen after the Majesty's Decease in case the said Prince shall survive Her as aforesaid**

And it is hereby enacted That the said yearly Sum of One hundred thousand Pounds shall be paid and payable by and from the respective Heads of all and every the Customhouse Post Masters Farmers Treasurers Receivers and Collectors for the Time being of the said Revenues respectively without any Fees or Charges to be demanded or taken for paying the same or any Part thereof And the Acquittance and Acknowledgements of the said Prince or his Treasurers or of his Royal Highness his Receiver General for the Time being shall be a good and sufficient Discharge for the Payment thereof without any further or other Warrant to be used for and obtained in that Behalf And that the said Annuity or yearly Sum of One hundred thousand Pounds and every Part thereof shall be free and clear from all Taxes Impositions and other publick Charges whatsoever And if the said Customhouse Postmasters Farmers Treasurers Receivers and Collectors for the Time being of the said Revenues or any of them shall refuse or neglect to pay the said respective yearly Sums or any Part thereof to the said Prince his Receiver General or Treasurers then the said Prince or each Customhouse as aforesaid may sue prosecute and impend the said Customhouse Postmasters Farmers Treasurers Receivers General and Collectors or any of them and all or any of their Secretaries Clerks Executors and Administrators by Bill Plea or Action of Debt and shall and may recover Judgments and see due Execution thereupon against the said Customhouse Postmasters Farmers Treasurers Receivers and Collectors

*Reason for passing the Act*

*Cap. 1. Stat. 2. 1702.*

*Provision to Prince George of Denmark, who was out of the House, and appointed out of the Post Office, to pay by His Majesty.*

*Stat. 12 Geo. 11. c. 14.*

*Stat. 12 Geo. 11. c. 11.*

*The said Annuity payable Quarterly.*

*11. By whom the said Annuity is paid, without Fee.*

*12 Geo. 11. c. 11.*

*Customhouse, &c. whereby the said Annuity is paid.*

*Proceedings.*

<sup>1</sup> 2 Stat. 11 G. 1. King's Printer Copy

<sup>2</sup> 2 Stat. 11 G. 1. King's Printer Copy

respectively and their respective Southern Holes Excesses and Adequacies for each Sum and Season of Money then due and owing upon the said Annuities as shall be in the Hands of the said Commissioners Postmaster, Farmers Treasurers Receivers and Collectors respectively of the said respective Denon at the Time when Demands shall be made of the Payment of the said yearly Sums or either of them or any Part thereof.

III.  
The Queen by  
Lectures Faint,  
As may grow  
Kingsmen's Honor  
and Lands have  
restored, in the  
Dance.

and also Washington  
Horse and Lamb  
Society members.

with the Appen-  
sances.

to hold for the  
Term of 99 Years  
from the Death of  
the Queen, if the  
France shall so long  
live.

IV.  
The Queen may in like Manner grant the said Town Palace with the said lands and Appurtenances in Trust for the Prince for One Year, to commence upon the Expiration or other certain Determination of the said Term of 99 Years as herein specified.

V.  
The said Letter  
Patent, No. 10, to be  
good nevertheless  
standing that A.  
C. L. 1860.

Also for the better Accommodation of the said Prince in case he shall happen to survive Her Majesty be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That he shall and may be lawful to and for Her Majesty by the Letters Patent Under the Great Seal of England to give and grant unto the said Prince or to any other Person or Persons in His Use or in Trust for Him all that Her Majesties Palace or Capital Messuage at or near Kensington in the County of Middlesex commonly called as known by the Name of Kensington House and all singular Her Majesties Close Grounds Lands and Tenements whatsoever lying or being within the Parishes of St Margarets Westminster Kensington and Paddington or any of them or elsewhere in the said County of Middlesex which were formerly the Lands or Inheritance of The Right Honourable Thurlkel Earl of Northampton now one of the Lords of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council and Principal Secretary of State and were together with the said Capital Messuage purchased from him by His late Majesty King William the Third of blessed Memory or by His Majesties Trustees and all Edifices and Buildings whatsoever newly erected upon the Premises or any Part thereof And also that His Majesties Palace or Capital Messuage at or near Winchester in the County of Southampton commonly called as known by the Name of Winchester-House and all Her Majesties Lands Tenements and Hereditaments whatsoever which were purchased for the Accommodation of the said Palace of Winchester or are held in the same or any thereof used or enjoyed or wherein Her Majesty or any Person or Persons in Trust for Her hath or have any Parts of Inheritance or any Term or Estate for any Life Lives or Years now in being and unexpired within the Parishes of St Thomas and St Cross or either of them in or near the said City of Winchester or in any other Parish at Town adjoining to the Parishes aforesaid or either of them in the said County of Southampton; and all singular Houses Outhouses Stables Edifices Buildings Orchards Gardens Rookeries Castles Cloes Grounds Ways Passages Waters Watercourses Easements Profits Commodities Privileges Advantages Emoluments and Hereditaments whatsoever to the said several Prince or Capital Messuages Buildings Lands and other the Premises so to be granted or any of them belonging or appertaining or accepted reputed claim used or enjoyed or any Part thereof or Member thereof or any Part thereof and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Rescousers Parts Issues and Profits of the same to have and to hold the said several Palaces or Capital Messuages and such Parts and Parts of the said Lands and other the Premises so to be granted whereof or wherein Her Majesty or any other Person or Persons in Trust for Her have or hath any Parts of Inheritance unto the said Prince George Hereditary of Denmark or to such other Person or Persons in His Use or in Trust for him as aforesaid from and immediately after Her Majesties Decease for and during the Term of Ninety nine Years from thence next ensuing if the said Prince George Hereditary of Denmark shall happen so long to live And so have and to hold such Parts of the said Lands and Premises so to be granted whereof or wherein Her Majesty or any in Trust for Her have or hath any Term or Estate for any Life Lives or Years now in being or unexpired and every Part thereof respectively unto the said Prince George Hereditary of Denmark or to such other Person or Persons in His Use or in Trust for him as aforesaid from and immediately after Her said Majesties Decease for and during the like Term of Ninety nine Years if the said Prince shall so long live and the said respective Term or Estate in every such Part respectively shall so long continue

Also be it enacted That it shall and may be lawful for Her Majesty in like Manner to grant the said Two Palaces and such Parts of the said Lands and other the Premises lying at or near Kensington and Winchester respectively as aforesaid whomever Her Majesty or any in Trust for Her here or hath any Estate of Inheritance term such Person or Persons as Her Majesty shall think fit in Trust for the said Prince of Denmark his Executors Administrators and Assigns for the Term of One Year to take Effect immediately after the Expiration or other sooner Determination of the said Term of Ninety nine Years in case the said Prince shall happen to survive His Majesty and to grant such Parts of the said Lands and Premises whomever or whomever Her Majesty as may in Trust for Her here or hath any Term or Terms for any Life Lives or Years now in being or unexpired and every Part thereof respectively unto such Trustees for the like Term of One Year to take Effect as aforesaid in case such particular Terms or Terms respectively shall so long continue. And all and every Person and Persons having any Estate or Interest of and in the said Two Palaces Lands and Premises as to be conveyed in Trust for His Majesty His Heirs and Successors or any Part or Parts of the same are hereby enjoined and required upon His Majesties Command and Direction to joyn in the Grants thereof to be made so or for the Benefit of the said Prince as aforesaid.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Powers Prerogatives Privileges and Charters to be contained in Her Majesties Letters Patents Indentures or Instruments hereunto to be made as aforesaid for the better and more certain Payment and Amortment of the said yearly Sum of One hundred thousand Pounds and for the making the said respective Recommen Publick thereunto and for conveying and assuring of the said Publick Lands and other the Premises as aforesaid shall be and are hereby enacted to be good and effectual as the Law according to the Tenor and Purport thereof in the said Letters Patent Indenture or Instruments to be expressed notwithstanding any Restriction or other Matter or Thing contained in the said Act of Parliament and



in the First Year of Her Majesty's Reigne inserted An Act for the better Support of Her Majesty's Household and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown and any Mannered Mannered Obedience or other Defect in the said Letters Patent Indemnity or Indemnities heretofore to be made in any [sic] [notwithstanding]

SAVED to all and every Person and Persons Heirs Executors and Administrators and Assigns (other than to the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and other than to such Person and Persons who do or may stand seized or possessed in Trust for Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors) all such Right Title Interest and Demand whatsoever which they or any of them have or may have in or to the said Palaces or Capital Messuages Lands and Tenements as to be granted as aforesaid or any Part thereof before the making of this Act as fully and effectually to all Intents and Purposes as if this Act had not been made this Act or any Thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

VI.  
General Saving

And whereas by a Deed-Poll or Instrument in Writing bearing Date the Twelfth Day of June in the Year of our Lord Christ One thousand six hundred eighty four under the Hands and Seals of Her Majesty's Father then Duke of York and of the said Prince George Hereditary of Denmark and of His Majesty by the Name of Anne Princess of Denmark Robert Earl of Sunderland (since deceased) Henry Earl of Chesham Lawrence Earl of Rochester George Lord Dartmouth (since deceased) and Sir John Wrothen Knight and Baron ratified and approved by His said late Majesty King Charles the Second under His Royal Sign Manual and enrolled in the High Court of Chancery reciting several Grants and Assurances of diverse yearly Sums therein mentioned to be issuing out of the said Hereditary Revenues of Excise and Post-Office or out of some Branches or Parts thereof it was (amongst other Things) provided that if there should be Issue Male or Issue Male and Female of the Body of the said Prince on the Body of the said Princess Anne (now our Sovereign Lady) begotten living at the Time of the Decease of the said Princess and the said Prince should be then living then the said Prince should from the Decease of the said Princess have and receive Eight thousand Pounds per Annum (Part of the yearly Sums therein mentioned and that if the said Princess should dye in the Life time of the said Prince George having no Issue of Her Body by him begotten or having Issue and such Issue should dye without Issue then all the Trusts and Provisions therein made or declared to or for the Benefit of the said Prince George should cease and then the said Prince George was to have the Sum of Twenty thousand Pounds at one entire Payment to be raised out of the said yearly Sums therein mentioned as by the said Deed-Poll or Instrument and the several Grants and Letters Patents therein recited or mentioned (Reliance being thereunto severally had) may more fully appear Now it is hereby Statute enacted by the Authority aforesaid That after the Time that all the several Grants by this Act intended to be made to or for the Benefit of the said Prince of Denmark of the said yearly Sums of One hundred thousand Pounds and of the Two Palaces and other the Provisions with their Appurtenances shall be actually made and passed under the Great Seal of England then the said yearly Sums of Eight thousand Pounds and the said entire Sum of Twenty thousand Pounds and all his Right thereunto or to either of them and all the Benefits and Advantages whatsoever which then and after the Decease of Her Majesty (the said Prince George surviving) was to accrue to the said Prince George by or from any the Trusts or Provisions contained in the said Deed-Poll or out of the said Annual Sums therein mentioned are and shall be by force and virtue of this present Act vested in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors to the end the same may be wholly merged and extinguished

VII.  
Recital of a Deed-Poll bearing Date 12th June 1684 granting a certain Sum of Money to the Prince George of Denmark, if he and any Issue of his Marriage with the Queen, then the Princess Anne, should survive her,

and if she should have, then on her Death the same Sum of Money to the said Prince, her

The Recital of the said Deed-Poll is omitted in the Statute.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case the said Prince George Hereditary of Denmark shall happen to survive Her said Majesty and the Issue of Her Body the said Prince shall and may be capable to be of the Privy Council and a Member of the House of Peers and so have and enjoy any (') Place of Trust either Civil or Military and to have and enjoy the Grants herein mentioned or any other Grants of Lands Tenements or Hereditaments from the Crown to himself or to any other or others in Trust for Him as Act made in the Twelfth Year of the Reigne of His late Majesty King William the Third intimated An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject or any thing therein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

VIII.  
If the said Prince survive the Queen and her Issue, he may be of the Privy Council, of the House of Peers, and hold Offices, Ac-  
cording to the Statute in that behalf made.

Provided always That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend any ways to impeach or avoid certain Letters Patent bearing Date the Two and twentieth Day of October in the Six and twentieth Year of the Reigne of His late Majesty King Charles the Second or to frustrate thereby as prejudicial any of the yearly Payments or Sums therein and thereby granted or made payable unto or to the Use of Charles then Earl and now Duke of Southampton and the Heirs Male of his Body or unto Henry then Earl of Essex afterwards Duke of Gloucestre (since deceased) and the Heirs Male of his Body or unto George then Earl and now Duke of Marlborough and the Heirs Male of his Body or any Annuities thereby granted to them or any of them in Remembrance out of the Hereditary Revenues of Excise issuing within and payable from the several Counties and Places in the said Letters Patent for that Purpose mentioned but that the same and every of them shall continue to be paid and made good unto such and the same Persons and in such and the same Manner as they would and ought to have been by the said Letters Patent if this Act had never been made any thing therein before contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

IX.  
Proviso for Letters Patent, dated 10th Oct. 1684.

Provided nevertheless That nothing in this present Act shall be taken or construed to take away or interrupt the Payment of One Annuity or yearly Sum of Four thousand seven hundred Pounds due and made payable out

X.  
Proviso for Annuity of 4700*l*. due to the Duchess of Cleveland

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> notwithstanding G.

<sup>3</sup> Office at O. in King's Printer's Copy.

of the Profits arising out of the said Post-Office unto the Most Noble Barbara Duchess of Cleveland or to the Trustees named in certain Letters Patents bearing Date the Nineteenth Day of January in the Twentieth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King Charles the Second and conferred afterwards by an Act of Parliament made in the Two and twentieth and Three and twentieth Years of the said King but the same shall remain payable to her or her said Trustees or to any other Person or Persons lawfully claiming under her them or any of them according to the Directions and use herein and Manner of the said Letters Patents Any thing in this present Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

**XI.**  
And for Annuity  
of six hundred  
Pounds to the  
Duchess of  
Bedford.

PROVIDED also That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to prejudice the Payment of One Annuity or yearly Sum of Four thousand Pounds per Annum granted by the late King Charles the Second and to be received and paid out of the Revenue of the hereditary Duchy to the Most Noble Anne Duchess of Bedford (by the Name and Title of Anne Duchess of Monmouth and Bedford) or to certain Persons in Trust for her during her natural Life but that the said Annuity shall continue and remain to the said Duchess as if this Act had never been made

**XII.**  
And for an Annuity  
of three hundred  
Pounds to the  
Duchess of  
Buccleugh.

PROVIDED nevertheless That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to prejudice the Payment of One Annuity of Six hundred Pounds per Annum granted by King Charles the Second out of the hereditary Revenue of EXETER unto Sir Francis Windham Baronet (by the Name of Colonel Francis Windham) and the Heirs Male of his Body but that the said Annuity shall still continue to be paid as if this Act had never been made Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**XIII.**  
And for an Annuity  
of six hundred  
Pounds to the  
Earl of Rochester.

PROVIDED also That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to prejudice the Payment of One Annuity or yearly Sum of Four thousand Pounds granted by His late Majesty King James the Second to the Right Honourable Laurence Earl of Rochester his Executors Administrators and Assigns by Letters Patents bearing Date on or about the Fourth Day of January in the Second Year of the Reign of the said late King and payable out of the Revenue of the Post-Office for the Term of Ninety nine Years then assigned of the said Earl of Rochester and Henry Hyde eldest Son of the said Earl commonly called Henry Lord Viscount Hyde or either of them should as long live but that the said Annuity shall continue and remain to the said Earl his Executors Administrators and Assigns as if this Act had never been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary (notwithstanding)

**XIV.**  
And for Letters  
Patents to Sir John  
Barnard in Trust  
for the Earl and  
Countess of  
Litchfield.

PROVIDED also That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to make void or prejudice certain Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England bearing Date the Twelfth Day of September in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King Charles the Second granted to Sir Walter Saint John Barnard and others in Trust for Henry Edward Earl of Litchfield and Charlotte the Countess of Litchfield his Wife or to hinder the Payment of any the Monies remaining due thereupon or which ought to be paid by virtue thereof but that the same shall continue and remain due and payable as if this Act had never been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**XV.**  
And for an Annuity  
of six hundred  
Pounds to the  
Duke of Leeds.

PROVIDED also That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to prejudice the Payment of One Annuity or yearly Sum of Three thousand five hundred Pounds granted by Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary by Letters Patents bearing Date on or about the Eighth Day of August in the Third Year of the Reign of Their said late Majesties unto Thomas then Marquess of Carmarthen and now Duke of Leeds his Executors Administrators and Assigns and payable out of the Revenue of the Post-Office for the Term of One and twenty Years therein mentioned but that the said Annuity shall continue and remain to the said Duke his Executors Administrators and Assigns as if this Act had never been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**XVI.**  
And for Two  
Annuities to the  
Queen Dowager.

PROVIDED also That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to prejudice the Payment of the Two Annuities or yearly Sums of Ten thousand nine hundred seventy two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Three Pence (and One Fourth Part of a Penny) and One thousand two hundred thirty six Pounds Sixteen Shillings and a Penny Halfpenny granted to Her Majesty the Queen Dowager and Her Trustees by His late Majesty King Charles the Second by Two several Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England One bearing Date on or about the Twentieth Day of December One thousand six hundred seventy two and the other bearing Date on or about the Ninth Day of October One thousand six hundred and seventy four and payable out of the hereditary Revenue of Exeter but that the said Annuities shall continue and remain to Her Majesty and Her Trustees as if this Act had never been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**XVII.**  
And for an Annuity  
of six hundred  
Pounds to the  
Duke of Schom-  
berg.

PROVIDED also That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to prejudice the Payment of One Annuity or yearly Sum of Four thousand Pounds granted by His late Majesty King William the Third to Maynard Duke of Schomburgh and Lestrange his Executors Administrators and Assigns by Letters Patents bearing Date on or about the Fifteenth Day of February in the Seventh Year of the Reign of the said late Majesty and payable out of the Revenue of the Post-Office to the said Duke and the Heirs Male of his Body until such Time as His said late Majesty His Heirs or Successors should pay and satisfy the Sum of One hundred thousand Pounds therein mentioned but that the said Annuity shall continue and remain as if this Act had never been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**Proviso** also That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to prejudice the Payment of One Annuity or yearly Sum of One thousand Pounds granted by His late Majesty King William the Third to the Right Honourable William Earl of Rochford and his Anceists by Letters Patents bearing Date on or about the Twenty seventh Day of December in the Eighth Year of the said late King and payable out of the Revenue of the Post-Office during the Term of his natural Life but that the said Annuity shall continue and remain to the said Earl and his Anceists as if this Act had never been made Any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

**XVIII**  
And for an Annuity  
of eleven to the  
Earl of Rochford

**Proviso** nevertheless That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to prejudice the Right of Sir Samuel Marland Baronet to One Annuity of Two hundred Pounds per Annum granted by King Charles the Second out of the hereditary Revenue of Excise unto Sir Samuel Marland Knight and Baronet his late Father deceased and to the said Sir Samuel Marland for three years Lives and the Lives of the longest Live of them how that the said Grant shall be and continue in full force and virtue as if this Act had not been made Any thing therein contained to the contrary thereof is anywise notwithstanding.

**XXV**  
And for an Annuity  
of eleven to the  
Baronet Marland.

## CHAPTER III.

*An Act for granting a Supply to Her Majesty by several Duties imposed upon Malt Malt Cyder and Perry.*

*See Part 4. above,  
p. 154.*

**MOST** Gracious Sovereigns We Your Majesties most faithful and loyal Subjects the Commons assembled in Parliament do in further Supply for enabling Your Majesty to prosecute the War against France and Spain and for other Your Majesties most necessary and important Occasions do humbly present Your Majesty with the Gift of the several Rates Duties and Impositions herein after mentioned and do beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That there shall be raised levied collected paid and satisfied unto and for the Use of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and upon all Malt Malt Cyder and Perry the several Rates Duties and Impositions herein after mentioned (that is to say)

For every Bushel of Malt which at any Time or Times from and after the Three and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three and before the Four and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four shall be made of Barley or any other Corn or Grain within this Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed by any Person or Persons whatsoever (whether the same be or not be for Sale) the Sum of Six Pence and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity to be paid by the Maker or Maker thereof respectively.

*Malt six per  
Bushel.*

For every Barrel of Malt which at any Time or Times from and after the said Three and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three and before the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four shall be made or imported within the said Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed the Sum of Two Shillings one and above all present Duties payable for the same and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity to be paid by the Maker or Importer thereof respectively.

*To be paid by the  
Maker.*

And for all Cyder and Perry which at any Time or Times from and after the said Three and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three and before the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four shall be made for Sale within the said Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed (over and above all other Duties payable for Cyder and Perry made and sold by Retail) the Sum of Four Shillings for every Hogshead and so in Proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity to be paid by the first Buyer or Retailer thereof.

*Shewings additional  
They are bound  
to be paid by  
Wholesaler or Importer*

And for the avoiding of Disputes in charging the Duties upon Cyder and Perry be it enacted and declared That every Person who shall buy any Cyder or Perry or any Fruit to make less Cyder or Perry and shall sell any of the Cyder or Perry so bought or made by the Wholesaler or any greater or lesser Measure shall during the Continuance of this Act and no longer be deemed and taken to be a Retailer of Cyder and Perry and shall be chargeable with the Duties of all such Cyder and Perry.

*Perry and Cyder  
made for Sale  
at Hogsheads,  
or Hogsheads,  
to be paid by  
First Buyer or  
Retailer.*

Also for the better avoiding charging levying and collecting of all the said several and respective Duties hereby granted be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the said Duties and Impositions by this Act granted or imposed as well upon Malt as upon Malt Cyder and Perry shall from Time to Time during the Continuance of this Act be within the Receipt Management and Government of the Chief Commissioners and Governors of the Receipt of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors for the Time being and that all inferior Officers whether they be Subcommissioners Collectors Supervisors Gaugers or others that are or shall be constituted or appointed for levying assessing collecting or answering of Her Majesties Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors shall within the respective Limits or Districts or in the several Places or Stations to which they are or shall be appointed be also the Subcommissioners Collectors Supervisors Gaugers or other Officers respectively for the several Duties by this Act granted nevertheless under the Government and Direction of the said Chief Commissioners of Excise for the Time being or the major Part of them who have hereby Power to discharge or

**II.**  
The said Duties to  
be assessed by  
Commissioners  
of Excise.

The Commissioners  
may cause Sub-  
Officers.

also them or any of them and to make and constitute from Time to Time such and so many inferior Officers for the said Duties hereby granted and every or any of them as to the said Chief Commissioners for the Time being or the major Part of them shall seem meet.

III.  
Gaugers may enter  
Persons to gauge  
in the Daytime.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the said Gaugers and Officers which are or shall be so constituted and appointed shall at all Times in the Day Time be permitted upon their Request to enter the House Malthouse and all other Places whatsoever belonging to or used by any Person or Persons whatsoever who at any Time or Times from and after the said Three and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three and before the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four shall make any Malt (whether for Sale or not for Sale) and to gauge all Cisterns Uring-Pan Unvails and other Vessels used by any such Malster or Maker of Malt for the wetting or steeping of any Barley or other Corn or Grain for the making of Malt and to gauge measure and take an Account of the just Quantity of the Barley and other Corn or Grain which shall be found wet or steeping in any such Uring Pan Unvail Cistern or other Vessel or shall have been wetted or steeped in them or any of them for the making of Malt and shall [themselves] make Return or Report in Writing to the said Commissioners or such other Person or Persons as they shall appoint to receive the same having a true Copy of such Report in Writing under his Hand with such Malster or Maker of Malt and such Report or Return of the said Gaugers shall be a Charge upon such Malster or Maker of Malt respectively And if (') such Malster or other Person making Malt for Sale or Private Use shall refuse to permit any such Gauger or Officer to enter his House Malthouse or other Place aforesaid or to measure compute and take an Account of all his Malt and to gauge all and every such Uring-Pan Unvail Cisterns and other Vessels and so gauge and take an Account of his Barley or other Corn or Grain in any such Cistern Uring Pan Unvail or other Vessel or which shall have been wetted or steeped and shall be upon any Place or other Place every such Malster or other Person shall forfeit and lose for every such Offence the Sum of Twenty Pounds And that from and after the said Three and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three during the Continuance of this Act every Malster or other Person making Malt for Sale or not for Sale shall Monthly and every Month make a true Entry at the said Office of Excise of all the Malt made in such Month respectively on Pain to forfeit for every such Neglect the Sum of Ten Pounds.

return a true Copy  
with the Malster

Refusing to permit  
Gaugers, &c. to  
enter and take  
Accounts, &c.

Forfeity &c.

the Master to make  
Entry every Month,  
Forfeity &c.

IV.  
Malster in pay  
within Three  
Months from  
Entry

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Malster or other Maker of Malt shall within Three Months after he shall make or ought to have made such Entry as aforesaid pay and clear of all the said Duties which shall be due from him or them respectively.

V.  
Malster refusing  
to pay Duties,  
Forfeity  
and to refuse more,  
Forfeity

And be it further enacted That every such Malster or other Person chargeable with the said Duties who shall neglect or refuse to make such Payment as aforesaid shall forfeit and lose for every such Offence Double the Sum of the said Duty whereof the Payment shall be so refused or neglected And that no such Malster or other Person after such Default made shall deliver or carry out any Malt and be hath paid and cleared off his Duty as aforesaid on pain to forfeit Double the Value of such Malt so delivered or carried out.

VI.  
Description of the  
Bushel, and of the  
Winchester Bushel

And for the avoiding all Disputes touching the Measures made or to be made by the Gaugers of any Malt as aforesaid be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That by the Bushel is due Act mentioned be meant and intended a Bushel according to the Standards remaining in the Custody of the Chamberlains of Her Majesty's Exchequer commonly called or known by the Name of the Winchester Bushel and that the Quantity of Barley or other Corn or Grain taken by the Gauge according to such Bushel be any Cistern Uring-Pan Unvail or other Vessel wherein such Barley or other Corn or Grain shall be found wetting or steeping or which shall be found to have been wetted or steeped for the making of Malt shall be charged and returned by the Gauge as so many Bushels of Malt And that every round Bushel with a plain and even Bottom being made Eighteen Inches and an Half wide throughout and Eight inches deep shall be esteemed a legal Winchester Bushel according to the said Standard.

VII.  
Malster, &c.  
making or charging  
Rate, &c. Forfeity

And be it further enacted That from and after the said Three and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three during the Continuance of this Act no Malster or other Person making Malt for Sale shall erect or set up any other or make use of any Cistern Uring-Pan Unvail or other Vessel for the wetting or steeping any Barley or other Corn or Grain for the making of Malt or of any Kiln Floor Room or other Place for the making or keeping of Malt or keeping of Corn or Grain making less Malt without first giving Notice thereof in Writing at the next Office of Excise or shall keep or make use of any Private Cistern Uring Pan Unvail or other Vessel for the wetting his Barley or other Corn or Grain to make Malt other than such as is openly known and made use of in his Common Malthouse on Pain to forfeit for every such Cistern Uring-Pan Unvail or other Vessel Eleven Pound and other Place so erected or set up altered or enlarged kept private or concealed or made use of without such Notice as aforesaid the Sum of Fifty Pounds.

Private Cisterns, &c.  
Forfeity &c.

VIII.  
Stat. 12 Geo. II.  
c. 24. and former  
Acts to have.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Powers Authorities Duties and Rights Methods Powers Privileges Chances Matters and Things which are and by any Act made in the Twelfth Year of King Charles the Second whereby An Act for taking away the Court of Wards and Liveries and Tenants in Capite and by English Service and Paraphrase and for setting a Revenue upon His Majesty in Fee thereof or

by any other Law now in force relating to Her Majesties Revenue of Excise upon Beer Ale or other Liquors are provided settled or established for raising levying collecting or receiving adjudging or assessing the Duties thereby granted or any of them (other than in such Cases for which other Penalties or Forfeitures are made and prescribed by this Act) shall be observed practised applied used and put in Execution as and for the raising (levying) collecting receiving and paying as well the said Duties upon Malt as the said several Duties upon New Cyder and Perry hereby granted during the Continuance of this Act as fully and effectually to all intents and Purposes as if all and every the said Penalties Forfeitures Rules Directions Methods Penalties Forfeitures Chances Musters and Things were particularly repeated and again enacted in the Body of this present Act

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Fine Penalties and Forfeitures by this Act imposed shall be sued for levied and recovered or mitigated by such Ways Means and Methods as any Fine Penalty or Forfeiture is or may be recovered or mitigated by any Law or Laws of Excise or by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster And that one Ministry of every such Fine Penalty and Forfeiture shall be to Her Majesty or Her Heirs and Successors and the other Ministry to him or them that shall discover inform or sue for the same

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Malt in the County of any Maker of Malt shall be liable and subject to and are hereby made chargeable with all and singular the Duties and Duties of Malt in respect and owing by any Person or Persons for any Malt made by such Maker or within his Malldistric and shall also be subject to all Penalties and Forfeitures incurred by such Person or Persons so using such Malt-House for any Offence against the Laws relating to the Duties on Malt And that it shall be lawful in all Cases to levy Debts and Penalties and to use such Proceedings against such Malt as it may be lawful to do in case the Debtor or Offender were the true and real Owner of the same Malt

And whereas many of Her Majesties Subjects do make Malt not to sell or make any Profit thereof but to be consumed in their own private Families only for the better Accommodation of such Persons it is hereby further enacted and provided by the Authority aforesaid That the said Commissioners of Excise for the Time being or the major Part of them or such Person or Persons as they or the major Part of them shall appoint for that Purpose and in default of such Appointment then the Collector and Supervisor for the District and Division within which such Person doth or shall inhabit shall and may compound and agree with such Person or Persons for the said Duties of such Malt which shall grow due or payable from him her or them by this Act from the Commencement thereof until the End of the Term hereby granted at the Rate of Five Shillings per Awnen for every Head which at any Time or Times during the Continuance of such Composition shall be of the Family of such Person or Persons respectively and to receive such Composition Money or to take Security for the Payment thereof Quarterly and that the House Out-house Malldistric or other Place of such particular Persons making such Composition and Agreement and paying such Composition in Money or giving such Security and duly complying with their Payment thereupon shall not be liable to the said Duty of Six Pence per Bushel upon Malt as to the Survey or Search of any Gauger or Officer of the Excise for or by reason of his or their making such Malt as aforesaid

Provided That if any such Person after such Composition made shall sell exchange barter or deliver out any Malt to any other Person or Persons or shall permit any other Person or Persons to make any Malt in his house or their House or Out-house or shall sell any Beer Ale or other Liquors made of Malt or shall have more Persons than their Families that they shall so compound for without giving Notice of them to the next Office of Excise at or before the next Quarter Day and paying or securing the like Composition for them then every such Person shall forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds to be recovered and distributed as aforesaid and after any such Offence committed shall lose the Benefit of his or their Composition and shall be liable to the said Duty of Six Pence a Bushel upon Malt and to the Survey and Search of the said Officers as if no such Composition had been made and for every Bushel of Malt so fraudulently sold exchanged bartered delivered out or fraudulently made every such Person shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Shillings any thing in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding

And in regard the Quantity of Barley or other Corn or Grain taken by the Gauge in any Cistern Using-Fat or other Vessel or Usual wherein such Barley or other Corn or Grain shall be found wanting or wanting or which shall be found to have been wanted or assessed for the making of Malt is by this Act to be charged and returned by the Gauge as so many Bushels of Malt it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That out of every Twenty Bushels so charged by the Gauge there shall be an Allowance made to the Maker of such Malt so charged in the Using-Fat Cistern or other Vessel wherein the same shall be found wanted or wanting as aforesaid or upon the Floor within Eight and forty Hours after the same shall be thrown out of the Using-Fat Utensil Cistern or other Vessel of Four Bushels and out of every greater or lesser Quantity a proportionable Allowance shall be made in Consideration of the Difference between the Quantity of such Corn when it is wet and such and the Quantity thereof when it is converted into Dry Malt Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

(Exempt)

IX.  
That the Forfeiture  
shall be recovered and  
applied.X.  
Malt in County  
liable to Duties as  
Awnen and Penalties.

Penalties.

XI.  
Commissioners, for  
only composed  
with Persons  
making their own  
Malt.and receive or take  
Security for Com-  
position Money.  
House, &c. of  
Composition not  
liable to Duty of  
Six Pence per Bushel, or  
to Survey.XII.  
Composition,  
allowing composition  
other Persons to  
sell Malt in their  
Families, for  
Penalty of Six  
Pence if it  
be not to lose  
the Benefit of  
Composition, and  
not liable to said  
Duty and Survey  
with to Penalties, &c.

XIII.

Allowance of Four  
out of Twenty  
Bushels to Malters,  
for being wet,  
and to be paid  
within 84 Hours.

\* Saying 6, contained in the Stat.

**XIV.**  
Every barley  
crushed may export  
Malt, except to  
Scotland, giving  
Security not to  
re-land in England,  
&c. in the Officers,  
&c. at Port of  
Exportation.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons who shall have actually paid Her Majesties Duties by this Act payable for any Quantity of Malt whatsoever and to and for any other Person or Persons who shall buy or be lawfully intitled to any such Quantity of Malt from the said Person or Persons who actually paid Her Majesties Duties for the same to export such Malt for any Foreign Parts (Scotland excepted) giving sufficient Security before the Shipping thereof to Expedition, that the particular Quantity of Malt which shall be intended to be exported as aforesaid or any Part thereof shall not be re-landed or brought again into any Port or Part of this Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed which Security the Collector or Collector of the respective Port to such Exportation is hereby directed and authorized to take in Her Majesties Name and to Her Majesties Use

**XV.**  
If Malt be re-landed,  
Penalty and Malt  
forfeited

Provided always That if after the Shipping of any such Malt to be exported as aforesaid and the giving or sending of such Security as aforesaid in order to obtain the Allowance or Drawback herein after mentioned the Malt so shipped to be exported shall be re-landed in any Part of the said Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed that then and in every such Case over and above the Penalty of the Bond which shall be levied and recovered to Her Majesties Use all the Malt which shall be landed and the Value thereof shall be forfeited (that is to say) One Moiety thereof to the Queen and the other Moiety to the Person or Persons that will seize herein or see for the same to be accounted as any other Penalties by this Act are recoverable

**XVI.**  
Upon Production  
of Certificate of  
Duty paid, which  
Officers are to give  
proof.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons who shall export any Malt into Foreign Parts (except as aforesaid) shall produce a Certificate or Certificates from the Collector or Officer who received the Duty of such Malt that the Duty thereof hath been paid or secured to be paid which Certificate the Collector or Officer is hereby required to give with Proof being made upon Oath that the Duty of such Malt hath been paid or secured to be paid (which Oath the said Collector or Officer is hereby required to administer) and also making Oath before the Officer or Collector of the Port that the Malt so exported is the same mentioned in such Certificate then the Collector or Chief Officers of the Port where such Malt shall be exported shall give to the Exporter thereof a Certificate or Certificates expressing the true Quantity of the Malt so exported or shipped for Exportation which Certificate or Certificates being produced to the Collector or other Officer appointed to receive the said Duty in the Country or Place where such Malt was exported he is hereby required to pay the said Duty of Six Pence per Bushel to the Person or their Agents so exporting the same And in case the Collector or other Officers shall not have any Money in their Hands to pay the same then the Commissioners appointed for enacting of this Act are hereby required to pay the same out of the Duties arising by the said Act. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**XVII.**  
Debtors under  
Stat. 14. W. III.  
not to be  
paid out of this Act

And be it enacted That all Debtors for Malt exported upon the Act made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intituled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by laying Duties upon Malt Mares Cyder and Perry which shall remain unmodified at the End of the Term by that Act granted shall (in case the Commissioners or Officers of Excise shall not have sufficient in their Hands of the Duties granted by the said Act to satisfy the same) be paid and satisfied out of the Duties arising by this present Act

**XVIII.**  
If Rent be paid  
in Malt, or  
accounted by the  
Price of Malt, then  
the Tithes to  
deduct is herein  
mentioned

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Rent is reserved and payable in Malt or if payable in Money and the Sum or Quantity of such Rent is to be accounted by the Price of Malt and is to increase just as much as the Price of Malt doth increase it shall and may be lawful during the Continuance of this Act for the Tenant of any Lands subject to any such Rent to detain and take and share so much of every such Rent as will amount to Four Shillings a Quarter for every Quarter of Malt or the Value of it in Money that is so reserved and so proportionally for any lesser Quantity and the Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate to whom any such Rent is reserved as aforesaid shall upon the Receipt of the Rent of any such Rent make an Allowance of such Deductions as aforesaid and the Tenant be discharged as if such Payment had been made without any Deduction or Abatement whatsoever

**XIX.**  
Importing Malt,  
Forfeiture of Malt  
and the full Value  
thereof

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Third and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three during the Continuance of this Act no Malt shall be brought or imported into the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed from any Foreign Part or Parts beyond the Seas upon Pain of Forfeiture of the Malt so imported and also the full Value thereof one Moiety to the Queen and the other Moiety to such Person or Persons as shall seize herein or see for the same by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information whereby so Foreign Privileges or Wages of Law or any more than one Importation shall be allowed

**XX.**  
Persons for Malt  
destroyed by Fire,  
or lost by the  
cutting away of  
Rivers, &c.

And whereas several Persons making and dealing in Malt are subject to many Hazards and Inconveniencies as well by Fire as Water to be therefore further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Third and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three and after the Duty by this Act imposed on Malt is paid or secured to be paid by the Master or Malt shall unfortunately happen to be destroyed by Fire by the burning of the Malt-house Granary or other Place where the same shall be made or

kept or shall perish by Water by the casting away of the Barge or Vessel in which the said Malt shall be transported from any Part of this Kingdom to another it shall and may be lawful for the Proprietor or Proprietors of such Malt so perishing as aforesaid to make Proof thereof by Two credible Witnesses upon Oath and of his or their having paid or given Security to pay the said Duty before the Justices of the Peace of the County Riding or Division where such Accident shall happen at the next General Quarter Sessions to be held for such County Riding or Division (who are hereby empowered to give Certificate under their Hands and Seals of each Town) upon producing of which Certificate to the Officer appointed to collect the said Duty he shall be obliged to repay or allow to the said Proprietor or Proprietors as much of the said Duty as shall have been by him paid for the Quantity of Malt proved to have been perished or have been destroyed as aforesaid.

On Proof thereof at the Sessions and of having paid or secured the Duties and upon Production of Certificate to Officers, Allowance and Repayment.

PROVIDED always That if any Barley or other Corn or Grains that hath been steeped or wetted in any Cistern, Utensil, Vat or other Vessel shall during the Continuance of this Act be found working or growing upon the Floor before it is put upon the Kiln in order to be made into Malt after the said Three and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three which when dried and made into Malt will not answer so great a Quantity from the Floor as from the Cistern or Vat it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That out of every Twenty Bushels so charged upon the Floor there shall be an Allowance made to the Maker of the said Malt which shall be gauged and charged upon the Floor after the same shall have been threshed out of the Utensil Vessel Cistern or other Vessel before mentioned by the Space of Eight and twenty Hours or more and before the same shall be dried of Eight Bushels and out of every greater or lesser Quantity a proportionable Allowance shall be made in consideration of the Difference between the Quantity of such Corn when it is making upon the Floor and the Quantity thereof when it is dried and perfectly made into Malt any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

AND whereas by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary entitled An Act for Encouragement of the Exportation of Corn it is hereby enacted that when Malt or Barley is at Twenty four Shillings per Quarter or under every Merchant due shall put on board any Malt according to or under the Limitations or Conditions in the said Act expressed the said Merchant shall have and receive from the Farmers Constables or Collectors of the Duties arising from the Customs for every Quarter of Malt or Barley so exported the Sum of Two Shillings and Six Pence Be it hereby enacted That the Duty of Six Pence per Bushel by this Act imposed upon Malt shall not be reckoned or valued towards the Price of Twenty four Shillings per Quarter by the said aforesaid Act limited but that the Exporter of Malt shall have and receive the Bounty granted by the said aforesaid Act unless when the Price of Malt exceeds Twenty four Shillings per Quarter over and above the Duty of Six Pence per Bushel by this Act granted.

XXI.  
If Malt work or grow upon the Floor before put upon the Kiln, it gauged and charged upon the Floor at Hours before dried, to have Eight Bushels out of 20 allowed.

XXII.  
Rebate of Sixpence W. 4. 11. c. 11.

Duty of 6d. per Bushel not added to Price of Malt Exporter to receive the Bounty of the said aforesaid Act. Encourages.

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That in Case any Person or Persons whatsoever shall export any Ground Malt from any Port or Place in England or Wales or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed to any Foreign Parts (Sweden excepted) the Duties whereof shall have been paid or secured to be paid according to this Act such Person and Persons shall have the like Drawback or Allowance out of the Duties on Malt by this Act granted as if the said Malt had been whole upon Debarment to be returned and upon producing Certificate making Oath and doing and performing the other Matters and Things herein before prescribed and directed in order to obtain Debarment upon Exportation of Malt for Foreign Parts yet notwithstanding such Ground Malt so exported shall be computed and estimated after the Rate of so many Bushels of Malt in the same did contain before it was ground and no more.

XXIII.  
Drawback on Exportation of Malt granted the same as on whole Malt (Sweden excepted.)

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted That every Gauge or other Officer who shall be concerned as appointed to put this Act in Execution shall be and are hereby required to leave a true Copy of such Gauge and the Quantity thereof in Writing under his or their Hands with or for the said Maker or Makers of Malt at the Time of taking such Gauge upon Demand under the Penalty of Twenty Shillings.

XXIV.  
Gauges to leave a Copy of such Gauge, if the Maker require it. Penalty 40s.

AND for the Prevention of evil Practices in brewing Beer and Ale with Sugar Honey Foreign Grains Guinea Pepper or with a like sweetened Liquor or Syrup made from Malt and Water added up to the Consistency of Malt and very much resembling the same and commonly called Emetica Bane or with other unwholesome Materials and that no Mixture of Sugar Honey Foreign Grains Guinea Pepper or of the said Liquor or Syrup or other unwholesome Materials may be used in the brewing or making of Beer and Ale be it enacted That no Common Brewer or Brewer's Vicar or other Mender of Beer and Ale shall make use of any Sugar Honey Foreign Grains Guinea Pepper or of the said Liquor or Syrup called Emetica Bane Cordia India or any unwholesome Materials or Ingredients whatsoever in the brewing or making of any Beer or Ale or mix any Sugar Honey Foreign Grains Guinea Pepper or any of the said Liquor called Emetica Bane Cordia India or any unwholesome Materials or Ingredients whatsoever with any Beer or Ale upon Pain of Twenty Pounds for every such Offence.

XXV.

Brewers using as emetic Bane or Ale, if mixed with Honey, Grains, Syrup, Emetica Bane, &c.

Penalty 20s.

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Monies which shall arise by this Act of the said Duties upon Malt Malt Cyder and Perry (over and above the necessary Charges of making and levying the said Duties) shall from time to time be brought and paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer.

XXVI.  
Duties to be brought into Receipt of the Exchequer.

XXVII.  
Persons (excepted)  
any under Six  
15 W III c. 5  
in answer ther  
Composures or  
give Bond for the  
same.

as in Default to  
pay 60 per Bushel  
for Malt in Default  
on the sixth June  
1701

not before  
sixth June 1701  
to make Entry

Twenty shillings, and  
Fines of Malt

and per dozen Duty,  
Penalty.

Twenty of  
Composures, the  
making thereof,  
liable to Search

XXVIII.  
Gauger to enter  
the House of a  
Maltster at any  
Time (if in the  
Night to have a  
Certificate, &c.)  
and take Account  
of Malt, &c.

Maltster refusing,  
Penalty of six.

XXIX.  
Clause of Loan  
for Zinquen.

Money lent not to  
be used

Tally of Loan to  
be struck.

Order for  
Repayment  
registered  
according to Date  
of Tally, not paid  
in seven

Money to come in  
by this Act liable  
to custody made  
Lenses

No Fee for  
providing Tally,  
&c.

Penalty.

Making under  
Falsities,  
or Offence

as Deputy.

Anders, the first  
making Payment  
in due Order,  
Penalty.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such Person and Persons who by virtue or in pursuance of an Act made in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of ever blessed Memory intended An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by laying Duties upon Malt Malt Cyder and Perry have made or shall make any Composures for the Duties of their Malt by the said Act granted shall on or before the First and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three continue such their Composures for the Duties hereby granted and pay the Composures Money or give Bond for the same according to the Purport true Intent and Meaning of this present Act or in Default thereof shall be and are hereby charged and made liable to pay unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors the Sum of Six Pence for every Bushel of Malt which he she or they or any other Person or Persons in Trust for him her or them shall be possessed of on the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three and that all and every such Person and Persons who have or hath or shall make such Composures for their said Duties on Malt in pursuance of the said recited Act and who shall make Default in continuing such their Composures as aforesaid shall on or before the Tenth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and three make true and particular Entries of all such Malt as they or any of them or any other Person or Persons in Trust for them or any of them shall be possessed of or have in his or their Custody or Possession at the Office of Excise within the Limits of which they they shall respectively inhabit upon Pain to forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds and the Malt of which no such Entry shall be made and within Six Days after he she or they shall have made or ought to have made such Entry as aforesaid shall pay down the Duties hereby charged upon the same or in Default thereof shall forfeit and lose Double the Value of the said Malt and that the Houses Out-houses and other Places belonging to such Composures who shall make Default in continuing such their Composures as aforesaid shall be and are hereby made liable to the Search and View of the Officers for the said Duties in the same Manner and under the same Penalties for Refusal as other Persons making Malt for Sale are liable

Also it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Third and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three all and every the said Officers shall upon their Request be permitted as well by Night as by Day (but if in the Night time then in the Presence of a Constable or other lawful Officer of the Peace) to enter the House Malthouse and other Place belonging to or made use of by any Publick Maltster or Maltster of Malt for Sale Common Brewer Inkeeper Vintner Distiller or Vinegar-Maker making Malt to gauge measure and take an Account of the just Quantity of Barley and other Corn or Grain which shall be waiting or stopping or which shall have been vinted or stoped in such House Malthouse or other Place and if any such Publick Maltster or Maltster of Malt for Sale Common Brewer Inkeeper Vintner Distiller or Vinegar-Maker shall refuse to permit such Officers or any of them to enter his House Malt-House or other Place as aforesaid or to gauge or take an Account of his Barley or other Corn or Grain as aforesaid the Person or Persons offending therein shall for every such Offence forfeit and lose the Sum of Twenty Pounds

Also be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Masters or Foreigners Bodies Politick or Corporate to lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of Exchequer upon Credit of the said Duties any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the Whole the Sum of Six hundred thousand Pounds which Lenders shall have Interest for the Forbearance of these respective Loans after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum to be paid every Three Months from the making of such Loans and Satisfaction of the Principal Sums respectively and that no Moneys as to be lent shall be rated or assumed to any Tax or Assessment whatsoever and that every such Lender shall immediately have a Tally of Loan struck for the Money by him her or them lent and an Order of the same Date for Repayment thereof with such Interest as aforesaid and that all such Orders shall be registered in course according to their Dates and all Payments thereupon shall be paid in course as their Orders shall stand registered as in the Person Master or Foreigners his Executors Administrators or Assigns whose Order shall be first registered shall be accounted the Person to be first paid out of the Moneys to come in by virtue of this Act and he or they who shall have his or their Order or Orders next entered shall be taken to be the second Person to be paid and so successively and in course and that the said Moneys to come in by this Act of the said Duties shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the said respective Persons their Executors Administrators or Assigns successively without and with Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or divisible to any other Use better or Purport whatsoever and that no Fee Reward or Gratitude directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesties Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers then Clerk or Deputies on Pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party grieved by the Party offending with full Cost of Suit or of the Officers himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward them to lose his Place also and if any under Preference of one before another shall be made either in point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party grieved and shall be forfeited of his Place or Office and if such Preference be actually made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Discretion or Privilege of his Name then with Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action of Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever after incapable of his Place or Office and in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct or the Clerk of the Publick record or the Teller make Payment according to such Process due Place and Order as aforesaid then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and



Clerks herein attending to be liable to such Action, Debt, Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid, all which and Penalties, Forfeitures, Damages and Costs to be incurred by any [of] the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt, Bill Plein or Information in any of His Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Exceuse Protection Privilege Waiver of Law Imprisonment or Order of Restraint shall be in any wise granted or allowed.

How such Penalties to be recovered

Provided always and be it hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies of Loan or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered, then it shall be interpreted so unless Preference which of those be entered first so as he enters them all the same Day.

XXX.  
Proviso where several Tallies bear Date the same Day.

Provided also That it shall not be interpreted any unless Preference to incur any Penalty in point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerk of the Peils record and the Tallies do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand their Monies and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take their Monies and bring their Orders in their Course so as there be so much Money reserved as will satisfy precedent Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them Incomer upon Loan being to come from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them.

XXXI.  
Tallying subsequent Orders of first demanders to prefer Preference, if sufficient money is already provided Orders.

Also be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Registry as aforesaid be or their Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Words of Assignment to be endorsed and written on his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall entitle such Assignee his Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereon and such Assignee may in like Manner assign again and so twice again and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignments to make void release or discharge the same or any the Monies thereby due or any Part thereof.

XXXII.  
Orders for Payment of Money may be assigned by Indorsement.

Memorial thereof without Fee.

Assignee may in like Manner assign.

#### CHAPTER IV.

AN ACT for [the] continuing the Duties upon Coals Cakes and Cynders.

See Part I. Anno 2. c. 3.

**M**OST gracious Sovereign We Your Majesty most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to provide such Supplies as may enable Your Majesty to carry on the present War against France and Spain and deliver what Your Majesty necessary Occasions do most humbly present to Your Majesty (as a further Gift to that End and Purpose) the several Impositions Rates and Duties hereto after considered and do beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That all such and the like Impositions Rates and Duties whatsoever as is and by an Act made and passed in the Parliament holden at Westminster in the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty several Duties upon Coals and Cakes were charged or imposed upon the several Sorts of Coals and Cakes therein mentioned for the Term of Five Years which commenced from the Fifteenth Day of May which was in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred twenty eight And the Duty or Duties on Cynders which is and by an Act made and passed in the Parliament holden at Westminster in the Tenth and Eleventh Years of His said late Majesties Reign intitled An Act for laying further Duties upon Swans and for increasing the Duties as well upon Vessels as upon certain Low Waters and Wharfs and the Duties upon Brandy imported and for the more sole raising the Duties upon Leather and for charging Cynders and for punishing the Importation of Potell Ashes and for preventing Abuses in the brewing of Beer and Ale and Frauds in Importation of Tobacco were charged or imposed [upon Cynders only for Four Years] commencing from the Fifteenth Day of May One thousand six hundred twenty nine (Charcoals made of Wood being always excepted) shall be continued from the Fourteenth Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three until the Fifteenth Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight and no longer and shall during all that Time be raised levied collected and paid for and upon all such and the like Sorts of Coals Cakes and Cynders as by the said former Acts or either of them were chargeable in such Manner and Form and according to such Rates and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as by the said former Acts or either of them were prescribed for or concerning the Duties thereby granted.

The Duties upon Coals and Cakes of Stat. 9 W III. c. 15. s. 1.

and the Duties upon Cynders of Stat. 10 W III. c. 15. s. 1.

continued from 14th May 1704 until 15th May 1708.

and 1708, &c. as by the said former Acts.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Act intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty several Duties upon Coals and Cakes and so much of the said other Act made in His said late Majesties Reign as concerns the said Duty [of] Cynders and all and every the Powers Authorities Rules Directions Privileges

11.  
Stat. 9 W III. c. 15. and Stat. 10 W III. c. 15. s. 1. s. 2. s. 3. s. 4. s. 5. s. 6. s. 7. s. 8. s. 9. s. 10. s. 11. s. 12. s. 13. s. 14. s. 15. s. 16. s. 17. s. 18. s. 19. s. 20. s. 21. s. 22. s. 23. s. 24. s. 25. s. 26. s. 27. s. 28. s. 29. s. 30. s. 31. s. 32. s. 33. s. 34. s. 35. s. 36. s. 37. s. 38. s. 39. s. 40. s. 41. s. 42. s. 43. s. 44. s. 45. s. 46. s. 47. s. 48. s. 49. s. 50. s. 51. s. 52. s. 53. s. 54. s. 55. s. 56. s. 57. s. 58. s. 59. s. 60. s. 61. s. 62. s. 63. s. 64. s. 65. s. 66. s. 67. s. 68. s. 69. s. 70. s. 71. s. 72. s. 73. s. 74. s. 75. s. 76. s. 77. s. 78. s. 79. s. 80. s. 81. s. 82. s. 83. s. 84. s. 85. s. 86. s. 87. s. 88. s. 89. s. 90. s. 91. s. 92. s. 93. s. 94. s. 95. s. 96. s. 97. s. 98. s. 99. s. 100.

<sup>1</sup> continued in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> O. om.

Perfection Classes Matters and Things therein contained for governing managing raising levying assessing collecting receiving paying and accounting for the Duties upon Coals Cakes and Cypinders by the said former Acts granted during the said several Terms therein mentioned shall be and are by force and virtue of this present Act revised and shall be in full force and be duly observed practised and put in Execution for the governing managing raising levying assessing collecting receiving paying and accounting for the Duties upon Coals Cakes and Cypinders by this Act granted until the next Festival Day of May One thousand seven hundred and eight as fully and effectually to all Intents and Purposes as if the same Powers Authorities Rules Directions Penalties Forfeitures Classes Matters and Things were again expressed and particularly repeated in the Body of this present Act

**III.**  
Class of Loans for  
Expenses.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful so and for any Person and Persons Masters or Possessors Bodies Politick or Corporate to lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of Exchanges upon Credit of the said Rates and Duties by this Act granted any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Five hundred thousand Pounds which Lenders shall have Interest for the Forbearance of their respective Loans after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum for the first Two hundred thousand Pounds and after the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum for the last Three hundred thousand Pounds of the said Sum to be paid every Three Months from the making of each Loan until Satisfaction of the Principal Sums respectively

**IV.**  
Money lent under  
Act not to be  
told.

AND that no Monies so to be lent shall be rated or assessed to any Tax or Assessment whatsoever

**V.**  
Tally of Loans to  
Lenders.

And that every such Lender shall immediately have a Tally of Loan struck for the Money by him lent in them here and an Order of the same Date for Repayment thereof with such Interest as aforesaid

**VI.**  
Order for Re-  
payment required  
according to Date  
of Tally, and paid  
in money.

And that all such Orders shall be registered in course according to their Dates and all Persons thereupon shall be paid in course as their Orders shall stand registered so as the Person Master or Possessor his Executors Administrators or Assigns whose Order shall be first registered shall be accounted the Person to be first paid out of the Monies to come in by virtue of this Act and he or they who shall have his or their Order or Orders next entered shall be taken to be the Second Person to be paid and so successively and in course

**VII.**  
Monies to come in  
by this Act liable  
to satisfy.

And that the said Monies to come in by this Act of the said Rates and Duties shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the said respective Persons their Executors Administrators or Assigns successively without under Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or distrainable to any other Use Intend or Purpose whatsoever

**VIII.**  
No Fee for  
providing or making  
any such Books or  
Registers as for  
Payment of  
Money lent.  
Penalty.  
Forfeiture.

And that no Fee Reward or Gratitude directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any His Majesties Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money Lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Payment of Triple Damages to the Party grieved by the Party offending with full Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place also

**IX.**  
Under Preference  
by Order.  
Penalty.

And if any under Preference of one before another shall be made either in Point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party grieved and shall be incapable of his Place or Office

**X.**  
By Deputy.  
Penalty.

And if such Preference be unduly made by any His Deputy or Clerk without Directions or Privy of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever after incapable of his Place or Office

**XI.**  
Auditor, Clerk of  
the Pells, or Teller  
not making  
Payments in due  
Order.  
Penalty.

And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct or the Clerk of the Pells record or the Teller make Payment according to such Payments due Place and Order as above directed he as they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and Clerks herein offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid All which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be recovered by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plein or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Ensigns Protection Privilege Wager of Law Ignorance or Order of Rescission shall be in any wise granted or allowed

**XII.**  
Persons whose  
several Tallys have  
Date the same Day.

Provided always and it is hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies of Loan or Orders for Payment be shewd have Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted to under Preference which of these be issued first so as he must then all the same Day

**XIII.**  
Payee subsequent  
Orders of Debt  
demanded, in what  
Case to satisfy  
Preference.

Provided also That it shall not be interpreted any under Preference to incur any Penalty in point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerk of the Pells record and the Teller do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand their Monies and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take their

Money and bring their Orders in their Course so as there be no such Money reserved as will satisfy precedent Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them Inmost upon Loan being to cease from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them.

Also be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loan by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Register as aforesaid his or their Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Writs of Assignment to be endorsed and written on his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefits of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being enrolled in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall entitle such Assignee his Executors Administrators (") and Assigns to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereon and such Assignee may in like Manner assign again and so retine quous and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignments to make void release or discharge the same or any the Moneys thereby due or any Part thereof.

XIV.  
Persons to whom  
Money due may  
assign Orders.

Money due

Assign may  
1702.

#### CHAPTER V.

An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by Sale of several Annuities at the Exchequer for carrying on the War against France and Spain.

Act. Parl. 1. Anne,  
3. 5. 4.

**M**OST gracious Sovereign Whereas by an Act of Parliament made and passed at Westminster in the Fourth Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary (of blessed Memory) intitled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain Rates and Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors for securing certain Revenues and Advantages in the said Act mentioned to such Persons as shall voluntarily advance the Sum of Ten hundred thousand Pounds towards carrying on the War against France certain Rates or Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors were imposed during the Term of Ninety nine Years which commenced from the Five and twentieth Day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred ninety and two and made liable to the Payment of several Annuities which were to be purchased in the Term thereby prescribed And by another Act of Parliament made in the Fifth Year of the Reign of Their said late Majesties intitled An Act for granting to Their Majesties several Rates and Duties upon Tonnage of Ships and Vessels and upon Beer Ale and other Liquors for securing certain Revenues and Advantages in the said Act mentioned to such Persons as shall voluntarily advance the Sum of Fifteen hundred thousand Pounds towards carrying on the War against France Two Seventh Parts of other Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors thereby granted to Their said late Majesties Their Heirs and Successors are made liable to the Payment of other Annuities which were to be purchased in the Manner and Form thereby prescribed And whereas by virtue or in pursuance of the said several Acts and of another Act made in the Fifth Year of Their said late Majesties Reign for supplying the Deficiency of the Money raised by the Act first above mentioned several Annuities were purchased at given Rates for One Two or Three Lives And whereas several of the said Annuities which were so purchased (and whereupon no Reversion or further Excise or Interest hath been purchased and which have not been changed into a certain Term of Years in pursuance of any subsequent Act or Acts of Parliament in that behalf) are described by the Deaths of such Contributors or their Neighbours respectively for whose Life or Lives the same were so purchased respectively such Annuities so determined did amount at least to the Sum of Five thousand two hundred seventy seven Pounds per Annum which was payable out of the Duties of Excise imposed by the said first mentioned Act of Parliament and to the Sum of Five hundred sixty five Pounds per Annum which was payable out of the said Two Seventh Parts of the other Duties of Excise before mentioned now for the more effectual raising the Money which is necessary for carrying on the present War against France and Spain and supplying Your Majesties other Occasions We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled do cheerfully and unanimously give unto Your Majesty a further Aid to arise by Contributions for Annuities to be purchased in such Manner as is herein after expressed and do humbly pray Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons (being Her Majesties natural born Subjects) at any Time or Times before the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two to contribute advance and pay into the Exchequer of Her Majesties Exchequer any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Seventy nine thousand one hundred and fifty five Pounds for purchasing such Annuities as are herein after mentioned out of the said Duties of Excise imposed by the Act of Parliament first above mentioned and any other Sums and Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Eight thousand four hundred and seventy five Pounds for purchasing such Annuities as are herein after mentioned out of the said Two Seventh Parts of the other Duties of Excise before expressed upon the Terms following (that is to say) that all and every such Contributor and Contributors respectively his he and their Executors Administrators and Assigns (being Her Majesties natural born Subjects as aforesaid) out of such of the said Branches or Duties of Excise whereupon he she or they shall pay the Contribution Money to purchase such Annuities as aforesaid shall have and receive an Annually yearly Rent or Payment after the Rate

Recall of Stat.  
4 W. & M. c. 3.

15.

and of Stat.  
3 & 4 W. & M.  
c. 2.

113.

Stat. 4 W. & M.  
Reason for passing  
the Act.

Natural born  
Subjects may  
advance of 1702  
for purchasing  
Annuities as herein  
mentioned, out of  
the Duties of  
Excise of Stat.  
4 W. & M. c. 3.  
and the 27th  
of the 27th Part  
of the other Duties  
of Excise before  
mentioned, as  
herein mentioned.

*Rate of Annuity.* of Fourteen Pounds of legal English Money for every Sum of Two hundred and ten Pounds to paid as aforesaid and so proportionally for any greater Sum which shall be so paid or contributed for and during the full Term of Fourteen and nine Years to be reckoned from the first and twentieth Day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two the same to be paid in the four next usual Terms of the [Year that is to say the Feast of the <sup>o</sup>] Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist Saint Michael the Archangel and the Birth of our Lord Christ by even and equal Portions the First Payment thereof to be made at the Feast of the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary One thousand seven hundred and three

*III.* *Considerations entitled to be paid like Annuitants out of the said Duties of Rates, Tax Rent, &c.* And be it further enacted That all and every such Contributors and Contributors to paying the said Consideration Money as aforesaid or such as he she or they shall nominate his her and their Executors Administrators and Assigns (being natural born Subjects as aforesaid) shall have receive and enjoy and be intitled by virtue of this Act to have receive and enjoy the respective Annuity [or <sup>o</sup>] Annuities so to be purchased for and during the whole Term aforesaid out of such of the said Rates or Duties of Excise upon which such Purchases shall be made as aforesaid freed from all Taxes Rates and Impositions whatsoever and as fully and beneficially as other Purchasers of Annuities for any Life or Lives or of any reversionary Annuities upon the said Act or any of them do or ought to have receive or enjoy the respective Annuities so by them purchased

*III.* *The said former Act concerning the levying of Tolls, &c. to be in force.* *Enactment.* And that all and every the Directions Powers and Clauses in the said former Act contained for and concerning the levying of Tolls the making forth of Orders or for making of Transferences or Assignments or for the appointing or applying the Moneys arising by the said Tolls or Rents or any of them or for appointing selling or establishing any other Matter or Thing for or in relation to the respective Annuities thereby purchased or divided (other than the making Proof of Nomination being alive) shall be and are by force and virtue of this Act revived and shall be duly observed practised and put in Execution for and in respect of such Annuities as shall be purchased and obtained upon this Act as fully and effectually as if the same Powers Directions and Clauses were here again expressed and particularly repeated

*IV.* *Deficiency of the said Duties of Rates and Taxes of Excise made good out of said Annies.* And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That in case the said Rates and Duties of Excise which were granted for Money nine Years as aforesaid or the said Two severeth Parts of the other Rates and Duties of Excise above mentioned or any or either of them shall at any Time or Times appear to be so deficient in the Produce of the same as that at the End of any one Year to be reckoned from and after the five and twentieth Day of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two the same or any of them respectively shall not be sufficient to discharge and satisfy all the Payments upon the respective Annuities by this and any former Act or Acts of Parliament charged thereupon whereby the said Annuities or any of them shall be in Arrears then and so often and in every such Case all and every such Deficiency and Deficiencies shall be provided for answered and made good by or out of the said Aids to be raised and granted by Parliament And the Moneys so to be supplied together with the Moneys of the Rates and Duties before mentioned shall be applied to and for the Payment of all Arrears which shall then appear to be due and unpaid upon the said Annuities or any of them so that the same shall be fully discharged and paid off according to the true Meaning of this Act

*and applied in Payment of Arrears*

## CHAPTER VI.

An Act for the better preventing Escapes out of the Queens Bench and Fleet Prisons.

*But First*  
*1. Anne, 1. 3. 4. 5.*

*Reason for passing this Act.*

*Persons charged in Execution or under Process or otherwise, escaping or going at large*

**W**HEREAS Given Persons heretofore legally committed by Her Majesties several Courts of Record at Westminster to the Custody of the Marshal of the Queens Bench and to the Prison of the Fleet upon Actions for the Recovery of Debt or Damages or for Contempts in not performing Orders or Decrees made in Courts of Equity and in Execution here by Belief and illegal Practices to and with such Marshal of the Queens Bench or to and with the Warden of the said Prison of the Fleet or some of their Officers or Servants or other Persons in Trust for them and for their respective Uses and Benefits frequently procured from such Marshal or Warden Liberty to escape and go at large without Satisfaction made to the respective Plaintiffs or Creditors and without discharging such Debts or satisfying such Damages or performing such Orders or Decrees as well to the great Damages of honest Creditors the Decrease of personal Credit and Discouragement of Trade as in open Defiance to all the good and wholesome Laws heretofore made to restrain such Abuses For Kennedy whereof and for preventing the like and Practices for the future Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if any Person or Persons already committed committed or charged or who shall hereafter be committed or committed or charged to or charged in the Custody of the Marshal of the Queens Bench for the Time being or to or in the Prison of the Fleet either in Execution or upon Moneys Process or upon any Contempt in not performing such Order or Decree by any of Her Majesties Courts at Westminster and such Person or Persons shall at any Time after such Commitment Render Charge or being in Execution

and before he she or they shall have made Payment or Satisfaction to the respective Plaintiff or Plaintiffs Creditor or Creditors or shall have cleared him her or themselves of such Contempts as he she or they were or shall be charged with at the Time of such their Commitment Render Charge or being in Execution as aforesaid make any Escape from the Custody of the Marshal of the Queens Bench for the Time being or from the Prison of the said Queens Bench or from the Prison of the Fleet or either of them or shall go at large at any Time after the Third and twentieth Day of January which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two it shall and may be lawful upon Oath sworn in Writing to be made by One or more credible Person or Persons before any One of the Judges of that Court where such Action was entered or Judgment and Execution were obtained or where the Party was so committed or charged as aforesaid to aid for such Judge before whom such Oath shall be made as aforesaid and such Judge is hereby authorized and required from Time to Time to grant unto any Person whatsoever who shall demand the same one or more Warrant or Warrants under his Hand and Seal therein reciting the Action or Actions Execution or Executions Contempt or Contempts with which such Person or Persons so escaping or going at large stood charged or were committed at the Feet of any Person or Persons so whose behalf such Warrant or Warrants shall be demanded at the Time of such Escape or going at large (which said Warrant or Warrants shall be in Force in all Places whatsoever within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed) directed to all Sheriffs Mayors Bailiffs Constables Headboroughs and Tythingmen clerks and thereby commanding them and every of them in their respective Counties Cities Towns and Precincts to seize and commit such Person or Persons so escaped or going at large and such Person or Persons so taken upon such Warrant forthwith to convey and commit to the Common Goal of such County where such Person or Persons so escaped or going at large shall be remain there to remain without Bail or Mainprize or being thence upon any Account whatsoever delivered or removed until he she or they shall have made full Payment or Satisfaction to the respective Plaintiff or Plaintiffs Creditor or Creditors in such Action or Actions Execution or Executions taxed or until the Judgment or Judgment in which such Execution or Executions was or were made set against such Person or Persons shall be reversed or discharged by due Course of Law or until Judgment in such Action or Actions be given for such Person or Persons so committed as aforesaid or until the said Contempt or Contempts for which such Person or Persons were or shall be committed be cleared and discharged [except such Person or Persons be charged with Treason or Felony or any other Crime Matter or Cause for and on the Behalf of the Queens Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and if he or she for any such Cause on the Behalf of the Queens Majesty Heirs and Successors be removed to any other Goal or Prison he or she shall be in the Custody of such Goal charged with all the Cases with which he or she is or shall be charged in the Goal from whence he or she shall be removed. And every Mayor and other Officer as aforesaid after Delivery of such Prisoner to return together with such Warrant to the Sheriff shall take a Note in Writing from such Sheriff multiplying the Receipt of such Prisoner which said Sheriff is hereby required to receive such Prisoner and give such Note. And every such Sheriff as aforesaid after the Execution of such Warrant shall forthwith make a Return thereof to the Court where the Action shall be depending or Judgment Order or Decree had or obtained which shall be entered and filed upon Record.]

And he is further enacted That if any such Person or Persons so taken by Warrant as aforesaid shall at any Time make any Escape out of the Goal to which he or she or they shall be so conveyed and committed as aforesaid the Sheriff in whose Custody he or she or they was or were shall be liable to answer for such Escape as in the Case of any other Escape. Any Law Usage or Customs to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

Provided always and he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons that are or shall be Bail in any Suit or Action in any of Her Majestys Courts of Record at Westminster for any such Person or Persons that shall be taken and conveyed to such Goal as aforesaid by virtue of such Warrant as aforesaid to [have and prosecute one of such of Her Majestys Courts where he or they are or shall be Bail] a Writ directed to the Sheriff of the County to the Goal whereof such Prisoner so taken shall be committed and desired commanding such Sheriff to detain and keep such Prisoner in Custody in discharge of his Bail which Writ with an Account whether he hath the said Prisoner in his Custody shall be returned by the said Sheriff into Court at a Day therein to be mentioned and the Delivery of every such Writ to the Sheriff or his Deputy shall be deemed and taken to be an effectual Render of such Prisoner to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever in discharge of the said Bail. And that in case such Sheriff his Deputy or other his inferior Officer shall thereafter suffer the Person or Persons so committed in discharge of his bail or their Bail to escape they and every of them so offending shall be liable to such Action and Actions as the Marshal of the Queens Bench or Warden of the Fleet Prison is or are liable to for permitting any Person to escape out of his or their Custody or Prison who was committed to such Custody or Prison upon Render in discharge of his bail or their Bail.

And he is further enacted That all and every such Sheriffs upon Request of such Person or Persons being Bail as aforesaid who shall deliver such Writ for keeping and detaining such Prisoner as aforesaid and for the usual Fees of Returns of Actions shall make sworn and certify under his Hand the Receipt of such Writ and the Time thereof and whether the said Person so taken was then in his Custody and in default thereof shall for every such Default Neglect or Refusal forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds to be recovered in any of Her Majestys Courts of

A Judge upon the Return upon Oath of one or more credible Person.

In what Place such Warrant to be in Force.

Proceedings upon such writtings.

Exception in criminal Cases.

Duty of Mayors, Sheriffs, &c. upon such writtings.

II.  
Person so taken upon escaping, Sheriff liable.

III.  
Sheriff liable for Prisoner escaping, may proceed.

Duty of Sheriff thereupon.

IV.  
Sheriff upon Request of Bail, to make such Return, in default thereof.

Penalty thereupon.

ORDERED in the Original Act to be a separate Schedule

Rebelle or upon  
such Return in to  
extend upon  
Bailiffs.

V.  
This Act to be  
advised a general  
Law.  
how advised.

Revised at Westminster by Acton of Debt Bill Plain or Information wherein no Assign Protection Wages of Law or any more than one Imparance shall be allowed And that upon producing such Return or Certificate to the Court where such Bail shall be taken such Court shall direct and cause a Rebelle to be entered upon the Bail-plate which shall be as effectual to all Returns and Purposes as if the said Bail had then actually received the Person of the said Defendant to such Court or before any Judge or Judges of the same

And for the Prevention of Disputes touching this Act be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the same and every Clause and Thing therein contained shall be adjudged and taken to be a General Law and that it shall not be lawful to set forth the same in pleading or any Part thereof And that the same and every Clause therein shall be (contrasted) most beneficially for the preventing of all the Mischief Abuses Escapes and other Inconveniences herein provided against And further that if any Person or Persons shall at any Time be used by perjury in Execution any Power or Authority given by this Act such Person or Persons shall and may stand the General issue and give in Evidence the Special Matter and if the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs in such Action or Actions shall be adjudged as discontinue his her or their Action or Actions or a Verdict shall be given for the Defendant or Defendants or that Judgment upon Demurrer shall be given for the Defendant or Defendants every such Defendant or Defendants shall have his or their Triple Costs of Suit.

#### CHAPTER VII.

Est. Part.  
1. Ann. p. 5. c. 6.

An Act for explaining and making effectual a late Statute concerning the Haven and Port of the Borough of Great Yarmouth and for confirming the Rights and Privileges of the said Borough.

Revised at West.  
1. W. III. c. 9.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Tenth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory intitled *An Act for the clearing repairing preserving and maintaining the Haven and Port of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk several Powers and Authorities for passing the said Act in Execution and several Rights and Tracts for the Purposes therein mentioned are placed and vested in the Corporation or Body Corporate of the Borough of Great Yarmouth therein named some of them in the Bayliffs of the said Borough for the Time being by themselves or one of them and others in the Bayliffs Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the said Borough and the said Corporation is also lawfully and rightfully seized and possessed of and interested in and intitled to several Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments in Possession Reversion Remainder or otherwise and possessed of and intitled to divers Goods Chateles Customs Prescriptions Inclosures Fees Perquisites Benefits Rights Liberties Franchises Immunities Privileges and Jurisdictions to the End the said Powers Authorities Rights and Tracts and the said Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and the Reversion and Remainder Remainder and Remission thereof and the said Goods Chateles Customs Prescriptions Inclosures Fees Perquisites Benefits Rights Liberties Franchises Immunities Privileges and Jurisdictions and every of them may be continued and preserved for the general and public Benefit of the said Borough in such Manner as they now are or ought to be in case the Name or Style of the said Corporation shall at any Time or Times hereafter be altered or changed Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every Time and Times whatsoever the Name and Style of the said Corporation shall be altered or changed from their present Name or Style of *Bayliffs Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the Borough of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk* to the Name or Style of *Mayor Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the Borough of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk* or to any other Name or Style whatsoever the Mayor or other Chief Magistrate or Magistrates of the said Borough and his and their Successors shall and may from time to time and at all Times afterwards have hold exercise and enjoy all and every such Rights Tracts Powers and Authorities for passing the said Act in Execution and all and every the aforesaid Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and the Reversion and Remainders thereof and of every Part thereof and all and every the aforesaid Goods Chateles Customs Prescriptions Inclosures Fees Perquisites Benefits Rights Liberties Franchises Immunities Privileges and Jurisdictions as the Bayliffs of the said Borough or either of them jointly or severally may or can lawfully and rightfully claim or demand And that the Mayor Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the said Borough and their Successors and the Body Corporate of the said Borough by what Name or Namessoever the same shall or may at any Time or Times hereafter be named or called and their and every of their Successors shall and may from time to time and at all Times afterwards have hold exercise and enjoy all and every the Rights Tracts Powers and Authorities for passing the said recited Act in Execution and all and every the aforesaid Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments whereof the said Bayliffs Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the said Borough are or be now lawfully and rightfully seized or possessed intitled or intitled to in Possession [Reversion] Remainder or otherwise howsoever and all and every the aforesaid Goods Chateles Customs Prescriptions Inclosures Benefits Rights Liberties Franchises Immunities Privileges Jurisdictions Powers and Authorities whatsoever which the Bayliffs Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the said Borough may or can lawfully and rightfully have hold exercise enjoy claim or demand*

Reason for passing  
this Act

When the Style of  
the said Corporation  
shall be changed to  
that of Mayor,  
the Mayor, his  
successors, shall enjoy and  
exercise the  
aforesaid Rights  
and Powers.

PROVIDED always That the said Mayor Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty and their Successors and the said Body Corporate by what other Name or Names soever they shall be named or called shall from time to time be subject and obliged to account for and make good all such Moneys as have been or shall be collected or levied and paid into the Hands of any Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers which have been nominated by virtue of the above recited Act or to be hereafter nominated at such Time and Place and before such Person and Persons and in such Manner and Form as so and by the above recited Act as the Bayliffs Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the said Burgh should or ought to have been and shall also be subject and liable to all such Matters and Things as the Bayliffs of the said Burgh or either of them or as the Bayliffs Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the said Burgh were by the said Act subject and liable unto

II.  
And the said Mayor, &c. in like Manner to account for Moneys received, &c. on the said Burgh, &c.

PROVIDED also That the Body Politick and Corporate of the said Burgh and Town whether incorporated by the Name of the Mayor Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the Burgh of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk or by any other Name or Names whatsoever and their and every of their Successors be and shall be subject and liable to pay deliver settle and discharge all and every such and the like Fees-fines Rents and other Rates Payments Duties and Demands whatsoever whether in Moneys Herbage or other Fish Goods or Things whatsoever and to do and perform all and every such and the like Duties and Services as the Bayliffs Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the Burgh of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk be or are or have been subject or liable to or chargeable with Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

III.  
And to pay, &c. Toward Rates and other Duties on the said Burgh, &c.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be Twelve Commissioners to inspect the said Accounts whereof Three to be nominated yearly by the Mayor Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the said Burgh of Great Yarmouth in Common Council assembled or by what other Name or Names the same shall be called other Three in like Manner to be nominated and appointed by the Mayor Norfolk Citizens and Commonalty of the City of Norwich in Common Council assembled other Three to be in like Manner nominated and appointed by the Justices of the Peace for the County of Norfolk and other Three to be in like Manner nominated by the Justices of the Peace for the County of Suffolk at the respective Sessions of the Peace for the said Counties of Norfolk and Suffolk respectively as formerly by the above recited Act Which said Commissioners or any Number of them Five being of the Council of Norfolk Suffolk and City of Norwich shall and may from Time to Time giving due Notice according to the former Act call before them the Collectors Receivers and others who have been or shall be concerned with the Receipt Collection or Employment of the Moneys received and collected or to be received and collected in pursuance of the said Act who shall be required by virtue of this Act to render such Accounts to the said Commissioners [and the said Commissioners] or any Number of them Five being of the Counties of Norfolk and Suffolk and City of Norwich shall and may order and appoint all such Moneys which shall rest due upon such Account to be laid out and expended to and for the Uses and Purposes in the said Act mentioned and shall and may have and exercise all other Powers and Authorities which the said Commissioners had by virtue of the said former Act And that all Collectors Receivers and other Officers appointed in pursuance of the said former Act to be appointed in Execution of this present Act shall and may have and execute all the Powers and Authorities which any of the said Receivers Collectors or other Officers might or could do by virtue of the said former Act

IV.  
Twelve Commissioners to inspect Accounts, &c. appointed as before mentioned.

The Commissioners may use sworn giving Notice.

Collectors, &c. under this Act to execute the Powers as Collectors, &c. under the said former Act.

## CHAPTER VIII.

An Act for Explanation of a Clause in One Act made in the Seventh Year of His late Majesty King relating to Bondslaves and to take off the additional Burden upon Irish Linen.

Act. 1<sup>st</sup> Annæ, c. 7.

WHEREAS in and by an Act of Parliament made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of blessed Memory intitled An Act for continuing several Duties granted by former Acts upon Wine and Vinegar and upon Tobacco and East India Goods and other Merchandises imported for carrying on the War against France &c. it is therein recited that whereas several Merchants trading with the United Provinces in several Sorts of coarse Linen commonly called Bondslaves had then of late been compelled to pay Custom for the same as Hollands which came to above Thirty five Pounds per Centum whereas the said Trade as useful to the poorer Sort of People was not only likely to be lost but the Customs thereby much abused it was therefore enacted that all such Linen Cloth known or commonly called by the Name of Bondslaves not exceeding Twenty eight Inches and a Half in Breadth nor Twelve Paces in English Ell in Value should be taxed as Valence during the Continuance of that Act and pay all other Duties accordingly And whereas some Doubt hath been made whether the said Clause concerning Bondslaves be yet in Force and is so continued for each Time and Term of Years as other Clauses in the said recited Act are by subsequent Acts now in Force continued be it therefore declared and enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Clause concerning Bondslaves and the Duties and Customs payable for the same as Valence is and shall be in full Force and Effect to all intents Constitutions and Purposes whatsoever until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten

Recital of Stat. 7 & 8 W. III. c. 22.

§ 14.

Reason for passing the Act.

The said Clause to be in force until the August 1<sup>st</sup> 1710.

II.  
Recd of Stat  
7 & 8 W. III. c. 22  
17

and of Stat.  
8 & 9 W. III. c. 24.

§ 1.

and that the same  
was in 1700.

Reason for passing  
the Act.

From 1<sup>st</sup> March  
1700 Henry and  
Flem, and all Free  
holders thereof,  
imported from the  
said additional  
Subsidy, the sum  
producing Customs  
and making  
Oath under the said  
Stat. 7 & 8 W. III.  
c. 22.

And whereas by One other Act made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled *An Act for encouraging the Linnen Manufacture of Ireland* and bringing Flax and Flax seed and the making of Bell Cloth in the Kingdom it is enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Native or Natives of England or Ireland to import into England directly from Ireland any Sorts of Hemp or Flax and all the Productions thereof as Thread Yarn and Linnen of the Growth and Manufacture of Ireland free from all Manner of Customs Duties and Impositions whatsoever upon producing such Certificates and making such Oath as in the said Act is mentioned And whereas by One other Act made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty intitled *An Act for granting to Her Majesty a further Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage upon Merchandises imported for the Term of Two Years and Three Quarters* [and an additional Land Tax for One Year] for carrying on the War against France a further Subsidy of Poundage was granted to His Majesty after the Rate of Twelve Pence for the Value of every Twenty Shillings upon all Manner of Goods and Merchandises imported or brought into this Realm or any the Dominions or the same belonging at any Time after the First Day of May One thousand six hundred twenty seven and before the First Day of February One thousand six hundred thirty six according to the several and particular Rates and Values of the same Goods and Merchandises as the same are particularly and respectively rated and valued in the aforesaid Book of Rates which said additional Subsidy of Poundage hath been since continued by divers Acts and is yet in force and to continue for and during the Term of Her Majesties Life by reason of which said last mentioned Act and the several Acts for continuing the said additional Subsidies all Linnen imported from Ireland do now stand charged with the said additional Subsidy of Twelve Pence for the Value of every Twenty Shillings of the same Goods imported notwithstanding the said revised Act of the Seventh Year of His late Majesties Reign for encouraging the Linnen Manufacture of Ireland Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two all Sorts of Hemp or Flax and all the Productions thereof as Thread Yarn and Linnen imported into England directly from Ireland by any Native or Natives of England or Ireland being of the Growth and Manufacture of Ireland upon producing such Certificates and making such Oath as in and by the said Act of the Seventh Year of His said late Majesty was and is required shall be free from the said additional Subsidy of Poundage and all Manner of Customs Duties and Impositions whatsoever Any Act Customs or Usage heretofore to the contrary thereof in any way notwithstanding

## CHAPTER IX.

Act. Parl. c. 24.  
1703. c. 2.

Reason for passing  
the Act.

Principal Offender  
convicted of Felony  
or standing mute  
or presumptuously  
challenging above  
the Number of Twenty  
Persons may be  
granted  
against as before  
mentioned.

*An Act for punishing of Accessories to Felonies and Receivers of stolen Goods and to prevent the wilful burning and destroying of Ships.*

**FORASMUCH** as the Concealment and Countenance of such Felonies and the Receivers of Goods that have been stolen are the principal Cause of the Commission of such Felonies and as the Law now is no Accessory can be convicted or suffer any Punishment where the Principal is not attainted or both the Benefit of his Clergy be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Twelfth Day of February which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two if any principal Offender shall be convicted of any Felony or shall stand mute or presumptuously challenge above the Number of Twenty Persons returned to serve of the Jury it shall and may be lawful to proceed against any Accessory either before or after the Fact in the same Manner as if such principal Felon had been attainted thereof notwithstanding any such principal Felon shall be attainted to the Benefit of his Clergy pardoned or otherwise delivered before Attainder and every such Accessory shall suffer the same Punishment if he or she be convicted or shall stand Mute or presumptuously challenge above the Number of Twenty Persons returned to serve of the Jury as he or she should have suffered if the Principal had been attainted

II.

Bygone and  
Receivers of stolen  
Goods may be  
proceeded against.

Andasmuch as Bakers and Receivers of stolen Goods do oftentimes convey away and conceal the principal Felons so that they cannot be convicted of such principal Felony and thereby such Bakers and Receivers have escaped all Manner of Punishment which hath greatly encouraged the buying and receiving of such stolen Goods For Remedy whereof he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Twelfth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and two it shall and may be lawful to prosecute and punish every such Person and Persons buying or receiving any stolen Goods knowing the same to be stolen as for a Misdemeanor to be punished by Fine and Imprisonment although the principal Felon be not before convicted of the said Felony which shall exempt the Offender from being punished as Accessory if the Principal shall be afterwards convicted

III.

Oath to be taken  
by Witnesses as by  
Witnesses for the  
Queen

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Twelfth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and two all and every Person and Persons who shall be produced or appear as a Witness or Witnesses on the Behalf of the Plaintiff upon any Trial for Tonnage or Felony before he or she be admitted to depose or give any Manner of Evidence shall first take an Oath to depose the Truth the whole Truth



and nothing but the Truth in such Manner as the Witnesses for the Queen are by Law obliged to do and if  
 coardest of any wilful Perjury in such Evidence shall suffer all the Punishments Penalties Forfeitures and  
 Disabilities which by any of the Laws and Statutes of this Realm are or may be inflicted upon Persons convicted of  
 wilful Perjury

And for the effectual preventing the wilful cutting away burning or otherwise destroying by Pirates and  
 Masters of Ships under their Charge be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Captain Master Mariner  
 or other Officer belonging to any Ship shall after the said Twelfth Day of February One thousand seven hundred  
 and two wilfully cut away burn or otherwise destroy the Ship unto which he belongeth or procure the same to be  
 done to the prejudice of the Owner or Owners thereof or of any Merchant or Merchants that shall load Goods  
 thereon he shall suffer Death as a Felon

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the said Offences and Offences contained  
 on the High Seas or where the Admiralty hath Jurisdiction shall be inquired tried heard determined and judged  
 in such Shires and Places in the Realm as shall be limited by the Queens Commission under the Great Seal of  
 England in such Manner and Form as is and by an Act made in the Twenty eighth Year of the Reigne of the  
 late King Henry the Eighth is directed and appointed for the Tryal of Pirates and that all and every Person and  
 Persons who from and after the said Twelfth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and two shall be  
 convicted of any of the said Offences or Offences or shall stand mute or preposterously challenge above  
 the Number of Twenty Persons returned to serve of the Jury shall suffer Death without Benefit of Clergy.

Perjury

IV.  
 Captain, Ac. of  
 Ships wilfully  
 cutting away or  
 destroying same.  
 Death

Y.  
 Where Commission  
 upon the like is  
 to be made  
 as by Stat.  
 21 H VIII. c. 13.  
 enacted or  
 extending unto, the  
 Death

## CHAPTER X.

An Act for the better repairing and mending the Highways from the North End of Thamewood Common to  
 Woodford in the County of Essex.

Act. Parl. 1 Anne,  
 2-1-10

WHEREAS the Highways or Road between the Parish of Harlow and Woodford in the County of Essex  
 by Reason of the great many Loads which are Weekly drawn through the same are become so  
 ruinous and in decay that the Ordinary Course appointed by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm is not sufficient  
 for making the same passable neither are the Inhabitants of the several and respective Parishes in which the said  
 Road doth lye of Ability to repair the same without some other Provision of Money to be raised towards putting  
 the same into good and sufficient Repair there being no Materials to be got in for doing thereof but at great  
 Distance from the said Road For Remedy whereof and to the intent that the said Highways may be forthwith  
 effectually repaired and amended and kept in good Repair May it please Your Majesty that it may be enacted  
 and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords  
 Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same  
 That for the surveying ordering repairing and keeping in Repair the said Highways or Road the Justices of the  
 Peace at some Special Sessions to be holden for the said County pursuant to an Act made in the Third and  
 Fourth Years of the Reigne of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the better  
 repairing or mending the Highways shall and may then and there and so from Time to Time in every Year  
 nominate and appoint a convenient Number of sufficient and able Persons residing and inhabiting in the Parishes  
 wherein the said Highways or Road do lye so to be amended as aforesaid to be the several and respective  
 Surveyors of the respective Parishes and Places aforesaid for the Year from thence next ensuing and in Default  
 of such Surveyors that the said Justices at their Special Sessions may appoint each other Person or Persons to be  
 Surveyors who shall be willing to accept of the said Office and that the said Justices shall cause Notice to be  
 given to the several Surveyors so chosen in Writing of their said Choice which said Surveyors and every of them  
 having no lawful Impediment to be allowed by the said Justices by whom they shall be chosen in Manner aforesaid  
 or any Two of them within One Week next after such Notice to him or them given of their Election shall and  
 are hereby required respectively to meet in some convenient Place within their several and respective Parishes or  
 Divisions for which they are respectively appointed Surveyors to the intent to view and survey the said Highways  
 or Road and consider the Defects thereof and the best Method and Means that can be used for the repairing  
 the same and also the several Sums of Money that will be necessary for making good the same and make their  
 respective Certificates thereof to the Justices of Peace at the next Special Sessions of the Peace to be held for  
 the said County who thereupon shall and may make such Order and Orders in and about the same as to them  
 shall seem good which said Order or Orders so to be made shall be by the said respective Surveyors and all  
 other Persons concerned in paying the Act in Execution duly observed and performed and the said respective  
 Surveyors are hereby empowered to appoint and require such Carps and Persons who are fitt to work in the  
 Highways by the Statutes already in force from Time to Time to come and Work in the said Highways or Road  
 as they shall think needful and appoint for which the said respective Surveyors shall pay unto such Laborers  
 and to the Owners of such Teams or Carps according to the usual Rates of the County wherein at any Difference  
 happen the same to be asked by any Two Justices of the Peace of the next Division which it is to be conclusive  
 to all Parties

Reason for passing  
 the Act.

Stat. 3 H 4 W. & M.  
 c. 15

Surveyors to be  
 appointed by  
 Special Sessions.  
 Notice to Persons  
 chosen.

who are to meet  
 for the Purpose  
 herein mentioned.

and certify in  
 Special Sessions,  
 who are to make  
 Orders thereof.

Surveyors to pay  
 Laborers and  
 Owners of Teams,  
 for as the usual  
 County Rates.

II.  
Persons as to  
working and  
Times of Work

Previous nevertheless that no Person be compelled by this Act to travel above Four Miles from his Dwelling House nor to work above Two Days in any One Week nor at any Time in Seed-time Hay-time or Corn Harvest

III.  
In what Case  
Surveyors may  
dig Gravel, &c.  
out of Watens, for  
making Compen-  
sation to Persons  
having Rights of  
Soil, &c.  
According to Special  
Sessions.  
Fines, &c. should  
upon

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where there is not sufficient Gravel Chalk Sand or Stones within any Parish Town Village or Hamlet wherein the said Highways or Road do lie to repair the same it shall and may be lawful for the said Surveyors in their several and respective Places and each Person or Persons in they shall appoint to dig take and carry away Gravel Chalk Sand or Stones at the said Justice of the Peace shall direct the same out of the Water or Casson of any Neighbouring Parish Town Village or Hamlet paying reasonable Satisfaction to the Person or Persons who have Right to the Soil where the same shall be so digged and carried away and for each Damage he or they shall thereby sustain to be assessed and adjudged by the said Justice at the next Special Sessions for the said County in case of Difference concerning the same and that the Pits and Places where and from whence such Materials shall be digged and carried away for the Reparations aforesaid shall with all convenient speed (if adjudged by the said Justice of the Peace to be aforesaid or desired by the Party owning such Ground) be filled up and levelled with Earth or other Materials

IV.  
Special Sessions  
may appoint  
Receivers and  
Collectors of  
Tolls, &c.

Tolls

And for the defraying the Charge in and about the Reparations or Road aforesaid be it further enacted That the said Justice at any such Special Sessions aforesaid shall and may choose and appoint one or more fit Person or Persons to be Receiver or Receivers Collector or Collectors of such Sums or Sums of Money in the Name of Toll or Customs to be paid for all such Horses Carts Coachs Waggon Drivers and Gongs of Cattle as is Time to come shall pass (be led or driven in or out) through the said Way as are hereafter in this Act limited (that is to say) For every Horse One Penny For every Stage Coach or Hackney Coach Six Pence For every other Coach Calash or Chariot Six Pence For every Waggon One Shilling For every Cart Eight Pence For every Score of Sheep or Lambs One Penny and so proportionally for every greater or lesser Number For every Score of Calves Three Pence For every Score of Hogs Three Pence and so for every greater or lesser Number of Calves or Hogs proportionally not being under Five For every Score of Oxen or Neat Cattle Six Pence and so for every greater or lesser Number proportionally And this from and after the Twenty Fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three all and every Person and Persons who shall travel or pass with Horse Coach Cart or Waggon or that shall pass lead or drive any Oxen Sheep or other Cattle before mentioned in and through the Highway aforesaid shall and are lawfully required to pay unto the said Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers of Toll in that Behalf from Time to Time to be appointed as aforesaid after the Rate aforesaid for the Place for collecting the said Toll to be in some convenient Place upon the said Highways or Road between the North-End of Thornwood Common and Wooded by setting up a Turnpike or otherwise as the Justice of the Peace at the next Special Sessions to be held for the said County next after the passing this Act shall direct and appoint

Where Place for  
collecting Tolls  
to be situate

V.  
Collectors to  
account Weekly  
upon Oath to  
Justice of Peace  
Accounts to be  
returned as Special  
Sessions

And the Person or Persons Receiver or Receivers Collector or Collectors appointed as aforesaid for receiving the said Toll shall give in a true and perfect Account Weekly upon Oath unto One or more of the Justice of the Peace that live near to the said Turnpike which Oath they or he are and is lawfully empowered to administer which said Account shall be duly returned to the Justice of the Peace at the next Special Sessions to be holden for the Hundred where the said Turnpike shall be set up who shall thereupon examine the same and make such Orders therein as to them shall seem meet according to the true Meaning of this Act

VI.  
Persons refusing  
to pay Toll  
Fines

Damages

And in case any Person or Persons (upon Demand made of the Toll aforesaid by the Collector or Receiver in that Behalf to be appointed) shall neglect or refuse to pay the same then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collector or Receiver appointed for the Receipt of the said Toll upon such Refusal to detain and detain such Horse Coach Calash Chariot Waggon Cart Oxen or other Cattle aforementioned or any of them until the said Toll shall be satisfied and paid according to the Tenour of this present Act together with such Damages as the Party or Parties so detaining shall sustain in and about the making of the said Oath or by the keeping thereof which said Money as to be received shall be paid proportionally to the said respective Surveyors for and towards the Amendment of the said Highways or Road according to the true Meaning hereof and not elsewhere

VII.  
Surveyors to  
account to  
Special Sessions.

Overplus to be  
paid to Successors.

Allowance to  
Surveyors, &c.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Surveyors and every of them at the first Special Sessions to be holden for their several Divisions by force of the recited Act shall make and paid up unto the said Justice of the Peace there to be assembled a perfect Account in Writing under their Hands of all the Moneys which he or they or any of them have received from the said Collector or Receiver of Toll and Release of all their Disbursements in and about the said Highways or Road otherwise by Reason of their Office and in case any Overplus of Money so received remain in their Hands shall pay the same to the Surveyors to be chosen for the Year ensuing to be disbursed and laid out in mending the said Highways or Road according to the true Meaning of this Act and not elsewhere which said Justice to whom such Account shall be given at the said Special Sessions shall out of the Receipt of the said Toll make such Allowance unto the said Surveyors or Surveyor for and in consideration of his and their Care and Pains taken in Execution of their Office and to

such other Person or Persons who have been or shall be assisting in and about procuring the said Highways or Road to be amended as aforesaid by advancing or laying out any Money or otherwise relieving themselves as to them shall seem good.

And in case the Collector or Receiver of the said Toll to be paid as aforesaid shall not upon Request duly pay the same unto the said Surveyors for the Time being so to be appointed as aforesaid or in case the said Surveyors or any of them shall not make such Advance and Payment unto the several Person and Persons according to the Order Direction and Appointment of the said Justice as aforesaid Then then the said Justice or any Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said County shall make Enquiry concerning such Default as well by Confession of the said Parties themselves as by Testimony of Two or more credible Witnesses upon Oath which Oath they are hereby empowered to administer and if any Person or Persons shall be [default] convicted the said Justice upon such Conviction shall commit the Party or Parties so convicted to the Common Goal of the said County there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until he or they shall have made a true and perfect Account and Payment as aforesaid.

VIII.  
Collectors not  
paying to Surveyors,  
and Conveyors not  
satisfying, &c.

Quarter Sessions  
may inquire  
concerning the  
same,  
and may commit to  
County Goal.

And furthermore to the Moneys so to be collected by such Receipts of the said Toll will not at present raise such a Stock or Sum of Money as may be sufficient for the speedy repairing of the Premises or in case the said further enacted That the said Surveyors or the more Part of them are hereby enabled by Order of the said Justice to be made at such Special Sessions and not otherwise to engage the Profits arising by the said Toll for such Sum or Sums of Money by them to be borrowed for that Purpose and by Indenture under the Hands and Seals of the said Surveyors for the Time being or the more Part of them to transfer the Profits of the said Toll and so to grant and convey the same for any Time or Term of Years not exceeding One and twenty Years unto any Person or Persons that shall or will upon that Security advance any present Sum or Sums of Money so lent with Interest for the same after the Rate of like Pounds per Centum per Annum for every Hundred Pounds which said Money so to be advanced shall be distributed by the Justice at such Special Sessions to the Proprietors and for the Purposes aforesaid and not otherwise.

IX.  
Majesty of  
Surveyors by  
Order of Special  
Sessions may  
mortgage Tolls as  
before mentioned.

Interest at all per  
Cent. per Ann.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons not having any lawful Excuse to be allowed as aforesaid shall neglect or refuse to take upon him or them the said Office of Surveyor being thereto nominated and chosen as by this Act is appointed or to do and perform his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this Act the said Justice at such Special Sessions shall and may lawfully have Power to impose upon such Person or Persons so refusing as to them shall seem meet and to cause the same to be levied by Writers and Sale of his or her Goods dwelling to the Party the Overplus if any shall be said then and in such Case or in Case of the Death of any of the said Surveyors some other Person as Persons shall be appointed as aforesaid by Two or more Justices of the Peace that live nearest to the Party or Parties so dying refusing or neglecting and such other Person or Persons so to be appointed by the said Justice are hereby required to execute their said Office at such Meetings and under such Penalties as if they had been chosen by the Justice at their Special Sessions as aforesaid.

X.  
Neglecting to take  
the Office of  
Surveyor or to act.

Special Sessions  
may do.

Refusing to execute  
Office in case of  
Death, or relating  
Others.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Fines and Penalties to be imposed or incurred by virtue of this Act shall be paid to the Surveyors for the Time being for and towards the repairing of the said Highways or Road according to the true Meaning of this Act and not to any other Person or Persons or to or for any other Use or Uses than or Purpose whatsoever.

XI.  
Fines to be paid  
to Surveyors.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Suit shall be commenced against any Person for any thing done in pursuance of this present Act that in every such Case the Action shall be laid in the said County of Essex and not elsewhere and the Defendant in such Action to be brought may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence at any Trial to be had thereupon and that the same was done in pursuance and by Authority of the said Act And if it shall so appear to be done or that such Action shall be brought in any other County than the Jury shall find for the Defendant and upon such Verdict or if the Plaintiff shall be nonsuited or discontinues his Action after the Defendant shall have appeared or if upon Demurrer Judgment shall be given against the Plaintiff the said Defendant shall have and recover Double Costs and have the like Remedy for the same as any other Defendant hath in any other Cases by Law.

XII.  
In Actions for  
enforcing Act,  
General Issue may  
be pleaded.

Double Costs.

Penalties always That no Person or Persons having Decision to pass the Place where the Toll is taken and return the same Day before Eight of the Clock at Night between the Months of September and February and before Ten of the Clock at Night during the other Months of the Year with the same Horse Coach Wagon or other Carriage or with Cattle shall be compelled the same Day to pay the said Toll a Second Time.

XIII.  
No Double Tolls.

Also further also That all and every Person and Persons passing through the Place appointed for the receiving the Toll aforesaid and coming from any Parish next adjoining to the said Highways or Road shall have a Liberty to carry any Quantities of Stone Sand Lime or Gravel Dragg Mould or Compost of any Nature or Kind whatsoever Back or Chalk or any Wood not going to any Market and that all Carts with Hay not going to any Market or

XIV.  
Freedom for carrying  
Stones, Gravel, &c.

and for Cows with  
Hay not going to  
Markets, Cows in  
the Streets and  
Impediments of  
Husbandry, &c.

XV.  
Penalty for  
Soldiers, &c.

XVI.  
Persons chargeable  
by Law to Repair,  
to remove  
chargeable.

XVII.  
Continuance of Act

Highways to be  
repaired, Act. to  
continue.

XVIII.  
Quarter Sessions  
may yearly appoint  
Two Surveyors of  
Highways,  
and to examine  
Accounts of  
Surveyors.

and to certify  
Debts to the  
Assessors.

Cows in the Street at Hay Time or Harvest Ploughs Harrows and other Implements of Husbandry and all other Things whatsoever employed in the husbanding working mowing of their several and respective Lands in the said several and respective Parishes shall pass to and fro through the said Place where such Toll is to be received as aforesaid without paying any thing for their respective passing through the same

Act that it shall and may be lawful for all and every Soldier and Soldiers upon their March and all Carts and Waggoners attending them and all Persons riding Post to pass through the said Place where the said Toll is to be collected without paying any thing for their passing Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

Provided also That all and every Person and Persons who by Law are chargeable towards the repairing of Roads and Highways or Road shall still remain so chargeable and do their respective Works in the said Highways or Road as before they used to do therein Any thing aforesaid to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

Provided also That nothing in this Act nor any thing herein contained shall extend to any farther Time to be of Force any longer than the Term of One and twenty Years to be accounted from the passing of this Act nor also that if at any Time before the Expiration of the Term of One and twenty Years aforesaid the said Highway or Road shall be sufficiently repaired and amended and so adjudged by the Justices of the Peace of the said County at the Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said County that then from and after each Adjournment made and Rejoinder of such Sessions as shall here be between the aforesaid Toll shall cease and determine Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

Act to be further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful so and for the Justice of the Peace at their General Quarter Sessions to be holden for the County of Essex yearly and every Year after Easter One thousand seven hundred and three if they think fit so appoint Two or more Persons of the said County to survey and view the said ruinous Highways and Road and to examine the Accounts of the Surveyors of the same Highways and Road by this Act from Time to Time appointed and the Duties and Tolls received in pursuance of this Act and to enquire how the Monies so received from time to time have been employed and laid out in pursuance of this Act And in case they find any Misapplication of the said Monies levied by this Act or any Abuse of the Power and Authority to them limited as aforesaid thereupon to certify the same to the Judges of Assize at the next Assize to be held for the said County of Essex who are hereby authorized and empowered to hear examine and finally determine the same without any further or other Appeal.

## CHAPTER XI.

Act. Part. I. Anno  
P. 2. n. 10.

AN ACT for making the River Chum alias Guat in the County of Cambridge more navigable from Claydon Ferry to the Queens Mill in the University and Town of Cambridge.

Enacted for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS there was heretofore a navigable Passage for Barge Boats Lighters and other Vessels of Burthen from the University and Town of Cambridge along the River Chum alias Guat to the River Ouse and so down to the Town and Harbour of Lynn Regis in the County of Norfolk the which hath been of great Use to the Counties therunto adjacent for Improvement of Navigation and most convenient and necessary to and for the said University and Town of Cambridge for the Conveyance thereby of Coals Iron Timber Fuel and other Commodities and Necessaries to the said University and Town and other Places aforesaid whereof there is now a great Deficiency and Want and far greater Inconvenience like to grow if some timely and reasonable Help therefore be not made and provided And whereas the said River of Chum by Length of Time and for Want of Locks Stairs and other necessary Works upon the said River in convenient and fit Places is much silted and grows up and especially between the University and Town of Cambridge and a certain Place about Seven Miles below the said Town in the said River called Claydon alias Chidre Ferry and the said Navigation to the said University and Town is in Danger of being wholly lost and destroyed be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons of this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Chancellor of the said University for the Time being or his Deputy and the Heads of the Colleges of the said University for the Time being or in their Absence their Deputies or major Part of them shall choose and nominate Three Persons who shall be appointed and authorized for the said University and the Justices of the Peace at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said County being so ways interested in any of the Lands and Soil lying [in] or near the said River shall choose and nominate Five other Persons who shall be appointed and authorized for the said County of Cambridge and the Mayor of the said Town of Cambridge for the Time being or his Deputy and the Aldermen of the said Town for the Time being or the major Part of them shall choose and nominate Three other Persons who shall in like Manner be appointed and authorized for the said Town of Cambridge which Eleven Persons so to be chosen and nominated as aforesaid and such other who shall be nominated in the Places of those of any of them according to as herein after directed by this Act from the Time of their being respectively chosen

The Chancellor and  
Heads of Colleges  
of the University of  
Cambridge to choose Three  
Persons, and the  
Quarter Sessions to  
choose Five  
Persons, and the  
Corporation of  
Cambridge to choose Three  
Persons, to be  
Commissioners of  
the River Chum.

and appointed as aforesaid shall be and be called Conservators of the said River and they or the major Part of them are hereby authorized and shall have Power by virtue of this present Act to make navigable and possible for Barges Boats Lighters and other Vessels the said River of Charn also Gravel from the said Place called Clayhills also Clayhills Ferry to a certain Place called the Queens Mill in the said Town of Cambridge and for that Purpose to cleanse and open or cause to be cleansed and opened the said River and to cut or dig the Banks thereof and to cut down and remove all Trees and Roots of Trees Weirs or other Impediments that may hinder the Passage or Navigation on the said River either in sailing or taking of Boats Lighters or other Vessels with Horses Men or otherwise and also to open passages and make all Weirs Sluice Locks Piers for Weirs and Tumpions fit for the said Passage and likewise to cleanse or cause open or cut and dig the Banks of any other Bank Stream Ditch or Water Course falling into the said River that shall to them seem necessary and convenient for the better making the said River navigable and possible as aforesaid and likewise to make and erect any Wharfs Sluice Locks Tumpions or Piers for Water in or near the said River or Passage that shall be thought fit or necessary for the same and to bring by and work on the Lands adjoining to the said River all Materials requisite for the making erecting and repairing of the said Sluice Piers for Water Weirs Sluice Locks or Tumpions upon the said River or Passage and to do all other Things which shall by them or the major Part of them be adjudged necessary or convenient for the said River and Passages Wharfs Sluice Locks Weirs Tumpions and Piers for Water and for the shipping repairing keeping using and amending the same or any of them or any Part of them from time to time and at all Times hereafter as need shall be or require

who may open the said River.

and make Locks, &c.

and also Wharfs, &c.

and work Materials on Lands adjoining.

And to the end that the making the said River better navigable and possible as aforesaid and the erecting and making the said Works or the doing other Things in pursuance of this Act may not be prejudicial to the Inheritance Possession or Profit of any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate whatsoever that have any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments that are adjoining unto the said River and Passages aforesaid or any of them be it sheweth enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Conservators before they do meddle with any Lands or Hereditaments or the Profits thereof shall first agree with the Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate having the Inheritance Possession or Profit thereof or Right of Common therein for the Loss or Damage that they or any of them shall or may any way receive or sustain by the making good the said Navigation or making or showing the said Wharfs Sluice Weirs Sluice Locks Tumpions or Piers for Water or Passages the said Agreement to be in Writing and under the Hands and Seals of the said Conservators and other Parties concerned

If Rates for passing the River.

Conservators, before they meddle with any Lands, &c. shall agree with Proprietors.

such Agreement to be in Writing under Hand and Seal.

And if the said Conservators or the major Part of them and the Party and Parties Owners of such Lands Inheritance or Possessions cannot agree touching the Value thereof due then the Justices of Peace of the said County of Cambridge or any Six of them not being Conservators nor being Parties nor dwelling within the said University or Town nor interested in the Soil or any of the said Land or Inheritance so as aforesaid to be valued or in their Default the Justices or Justices of Assize at the next Assize after such Default to be held for the said County of Cambridge shall and may appoint any convenient Time or Times Place or Places as they shall think fit of which Fourteen Days publick Notice to be given on a Sunday in the respective Parish Church or Churches wherein the said Land or Lands shall be or be immediately after Divine Service and shall and may enquire by Examination of Witnesses upon Oath which Oath the said Justices of the Peace or Justices or Justices of Assize shall have Power to administer and upon such Enquiry shall determine and set down in Writing under their Hands and Seals what and how much Satisfaction every such Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate shall have and receive for or in respect of such Losses or Damages so by him or them to be sustained not exceeding Five and twenty Years Purchase of the Lands and Tenements to be cut digged or made use of according to the true just Value thereof and the said Price or Value so set down by them not exceeding Five and twenty Years Purchase as aforesaid shall bind all Parties therein concerned in Possession Reversion Remainder or otherwise and as well before Four Courts Commoners as others and their Heirs in Fee Simple Fee Tail their Executors Administrators and Assigns and all claiming by and from him her or them or any of them which Agreement or Order so made as aforesaid shall be registered in the Ledger Book of the said University and entered in the several and respective Courts of the Sessions of the said County and Town of Cambridge and shall be and be entered a Record and then upon Payment of such Sum or Sums of Money so agreed upon or ordered as aforesaid to the Person or Persons being Owners or Occupiers of the Lands and Tenements so damaged and to the Clerk of the Peace of the County of Cambridge for the Time being for the Use of the Persons having Right of Common therein or Tender thereof made with Purpose to pay the same and in case of Refusal after such Tender then upon Payment of the Money so agreed upon into the Hands of the Clerk of the Peace of the said County for the Time being for the Use of such Owners and Occupiers it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Conservators or the major Part of them their Agents and Surveys to dig and make or cause to be digged and made the said Wharfs Sluice Weirs Sluice Locks Tumpions Piers for Water or other Engines or Devices for the Purposes aforesaid or do any such other Act for which any such Agreement Order or Decree shall be made as aforesaid

III.  
If Conservators cannot agree, then the Justices of the County, not being Conservators nor interested in the Soil, or Justices of Assize, after the next Assize, may appoint Time and Place to determine the controversy Oath of Witnesses.

Compensation not to exceed 25 Years Purchase of the Lands, &c. not to be binding on Infants, &c.

Agreement to be registered in the Ledger of the University, and entered in the several Courts of the Sessions, and upon Tender and Payment of Compensation as herein mentioned.

Conservators may enter and dig, &c.

And whereas the said University County and Town of Cambridge are the Promoters and Undertakers of maintaining and amending the said Passage and Navigation be it sheweth enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Conservators so to be appointed and appointed as aforesaid or the major Part of them by virtue of this Act shall have Power and Authority from time to time with the Consent of the Chancellor or his Deputy and Twelve of the Heads of the said University for the Time being or three Deputies or the major Part of them and the Chairman of such Sessions and Twelve of the Justices of the Peace for the said County then present or the major

IV.  
Conservators, or the major Part, with such Consent as herein mentioned, may make it also for the Usage of the River, Wharfs, Locks, &c.

Part of them not increased as aforesaid and the Mayor or his Deputy and Aldermen of the said Town of Cambridge or the major Part of them to ordain and make Orders and Constitutions for the good and orderly Usage of the said River Passage and Passages and for all Banks Wharfs Sluice Locks Weirs Turnspike Pen and Piers for Weirs and other Engines thereof at any Time or Times hereafter to be made erected and maintained and for all Boats Boatmen Passengers and Carriages by upon or through the said River Water or Passage and all Things concerning the same and to act by and exercise such reasonable Pains and Punishments as they shall think fit

and the said persons

V.  
That and  
Punishments may  
be imposed by  
Justices of Assize

Provided always That the Justice or Justices of (') Assize for the said County of Cambridge for the Time being or One of them upon Complaint to them by any Person or Persons grieved with such Pains and Punishments as any of them shall and may thought moderate and reform the same as they shall find just Cause

VI.  
Chancellor and  
Bishops of Colleges  
may supply  
Conservators in the  
Place or Places of any  
of the said Conservators  
dying or declining  
in office.  
The like Power to  
Justices in Quarter  
Sessions when not  
sufficient

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Chancellor of the said University or his Deputy and the Heads of the said University for the Time being or their Deputies or the major Part of them from time to time at their Will and Pleasure to choose and supply one or more Conservator or Conservators in the Place or Places of any of the Conservators which shall be appointed for the said University that shall happen to dye become unfit for the Service or neglect or decline the same or whom they shall at any Time think fit to be removed or changed and that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Justices of the Peace at each General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said County not increased as aforesaid or the major Part of them from time to time at their Will and Pleasure to choose and supply One or more Conservator or Conservators in the Place of any of the Conservators for the said County that shall dye or become unfit for the Service or neglect or decline the same or whom they shall think fit to be removed or changed and that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Mayor or his Deputy and Aldermen of the said Town of Cambridge for the Time being or the major Part of them from time to time at their Will and Pleasure to choose and supply One or more Conservator or Conservators (in the Place or Places of any of the said Conservators) to be appointed for the said Town that shall dye or become unfit for the Service or whom they shall think fit to be removed or changed which said Conservator or Conservators as to be from time to time chosen and supplied as aforesaid shall from thenceforth have like Power and Authority in all Things as those Conservators which are first to be named chosen and appointed as aforesaid expressly by virtue of this Act and shall never exceed the Number of Eleven and that the said Conservators and such as from time to time for the future shall be supplied as aforesaid or the major Part of them shall from time to time after the said Works shall be finished have Power and Authority to survey the said River between the Queens Mill in the said Town of Cambridge and the said Place called Claythorpe alias Claythorpe Ferry and all the Ditches Sewers and Streams running into the said River and all Impediments and Annoyances in the same and to make like Process to inquire thereof and to act such Fines and Penalties and to make such Orders and Decrees for removing the same as any Commissioners of Sewers by any Law Statute or Commission of Sewers are enabled to do in other Rivers and Places

The like Power to  
the Mayor, &c. of  
Cambridge.  
Each Conservator  
to have the same  
Power, for as long  
as he shall be  
Conservator.  
Not to exceed  
Eleven.  
Conservators, when  
Marine Inhabited,  
may survey the  
River.  
and make Orders,  
&c. as Commissioners  
of Sewers, &c.

VII.  
The said River to  
be under the sole  
Order of the  
Conservators.

Also the said River between the said Queens Mill and the said Place called Claythorpe alias Claythorpe Ferry and all Sluice Locks Weirs Turnspike Piers for Water Engines and Devices erected for preserving and continuing the said Navigation therein shall from henceforth be in the sole Rule Order and Government of the said Conservators as the major Part of them and not under the Survey or Order of any Commissioners of Sewers nor subject to any Commission of Sewers Any Law or Statute to the contrary thereof is any wise notwithstanding

VIII.  
Reason for passing  
the Statute.

Also for as much as the cleaning and scouring the said River and setting up of the Works and Devices for preserving the said Navigation and the keeping up and repairing of the same will be of great Charge to the said University County and Town of Cambridge Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the rebuilding and discharging as well the Principal Money to be advanced and expended in the restoring and preserving the said Navigation and in making keeping up and repairing the Banks Wharfs Weirs Turnspike Locks Piers for Water and other Devices whatsoever on the said River together with interest for the same not exceeding the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum together with all Charges of procuring and obtaining this Act until the said Principal and Interest be repaid there shall be paid by the Master or other Person having the Rule or Command of any Boat Barge Lighter or other Vessel carrying any Goods Wares or Merchandise whatsoever or any Passengers up or down the said River or any Part thereof between the said University and Town of Cambridge and the said Place called Claythorpe alias Claythorpe Ferry such Tolls Duties and Rates as the Conservators or the major Part of them shall from Time to Time assess not exceeding the Rates and Price following that is to say

Shalers and others  
having Boats, &c.  
to pay the Tolls  
following.

For every [Chaldron] of Coals Nine Pence  
Every hundred of Dead Branch Two Shillings  
Every Load or Ton of Timber One Shilling  
Every Load of Wheat Rye or Malt Nine Pence  
Every Load of Oats Barley or Malt One Shilling  
Every Thousand of Bricks One Shilling  
Every Thousand of Tiles Six Pence

Every Hundred of Sedge Two Pence  
 Every Ton of Stones or Pebbles One Shilling  
 Every Thousand of Turf Two Pence  
 Every Load or Twenty Hundred of Hay Six Pence  
 Every Last of Seeds One Shilling and Six Pence  
 Every Ton of Clay or Sand Six Pence  
 Every Hundred of Salt Fish One Shilling  
 Every Ton of Iron or Lead Two Shillings  
 Every Ton of Salt One Shilling  
 Every Ton of Wine Four Shillings  
 Every Ton of Oyl Vinegar Pitch Tar or Sops One Shilling  
 Every Ton of Butter or Cheese One Shilling  
 Every Hundred of Faggots Two Pence  
 Every Hundred of Bricks Two Pence  
 Every Hundred of Hops Six Pence  
 Every Ton of Cyder Two Shillings  
 Every Hundred of Fales Barrel or Houghhead Barrels One Penny  
 Passages Boats for each Passenger One Penny.

And for every Ton Weight of other Goods Wares or Merchandises whosoever not herein before mentioned One Shilling and so proportionably and pro Rata for every greater or lesser Quantity of the said respective Goods Wares or Merchandises before particularly mentioned or generally expressed.

SAYING always and reserving unto the Chancellor Masters and Scholars of the said University and their Successors and also unto the Mayor Bailiffs and Burgesses of the said Town of Cambridge and their Successors and all and every Person or Persons all and singular Customs Tolls Duties Privileges Immunities Dockage Wharfage Rights of Fishing within the River Cam aforesaid and all other Rights and Liberties in them and either of them severally appertaining and belonging or which they or either of them may or might lawfully have and enjoy before the making of this Act.

AND to the intent that the Sums of Money to be paid as aforesaid may be duly collected and levied for the Uses and Purposes aforesaid be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Conservators so to be named appointed or supplied as aforesaid or the major Part of them from time to time and at all Times hereafter by and with the Consent and Approbation of the Chancellor or his Deputy and Heads or their Deputies or the major Part of them of the said University and the said Justices of the Peace in such General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said County of Cambridge not interested as aforesaid or the major Part of them and the said Mayor or his Deputy and Aldermen or the major Part of them of the said Town of Cambridge to nominate and choose such Person or Persons to be Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers of all and every the respective Sums and Sums of Money for the Tolls or Duties aforesaid or appointed to be paid as aforesaid as they shall think fit: All which said Sums of Money the said Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers shall from time to time and at further once in every Fourteen Days pay or cause to be paid into the Hands of a Treasurer to be named and appointed in such Manner as the Collector or Collectors aforesaid, are to be nominated and appointed for the Uses and Purposes aforesaid the which Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers Treasurer or Treasurers so to be named and appointed as aforesaid shall give good Security to the said Conservators for the executing and performing the several Trusts in them to be committed in executing their several Offices and shall also be sworn and sworn at the Will and Pleasure of the Chancellor of the said University or his Deputy and the Heads of Colleges in the said University for the Time being or their Deputies or the major Part of them and the said Justices of the Peace in such General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said County of Cambridge not interested as aforesaid or the major Part of them and the Mayor or his Deputy and Aldermen of the said Town of Cambridge or the major Part of them and another or others chosen and appointed in his or their Room and Stead as often as Occasion shall require.

AND for as much as the Money to be raised by the several Tolls and Duties before mentioned will not for a long Time raise such a Stock or Sum of Money as the Intents and Purposes by this Act to be effected will necessarily require Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Conservators or the major Part of them are hereby empowered by Indenture under their Hands and Seals to assure and convey the Duties hereby granted or any Part thereof as a Security for any Sum or Sums of Money by them to be borrowed for the Ends and Purposes of this Act to any Person or Persons that shall or will advance or lend any Sum or Sums of Money upon the said Security so that the Conservators be not charged or chargeable in their Persons or Estates with such Monies as shall be advanced or lent upon the said Duties and Rates by virtue of this Act: All which said Money [to] be borrowed shall be employed for and towards the restoring and mending the Navigation of the said River within the Limits aforesaid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act together with all such necessary and reasonable Charges as have been at any Time expended for procuring and obtaining of this Act.

IX.  
General Survey.

X.  
Conservators, with such Consent as before mentioned, may appoint Collectors of Tolls.

Collectors every Fourteen days to pay in to Treasurer the Monies received.

Treasurer, Collector, and Receiver to give Security, and they be sworn at the Pleasure of the Chancellor of the said University and other Persons before named.

XI.  
Majority of Conservators may sue upon the said Tolls.

but not to be charged in their Persons, but, the Money lent, Money borrowed to be employed upon the River.

XII.  
Not more than  
£10000 or for  
increased at one  
Time

Provided always That the said Duties hereby granted be not at any Time converted or made Security for or charged with any greater or further Sums than Two thousand Pounds at any One Time

XIII.  
After Principal and  
Interest of Money  
borrowed shall be  
paid, Conservators  
to lay their  
Accounts before  
Auditors  
The Duty of  
such Auditors  
discharge.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Principal Money advanced and by them expended in the restoring and preserving the said Navigation in the said River and the Interest for the same shall be paid off and discharged that then the said Conservators or the major Part of them shall yearly afterwards at the Close of the sitting and settling the Accounts of Receipts and Disbursements of the Money received and expended in and about the said Navigation by the Account before the Auditors for that Purpose to be appointed as herein after is mentioned who shall set up and compute what Sums or Sums of Money will be required (together with the Burthens of the Profits of the preceding Year if any be) for the defraying and discharging what was in discharge the Year preceding if any thing were together with the necessary Charges the Expenses of preserving and keeping up the Works Engines and Devices upon or about the said River within the Limits aforesaid and of all other incidents Charges in or about the same for the ensuing Year and to assess charge and rate all and singular the Goods Wares Merchandises and Commodities before by this Act made as aforesaid with such Proportions of the said Duties as may according to their said Computation answer that End

XIV.  
Conservators to have the Inspection  
of Receipts and  
Disbursements,  
and to call before  
them Treasurers,  
Collectors, &c.  
who are to account  
accordingly

And to the Intent that all and every the Sums and Sums of Money which shall be collected and levied by virtue of this Act may be employed to the Uses aforesaid and for which the same are intended be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Conservators to be chosen and appointed as aforesaid shall have the Inspection and take account as often as they shall think fit of the Receipts and Disbursements of all such Moneys so shall be or collected and levied by virtue of this Act and they or any Six or more of them shall and may from time to time call before them the [Treasurers] Collectors Receivers and all others who shall be interested with the Collection Receipts or Employment of the Moneys to be collected and received in pursuance of this Act who shall and are by virtue of this Act required to render unto the said Conservators so to be chosen appointed or supplied as aforesaid or any Six or more of them a true Account thereof and of all and every Sum and Sums which shall and due upon each Account

XV.  
Conservators to cause the Moneys  
to be paid to the Hands of  
the Treasurer  
to be laid out as they  
shall see Cause  
Chancellor, Ac-  
cused solicitor  
Clerk of Office or  
Collector

And the said Conservators or any Six or more of them shall and may order and appoint all Moneys that shall be in the Hands of such Treasurer or any Part thereof and also all such Moneys as shall not due on each Account to be laid out and expended for and towards the Uses and Purposes aforesaid as there shall be cause and the Chancellor of the said University for the Time being or his Deputy and the Chairman of the then proceeding Sessions of the Peace for the said County of Cambridge and the Mayor of the said Town of Cambridge for the Time being or his Deputy or any of them are hereby enabled and required to administer in Oath to every such Collector or Collectors Receiver and Receivers as shall be nominated and chosen as aforesaid for the true and faithful executing his or their Office in and about the Premises according to the true intent and meaning of this Act

XVI.  
Allowance to  
Collectors, for  
out of Tolls, in  
Conservators, with  
such Consent as  
before mentioned,  
shall think proper

Provided that the said Collector and Collectors Receiver and Receivers to be nominated and chosen as aforesaid and all other Officers Agents and Servants employed or to be employed in the said Works and every of them shall from time to time be allowed for their Trouble and Pains in executing the said Offices and Places and attending and performing the Matters relating thereto out of the Sums so to be collected and received for the Tolls and Duties aforesaid so much as the Conservators by Consent of the said Chancellor or his Deputy and Heads of the said University for the Time being or their Deputies or the major Part of them and the said Justice of the Peace at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said County of Cambridge not exceeded if aforesaid or the major Part of them and the said Mayor and Aldermen the said Town of Cambridge or his Deputy for the Time being or the major Part of them shall think fit

XVII.  
Collectors and their  
Deputies may carry  
Boats and other  
Horsemen of  
Guns, Pistols,  
&c. to land,  
and demand Tolls  
accordingly

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collector and Collectors Receiver and Receivers for the Time being their Agents Deputies and Servants and every of them from time to time to enter into any Boat Barge Lighter or Vessel being in any Place or Place between the Queens's Mill aforesaid and the said Place called Clapham also Clapham Ferry to see and return for or themselves what Goods Wares or Merchandises and of what Quantity Nature and Kind and what Quantity of Corners and what Passengers there shall or may be in the same respectively and to ask for and demand the Toll or Sums of Money so ordered and appointed to be paid as aforesaid for the Tolls or Duties for the same

XVIII.  
If Tolls not paid,  
Collectors, Ac-  
cused solicitor  
Clerk of Office or  
Collector

And in case the several and respective Sums and Sums as ordered and appointed to be paid as aforesaid and every Part thereof be not paid by the Master Owner or other Person or Persons being on board or having the Rule or Command of any Boat or other Vessel sailing or being on the said River or any Part thereof within the Limits or Boundaries aforesaid that then and so often it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collector and Collectors Receiver and Receivers their Deputies and Servants and any of them to stay and hinder the Passage of such Boat Barge Lighter and other Vessel and by Warrant obtained from any one or more of the Justices of [the] Peace for the said County or Town for the Time being under his or their Hand and Seal to take and detain every such Boat Barge Lighter or other Vessel and all Tackle Appurtenant and Furniture thereunto

By Warrant from  
Justices of the Peace



belonging or the Goods that shall be in the same or any Part thereof and the same to detain and keep until he or they be satisfied and paid the Sum or Sums of Money due for the Tolls or Duties arising or growing from such Goods Wares or Merchandises by virtue of this Act and his Charges and in case of Neglect or Delay of or in payment of the said Sum or Sums of Money growing due and payable for the Tolls and Duties aforesaid within Two Days after any Distress or Distresses so taken that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collector and Collectors Receiver and Receivers their Servants or Agents and every or either of them to sell the Distress or Distresses so taken or any Part thereof Appropriation thereof being first made according to the Direction of the Act of Parliament for selling Distresses for Rent and thence to divide him or themselves as well for and concerning the [Duties] so unpaid and demanded for as also for his and their reasonable Charge and Charges in taking keeping and selling such Distress or Distresses according to the Master Owner or other Person or Persons having the Rule (and) Command of the said Boat Barge Lighter or other Vessel in or for which such Distress or Distresses shall be taken as aforesaid the Overplus if any such there be

and if Tolls not paid within Two Days of the Distress

Distress may be sold.

How Money arising thereon to be applied.

And to the end that the said River may be cleared and the Navigation thereof made good with as much Thrift and good Husbandry as may consist with the aforesaid and substantial Performance thereof and that there may be no Negligence of the Money by this Act to be raised collected and received nor of any Part thereof be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That once in every Year (viz) upon the First Tuesday next and immediately after Commencement Tuesday of the said University the Inspection shall be had of the Receipts and Disbursements of all such Monies as shall or may be collected or received by virtue of this Act to the Day of the Feast of the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary then next before and all Accounts relating to the same shall be then or within Twenty Days after made up and settled before the Auditors for that Purpose or any Four of them in the Vestry of the Church of St. Mary's the Great in Cambridge aforesaid which Auditors shall be the Chancellor of the said University for the Time being or his Deputy and the Chairman of [the] then proceeding Sessions of the Peace for the said County of Cambridge the Mayor of the said Town of Cambridge for the Time being or his Deputy One of the Heads of Colleges of the University to be from time to time appointed by the Chancellor or his Deputy and the Heads of Colleges in the said University or their Deputies or the major Part of them and One of the Justices of the Peace for the said County to be from time to time appointed by the said Justices of the Peace for the said County or the General Quarter Sessions or the major Part of them and one of the Aldermen of the said Town to be from time to time appointed by the Mayor or his Deputy and the Aldermen of the said Town or the major Part of them at which Time and Times the Commissioners to be appointed as aforesaid and also the Treasurer Collector and Collectors Receiver and Receivers of the said Duties are hereby required to attend with all their Accounts Receipts and Disbursements and all Vouchers for the same which said Auditors or any Four of them for the Time being upon Consideration and Examination upon Oath of the said Accounts (which Oath the Chancellor or Deputy or Mayor or Deputy are hereby imposed to administer) and on their settling the same are hereby empowered to allow and pass the said Accounts and Accounts as they shall think fit or such Part or Parts of the same as they or the major Part of them shall think just or reasonable the which Account or Accounts so audited as aforesaid or such Part or Parts of them as shall be audited and allowed by the Auditors or any Four of them under their Hands shall be fully entered into Three several Books to be kept for that Purpose one whereof shall be kept among the Estates of the said University another among the Records of the Sessions of the Peace for the said County of Cambridge and the other shall remain in and among the Records of the Sessions of Peace of the said Town of Cambridge the which said Book and Books shall and may be inspected and perused by any Person or Persons requiring the same without any Fee or other Reward to be paid therefore

XIX

Truly Inquest to be had of Receipts and Disbursements.

And Accounts made up and settled before Auditors. Who are to be such Auditors.

At which Time the Commissioners, Treasurer, and Collectors are to attend with Accounts and Vouchers—Examination upon Oath.

Accounts when audited and allowed to be entered in Books to be kept for that Purpose as herein mentioned. Books may be inspected without Fee.

And forasmuch as the Passage on the said River from the said Place called Claythorpe alias Claythorpe Ferry unto the said Queen's Mill within the University and Town of Cambridge is against the Stream so that the said Barges Boats Lighters and other Vessels many of Necessity in some Places and at some Times be drawn and hauled up by the Strength of Men and Horses Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Water Men Lighter Men Boat Men and Barge Men and other Helpers of them in convenient Places and such as the said Conservators or the major Part of them shall think or appoint to have and use Winches Ropes and other Engines and with the same and by Strength of Men and Horses or either of them to go upon the Land or Banks near the said River or Passage without any Hindrance Let Trouble or Impediment of any Person or Persons and to draw or haul up the Barges Boats Lighters or other Vessels doing no [other] Harm then only by going or travelling upon the said Land or Banks near adjoining and limited and appointed by the said Conservators or the major Part of them as aforesaid

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Watermen, the way how and the Winches, Ropes, &c. for hauling up Barges, &c. as herein mentioned.

Any for preventing of all Damages and Mischances that may be done or committed by rude and disorderly Persons managing or employed in the said Barges Boats Lighters or other Vessels and that the Owners and Masters thereof may be more careful to prevent the same Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Owner and Master of any Lighter Boat or other Vessel or Vessels that shall pass up and down the said River shall be and is hereby made answerable and responsible for any Damage or Mischance that shall be done by his Boat Lighter or other Vessel or Vessels or by the whole or any Part of the Crew thereof to any of the Shoars Locks Stanchions Turnpikes Piers for Water or any other of the Works or Engines of or belonging to the said River or for any Troughs or Damages done to the Owner or Possessor of any Lands near or adjoining to the said River otherwise

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Owners and Masters of Lighters, Boats, &c. answerable for Damages done by such Lighters, Boats, &c. or by the Crew thereof.

and may be used  
for the same as if  
done by themselves.

Full Costs.

XXII.  
In Actions for  
rescuing Ships.

General Issue  
may be pleaded.

XXIII.  
Expenses for  
making up the  
apparent Part  
of Weirs, &c.

XXIV.  
Proviso for Vice-  
Chancellor of the  
University acting  
in the Absence of  
the Chancellor.

XXV.  
Major Part of  
Gentlemen may  
appoint Collectors,  
&c. and make  
Orders for Usage  
of the said River,  
&c.

XXVI.  
Proviso for the  
Chancellor and  
other Persons  
being sworn to  
execute Orders made  
to be made, relative  
Collectors, &c.

shall be authorized by this Act or contrary to the true Meaning thereof. And the said Master or Owner of the said Barges Bows Lighters or other Vessels shall and may be sued and prosecuted for the same as if it were a Trespass actually committed by himself and if found guilty the Plaintiff shall not only recover the Damages thereby sustained but also Full Costs of Suit.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Bill Plea or Suit be brought in any of Her Majesty's Courts at Westminster or elsewhere against any Person or Persons for or concerning any Matter or Thing by him them or any of them to be done advised or consented to be done by virtue of this Act or any thing herein contained that it shall and may be lawful to and for every such Person and Persons and for all that act in their Aid or Assistance or by their Commandment to plead the General Issue and if in Replevin to justify or avow by virtue of this Act as Persons acting by Authority of Commissioners of Sewers are enabled to do and to give this Act or any thing herein contained in Evidence to the Jury that shall try the same to maintain their said Plea and shall thereupon take Advantage as if the same had been by them fully and well pleaded.

Provided nevertheless That the Tops and uppermost Part of all and every the Weirs Dams and Piers for Water to be made or set up in the said River by virtue of this Act shall be lower by a Foot than the Tops and uppermost Parts of the Soyle of the Land which are next adjoining to the said Works.

[And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Cambridge or his Deputy at all and every Time and Times hereafter in the Absence of the Chancellor of the said University to do perform and execute all and every such Acts Powers and Things as the said Chancellor is by this Act authorized enabled and empowered to do in case he was present Any thing in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding.]

[And for preventing any Obstructions or Delays in effecting the Purposes by this Act before appointed be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Commissioners or the major Part of them at a Meeting to be had for that Purpose to nominate and choose such Person or Persons as they shall think fit to be Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers and Treasurer of the Moneys to be raised by the Tolls and Duties aforesaid and also to make and make Orders and Constitutions for the good and orderly Usage of the said River and Passage and the Banks and Works and for all Boats Boat Men and Carriages passing by upon or through the said River or Passage.

Provided always That it shall and may be lawful for the said Chancellor or in his Absence the Vice-Chancellor or his Deputy and Twelve of the Bench of the said University or the major Part of them and the Chairman of the said Sessions and Twelve of the Justices of the Peace of the said County or the major Part of them and the Mayor or his Deputy and Aldermen of the said Town of Cambridge or the major Part of them for that Purpose assembled or the major Part of them to assemble to alter or vacate such Orders and Constitutions and make others and from time to time to repeal vacate or alter the same and also to remove and change such Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers and Treasurer or any of them and put other or others in his or their said Office or Offices and Place or Places Any thing herein before contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.]

## CHAPTER XII.

An Act for the rebuilding and adorning the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul London.

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t. 12m, p. 5. a. 12.

Revenue for paying  
this Act.

They upon Coals  
and Cakes imported  
into London.

WHEREAS the Revenue already granted for rebuilding and adorning the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul London is not sufficient to complete the same and it being also requisite to remove the Houses between the North Side of the said Cathedral Church and the Alley called New Jewry and Pudding Alley which by their Nearness thence expose it to apparent Danger in case of Fire the Purchase and Removal whereof will be at additional Expence and the Building being now so far advanced that it may in few Years be perfected if vigorously carried on Be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and [the] Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That for all Sorts of Coals and Cakes which from and after the Fifteenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and eight and before the Fifteenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and sixteen shall be imported or brought into the Port of the said City of London or the River of Thames within the Liberty of the said City upon the same River there shall be paid by Way of Imposition thereupon over and besides all other Impositions and Duties according to the Rates hereafter mentioned (that is to say) For all such Sorts of Coals and Cakes as are usually sold by the [Chandler] for every [Chandler] thereof containing Thirty six Bushels Winchester Measure the Sum of Two Shillings and for each Sort of Coals as are sold by the Ton for every Ton thereof containing Twenty Hundred Weight the Sum of Two Shillings which said Imposition of Two

\* inserted to the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

\* inserted in the Roll.

\* Chandler's C.

Shillings for every [Chalder] of Coals or Culm or Ton of Coals shall from time to time during the Term aforesaid be levied unrevoked collected and paid in the same Manner Methods and Place and at such Places and by such Rates Ways and Means and under such Penalties Forfeitures as are mentioned expressed or directed in and by an Act of Parliament passed at Westminster in the First Year of the Reign of King James the Second intituled An Act for rebuilding finishing and adorning of the Cathedral Church of Saint Pauls London for levying assessing collecting and paying the Imposition of Eighteen Pence for every [Chalder] or Ton of Coals granted by the said recited Act and that all and every the Powers Authorities Articles Rules and Clauses in the said recited Act mentioned or contained shall be of such Force and Effect to all Intents and Purposes for the levying collecting paying ordering and disposing of the Imposition hereby granted for and during the said Term herein before limited as if the same were particularly said at large set down and enacted by this Act

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such Sum and Sums of Money which shall be raised collected or levied by virtue of this Act shall be appropriated applied and disposed to the completing adorning repairing and governing the said Cathedral Church of Saint Pauls and to no other Use or Purpose whatsoever And that the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury Lord Bishop of London and Lord Mayor of London for the Time being or any Two of them shall have the like Powers and Authorities for the ordering directing and disposing of the Moneys arising by virtue of this Act for the Purpose before mentioned as they had by the said former Act for the ordering directing and disposing of the Moneys arising thereby

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury Lord Bishop of London and Lord Mayor of London for the Time being or any Two of them to contract for and purchase and to appropriate by Warranty under their Hands and Seals so much Moneys arising by the Duties granted by this Act as shall be sufficient for the contracting for purchasing and demolishing all the said Houses and Buildings with their Appurtenances which are now erected and standing between the North Side of the said Cathedral Church and the said Alleys called New Jury and Fishing Alley and that the Ground of the said Houses and Yards thereunto belonging (when purchased) shall be and remain for ever after free from any future Building whatsoever except as herein after is excepted And also all Houses Buildings and Sheds made use of for Workshops or any Offices of the said Patriarch for the Building thereof shall at such Time as the said Lord Archbishop of Canterbury Lord Bishop of London and Lord Mayor of London for the Time being or any Two of them shall appear be pulled and taken down and that the Ground or Soil thereof shall be laid out and remain as Part of the Church Yard of the said Cathedral Church and that for the making the more regular the said Church Yard the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury Lord Bishop of London and Lord Mayor of London for the Time being or any Two of them shall have Power so to treat and agree with the respective Vestries of the Parishes of Saint Gregory and Saint Faith for exchanging their Pieces of Burial in the Church Yard and Yards under the Cathedral Church of Saint Pauls for other Equivalent Ground and Yards belonging to the said Cathedral or elsewhere in the said Parishes And all the said Ground and Yards as well due to be received in Exchange as of the Houses Buildings and Sheds aforesaid shall be deemed and reputed the Church Yard and burying Ground of the Cathedral Church of Saint Pauls

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That at such Time as the said Lord Arch Bishop of Canterbury Lord Bishop of London and Lord Mayor of London for the Time being or any Two of them shall think fit the said Church Yard shall be inclosed or separated from the High Street and that no House or Building whatsoever shall hereafter be erected in or upon any Part of the said Church Yard except a Place for the Meeting of the Chapter of the said Cathedral Church and for keeping (the) Stores for the necessary Repairs of the said Church which may be built by and with Part of the Money to be raised by virtue of this Act And if any House or Building shall hereafter be erected in or upon any Part thereof except as before excepted the same shall be taken and esteemed a common Nuisance and be prosecuted and punished as such

And whereas some of the Houses and Grounds which may be purchased and made Use of for securing the said Cathedral from Accidents of Fire and for regulating the Church Yard as aforesaid do or may belong to the See of London Deans and Chapter or Petty Canon of the said Cathedral in Right of the said See Chapter and Church Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Sale made by the Lord Bishop of London Dean and Chapter or Petty Canon of any such Houses and Grounds for the Purposes aforesaid shall be good and valid in the Law and shall bind them and their Successors Any Statute of Restraint to the contrary notwithstanding

And that the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury Lord Bishop of London and Lord Mayor of London for the Time being or any Two of them shall apply and lay out the Moneys which shall be paid for the Purchase of the Sites and Interest of the said Lord Bishop of London Dean and Chapter or Petty Canon in the said Houses and Grounds belonging to the said See of London the said Dean and Chapter and Petty Canon or any of them for the purchasing of Lands and Tenements in Fee Simple to be sold upon them respectively and upon their respective Successors in Right of the said Church which said Purchase and Settlements shall be valid in Law to all Intents and Purposes the Statute of Mortmain or any other Statute Law or Customs notwithstanding

to be collected and paid only by the said Act II c. 12

and the said Act to be in Force

II.  
The said Duties applied to building and repairing the said Cathedral only.

The Archbishop of Canterbury, Bishop of London, and Lord Mayor to have Power to use the said Act.

III.  
The said Premises empowered to apply the Duties in purchasing Houses and Buildings James described the Purpose of the Act.

Power to agree with the Vestries of St. Gregory and St. Faith for the Exchange of Burial Places and Yards, &c.

IV.  
Proviso for inclosing the Churchyard, &c.

Buildings erected therein (Exemption) common Nuisance

V.  
Sale by the Bishop of London, Dean and Chapter, for any such Money to arise from the Inclosure upon them and their Successors.

VI.  
The said Archbishop, Bishop, and Lord Mayor to lay out Money to arise from the Sale to the Purchase of Lands and Tenements in Fee Simple, to be sold in Right of the said Church

VI.  
The said Arch-  
bishop, Bishop,  
and Lord Mayor  
may mortgage the  
said House.

The Interest to be  
paid out of Duties  
arising under this  
Act 2 W. III. c. 12.

Proviso for the  
Security of poor  
Artificers.

AND whereas it is the Intention of this Act that the rebuilding of the said Cathedral Church of Saint Paul be speedily completed which will necessarily charge and Expence that would be considerable in case of a slow and dilatory Progress be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Lord Archbishop of Canterbury Lord Bishop of London [and Lord Mayor of London] for the Time being or any Two of them shall and are hereby empowered by Indenture under their Hands and Seals to engage the Trusts arising out of the respective Impositions by this Act or any Part or Parts thereof as a Security for the Repayment of any Sum or Sums of Money by them to be borrowed for the Ends and Purposes of this Act with Interest for Forbearance of the same (the Interest whereof to grow due before the Commencement of the Duty hereby imposed shall and may be paid out of the Moneys arising by the Duties given by an Act made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of the late King William the Third intitled An Act for completing the building and adorning the Cathedral Church of St. Pauls London and for requiring the Collegiate Church of St. Peter Westminster as in such Payments do not prejudice any Persons who have already advanced any Sums on the Credit of the said last mentioned Duties) to any Person or Persons that shall or will advance or lend any Sum or Sums of Money upon such Security all which Money so to be borrowed shall be employed for and towards rebuilding finishing adorning and securing the said Cathedral Church and for contracting for purchasing and demolishing the adjacent Houses and Buildings aforesaid as also for lacking and regulating the Church Yard of the said Cathedral Church according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

## CHAPTER III.

Act. For a short  
time 2 W. III.

AN ACT for continuing former Acts for exporting Leather and for Ease of Jurers and for reviving and making more effectual an Act relating to Vagrants.

See before Stat. 11.  
c. 12 as amended.

by Stat. 1 Ann. II.  
c. 12.

Stat. 1 W. & M.  
c. 22.  
2 & 3 W. III.  
c. 25.

continued by  
7 Years, &c.

WHEREAS divers temporary Laws which by Experience are found to be useful and beneficial are now expiring therefore for continuing the same be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That an Act made in the Twentieth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second intitled An Act for giving Liberty to buy and export Leather and Skins tanned and dressed which Act was revoked by an Act in the first Year of the Reign of the late King James which Act was revived and continued by an Act made in the first Year of the late King William and Queen Mary which Act was revived and continued by another Act in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reign of King William the Third intitled An Act for continuing several Acts therein mentioned which Act will expire the End of the first Session of Parliament next after the Twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three shall be continued and be in force for the Space of Seven Years from the End of that Session of Parliament and from thence to the End of the first Session of Parliament thence next ensuing.

II.  
Stat. 7 & 8 W. III.  
c. 24.

continued for  
7 Years, &c.

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That an Act made in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reign of King William the Third intitled An Act for the Ease of Jurers and better regulating of Juries which Act will expire at the End of the next Session of Parliament after the first Day of May One thousand seven hundred and three shall be and is hereby continued for the Space of Seven Years from the Expiration thereof and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament.

III.  
Reason for passing  
the Enclosure.

No Person  
interested in  
Tenure of the  
yearly Value of  
a Copy and especially  
to be returned to  
serve on Juries in  
the County of York  
Presby after.

AND whereas divers Persons within the County of York liable to serve on Juries at Assizes and Sessions of the Peace (having very considerable Estates in Freehold and Copyhold) do for their own Ease prevail with Sheriffs not to be returned and summoned to the Service of the Sessions being high their Education and the Attendance thereon which often necessitates Men of mature Estates to be on Juries at the Assizes that otherwise might and ought to be where the considerable Men of Estates liable to the said Service ought in their legal Course to be returned summoned and to serve For Remedy whereof be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in Parliament assembled That no Person interested in such Estate as will qualify him to serve on Juries of the clear yearly Value of One hundred and fifty Pounds or of any greater yearly Value shall be returned and summoned to serve upon any Jury at any Sessions of the Peace holden for any Part of the County of York upon the Penalty of Twenty Pounds to be forfeited by any Sheriff Under Sheriff or other Officer whosoever making such Return and Summons as aforesaid to be recovered to and for the Use of any Person that will sue for the same in any of the Courts of Record at Westminster by Action of Debt Bill Plea Information or otherwise wherein no Emolument Privilege or Wager of Law or more than one Imparance shall be allowed

IV.  
Stat. 11 W. III.  
c. 15.

continued for  
7 Years, &c.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That an Act made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of the late King William the Third intitled An Act for the more effectual Punishment of Vagrants and sending them whether by Law they ought to be sent which Act will expire at the End of the next Session of Parliament after the Twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three be continued for the Space of Three Years from the Expiration thereof and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament

And whereas the said Act has respect only to such Vagrants as are found to have *Passes Testimonials Letters of Request* or other Writings pretending thereby either to be relieved or conveyed by the Authority aforesaid That the said Act shall be and be construed to extend to all Vagrants whatsoever whether with *Passes* or without

V.  
and conveyed to  
extend to all  
Vagrants

And whereas several great Sums of Money since the making the said Act have been levied and expended for the conveying of Vagrants and that some Justices of the Peace give greater Allowances to Constables for conveying Vagrants than may seem to be necessary and that the Owners of Horne Wagons Carts or other necessary Carriages for conveying such Vagrants are often extravagant in their Rates and Demands for Remedies whereof and for better regulating and settling such Allowances he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Justices of the Peace at the First Quarter Sessions that shall be held for the several Counties Ridings Divisions and Liberties after the Commencement of this Act wherein they are commissioned to act and so yearly at every Easter Sessions during the Continuance of this Act are hereby empowered and required to ascertain and set down the several Rates that shall for the Year ensuing be allowed for maintaining and conveying of such Vagrants as shall be passed or carried through their respective Counties Ridings Divisions and Liberties of which said Rates the Clerks of the Peace are hereby required to give Copies to each Justice gratis that they may accordingly regulate the Allowances which they shall have occasion to tax upon the Back of the Certificate by them to be given to the several Petty Constables

VI.  
Reasons for passing  
the Enactment

Quarto Session  
twice to settle  
Rates for  
maintaining and  
conveying  
Vagrants.

And it is hereby further enacted That no Chief or High Constable shall pay the Rates taxed upon the Certificate brought to them (') unless they shall at the same Time produce to them a Receipt from the Constable of the adjacent Counties to whom they are ordered to deliver the said Vagrant of their having received such Vagrant or Vagrants directed to be conveyed to them by the said Order which said Constables of the said adjacent Counties are hereby required to receive the said Vagrant or Vagrants and at the same Time to give such Receipt as hereby is required

VII.  
High Constables  
not to pay Rates  
unless Receipts of  
Vagrants produced.

Constables to  
receive such  
Vagrants

And it is hereby further enacted That if any Chief Constable Petty Constable or other such Officer shall refuse or neglect to do their several Duties by this Act enjoined they shall for every Offence forfeit the Sum of Twenty Shillings which said several Forfeitures and Penalties shall be recovered and recoverable in other Forfeitures and Penalties by this or the former Act are appointed to be recovered.

VIII.  
Constables, &c.  
neglecting their  
Duty.  
Penalty 20s.

#### CHAPTER XIV.

An Act for the increasing the Consumption of malted Corn and for the better preventing the running of French and Foreign Brandy.

Act, Part 4 done  
23. 3. 1702.

WHEREAS the making of English Brandy and Strong Waters from malted Corn hath been encouraged by several Acts of Parliament whereby great Quantities of the worse Sort of malted Corn not useful to the Barren hath been yearly consumed by those who set up Works for that Purpose And whereas the Consumption of English Brandy and Strong Waters made from malted Corn hath of late Years been greatly hindered as well by the running of French and other Foreign Brandy as also by a Clause in an Act made in the Twelfth and Thirteenth Years of His late Majesties Kings intended An Act for granting unto His Majesty several Duties upon Low Wines or Spirits of the first Extraction and for continuing other Duties whereby all Distillers and Tradersmen who sell Brandy or Strong Waters by Retail are compelled to take Licences as common Alehouse Keepers For Remedies whereof he is enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That as for and concerning all Distillers who keep Houses or Places of drinking the Liquors aforesaid and also all other Shopkeepers whose principal Dealings shall be more in other Goods and Merchandises than in Brandy or Strong Waters and who do not permit or suffer spilling in his or their Houses the said Clause in the said recited Act for compelling all Distillers and others to take Licences as common Alehousekeepers shall be repealed and the same Clause is hereby repealed

Reasons for passing  
the Act.

Stat. 12th 13th W. III.  
c. 11. 1740.

repealed as herein  
intended.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall at any Time hereafter import land or deliver out of any Ship Vessel or Boat any French Brandy before the Duty due or payable to Her Majesty for the same shall be paid or secured to be paid or by Licence from the proper Officer as to do every Person or Persons that shall so do or be aiding or assisting therein or shall conceal the same when loaded shall not only forfeit the Goods so imported but also forfeit and pay Double the Value of such Goods so clandestinely imported one Moiety whereof after Charges of Suit deducted shall be paid to Her Majesty and the other Moiety thereof to the Informer who shall sue for the same in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record by Bill Plaint or Information wherein no Essoign Protection or Wages of Law shall be allowed nor any more than one Imparison

II.  
Loading, &c.  
French Brandy  
before Duty paid  
or secured.  
aiding or assisting  
when loaded.  
Penalty

1. By these Petty Constables. D. in King's Printer's Copy.

III  
Officers of Revenue  
concerned in  
disturbances,  
Impediments, or  
obstacles affecting  
the Revenue, and  
Penalty upon  
any Person

And if any Officer or Officers belonging to Her Majesties Customs or Excise or other Her Majesties Duties or Revenues shall connive at or be concerned in any such clandestine Importation or after he shall be informed thereof shall conceal the same or not give Notice thereof to Her Majesties Commissioners of the Customs or Excise or some of them or shall compound without License with any Person or Persons concerned in any such clandestine Importation of Fourth Brandy such Person and Persons shall be incapable of executing any Office in Her Majesties Revenue and shall also forfeit and pay the Sum of Five hundred Pounds to be recovered and divided as aforesaid.

## CHAPTER XV. (1)

Act for raising the Militia for the Year One thousand seven hundred and three notwithstanding the Months Pay formerly advanced be not repaid.

Recall of this,  
14 Car II. c. 3. § 1

And Act for raising the Militia for the Year One thousand seven hundred and three notwithstanding the Months Pay formerly advanced be not repaid.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Thirtieth and Thirtieth Years of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the ordering the Forces in the several Counties of this Kingdom it was amongst other Things enacted That in case of Insurrections Insurrections or rebellions whereby Obstacles should be to draw out the Soldiers mentioned and appointed in and by the said Act into actual Service the Persons charged by the said Act with Houses Houses and Arms should provide such their Soldiers respectively with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Months Pay as should be in their Discretion by their respective Lieutenants of the several Counties and in their Absence or otherwise by their Direction by their Deputies or any Two or more of them for Repayment of which said Monies and for Satisfaction of the Officers for their Pay during such Time not exceeding One Month as aforesaid as they should be with their Soldiers in each several Service it was thereby declared that Provision should be made for the same by His and Majesties His Heirs and Successors out of His or Their publick Treasury or Revenue nevertheless it was thereby further provided and enacted that in case a Months Pay should be provided and advanced as aforesaid that no Person who should have advanced his Provision thereof should be charged with any other like Monthes Payment until he or they should be reimbursed the said Monthes Pay and so from time to time the said Monthes Pay by him or them last before provided and advanced as aforesaid And whereas upon the Invasion of the County of this Kingdom by the French it was found necessary for the publick Defence and Safety to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to charge the said Persons to provide such their Soldiers respectively with Pay in Hand either the Monthes Pay by several of them before that Time provided and advanced was not yet repaid be reimbursed And whereas it may be necessary for the publick Safety and Defence of this Realm to draw the said Forces into actual Service Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if at any Time before the Twenty fourth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four it shall be found by Her Majesty to be necessary for the Defence and Safety of this Kingdom to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and the same shall be declared and signified to the [respective] Lieutenants or Deputy Lieutenants and the Lord Wardens of the Cinque Ports Two ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants by Her Majesty it shall be lawful for the said Lieutenants or their Deputies or any Two or more of them as aforesaid and the Lord Wardens of the Cinque Ports Two ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants in pursuance of such Orders from Her Majesty notwithstanding One or more Monthes Pay before that Time advanced be not reimbursed to raise and draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to cause the Persons charged as aforesaid to provide such their Soldiers with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Monthes Pay in such Manner as if all the Pay before that Time advanced and provided had been fully reimbursed and paid

II  
Act for W. III.  
c. 14. § 1  
proposed.

And whereas some Doubts have arisen concerning one Clause in one other Act made in the Tenth and Eleventh Years of King William the Third intitled An Act for raising the Militia for the Year One thousand six hundred thirty nine although the Monthes Pay formerly advanced be not repaid relating to such Persons as are Contributed to the finding of Horsemens Houses and Arms and Foot Soldiers and Arms be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the said Clause was intended to be and shall be deemed and taken to be perpetual

III  
Act for W. III.  
c. 14. § 1.  
proposed.

And whereas by virtue of a Clause contained in the said Act made in the Tenth and Eleventh Years of the Reign of King William the Third intitled An Act for raising the Militia for the Year One thousand six hundred thirty nine although the Monthes Pay formerly advanced be not repaid the Lieutenants or Lieutenants or in their Absence Three or more of the Deputy Lieutenants for each County Riding Division or Place where the Birth of Peppes and equated Peppes or other Persons refusing to take the Oaths mentioned in an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for strengthening the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy and appointing other Oaths when lawfully needed to them shall or do by are empowered to nominate and appoint such Person or Persons as they shall think most meet and proper to furnish or at least One or more Horsemens Houses and Arms or Foot Soldiers and Arms for the same Counties and are empowered to

(W. III. c. 14. § 1.)

<sup>1</sup> Cap. XXII. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Roll

charge the said Estates with the Payment of the yearly Sums therein mentioned to such Persons and Persons to shall furnish and set forth the same with such Receipts for the Recovery thereof as are in the said Clause expressed. And whereas some Doubts have arisen concerning the said Clause be it therefore enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the said Clause in the said Act made in the Tenth and Eleventh Years of the Reigne of King William the Third was intended to be and shall be deemed and taken to be perpetual.

[And be it further enacted That the said Lieutenant or those Deputies shall not issue out Warrants for the raising any Trophy Money @ the Jurisons of the Peace or the major Part of such Jurisons at their several and respective General Quarter Sessions for their respective Counties Boroughs Divesons and Places shall have examined stated and allowed the Accounts of the said Money so raised levied and collected for the Year then next and immediately proceeding and certified such Examinations of the said Accounts under the Hands and Seals of Four [or 5] more such Jurisons]

IV.  
Treason, An.  
act to raise  
Warrants for  
Trophy Money  
@ Quarter Sessions  
shall have allowed  
and certified the  
Accounts of the  
preceding Year.

## CHAPTER XVI.

An Act to oblige Edward Whisker to account for such Sums of Publick Money as hath been received by him.

WHEREAS during the last War with France and since great Sums of the Publick Money by virtue of several Orders from the late Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of England for the Time being and otherwise have been issued and paid by the several Treasurers of the Navy or by other Hands to Edward Whisker late Solicitor for the Affairs of the Admiralty and Navy in order to moneys and carry on divers Prosecutions on Behalf of the Crown against Offenders or for other Services relating to the Admiralty and Navy. And by an Act of Parliament made in the Thirtieth Year of the Reigne of the late King William the Third of blessed Memory entitled An Act for reviving and continuing an Act intituled An Act for the appointing Commissioners to take accounts and discharge the Debts due to the Army Navy and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Peace taken during the late War it was enacted that the said Commissioners or any Three of them should have full Power and they were thereby [required] particularly to examine into the Accounts by which the said Edward Whisker procured and received the said Sums of Money and at the opening of the next Session of Parliament to lay before the House of Commons their Report representing such Matters as should appear to the said Commissioners upon Examination of the Accounts of the said Edward Whisker in pursuance of which Act the said Commissioners have in this present Session of Parliament made Report that they find of the Publick Money paid to the said Edward Whisker the Sum of Forty three thousand three hundred ninety eight Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Four Pence Three Farthings. And whereas by the said Report it appears that the said Edward Whisker hath not duly accounted for the said Money by him received now to the End that Satisfaction may be given to His Majesty how the said Publick Money or any Part thereof have been disposed of and that the said Edward Whisker may be answerable for so much as by due Course of Law he shall be found to be justly indebted to be repaid and declared by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Edward Whisker is and shall be charged and chargeable in Her Majesties Court of Exchequer to and with the said Sum of Forty three thousand three hundred ninety eight Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Four Pence Three Farthings and shall be liable to render an Account thereof according to the due Course and Method of the said Court as if the said Money had been issued to him immediately out of the Receipts of the Exchequer by way of Imprest or upon Account for the Services relating to the Admiralty or Navy. Any Orders or Directions of any former Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of England or any Matter or Thing done in pursuance thereof or any Method or Usage practiced in Her Majesties Navy or any other Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary notwithstanding.

Act, Encl. 1. An.  
P. 3. & 11.  
Reason for passing  
the Act.

Recd. of Stat.  
1702 14 W. III.  
c. 15.

and of the Report  
of the Commis-  
sioners.

The said Edward  
Whisker charged  
with the Sum of  
43,398 l. 14 s. 4 d.  
and to account for  
the same as herein  
mentioned.

And be it enacted That the Commissioners appointed (\*) by Act of Parliament for examining and stating the Debts of the Army and other Debts and Arrears or any Three or more of them shall and do with all convenient Speed require and examine upon what Days and Times the said Edward Whisker did receive the several Sums according to the said Sum of Forty three thousand three hundred ninety eight Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Four Pence Three Farthings and transmit a Certificate in Parchment under their Hands and Seals into the Court of Exchequer of the said Sum of Forty three thousand three hundred ninety eight Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Four Pence Three Farthings and of the Days and Times whereupon the several Parts thereof did come to the Hands of the said Edward Whisker so far as the said Days and Times or any of them shall appear to such Commissioners or any Three or more of them and that such Certificate shall be recorded or filed in the Will Court of Exchequer.

II.  
The Commissioners  
to lay down for  
examining Debts  
of the Army, &c.  
to take and certify  
the said Accounts.

Certificate to be  
filed in the  
Exchequer.

And it is hereby further enacted That each Charge against the said Edward Whisker shall be taken and repaid as a Debt by Obligation or Specialty of the Nature of a Statute Staple taken or acknowledged to the Use of His Majesty according to the Statute made in the Third and fourth Year of the Reigne of King Henry the Eighth to oblige him to answer and account for the Money by him received as aforesaid. And that the said Edward

III.  
The said Charge to  
be taken as a  
Statute Staple  
Stat. 31 H. VIII.  
c. 15. 16. and the  
said Edward  
Whisker and his  
Heirs, An. Ind.  
Divers.

\* inserted to the Original Act in 2 separate Sections.

\* This is Chapter XLIV. in the Common printed Edition.

\* introduced in the Bill

\* as to be appointed O

and Process to be  
served thereon.

Whitaker and all the Legit Tenements Profits Censuages and Hereditaments whatsoever wherof or whereto he the said Edward Whitaker or any Person or Persons in Trust for him have been or shall be seized or possessed or at any Time or Times after the Time that he first received the said Sum of Forty three thousand three hundred and thirty eight Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Four Pence Three Farthings or any Part thereof shall be liable thereunto and that Process shall be awarded as is usual for Recovery of Debts due to the Crown according to the Statute abovesaid which Charge nevertheless shall continue in force only until such Time as the Account of the said Edward Whitaker for the said Sum of Forty three thousand three hundred thirty eight Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Four Pence Three Farthings shall be perfected and full Payment shall be made to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors of all such Moneys as upon the Determination of the said Account shall be found to be due to Her or them

IV.  
Officers to produce  
Vouchers to  
Edw. Whitaker  
gratis, and he to  
keep all just  
Accounts.

Provided That the said Edward Whitaker his Heirs Executors or Administrators in the said Account shall have all just and due Allowances made to him or them according to the Course of the said Court and to that end and Purpose the Principal Officers and Commissioners of Her Majesties Navy and all others having in their Hands any the Vouchers of the said Edward Whitaker belonging to his said Account to be made in the Exchequer or otherwise are hereby required to deliver the same gratis to him his Heirs Executors or Administrators to be made use of according to the Course of the said Court in the making of the said Account.

ITEM quedam Petitiones personarum concernentes in se habet Actus continentes exhibite facti predicti Domini Regis in Parliamento producti quosq. Tenet subsecutusur viz.

1. An Act for rectifying a Mistake in a late Act intitled An Act to enable Sir Robert Mordaunt Knight and Baronet to dispose of Lands in Hertfordshire and to settle other Lands of better Value in Kent to the same Use as the Lands in Hertfordshire are used.

2. An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate late of William Peachey Esq: deceased for Payment of Legacies charged thereupon.

3. An Act for settling divers Manors Lands and Hereditaments the Estate of Henry Duke of Beaufort according to the Agreement made upon his Marriage and for other Purposes in the said Act mentioned.

4. An Act to vest divers Lands and Tenements of Sir Thomas Henshaw Baronet in the County of Hertford in Trustees to be sold and to settle other Lands and Tenements in lieu thereof.

5. An Act for giving further Time to John Lord Bishop of Chichester and his Successors to make Leases of certain Houses and Ground in and near Chancery Lane belonging to the Bishopsrick of Chichester.

6. An Act to enable Sir Edward Williams to sell certain Manors and Lands in the Counties of Bercon and Radnor for Payment of Debts

7. An Act for the better collecting the Duties granted for making the Way out of Chancery Lane into Lincolns Inn Fields and for determining the said Duties when the Parties concerned are paid.

8. An Act to enable the surviving Trustees and Executors of the late Wm and Testament of Thomas Fane Esq: deceased to pay an Annuity unto Mildmay Fane Esq: for his Maintenance and Education until he shall attain his Age of One and twenty Years.

9. An Act to enable Richard Lord Bulkeley Viscount Cobbold in the Kingdom of Ireland and Richard Bulkeley Esquire his Son to make a Settlement upon the Marriage of the said Richard Bulkeley.

10. An Act for confirming and establishing a Partition made by Sir Edmund Fowler Knight and Dorothea Ann his Wife and Elizabeth Buggin Widow of certain Manors and Lands in the County of Kent in the Year One thousand six hundred and thirty four.

11. An Act for incorporating certain Persons for the better providing for and setting at work the Poor in the City of Gloucester.

12. An Act to enable Andrew Hacket Esq: to dispose of several Manors and Lands in the Counties of Stafford and Warwick and City of Lichfield for settling Provision for his younger Children upon settling another Estate in Succession in the County of Lincoln of better Value in the same Use as the Manors and Lands in the Counties of Stafford and Warwick and City of Lichfield were used.

13. An Act for making Provision for the younger Children of Jonathan Cuslemann of Coberghy in the County of Gloucester Esq: and for supplying an Omission in his Fathers Will of a Power for making Leases.

14. An Act to enable William Colman Esq: and others to make Sale of Lands for Payment of the Debts and Legacies of William Sewell Esq: deceased.



xxx. *An Act for the vesting of the several Messuages Lands and Hereditaments in the County of Essex here belonging to John Comper Gent. deceased in Trust to be sold for better Payment of his Debts and Legacies charged thereon.*

xxxi. *An Act for the better settling the Real and Personal Estate of John Goddard Esq. deceased to and for the Benefit of John Goddard his Son and Mary Goddard his Daughter Infants during their Minority.*

xxxii. *An Act for confirming the Division of a Third Part of the Manor of Burton Dunstott in the County of Warwick heretofore made by the Owners thereof.*

xxxiii. *An Act to enable the Executors of James Heest Esq. deceased to pay a Sum of Money in Discharge of a Trust in her respect by his Will.*

xxxiv. *An Act to enable Charles Aldworth Esq. to sell Lands and Tenements for Payment of his Fathers Debts and his Sinses Portions.*

xxxv. *An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of Charles Martin Esq. for the Payment of Debts charged thereupon and for the making Provision for his younger Children.*

xxxvi. *An Act for the better improving a certain Piece of Ground in the Parish of Saint Martins in the Fields for the Use of the Poor and for other the Purposes therein mentioned.*

xxxvii. *An Act to enable the Devises of James Supple and all charging under them to make Leases for the Improvement of the Estate devised.*

xxxviii. *An Act concerning the Exchange of certain Lands lying in or near Beauparc in the County of Northampton for Lands lying in or near Wickham in the County of Lincoln.*

xxxix. *An Act for the better Execution of the Will of John Loose Esq. deceased and for Sale of Part of his Estate to pay his Debts and Legacies for preserving the Residue thereof.*

xl. *An Act for Sale of divers Lands in the County of Kildare and Kingdom of Ireland being the Estate of Agmondisham Vesey Esq. and his Two Daughters Ann Vesey and Harrietta Vesey for the paying of Debts and clearing Incumbrances charged thereon and also for empowering the said Agmondisham Vesey to make Leases for any Term not exceeding One and twenty Years.*

xli. *An Act for Sale of several Estates for Payment of Debts charged thereupon and for disposing of the Residue of the Money at Interest for the Benefit of John Loose and other Infants pursuant to their Fathers Will.*

xlii. *An Act to enable John Arden Esq. to pay his Fathers Debts and make Provision for his Brother and Sister.*

xliii. *An Act for raising Fifteen hundred Pounds by Mortgage of Lands in the County of Down for Payment of Debts and for a further Provision and Maintenance for the younger Children of Philip Caldwell Esquire.*

xliiii. *An Act for charging the Estate late of Thomas Lister Esq. deceased with Maintenance for his Nine younger Children.*

xlv. *An Act for setting aside a Settlement in order that William Butler may have a good Conveyance of Lands from Hughall Windsor according to Articles agreed on.*

xlii. *An Act for vesting Given Lands and Tenements of Edward Owen of Easton Manor in the County of Salop Esq. in Trust to be sold for Payment of his Debts.*

xlii. *An Act for vesting certain Messuages Lands and Hereditaments of Toby Heddon the elder Esq. a Leiswick in Trust for Payment of his Debts and making Provision for himself his Wife and only Son.*

xlii. *An Act for satisfying Nicholas Weyfoott Peter Le Blanc and Jacob Sanderlick.*

## CHAPTER XVII (\*)

An Act for granting to Her Majesty several Subsidies for carrying on the War against France and Spain.

En Act 1 Anne,  
p. 6. c. 17.

Preamble.

**M**OST GRACIOUS Sovereign We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons in Parliament assembled for the better enabling Your Majesty to prosecute the present War against France and Spain and for other Your Majesties necessary and important Occasions do most humbly present to Your Majesty as an Aid or for the said several Taxes Rates Duties and Sums of Money herein after specified beseeching Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in the present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate Gilds and Franchises within this Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed using or exercising any Trade Mystery Occupation or Business of merchandising shopkeeping or other buying or selling by Wholesale or Retail who at the Time of the Execution of this Act shall possess or have to let her as their own Use or for the Use and Account of any other Person or Persons as Corporations any Goods Wares Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or vendible Stock whatsoever within this Realm of England or the Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed shall yield and pay to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for the same within the Space or Time of One Year to be reckoned from the Twenty fifth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three a Tax or Duty after the Rate of Fifty Shillings for every Hundred Pounds or Six Pence for every Twenty Shillings of the full true and real Value of such Goods Wares Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or vendible Stock whatsoever as fully and effectually as if the same were in this Act particularly enumerated and expressed and proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity or Value

to pay 5s. for  
every 100 lb.  
of Stock in Trade.II  
Persons for Mills,  
Cannons or Guns,  
Stock in Man-  
ufacture, &c.  
excepted by Act  
of Parliament

Provided That this Act shall not extend to charge any Mills whatsoever or such Corn Grain or Hay as shall be in the Hands of the Owner of the Land or of the Farmer or Tenant of the Land upon which the same did grow or any Cattle or other Stock used in Husbandry only or such Goods as at the Time of the executing of this Act shall be actually used in Household use or for Wearing Apparel or the Capital Stock of any Corporation exempted by Act of Parliament from the Payment of Taxes or with the said Duty of Fifty Shillings per Centum or any Part thereof

III.  
Persons Estate  
(Exception)  
over and above  
the said Personal  
Duties to pay  
5s. for every  
100 lb.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate Gilds and Franchises within this Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed at the Time of the Execution of this Act having any Debts whatsoever owing to them at Interest within this Realm or without or belonging to or in Trust for them whether the same be owing upon Mortgage Judgments Statute Merchant or of the Single Recognizances Bonds Bills Obligatory or other Specialties or upon any Notes or Bills or any other Securities for Money at Interest such Loans or Debts as are or shall be owing from Her Majesty to any Person or Persons whatsoever and all Arrears of Rent excepted shall over and above all other Rates and Duties by this Act charged upon such Persons or Corporations yield and pay unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors within One Year to be reckoned as aforesaid at the Rate of Five and twenty Shillings for every Hundred Pounds or Three Pence for every Twenty Shillings of such Debts owing as aforesaid out of which Payments for Debts at Interest a Deduction shall be only made for Debts truly and honestly owing at Interest from such Persons or Corporations respectively

IV.  
Persons, 40s. out  
of the Fields  
Revenue  
(Exception)  
to pay 4s. in the  
Pound.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons Gilds Franchises Bodies Politick and Corporate and every of them having or claiming to have any Annuity Pension Stipend or (\*) yearly Payment either out of the Receipts of Her Majesties Exchequer or out of any public Office or out of any Branch of Her Majesties Revenue or payable or secured to be paid by any Person or Persons whatsoever not being Rents issuing out of any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or charged upon the same and not being Annuities or yearly Payments which by any Act or Acts of Parliament made or to be made are or shall be specially exempted from the Payment of Taxes or Aids shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors over and above all other Rates and Duties by this Act chargeable upon such Persons or Corporation within the Space or Time of One Year to be reckoned as aforesaid the full Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year of such Pension Annuity Stipend or yearly Payments respectively

V.  
Great Officers of  
State, Judges,  
Members of Par-  
liament, &c. in House  
aforesaid.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons whatsoever who at the Time of the Execution of this Act shall have received or enjoy or are to have receive or enjoy any Fee or Salary or any Perquisites Allowances Feeswage Gratuals Rewards Emoluments Income or Profits whatsoever of any Kind save as Officers of His Majesties Judges Masters in Chancery Clerks of the Chancery Clerks of the Exchequer and other Clerks of Law or Equity or other Clerks or as Secretaries Agents Receivers Accountants Stewards Bailiffs Receivers or other Officers and Ministers or by Reason of any Commission Office Employment or Place of Trust whether the same be great or small Ecclesiastical Civil or Military or do or do not belong to any Court of Law or Equity or have any Relation to Her Majesties Revenue or be of any other Kind whatsoever from and under Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors or by and under Her Majesty Cushman the Queen Dowager of England or by or under the Lord or Lords of any Manor or Manors or by or under

\* This is Chapter XV. in the Common Printed Edition.

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any other Authority or Persons whatsoever and all and every their Clerks Deputies Auditors and Subordinate whatsoever (such military Officers who are or shall be in Muster by the Name-Master-General of the Army or in Pay in Her Majesty's Army or Navy in respect of such Officers only excepted) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors once and above all other Taxes and Duties chargeable by any other Act or Acts of Parliament thereupon within the Space or Time of One Year to be reckoned as aforesaid the full Sum of One Shilling for every Twenty Shillings by the Year of such Fee Salary Wage Perquisites Allowances Pensions Gratitudes Rewards Emoluments Income and Profits howsoever or wheresoever the same as any of them be or shall be payable or perceptible as the Value accruing or to accrue for or by reason or occasion thereof.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Sergeants at Law Barristers Attorneys Solicitors and all Public Notaries and Scriveners or Persons practicing as such and every Chancellor Comptroller Official and Registrar and every Advocate Proctor Appraiser and Persons practicing as such all Prebendaries and Teachers in separate Congregations all Bachelors to Merchants and all Factors and other Persons acting by Commissions from Merchants or others and all and every Person or Persons practicing the Art of Physick or Chyrurgery and all and every Person and Persons exercising any other Professions whatsoever not being such Professions as are chargeable by this Act under the Head of Offices shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors within the Space or Time of One Year to be reckoned as aforesaid the full Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year which he she or they shall or may by Estimation receive perquisites or take for or by Reason of such his her or their Practices or Professions All which said Rates Duties and Payments above by this Act granted shall be assessed rated levied collected and paid by such Times and in such Manner and Form and under such Rules Authorities and Directions as are herein after mentioned.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the better assessing ordering levying and collecting of all the said Rates Duties and Sums of Money by this Act charged or to be imposed and for the more effectual putting of this present Act in Execution all and every the Persons named and appointed as such Commissioners for putting in Execution one Act of this present Parliament intitled An Act for granting to Her Majesty a Land Tax for carrying on the War against France and Spain within the several Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Cinque-Ports Towns and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed being duly qualified according to this Act shall be Commissioners for raising all the several Taxes Rates and Sums of Money by this Act granted.

And be it further enacted and declared That the several Commissioners aforesaid shall meet together at the most usual and common Place of Meeting within each of the said Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners on or before the Sixth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and three and shall meet afterwards in like Manner as often as it shall be necessary to put this Act in Execution And the said Commissioners as so many of them as shall be present at such General Meeting or Meetings or the major Part of them are hereby authorized and required to put this Act in Execution as well for the raising of the said Moneys hereby appointed to be raised for and upon all Stock as Trade Debts as Interest Penalties Offices and Professions and all other Matters and Things by this Act chargeable and shall also if they see Cause subdivide and distribute themselves and the other Commissioners not then present into lesser Numbers so as Two or more of the said Commissioners may be appointed for the Service of each Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and as may best conduce to the carrying on Her Majesty's Service [thoroughly] required nevertheless not thereby to restrain the said Commissioners or any of them from acting as Commissioners in any other Part of the County or Place for which they are appointed.

And for the more effectual Performance thereof be it enacted and declared That the Commissioners at each General Meeting or the major Part of them then present shall also agree and set down in Writing who and what Number of the said Commissioners shall act in each of the said Divisions or Hundreds and shall deliver true Copies of such Writings to the Receiver General to be appointed by Her Majesty to the end there may be no Failure in any Part of the due Execution of the Service by this Act required And the Commissioners within the several Hundreds Lathes Wapentakes Rapes Wards and other Divisions or any Three or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the several Rates as well for the said Stock as Trade as for the said Debts as Interest Penalties and Professions and for the said Twelve Pence in the Pound upon Offices and all other Things by this Act chargeable to be duly assessed and taxed within every such Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward and other Division and within every Parish or Place therein according to the true Meaning of this Act And for that End and Purpose to direct their several or joint Precept or Precepts to such Inhabitants Eligible Consueable Petty Consueable Burgesses or other like Officers or Ministers and such Number of them as they in their Discretions shall think most convenient to be Presenters and Assessors requiring them to appear before the said Commissioners at such Place and Time not exceeding six Days as they shall appoint and at such their Appearance the said Commissioners or such of them as shall be then present shall openly read or cause to be read unto them the several Rates Duties and Charges in this Act mentioned And also openly declare the Effect of their Charge to them and how and in what Manner they should and ought to make their Assessments and how they ought to proceed in the Execution of this Act according to the true Meaning of the same.

(Exemption)

and above all other Duties  
1s. for every 20s.  
by the Year.

V.  
Sergeants, Esqrs,  
attorneys, Proctors,  
Fiscals, &c. not  
being charged  
under the Head  
of Offices,  
to pay 4s. in the  
Pound for One  
Year.

VII.  
The Commissioners  
for this Year's  
Land Tax, if  
qualified, to be  
Commissioners  
for the Act.

VIII.  
Commissioners to  
meet on or before  
6th April 1703.

and afterwards, as  
often as shall be  
necessary.

May subdivide as  
Two or more be  
appointed for each  
Division.

IX.  
Commissioners at  
their Meeting to  
set down in Writing  
what Number of  
Commissioners  
shall act in each  
Division, &c.  
Commissioners to  
direct Inhabitants, &c.  
requiring them to  
appear before  
the Commissioners.

and appoint  
Assessors, and  
direct Precepts  
to Inhabitants, &c.  
requiring them to  
appear.

or Appraisers,  
Commissioners  
to openly read the  
Rates, and not sell  
them how to act.

**X.**  
Officers swearing  
themselves, or  
Persons appearing  
refusing to serve.

Also if any such Constable Petty Constable Bayliff Officer or Minister or other Inhabitant to whom any Process shall be directed shall absent themselves without lawful Excuse to be made out by the Oath of Two credible Witnesses which Oaths the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered to administer or if any Officer or Person appearing shall refuse to serve then every such Officer or Person so making Default or refusing to serve shall for every such Default or Refusal forfeit and loose to His Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many as shall be present at the mayor Part of them being present shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Five Pounds nor less than Forty Shillings.

**Penalty**

**XI.**  
Commissioners to  
appoint Assessors.

Also at and after each Charge given as aforesaid the said Commissioners shall take Care that Warrants be issued forth and directed to Two at the least of the able and sufficient Inhabitants of each Parish Township or Place within their respective Divisions thereby appointing and requiring them to be Assessors of all and every the Rates and Sums of Money by this Act imposed And shall therein also appoint and prefix a certain Day and Place for the said Assessors to appear before them and to bring in their Assessments in Writing of the Names and Sums of all and every Person or Persons dwelling or residing within the respective Limits of those Places with which they shall be charged upon whom any the Rates Duties or Payments in this Act before specified and declared are to be set and imposed and to distinguish in several Columns to be contained in One or more Books or Sheets of Paper the Particulars following (viz) the Trade Mystery or Occupation of all Persons chargeable for Stock in Trade and the true Value of such their Stock respectively with the whole Tax chargeable thereupon by this Act after the Rate of Fifty Shillings per Centum or Six Pence in the Pound as aforesaid the Debts or Interest which shall be owing to any of the said Persons and the whole Tax to be charged thereupon by this Act after the Rate of Twenty five Shillings per Centum as aforesaid the several Persons Annually Specially or other yearly Payments which any Persons do receive or are indebted unto and the whole Tax of Four Shilling in the Pound thereupon the Nature and Value of the several Offices Employments and Ranks of Trade but enjoyed continued or said by any of the said Persons and the whole Tax chargeable thereupon by this Act after the Rate of One Shilling in the Pound the Nature and Value of the several Professions taxable by this Act and the whole Tax of Four Shillings in the Pound chargeable thereupon And the said Assessors shall duly assess and tax the same to and with the several Duties by this Act intended And the said Assessors in their Books or Papers of the several Assessments aforesaid shall insert such other Particulars and Descriptions as may best ascertain the Rates thereby intended to be imposed And shall bring with them at the Time and Place so as aforesaid provided for their Appearance their Books or Certificates in Writing of all the said Assessments And the said several Assessors who shall make the said Assessments shall by virtue of this Act within the Limits and Bounds of those Parish Townships Countenances or Places where they shall be chargeable respectively be Collectors of the Money to be paid to His Majesty by this Act for whose paying into the Receiver General or his Deputy in Manner hereafter mentioned such Money as they shall be charged withal the Parish or Place wherein they are so employed shall be answerable.

and to every such  
and insert such  
Description as  
may best ascertain  
Rates  
and bring with  
them Certificates  
at Time and Place  
provided  
Assessors to be  
Collectors  
for whom Parish  
be answerable.

**XII.**  
Assessors neglect-  
ing or refusing to  
serve.

And if any Assessor so appointed or to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to serve or shall make Default at the Time appointed for his Appearance (not having a lawful Excuse to be witnessed by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses which Oaths the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them have Power to administer) or shall not perform his Duty every such Assessor shall for every such Neglect Refusal or Default forfeit and loose to His Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present at the mayor Part of them shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Forty Pounds nor under the Sum of Ten Pounds to be levied by Deben and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels in like Manner as by this Act is appointed for the levying of the several Rates and Assessments herein mentioned in case of Neglect or Refusal of Payment and to be charged upon the respective Receivers General together with the said Rates and Assessments.

**Penalty**

**XIII.**  
Assessor refusing  
to take the  
Oath of Supremacy  
I W. A. M. c. 6.  
§ 10.  
and the following  
Oath.

And every Assessor appointed or to be appointed by virtue of this Act shall before he take upon him the Execution of the said Employment take the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by an Act made in the Parliament held in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for the strengthening the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths and also take an Oath in these Words following

YOU shall swear well and truly diligently and faithfully to perform and execute the Duty of an Assessor and to cause the Rates and Duties to be charged upon Stock in Trade Debts or Interest Persons Annually Specially Professions and Offices pursuant to the Act of Parliament made and passed in the First Year of His Majesties Reign intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty several Subsidies for carrying on the War against France and Spain to be duly and fully assessed according to the best of your Skill and Judgment and therein you shall spare no Person for Favour or Affection nor any Person given for Bribe or ill will.

So help you GOD

Two Commissioners  
may administer the  
Oath.

Which Oaths any Two or more of the said Commissioners in the County City or Place where the said Assessment is to be made have hereby Power and are hereby required to administer.

**XIV.**  
Rates assessed  
and Collectors  
sworn to the  
Commissioners by  
4th May 1703.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Rates and Assessments as well upon the said Stock in Trade Money as Interest Persons Professions and for the said One Shilling in the Pound upon Offices and all other Taxes and Duties chargeable by this Act shall be made and ascertained and the several and

respective Certificate or Assessments thereof returned in to the Commissioners upon or before the Fourth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and three unless the Commissioners shall think fit to give further Time for the doing thereof And upon Return of any such Certificate or Assessment the Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall and may (if they see Cause) examine the Particulars thereof

And if the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them within their several Limits at the Table of the Return of the Certificate as aforesaid or within Twenty Days after shall know or have good Cause to suspect that any Person or Persons Bodily Politick or Corporate or any Stock in Trade Money or Interest Persons Professions or Offices or any other Matters or Things which ought to be certified and charged in the said Certificate or Assessments in or are omitted or are not fully charged according to the true Meaning of this Act the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall have Power to summon each Person or Persons or the Owners or Possessors of such Stocks or other the Possibilities to appear before them at a Day and Place prefix, to be examined touching the Matters aforesaid And if the Person or Persons summoned to be so examined shall neglect to appear (not having a reasonable Excuse for such his Default) he shall pay to Her Majesty Double the Sum he should or ought to have been set (') or rated

And moreover the said Commissioners or the major Part of them or of so many of them as shall be present shall have full Power to examine and inform themselves upon Oath (which they are hereby empowered to administer) and by all other lawful Ways and Means of all Persons and Things wanted to be charged or that are under-assessed or under-charged and to set such Rate or Rates upon the same as shall be according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act And the said Assessors are hereby required to give Copies of their Certificates or Assessments fairly written and subscribed by them unto the said Commissioners within the said prefix Time

And the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them are hereby ordered and required to cause the said several and respective Assessments to them delivered (when by them approved of or altered according to the true Intent of this Act) to be fairly written and to sign and seal several Duplicates or Copies of the said Assessments disengaged as aforesaid and to deliver one Duplicate of every such Assessment so signed and sealed forthwith to the said Assessors who are to collect by the same And shall likewise deliver or cause to be delivered another Duplicate thereof so signed and sealed unto the Receiver General or his Deputy respectively

And moreover the said Commissioners shall cause true Duplicates or Extracts of the whole Sum assessed and charged within every Hundred Lathes Wapentake Parish Ward or Place rated or assessed for Stock in Trade Duties at Interest Persons Animals Sundrys and Professions and for the said Tax of One Shilling in the Pound upon Officers distinctly to be certified and transmitted into Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer under the Hands and Seals of any Three or more of the Commissioners but without naming the Persons in such Certificate and this the said Commissioners shall cause to be done upon or before the English Day of August One thousand seven hundred and three or within Twenty Days after (all Appeals to them made being first determined) for which Duplicates the Remembrancer or his Deputy shall give to the Person who brings the same a Receipt in Writing given under the Penalty of Ten Pounds to be recovered to the Queen's Use as other Penalties are by this Act recoverable

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Persons so appointed to be Collectors as aforesaid shall levy and collect all and every the Taxes Rates and Duties so assessed and charged according to the Intent and Direction of this Act which said Collectors are hereby required to demand all and every the Sum and Sum of Money which shall be so rated and assessed at the same shall become due from the Parties themselves if they can be found or else at the Place of their last Abode and the said several Collectors shall collect and levy the said Monies so charged for Her Majesty's Use and are hereby required and enjoined to pay unto the respective Receiver General or their Deputies all and every the said Rates Duties and Assessments by them respectively collected or received at such Time or Times Place or Places as the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall appoint and so in the whole Sum due for each Quarterly Payment shall be paid and answered by the Collectors to the Receiver General or their Deputies respectively upon the Dayes and at the Times by this Act appointed for the Payment thereof

Providens always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from time to time as often as the Commissioners of any County Hundred Division or Place or any Two or more of them by reason of the Sickness Death or Failing of any of the said Collectors or by reason of the great Labour and Burden which any Collector in populous Places must undergo if they should continue in the Collection during the Continuance of this Act shall find it necessary or reasonable to put other Collectors in the Rooms or Places of any such Collector or Collectors so dead sick failed or over-burdened with the Duty of his Place it shall and may be lawful for the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them to issue their Precepts or Warrants to the Chief Inhabitants High-Constables Petty-Constables Bayliffs or other like Officers or Ministers of the Place or to such Number of them as they shall think convenient requiring them to return the Names of One Two or

Commissioners may give further Time to the Return of Certificate and Assessments may examine Particulars

XV. Commissioners may give further Time to the Return of Certificate and Assessments may examine Particulars

relating to the same, Penalty.

XVI. Commissioners may examine upon the said Oath, and set Rates Assessors to give Copies of their Certificates to the Commissioners.

XVII. Commissioners to give Duplicates to Assessors and Receiver General.

XVIII. Authentication Copy or Extract under Hand and Seal to be delivered into Exchequer the 10th August 1702.

The Queen's Remembrancer to give a Receipt upon Penalty of 100.

XIX. Collection to levy, by Rates of Parties, or at last Place of Abode of whom Demand is to be made.

and to pay to Receiver General, or to Commissioners shall appoint.

XX. Power to Commissioners to put other Collectors in the Rooms of Collectors so dead, sick, or being unable to serve, &c.

more able and sufficient Persons living within the Limits and Bounds of those Parishes Townships or Hundreds respectively to be the Collector or Collectors of the Moneys to be paid to Her Majesty there for whom the Parish or Place shall be answerable and upon such Presentation the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them as aforesaid shall and may authorize and appoint such Person or Persons so presented to be Collector or Collectors in the Room or Place of any Collector or Collectors that shall be dead failed sick or overburdened as aforesaid which new Collector or Collectors so appointed or authorized shall be subject to the same Fines and Penalties for the Non-performing of his or their Duties and shall have the same Powers Authorities and Allowances and be under the same Rules and Directions as are by this Act provided for the preceding Collectors in and they had continued in their respective Offices or Places.

New Collector subject to Penalties, &c.

XXI.  
Respectively General to appoint Deputies under their Hands and Seals, and to notify the same to the Commissioners, &c.

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Receipt of Receivers General a Discharge to Collectors.

How far Collectors are obliged to travel.

Collectors to retain 4<sup>th</sup> in the Pound.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Receivers General shall appoint their Deputies under their Hands and Seals and give Notice thereof to the said Commissioners at any Two or more of them within the respective Divisions or Hundreds within Ten Days after the next General Meeting and so from time to time within Ten Days after the next General Meeting and so from time to time within Ten Days after every Death or Removal of any Deputy (if any such shall happen) And that the said Receivers General and their Deputies respectively shall call upon and summon their Collectors to make the said Payments And in case all or any of the said Rates Duties or Assessments shall not be collected by Reason of the Neglect or Failure of the Duty of the said Collectors the said Receivers General or their Deputies are to levy by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners by Distress upon the said Collectors respectively such Sums and Sums of Money as by him and them ought to have been paid and are not paid by Reason of his Failure in doing so on or after the Day according to the Directions of this Act And the Receipt of such Receivers General his Deputy or Deputies or any of them (which Receipt or Acquittance shall be given gratis to the Collectors for all Moneys by them paid) shall be a sufficient Discharge to every such Collector for the Moneys so by him paid And the said Collectors shall not be obliged to travel above Ten Miles from the Place or Places of his or their respective Habitations for the making of the said Payments And every such Collector for gathering the said particular Sums shall and may retain in his Hands for every Twenty Shillings by him so paid Four Pence for a Reward for his Pains and Service.

XXII.  
Time for First Quarterly Payment.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That One full Fourth Part of all the Moneys by this Act to be assessed as aforesaid for the said Rate of Fifty Shillings per Centum upon all Goods in Trade and for the said Rate of Twenty five Shillings per Centum upon all Debts at Interest and for the said Duty of Four Shillings in the Pound upon all Pensions Annuities and Stipends and for the said Duty of One Shilling in the Pound upon all Offices and Emoluments and for the said Duty of Four Shillings in the Pound upon all Professions and of all other the Duties by this Act granted shall be collected levied and paid unto the Receivers General of the respective Counties Cities and other Places who shall be appointed by Her Majesty or by Her Authority or their respective Deputies on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three One other Fourth Part thereof shall be collected levied and paid in like Manner on or before the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and three And the remaining Fourth Part thereof shall be collected levied and paid in like Manner on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four.

Second Quarterly Payment.

Third Quarterly Payment.  
Last Quarterly Payment.

XXIII.  
Receivers General to transmit Moneys to Exchequer.

Allowance to Receivers General.

And the said Receivers General are hereby required forthwith or at furthest within Twenty Days after the Receipt of any Money of the Taxes Rates Duties or Payments by this Act granted to transmit or cause to be paid the same into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer And the Lord High [Treasurer] or the Lord Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury for the Time being are hereby authorized to allow to the said Receivers General respectively a Salary for their Pains not exceeding Two Pence in the Pound for so much as such in duty respectively shall pay into the Exchequer upon the clearing of their respective Accounts and the said Receivers General in case he hath received the annual Discharges of each Parish or Place within his Receipt and the Discharges shall be returned into the Office of Her Majesties Receivers General in the Exchequer as aforesaid and not otherwise shall allow and pay according to such Warrant as shall be in that behalf given by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them Three Half Pence in the Pound to the Commissioners Clerks for their Pains in far Writing the Assessments Discharges and Copies herein before directed and for all Warrants Orders and Instructions relating thereto And all Commissioners Receivers Deputy Receivers Assessors Collectors and others concerned in the Execution of this Act are hereby required and enjoined to apply themselves with all Diligence to the most speedy and effectual Execution of their several and respective Duties and to use their utmost Endeavour that all Persons and Estates and other Things herein charged may fully and duly pay the Rates and Assessments according to the Direction of this Act and so that Her Majesties Service herein may not be delayed or hindered through any their wilful Neglect or Default.

Allowance to Commissioners Clerks for writing Assessments.

Commissioners, Assessors, Collectors and others concerned in the Execution of this Act.

XXIV.  
Parties obliging themselves to pay Assessments, Duties, Rates, and Penalties thereon.

And be it further enacted and declared That if any Person or Persons shall refuse or neglect to pay any Sum or Sums of Money whereof he or they shall be rated and assessed by this Act upon Demand by the said Collector of the Place according to the Precepts or Extents to him or them delivered by the said Commissioners that then and in all and every such Case it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collectors or any of

them and he and they is and are hereby authorized and required for Non-payment thereof to levy the Sum or Sums of Money so rated and assessed by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of such Persons so refusing or neglecting to pay. And the Goods and Chattels then and there found and the Distress so taken so kept by the Space of Four Days at the Costs and Charges of the Owners thereof. And if the said Owners do not pay the Sum or Sums of Money so rated or assessed within the Space of the said Four Days then the said Distress to be appraised by Two or more of the Justices where the same shall be taken or other sufficient Persons and to be sold by the Collectors for the Payment of the said Money and the Overplus coming by such Sale (if any be) over and above the Charges of taking and keeping of the Distress to be immediately returned to the Owners thereof.

Distress.

They are paid in Four Days, Distress appraised and sold for Payment, and Overplus to Owner.

And moreover it shall be lawful to break open in the Day none any House and upon Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners any Chest, Trunk, Box, or other thing where any such Goods are lying to their Assistance the Comurable Tythingmen or Headborough within the Counties Cities Towns and Places where any such Refusal Neglect or Resistance shall be made which said Officers are hereby required to be willing and willing in the Premises as they will answer the contrary at their Perils and if any Question or Difference happen upon taking such Distress the same shall be ended and determined by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them. And if any Person or Persons assessed by this Act shall refuse or neglect to pay the Sum or Sums so assessed by the Space of Ten Days after Demand in aforesaid where no sufficient Distress can or may be found whereby the same may be levied in every such Case Two or more of the said Commissioners for any such City County or Place are hereby authorized by Warrants under their Hands and Seals to commit such Person or Persons (except a Peer or Persons of this Realm) to the Common Goal there to be kept without Bail or Mainprise until Payment shall be made of the Money assessed and charged.

XXV.

Warrants, by any be levied upon, calling in Comurable, &c.

Questions upon Distress determined by Commissioners, Where no sufficient Distress.

except a Peer or Persons Imprisonment to Common Goal.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Person or Persons chargeable with any the several Rates Duties or Assessments by this Act imposed or intended to be imposed shall be under the Age of One and twenty Years in every such Case the Parents Guardians or [Tutors] of such Infants respectively upon Default of Payment by such Infants shall be and are hereby made liable to and chargeable with the Payments which such Infants ought to have paid. And if such Parents Guardians or Tutors shall neglect or refuse to pay as aforesaid it shall and may be lawful to proceed against them in like Manner as against any other Person or Persons making Default of Payment as herein before appointed. And all Parents Guardians and Tutors making Payment as aforesaid shall be allowed all and every the Sums so paid for such Infants upon his and their Accounts.

XXVI.

In Default of Payment by Infants, Parents, &c. liable.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons chargeable by this Act for any Goods Wares Merchandises or other Stock in Trade or vendible Stock shall be rated and assessed in such County, City or Place where such Goods Wares Merchandises or other Stock in Trade or vendible Stock shall be at the time of the Execution of this Act. And all Persons and Corporations having the Charge Custody or Keeping of any such Stock for the Use and Account of any other Person or Corporation, shall be rated and pay for the same according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act and shall be allowed such Tax or Payment upon his or their Accounts or shall be satisfied for the same out of such Goods or other Things as by the Owner thereof.

XXVII.

Persons having Stock in Trade, where to be rated.

And that all and every Person and Persons and Corporations who are or shall be charged for his or their Debts at Interest shall be taxed for the same in the Places respectively where such Persons shall reside or such Corporations shall keep their chief Office at the Time of the Execution of this Act.

XXVIII.

Persons who shall where they reside, or where their chief Office is kept.

And that all and every Person and Persons and Corporations chargeable by this Act in respect of any Annuities Sinecure or Pensions payable at the Receipt of Her Majesty Exchequer or out of any Publick Office or issuing out of any of the Branches of Her Majesty's Revenues shall and may be rated and assessed in the respective Parishes and Places where such Annuities Sinecures or Pensions are or shall be payable (except such Annuities Sinecures or Pensions payable to any Officers in respect of their Offices which Annuities Sinecures or Pensions so payable shall be rated and assessed where such Officers are rated and assessed for their Offices and not elsewhere) And that all other Pensions Sinecures and Annuities (not charged upon Lands) shall be charged and assessed in the Parishes or Places where the Persons entitled to receive the same do reside.

XXIX.

Persons for Annuities, &c. payable in the Exchequer, &c. (excepted, &c.)

for where yearly Payments not charged elsewhere.

And that every Person rated and assessed for his Office Employment or Profession shall be rated and pay for his said Office Employment or Profession in the County City or Place where the same shall be exercised although the Revenue or Profit arising by such Office or Employment are payable elsewhere.

XXX.

For Offices.

And all Persons not being Householders nor having a certain Place of Residence shall be taxed at the Place where they shall be resident at the Time of the Execution of this Act. And if any Person who ought to be taxed by virtue of this Act with any the Rates or Duties therein contained shall at the Time of Assessment be out of the Realm such Person shall be rated therefore in such County City or Place where he was last abiding in this Realm.

XXXI.

Persons out of the Realm to be assessed where they last abided.

XXXII.  
Persons having  
several Mansions,  
Houses, or eight  
Certificates of the  
Commissioners and  
Oath not to be  
doubly charged.

Provided always That if any Person or Persons by reason of his [her<sup>e</sup>] or their having several Mansions Houses or Places of Residence or otherwise shall be doubly charged by Omission of this Act for or in respect of his or their Stock in Trade Debt Office Profession or otherwise then upon Certificate made by any Two or more of the Commissioners for the County Riding City or Place of his or their last personal Residence under their Hands and Seals of the Item or Items charged upon him her or them and in what Capacity or Respect he she or they were so charged (which Certificate the said Commissioners are to give without Delay Fee or Reward) and upon Oath made of such Certificate before any Justice of the Peace of the County or Place where the said Certificate shall be made which Oath the said Justice of the Peace is hereby authorized and required to administer then the Person or Persons so doubly charged shall for so much as shall be so certified be discharged to enjoy other County City or Place.

XXXIII.  
Persons rated for  
Stock, &c. by  
charging Rentiers, or  
Fraudulently  
concealing Stock,  
&c. evading Rate  
charged on the  
Double Value.

Also if any Person that ought to be taxed by virtue of this Act for or in respect of his or her Stock Money at Interest Office Profession or otherwise shall by changing of his or her Place of Residence or by concealing fraudulently removing or shifting his or their Goods Merchandises or other Commodities or by any fraudulently releasing or shifting of any Security or Securities for any Debt or Debt at Interest with Intention to avoid the Taxation hereby intended or by any other Fraud or Cozen shall escape from the Taxation or not be fully taxed and the same be proved before the Commissioners or any Two of them or before any Justice of the Peace in the County Riding City or Place where such Person dwelleth or resideth at any Time within Twenty Days next ensuing after such Tax made every Person that shall so escape from the Taxation and Payment or [shall] not be fully taxed shall be charged upon Proof thereof at the double Value of so much as he should or ought to have been taxed at by this Act the said Double Value upon Certificate thereof made into the Exchequer by the Commissioners or Justice (before whom such Proof shall be made) to be levied of the Goods Lands and Tenements of such Person.

XXXIV.  
Persons requiring  
Remission of  
Assessors and  
Collection is striven  
against and  
protested Place.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all privileged and other Places being exempted or not within the Countieburies or Precincts of the respective Assessors to be appointed by virtue of this Act the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall and are hereby required to nominate Two or Three Persons living in and near the said privileged or other Places as aforesaid to be Assessors for the said Places and to make and return the said Assessments in like manner as by this Act is appointed in any Parish Tything or Place and also to appoint Two or more Collectors who are hereby required to collect and pay the same in the Manner appointed by this Act for collecting and paying all Sums of Money chargeable by this Act.

XXXV.  
Commissioners to  
assist the Assessors.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners within their respective Divisions or the major Part of them which shall be present shall assist every Assessor within their Division for all and singular the Matters and Things for which by this Act he ought to be rated and assessed and as well all Sums assessed upon the said Assessors as the Assessments made and set by the Assessors aforesaid shall be written entered levied and gathered according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act.

XXXVI.  
When Officers in the  
Ward or Precinct  
where the Post-Office  
is made, to be  
assessed.  
When Postmen  
of the Post-Office  
to be rated.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person having any Shop in respect of any Office or Employment exercised in the Ward in London where the Post-Office is situate shall be assessed and pay for the same in the said Ward the said Rate of One Skillings in the Pound towards the said Schackles And every Person having any Person payable out of the said General Post-Office shall pay for the same in the said City of London the said Rate of Four Skillings in the Pound (except as before excepted).

XXXVII.  
East India Com-  
pany, Bank, and  
all Companies of  
Merchants in  
London to be  
assessed by the  
Commissioners of  
London.

Also the Government and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies and the English Company trading to the East Indies respectively and the Government and Company of the Bank of England and all other Companies of Merchants in London shall be rated in the same City towards the said Schackles for such Goods Wares Merchandises and for such Monies owing to them or any of them at Interest upon Mortgage Pawns Bonds Bills or other Securities for which they are chargeable by this Act in such Manner and Form as are herein contained All which Rates and Duties as to be charged upon the said Persons Goods Merchandises Stock in Trade and Debts at Interest hereby appointed to be rated within the said City of London shall be assessed by the Commissioners nominated and appointed for the said City or any Two or more of them And the Government and respective Treasurers of the said Companies shall pay the Rates thereupon respectively at the Times by this Act prescribed and be allowed upon their respective Accounts the Monies so by them paid.

XXXVIII.  
Members of Par-  
liament exempted  
during the Session  
wherein they sit  
Thence, &c. are  
during the Interval  
of Parliament.

Also be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Members of Parliament who at the Enactment of this Act during this Session of Parliament shall abide within the Cities of London and Westminster or the Suburbs of the same or within the County of Middlesex shall for and in respect of their Debts at Interest or any other Tax which may be laid on their Persons during the Session of Parliament be assessed only in the Place where such Members have their Mansions Houses or other Places where they most usually reside during the Interval of Parliament Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.



And to the End the true Value of all Stock in Trade by this Act chargeable may also be known and the Duties for the same may be likewise ascertained according to the true Meaning thereof Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons using or assuming any Trade Mystery Occupation or Business of merchandizing shopkeeping buying or selling by Wholesale or Retail shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the (\*) said Assessors of the Parish or Place where such Stock in Trade is to be assessed within Ten Days after the Time that the Commissioners shall issue their Warrants to the Assessors for making the said Assessment in such Parish or Place respectively a Particular in Writing signed by themselves or by their Appointments of the whole Quantities Kinds and Values of the several Goods Wares Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or other Vendible Stock for which such Person or Persons respectively ought to be charged according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act whereby the said Assessors may be enabled fully to tax such Stock with the Duties by this Act payable in respect of the same which said Values shall be esteemed to be so much as the said Goods Wares Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or other Vendible Stock are bonafide worth to be sold for by such Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate respectively at the Time of the Execution of said Act

And the said Assessors of the District Parish or Place where any Goods Wares Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or other Vendible Stock shall be or remain at the Time of the Execution of this Act (in all Cases where they shall think it necessary for their better Information as to the Quantities Kinds and Values of the same) shall have Power and Authority and they are hereby authorized and empowered to enter in the Day Time into any Shops Warehouse or other Places whatsoever where any such Goods or other Stock in Trade shall be or remain there to take an Account thereof and to view and value the same And all and every the said Person or Persons chargeable as aforesaid for Stock in Trade shall be obliged by force and virtue of this Act (if thereto required) to permit and suffer the said Assessors of the Place to make such Entrance View and Valuation to the End the said Assessors may be the better enabled to make their Assessments as aforesaid And if any such Person or Persons shall refuse to permit or suffer such Assessors to enter into their Shops Warehouse or other Places being thereto required as aforesaid there to view and value their Stock or any Part thereof then every such Person for such Refusal shall forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds One Shilling thereof to Her Majesty and the other Malt to him or them that will sue for the same by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Pleint or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Excege Protection Wager of Law or more than One Imparance shall be granted or allowed

And the said Assessors in case they be satisfied in the Truth of the Particulars delivered to them as aforesaid both for the Quantities and Values of all the Goods Wares Merchandises (\*) or other Vendible Stock in Trade for which any Person or Persons shall be chargeable as aforesaid shall proceed to tax and assess the same with the Rates and Duties by this Act intended to be imposed thereupon according to the said Particulars but if the Person or Persons who ought to deliver the said Particulars in Writing of their Stock in Trade to the said Assessors shall not deliver the same within the Time hereby perfined or if the respective Assessors shall find or suspect such Particulars given in Writing to be fraudulent either by omitting of any Goods Wares Merchandises Commodities Manufactures or other Vendible Stock or by undervaluing of the same or any Part thereof the said Assessors are hereby authorized and required to assess and tax such Person and Persons for his but or their Stock in Trade according to the best of their Skill and Judgment pursuant to the Oath by such Assessors in that Behalf taken and according to the Powers and Directions before in this Act contained All which Assessments so made by the said Assessors shall nevertheless be subject to the Examination of the said Commissioners and to the Power before in this Act given to the said Commissioners upon such Examination to set such Rate or Rates as shall be according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act and shall also be subject to the Power of the said Commissioners for allowing abating deferring increasing or abating any such Assessments in such Cases of Appeal or Complaint to be made to them as are herein after mentioned

And for the better discovering and charging the Monies chargeable by this Act for Debts owing at Interest to any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate or upon any Mortgage Statutes Merchant or of the Staple Recognizances Judgments Bonds Bills Obligatory Specialties or upon any Bills or Notes whatsoever or any other Securities for Money at Interest Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the respective Persons and Corporations indebted to such Debts or which ought to pay the Tax hereby intended to be imposed thereupon shall deliver or cause to be delivered to the said Assessors of the Parish or Place where such Debts are to be assessed before they return their Certificates or Assessments to the Commissioners as aforesaid a Note in Writing signed by such Person or Persons or by his her or their Appointments or by such Person or Persons or some of them as shall have the Direction or Management of the Affairs of such Corporation containing the Total or Gross Sums of the Principal Monies so owing to him her or them or to such Corporation respectively upon Mortgage Statutes Merchant or of the Staple Recognizances Judgments Bonds Bills Obligatory Specialties or upon any other Bills or Notes or any other Securities for Money at Interest as are before mentioned and intended to be hereby charged whereby the said Assessors may be enabled fully to tax such Debts with the Duties by this Act payable in respect of the same And the said Assessors are hereby empowered to tax and assess such Persons and Corporations for such Debts according to the Notes as Writings so delivered to them respectively but in all Cases where no such Notes shall be delivered or that the Assessors shall have sufficient Ground of their

XXXX.  
Wholesale and  
Retail Dealers  
to deliver to  
Assessors a  
Particular of  
Stock in Trade,  
&c.

Stock Values  
estimated to be  
what the Stock is  
worth to be sold.

XL.  
Assessors may enter  
Shops, &c. to make  
Account and value  
Stock.

Refusing Assessors  
to enter, &c.

Penalty, &c.

XLI.  
Assessors may  
enter according  
to Particulars.

Persons not deliver-  
ing Particulars or  
Assessors suspecting  
Fraud.

Assessors may  
assess according to  
their Judgment.

Assessments subject  
to Examination by  
Commissioners.

XLII.  
Certificates to deliver  
to Assessors a Note  
of Gross Amount  
of Debt.

Assessors to assess  
according to Note,  
which Certificates  
only enable of their  
own Knowledge.

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\* \* \* Commodities Manufactures \* \* \* G. & King's Printer Opy.

own Knowledge or by good Information to believe that the Persons charging themselves by the Delivery of such Notes in Writing as aforesaid have more Money at Interest chargeable by this Act than are contained in such Notes the said Assessors are hereby authorized and required to assess and tax such Persons for such their Debts at Interest according to the best of their Skill and Judgment pursuant to their Oath in that Behalf and according to the Powers and Directions herein in this Act contained.

XLIII.  
Oath to deliver to Commissioners a Specification of Debts due to them as herein mentioned.

And it is hereby enacted That all and every the said respective Person & Persons and Corporations indebted to such Debts at Interest as aforesaid shall deliver or cause to be delivered to Two or more of the Commissioners for the County City Riding Hundred or other Place respectively where such Debts are to be charged before such Time as the said Commissioners respectively shall deliver their Returns to the Collectors for the demanding or assessing the Same to be assessed in such Place a Specification or Particular in Writing signed as aforesaid of all and every such Debts so owing to them respectively as Interest upon Mortgages Statute Merchant or of the Staple Recognizance Judgment Bonds Specialty Bills or Notes or any other Securities for Money at Interest (1) mentioning therein the Principal Sums so owing at Interest and also specifying at the Election of the Person or Corporation as indebted either the Person or some of them who borrowed or are liable to the Payment of such Debts or some Estate Matter or Thing engaged for the same or the Nature of the Securities the said respective Sums are owing upon whether Mortgage Statute Recognizance Judgment Bond Specialty Bill Note or other Security together with the respective Dates thereof and the Names of the Witnesses (if any be) thereto in that so the said Commissioners upon examining the Certificates or Assurances brought in by the said Assessors may fully charge such Persons with the Taxes or Debts by this Act intended.

XLIV.  
Commissioners to sign and deliver back to Creditors a Duplicate of each Specification whereby Debt is set off; which shall be Evidence for Creditors, Signifying for in future Specifications.

And it is hereby enacted That the said Commissioners upon their Receipt of such Particulars or Specifications of Debts as aforesaid shall sign and deliver back to the Parties bringing the same true Copies or Duplicates thereof under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them and attested by Two or more credible Witnesses whereby the Party or Parties (if he or they or any of them should have Objection) may make it appear that they respectively did truly and bona fide charge themselves for or in respect of the several Debts therein contained which said true Copies or Duplicates so delivered back and so signed and attested as aforesaid shall be received and allowed for sufficient Evidence in all Courts and Places that they respectively did so charge themselves as aforesaid And in case any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate so required by this Act to deliver Specifications or Particulars in Writing of such Debts as aforesaid shall refuse or neglect so to do within the Time hereby prescribed or shall make any Objection therein contrary to the true Meaning of this Act that then and in every such Case all and every such Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate as refusing or neglecting shall for such Offence over and above the Debts hereby intended to be charged on such Debts forfeit and pay Taxes as much as such Debts for any such Debts for which such Particulars or Specifications ought to have been given or which shall be entered therein do or should amount unto to be used for at any Time before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five in the One Shilling thereof to the Use of Her Majesty and the other Money thereof to him or them that will sue for the same by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Suit or Information wherein no Assign Protection Wager of Law or more than One Imparance shall be granted or allowed.

XLV.  
Debts contained in Specifications not recoverable and not evidence in any Court either of Law or Equity before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five.

And moreover that any such Debt upon Mortgage Statute Merchant or of the Staple Recognizance Judgment Bond Bill Obligatory Specialty or other Bill or Note or any other Security for Money at Interest not contained in such Particulars or Specifications shall not be recoverable and the Specialty or Security for the same shall not be pleaded or given in Evidence or be otherwise made use of in any Court either of Law or Equity before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five unless the said Duty payable to the Queen for such Debt and the said Penalty of Taxes as much as first satisfied (that is to say) if there be no Action Bill Suit or Information commenced or depending by any Informer or Prosecutor then both the Duty and Penalty shall be first paid to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors and the Receipt of the Exchequer and if there be any such Action Bill Suit or Information depending then the said Duty and One Shilling of such Penalty shall be first paid to the Queen as aforesaid and the other Majesty of the said Penalty to the said Informer or Prosecutor.

XLVI.  
Persons for Persons delivering a Specification, making Oath that Debts are due to them.

Furthermore always and it is hereby enacted That if any Person or Persons or any the Directors or Managers of the Affairs of any Corporation who shall deliver such Specification or Particular in Writing of the Debts at Interest owing to them respectively to the said Commissioners as is required by this Act shall make Oath before them or any Two or more of them (who are hereby directed and empowered to administer the same) that any Debt or Debts contained in such Specification or Particular is or are due to them and that he or they do verily believe the same will never be satisfied or recovered then and in every such Case and Cases the said Commissioners by all lawful Ways and Means shall examine and inform themselves of the Nature of such particular [Debts Debts] and the Securities for the same and whether such Securities be sufficient or insufficient and thereupon either to confirm the Charge of the Tax or Duty hereby intended upon such particular Debt or Debts or to discharge the Party or Parties complaining thereof so to such Commissioners shall seem most and reasonable and the discharge of such particular Debt or Debts from the Duty hereby imposed thereupon shall be noted upon such Specifications and the Duplicates thereof to be given as is before in this Act directed Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Commissioners to examine into the Receipts for such Debts, etc. and to set thereupon.

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\* \* Debt or Debts \* \* G. & King's Printer's Copy.

Act to the said that such Persons and Corporations as duly give Specifications in Writing to charge themselves with the Duty by this Act imposed for or in respect of Debts owing to them at Interest may have a Deduction or Allowance made to them out of the sum for such Debts as they do really and lawfully owe at Interest to any other Person or Persons according to the true Meaning thereof Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such Person and Persons when he or they shall deliver such Specifications as aforesaid shall or may also give the Commissioners an Account of the Debts which such Person or Corporation shall actually and lawfully owe to any other Person and Persons at Interest and such Commissioners being satisfied in the Truth thereof either by the Oath of the Party (which they or any Two or more of them have hereby Power to administer) or by other good Information shall make a proportionable Allowance or Deduction for or in respect of such Debts which he or they owe at Interest to others out of the Tax or Duty for the Debts contained in his or their Specifications Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXVII.

Persons delivering  
or Specifications to  
give Commissioners  
an Account of  
Debts of the Debts  
owing by them at  
Interest, and to  
have an Allowance  
in respect thereof.

PAYED always That where any Person or Persons are and from the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and two or longer have been in the actual Possession of any Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments by the real Receipt of the Rents or Profits of the same by virtue of any Mortgage or other Security for any Debt or Debts whereas such Lands or other the Premises were lawfully liable in all such Cases this Act or any thing herein contained shall not extend to charge any such Debt or Debts for which such Possession is gained to or with the Payment of the said Duty hereby imposed Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXVIII.  
Persons for Persons  
in Possession of  
mortgaged Lands,  
&c.

PAYED also and it is hereby enacted That where any Person or Persons being beyond the Seas or any Minor or Minors under the Age of One and twenty Years hath or shall have any Monies upon Securities at Interest in this Kingdom in his or their Name or Names or in the Name or Names of any other Person or Persons in Trust for him or them the Trustees or Guardians of the said Person or Persons shall pay and are hereby required to pay the Duties appointed by this Act and shall be and are hereby undischarged and severally liable for their so doing Any thing contained in this Act or in any other Law to the contrary notwithstanding

XXIX.  
Persons for Persons  
beyond Seas,  
Infants, &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers of the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer and in other the Publick Offices upon Request to them made by the respective Assessors shall deliver to them gratis true Lists or Accounts of all Persons Annuities Stipends or other Annual Payments and of all Fees Salaries and other Allowances payable at the said Receipt or in the said Publick Offices for the better Guidance of the said Assessor in the charging of the same And that in all Cases where any Persons Annuities Stipends or other Annual Payments or the Fees Salaries Wages or other Allowance or Profits charged by this Act shall be payable at the Receipt of the Exchequer or by the Collector of His Majesty's Household or out of any [other] Publick Office or by any His Majesty's Receivers or Paymasters the Tax or Payment which in pursuance of the Act shall be charged for or in respect of such Persons Annuities Stipends Fees Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits shall or may in case of Non-Payment thereof be detained and kept out of the same or out of any Money which shall be paid upon such Pension Annuity Stipend Fee Salary Wages Allowance [or] Profit or for Arrears thereof and be applied to the Satisfaction of the Rates and Duties not otherwise paid as aforesaid and the proper Officers in the said Exchequer and other the Publick Offices aforesaid shall keep true Accounts of all Monies in respect and upon Request shall give Copies of such Accounts to the proper Collectors of such Monies for the respective Parishes or Places where the said Monies are assessed by this Act

L.  
Officers of the  
Exchequer, &c. to  
deliver Lists of  
Persons, Salaries,  
&c. to the Assessors  
upon Request of  
the said Assessors  
upon Request of  
the said Assessors  
upon Request of  
the said Assessors

Officers in the  
Exchequer, &c. to  
keep Accounts of  
Monies stopped,  
and give Copies to  
Collectors

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons or any Corporation shall be rated assessed or charged with any the Rates Duties or Assessments by this Act intended or for or in respect of any Manor or Thing for which by this Act he she or they are or may be rated or charged do find him her or themselves aggrieved in that the Assessors have overrated him her or them and within Six Days after Demand made of the Sum or Sums of Money assessed on him her or them do by himself her self or themselves or by his lay or their Stewards or Bayliffs or (in case of a Corporation) by any the Directors or Managers of the same complain to the Commissioners who signed or allowed his her or their Rates the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall have and have hereby Power and [are] hereby required within Six Days next after the Demand of the Assessment as aforesaid to examine any Person or Persons concerned or his her or their Stewards or Bayliffs or any such Directors or Managers upon Oath touching the Matters or Things for which he she or they shall be assessed and upon due Examination and Knowledge thereof allow what Defect increase or enlarge the said Assessment and the same so allowed should increased or enlarged shall be layed and shall be certified or returned into the Exchequer in Manner aforesaid And so that And the said Commissioners are hereby required to meet together for the determining of such Appeals and Complain accordingly and for this End to express in their Warrants or Returns to the Collectors the Times and Places for determining Appeals and to summon the respective Assessors concerning whose Assessments any Complaint shall be made to attend at the Time and Place to be appointed for the determining such Complaint who are hereby required to attend accordingly and appeals Other heard and determined to be final without any further Appeal upon any Petition whatsoever

L.  
In case of appeal  
Assessors, &c. to  
complain to  
Commissioners

Commissioners to  
examine into the  
Rates, and may  
examine upon Oath  
and increase or  
enlarge Rates.

Commissioners to  
meet to determine  
Appeals.

Appeals final.

LII.  
Persons requiring  
the recovery of the

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That if any Assessor Collector Receiver or other Person appointed by the said Commissioners shall wilfully neglect or refuse to perform his [her'] or [their] Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this present Act or if any Assessor shall wilfully or negligently under-rate or assess at any under Value any Person or Thing chargeable by this Act the said respective Commissioners or any Three or more of them have hereby [Power'] to impose on such Person or Persons so refusing neglecting or not performing their Duties such Fine or Fines as by them shall be thought fit: so as the same exceed not the Sum of Forty Pounds nor be under the Sum of Twenty Pounds for every Offence which said Fine shall not be taken off or discharged but by the Consent of the Majority of the Commissioners who imposed the same but shall be levied by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two ('1) of them by Deputies and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of the Offenders and in Default of Goods and Chattels the Offenders to be committed (by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them) to Prison there to remain till Payment of the said Fines And that all Fines that shall be imposed by virtue of this Act shall be paid to the respective Receiver General and by them into the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer and charged upon the respective Receiver General amongst the rest of the Receipts aforesaid

Pro'ty.

Fines paid to  
Receiver General  
the

LIII.  
Collectors and  
paying Money  
received by him,  
Instruments, and  
Real and Personal  
Estate liable

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That if any Collector that shall by virtue of this Act be appointed for the Receipt of any Sum of Money whereby to be assessed neglect or refuse to pay any Sum or Sums of Money which shall be by him received as aforesaid and to pay the same as is and by this Act is directed or shall detain in his or their Hands any Money received by them or any of them and not pay the same at such Time as by this Act is directed the Commissioners of such County Riding City or Town respectively or any Two or more of them in their respective Divisions are hereby authorized and empowered to apprehend the Person and seize and secure the Estate as well Freehold as Copyhold and all other Estate both Real and Personal of such Collector in his or them belonging or which shall descend and come into the Hands of Administrators of his Heirs Executors or Administrators whereupon the same can be discovered and found and the said Commissioners who shall so seize and secure the Estate of any Collector or Collectors shall be and are hereby empowered to appoint a Time for the General Meeting of the Commissioners for such County Riding City Town or Place and there to cause Public Notice to be given at the Place where such Meeting shall be appointed five Days at the least before such General Meeting and the Commissioners present at such General Meeting or the major Part of them in case the Monies demanded by any such Collector or Collectors be not paid or satisfied as it ought to be according to the Direction of this Act shall and are hereby empowered and required to sell and dispose of such Estates which shall be for the Cause aforesaid seized and secured or any Part of them and to receive and pay into the Hands of the Receiver General the Sum that shall be so due to the Hands of such Collectors or Collectors their Heirs Executors or Administrators respectively

Commissioners  
meeting Estates to  
sell a General  
Meeting of  
Commissioners  
in Mexico.

Proceedings.

LIV.  
Commissioners  
to call before them  
Collectors, and  
examine touching  
full Payments of  
Assessments,

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That at the Expiration of the respective Times in this Act prescribed for the full Payment of all the said Quarterly Payments the several and respective Commissioners or any Two or more of them within their Division and Hundred shall and are hereby required to call before them the Collectors within each respective Division and Hundred Parish and Place to examine and assure themselves of and concerning the Payment of the particular Sum and Sums of Money assessed within and upon the said Division and Hundred and every Parish and Place therein and of the due Returns of the same into the Hands of the respective Receivers General or their Deputies of the said County Riding City Town and Place and by such Receiver General into the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer and in case of Failure in the Payment the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the same to be forthwith levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

and in case of  
Failure to levy

LV.  
Continuing  
assessing touching  
Commissioners,  
Commissioners  
examined in  
execution,  
in Default,  
Fines,

And it is hereby enacted and declared That in case any Controversie arise concerning the said Assessments or the Payment thereof which concerns any the Commissioners by this Act appointed that the Commissioner so concerned in the said Controversie shall have no Voice but shall withdraw at the Time of the Debate of any such Controversie until it be determined by the rest of the Commissioners and in Default thereof that the Commissioners then present shall have Power and are hereby required to impose such Fine or Fines as to them shall be thought fit upon such Commissioners so refusing to withdraw not exceeding the Sum of Twenty Pounds and to cause the same to be levied and paid as other Fines so imposed by this Act are to be levied and paid and all Questions and Differences which shall arise touching any the said Rates Duties or Assessments or the collecting thereof shall be heard and finally determined by the Commissioners in such Manner as by this Act is directed upon Complaint thereof made to them by any Person or Persons thereto agreed without further Trouble or Suit at Law

All Questions  
finally determined  
by Commissioners.

LVI.  
Prohibited Places or  
Persons except

And be it further enacted and declared That no Prebendary Place or Person Holy Priory or Corporation within the Counties Riding Cities and Towns aforesaid shall be exempted from the said Assessments and Taxes

LVII.  
Persons for Matrimonial  
Suits, &c. of

PROVIDED That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to charge any Master Fellow Scholar or Exhibitioner of any College or Hall or any Reader Officer or Minister of either of the Two Universities or of any College

at Hall or any Masters or Ushers of any Schools for or in respect of any Stipends Wages Profits or Exhibitions whatsoever arising [or] growing due to them in respect of their several Places and Employments in the said Universities Colleges Halls or Schools.

PROVIDED always That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to alter change determine or make void any Contracts Covenants or Agreements whatsoever between any Persons touching the Payment of Taxes or Assessments any thing herein before mentioned to the contrary notwithstanding

AND be it further enacted [by the Authority aforesaid] That if any Action Plein Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance or in Execution of this Act such Person or Persons (so rated in any Court whatsoever) shall and may plead the General Issue (Not Guilty) and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs shall become Nonsuit or forbear further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendant shall recover their Triple Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy Case where Costs by Law are given to Defendants

AND the said Receiver General shall give Acquittances (gratis) to the said Collectors for all Monies of them received and the said Collectors shall make and deliver to the said Receiver General a perfect Schedule fully containing in Parchment under their Hands and Seals signed and allowed by any Two or more of the Commissioners containing the Names Sums and Places of Abode of every Person within their respective Collections that shall make Default of Payment of any of the Sums that shall be rated or assessed on each Person by virtue of this Act for Stock in Trade Monies at Interest Annuities Pensions and Stipends and for the said One Shilling in the Pound upon Officers and for the said Tax upon Professions or any other Duties by this Act chargeable which Schedules shall return only such Persons making such Default where no sufficient Dilation is to be found nor other Satisfaction made and not otherwise and the Sums and Sums charged on every such Person And the said Schedules shall by such Receiver General respectively be returned into Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer wheresoever any Person making Default of Payment may be charged by Process of the said Court according to the Course of the Court in such Cases

AND for the better preventing such unjust vexations as might be occasioned by such Persons as shall be appointed Receiver General of any the Sums of Money granted by this Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any such Receiver General return or certify in to the said Court any Sum or Sums of Money to be in Arrears and unpaid after the same have been received either by such Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies or any of them or shall cause any Person or Persons to be set in Prison in the said Court for any Sum or Sums of Money that hath been so received that then every such Receiver General shall be liable to pay to every such Person and Persons that shall be molested vexed or damaged by reason of such unjust Certificate return or setting in Prison Triple the Damages that shall be thereby occasioned the said Damages to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plein or Information in which no Excelesse Pleas or Writs of Law shall be allowed nor any more than one Imparance and shall also forfeit to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors Double the Sums that shall be so unjustly certified or returned or cause to be set in Prison

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them may and shall from time to time call for and require an Account from the respective Receiver General of all the Money received by them their Deputy or Deputies of or from the said Collectors and of the Payments thereof into the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer according to the Direction of this Act and in case of any Failure in the Premises the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby required to cause the same to be forthwith levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Letters Patents granted by Her Majesty or any of Her Royal Progenitors to any Person or Persons Claim Burroughs or Towns Corporate within this Realm of any Manner of Liberties Privileges or Exemptions from Exhibitions Tolls Taxes Assessments or Aids shall be construed or taken to exempt any Person or Persons City Borough or Town Corporate or any of the Inhabitants of the same or in the Tower of London from the Burthen or Charge of any Sum or Sums of Money granted by this Act but that all and every such Person or Persons City Borough and Town Corporate shall pay all the Rates and Assessments by this present Act imposed Any such Letters Patents Grants or Charters or any Clause of Non obstante Matter or Thing therein contained or any Law Statute Custom or Prescription to the contrary notwithstanding

PROVIDED also That no Person inhabiting in any City Burrough or Town Corporate shall be compelled to be an Assessor or Collector of or [for] any [any] Part of the Rates and Assessments hereby granted in any Place or Places out of the Liberties of the said City Borough or Town Corporate

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Commissioner Assessor or Collector who shall be employed in the Execution of this Act shall be liable [for or by reason of such Execution] to any of the Penalties mentioned in an Act made in the Five and twentieth Year of the Reign of King Charles

Colleges, &c. in respect of their Stipends, &c.

LXIII.  
Persons Committed touching the Payment of Taxes.

LXIV.  
An Action for recovering duty General Issue may be pleaded.

Table Costs.

LX.  
Receiver General to give Acquittances to Collectors gratis Schedule of Defaults to be delivered by Collectors to Receiver General.

Exchequer Process to bind Damages.

LXII.  
Receiver General committing into Exchequer Arrests that have been paid, or satisfy making receipts, &c.

Penalty to Petry.

Penalty to Her Majesty.

LXIII.  
Commissioners to require an Account from time to time of the Receipts and Payments into the Exchequer.

LXIII.  
Letters Patents, &c. not construed to exempt from Subsidy, &c.

LXIV.  
Assessors, &c. not compelled to act out of Liberties.

LXV.  
Commissioners not liable to Penalties of Stat. 5<sup>th</sup> Car II. c. 2.

as to Persons  
take the Oaths of  
W. III. c. 6.

the Second For the preventing of Disorders which may happen from People's Recusancy or in any other Act made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their agents and secret Abettors

LXVI.  
Commissioners to  
take the Oaths of  
W. III. c. 6.  
s. 4. s. 14.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That no Person shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or executing any the Powers therein contained (unless it be the Powers hereby given to administering Oaths) until such Time as he shall have taken the Oaths appointed by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the abolishing the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths which Oaths it shall be lawful for any Two or more Commissioners to administer and they are hereby required to administer the same to any other Commissioners

LXVII.  
Persons for  
Scotland, Ireland,  
Jersey, and  
Guernsey.

PROVIDED also That this Act shall not extend to the Inhabitants of Scotland Ireland Jersey or Guernsey for assuming any such Personal Estate which they or any to their Use have within the said Kingdoms and Islands

LXVIII.  
Papists of 16 and  
upwards, who  
bring within the  
Oaths of Stat.  
1 W. & M. c. 6.  
s. 14. to pay  
Double.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Papist or reputed Papist being of the Age of Sixteen Years and upwards who shall not have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by the Act made in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the abolishing the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sum and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned or contained be or she should or ought to pay or be charged with to be assessed levied collected assessed recovered and paid in such Manner by such Writs and Means and according to such Rules and Directions and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are before in this Act expressed or appointed for and concerning the above mentioned Sum and Rates which are hereby intended to be levied as aforesaid

LXIX.  
Persons who  
within Ten Days  
after First Meeting  
of Commissioners,  
such Papist shall  
take the Oaths

PROVIDED nevertheless That if any such Papist or reputed Papist within Ten Days after the First Meeting of the said Commissioners in the respective Counties or Places where he or she ought to be taxed or assessed according to the tenor of this present Act shall take the said Oaths before Two or more of the said Commissioners (which Oaths the said Two or more Commissioners are empowered to administer) in that Case he or she shall not be liable to be doubly assessed as aforesaid

LXX.  
Persons of 16 and  
upwards, who shall  
not have taken the  
Oaths before the  
Execution of this  
Act, and who being  
summoned shall  
refuse to take them  
or neglect to appear  
before Commissioners,  
to pay  
Double.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person being of the Age of Sixteen Years and upwards and being within this Realm at the Time of the Execution of this Act who shall not before that Time have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by the said Act intitled An Act for the abolishing the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths and upon Summons by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of any Two or more of the said Commissioners shall refuse to take the said Oaths at the Time appointed in the said Warrant or shall neglect to appear at such Time before the Commissioners in order to take the said Oaths (which said Oaths the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered and required to administer) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sum and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned or contained he or she should or ought to pay or be charged with in Manner as is before in this present Act appointed touching Papists or reputed Papists

LXXI.  
Commissioners to  
summon Persons  
suspected to be  
Papists and take the Oaths.

AND be it further enacted That any Two or more of the said Commissioners upon Information given or upon any Cause of Suspicion in that behalf shall and are hereby required and enjoined to cause (') suspected Person or Persons against whom such Information shall be given to be summoned to appear to take the said Oaths as aforesaid

LXXII.  
Persons for Quakers  
subscribing the  
Declaration of  
Fidelity of Stat.  
1 W. & M. c. 11.

PROVIDED nevertheless That whereas certain Persons dissenters from the Church of England commonly called Quakers and now known to be such do scruple the taking of any Oath it shall be sufficient for any such Person to make and subscribe the Declaration of Fidelity contained in an Act made in the Parliament hold in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for exempting Their Majesties Protestant Subjects dissenting from the Church of England from the Penalties of certain Laws which Declaration any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed for the Execution of this Act are hereby empowered and required to administer and every such Person so doing shall not be liable to or chargeable with any the Double Rates aforesaid

LXXIII.  
Commissioners to  
cause the Double  
Assessment to be  
made, if the  
Assessment must  
be made.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where any Assessor or Assessors who by this Act are required to make a Double Assessment upon Papists or reputed Papists or other Persons for not taking the Oaths aforesaid shall neglect to do so at their Duty therein the respective Commissioners of the County Riding or Hundred Division or Place where such Double Assessment ought to have been made or Two or more of them shall take Care and are hereby authorized and required to cause such Papist or other Person to be doubly charged according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

Provided always That The Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls The Masters of Chancery Six Clerks Clerks of the Petty Bag Exchequer Registers Clerks of the Insolvent Clerks of the Assize and Subpoena Office and all other the Officers of the Court of Chancery that execute their Office within the Library of the Rolls shall be their annual for their respective Office Salaries and other Profits and not elsewhere

LXXXIV  
Chancery Officers  
within the Library  
of the Rolls to be  
there assigned

And for the more effectual charging all the Duties hereby imposed be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if after the Rates and Assessments directed by this Act shall be made any Person shall come to inhabit or reside in any Division or Place where such Person was not rated or taxed the Commissioners seeing within such Division or Place are hereby required and empowered to summon such Person before them and unless he or she shall produce a Certificate made according to the Direction of this Act whereby it shall appear that he or she was assessed and had actually paid all the precedent Quarterly Payments in some other Place for his or her Assize Office Employment or Profession or Stock or Trade the said Commissioners shall and are hereby required to cause such Person to be assessed or taxed for the same and cause the Money so assessed or taxed for the same or such Quarterly Payments thereof as shall be assessed and unpaid to be assessed levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

LXXXV  
Any Person coming  
to reside where he  
was not rated, Com-  
missioners may  
Condemn of  
Assessment.

And be it further enacted That in case any Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the Moneys paid to him or them by any Collector by virtue of this Act to any Person or Persons whatsoever other than the Receiver of Her Majesty's Exchequer and in or within the respective Times limited by this Act or in case such Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the said Moneys by any Warrant of the Lord Treasurer Under Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or upon any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation or other Way or Device whatsoever whereby to divert or hinder the actual Payment thereof into the Receipt of Exchequer as aforesaid that then such Receiver General shall for every such Offence of himself or his Deputy forfeit the Sum of (ʒ) Hundred Pounds to him or them that shall sue for the same in any Court of Record by Bill Plein or Information wherein no Escape Protection or Wager of Law is to be allowed

LXXXVI  
Receiver General  
not paying to the  
A.C. Excheq.

Penalty.

And it is hereby further enacted That the Lord Treasurer Under Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or any of them do not direct any Warrant to any of the Collectors or Receivers General or their Deputies for the Payment of any Part of the Moneys hereby given to any Person or Persons other than into the Receipt of the Exchequer as aforesaid nor shall they or any of them direct any Warrant to the Officers of the Exchequer for striking of any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation nor do any other Matter or Thing whereby to divert the actual Payment of the said Moneys into the Receipt of the Exchequer nor shall the Officers of the Exchequer strike or direct or avoid the striking of any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation upon any of the said Moneys upon any Account or Warrant whatsoever nor shall any Talley throw down any Bill whereby to charge himself with any of the said Money until he shall have actually received the same

LXXXVII  
Treasury not to  
direct any Warrant  
to Collectors  
Under Treasurer  
but into the  
Exchequer, nor to  
Officers of the  
Exchequer, nor to  
directing the Pay-  
ment of the said  
Moneys

Provided also and be it enacted That no way of Prosecution upon any Command Warrant Motion Order or Decision by Non volt wherein principal shall be had made admitted received or allowed by any Court whatsoever in any Suit or Proceeding by Action of Debt Bill Plein or Information or otherwise for the Recovery of all or any the Pains Penalties and Forfeitures upon any Person or Persons by this Act inflicted or therein mentioned or for or in Order to the Conviction or Disability of any Person offending against this Act

LXXXVIII  
No way of Pro-  
secution by Non  
volt shall be  
permitted.

Provided nevertheless That in case there shall not be a sufficient Number of Commissioners for any City Borough Town Cinque Port or Place (for which by this Act Commissioners are particularly appointed) capable of acting according to the Qualifications required by this Act for putting this Act in Execution that in every such Case any the Commissioners appointed for the County at large within which such Borough Town Cinque Port or Place is situate may act as Commissioners in the Execution of this Act within such City Borough Town Cinque Port or Place

LXXXIX  
When not Commis-  
sioners enough for  
any City, the  
Commissioners for  
County may act

Provided also and be it enacted The Authority aforesaid That the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the West Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Thirsk and the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the North Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Thirsk and the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the East Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Easingwold any thing in this Act before mentioned to the contrary notwithstanding

LXXXI  
Place for the  
General Meetings  
of Commissioners  
for the several  
Ridings of the  
County of York

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act or any thing (thing) contained shall (ʒ) charge or be construed to charge His Royal Highness Prince George Heir Apparent of Denmark or His Daughters with the above-mentioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of the yearly Sum of Thirty thousand Pounds by the Year granted by several Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England or for or in respect of any Annuity that is or shall be granted by His Majesty to or in Trust for His said Royal Highness but that the said Annuities and yearly Sums and His Royal Highness and His Treasurers Treasurers and Receivers General in respect of the same shall by virtue hereof be acquitted and

LXXXII  
Persons for  
Prince George  
of Denmark

<sup>1</sup> "For" O. & King's Printer Copy.

<sup>2</sup> "whereby" O. & King's Printer Copy

<sup>3</sup> "not" O. & King's Printer Copy

discharged off from and against the said Duty of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year and all Payments whatsoever which might be charged by this Act for or in respect of the said yearly Sum as if this Act had never been made. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

**LXXXII.**  
No Person to act  
as a Commissioner,  
within the last  
Year's Land Tax  
for all non per  
Assessors, or at  
the Time of  
extending this Act  
(Repealed)  
shall be liable  
for the Value.

Provided also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or of any the Powers therein contained in or for any County or large Town within the said Kingdom of England or Dominion of Wales (the Counties of Angles, Merioneth, Cardigan, Glamorgan and Carmarthen excepted) or in or for any of the Billings in the County of York unless such Person by himself or his Treasurers or Trustees was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding for the Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more by virtue of the Act made and passed in the First Year of Her Majesty's said Majesty an Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by direct Subsidies and a Land Tax or unless such Person is appointed to be a Commissioner shall at the Time of the Execution of this Act by himself or Treasurers or Trustees be liable to be taxed by virtue of this Act for an Estate in Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of the said Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more within the said County or Riding and which was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding by virtue of the Act last mentioned.

**LXXXIII.**  
Persons disabled  
and yet acting as  
Commissioners  
Penalty 50s.

And it is hereby further enacted That if any Person disabled by this Act to be disabled for any the Causes in this Act mentioned shall nevertheless presume to act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or any the Powers therein contained every such Person for each Offence shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons that will inform or sue for the same to be recovered in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Sale or Information whereas no Essoign Protection Writ of Law or more than One Imparison shall be allowed.

**LXXXIV.**  
Persons for  
Sequestration  
Two Officers and  
Witnesses.

Provided always That this Act shall not extend to charge the Pensioners of any Sequestrated Commission or Warrant Sea Officers or the Pensioners of Warden of Sea Officers slain in the Service of the Crown.

**LXXXV.**  
If all the Sums  
mentioned in London,  
and extended into  
the Exchequer by  
14th August 1702,  
do not amount to  
20000000, 150, 000

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if all the Sums which by or in pursuance of the former Powers and Directions of this Act shall be duly assessed within the said City of London and which are to be continued in the Duplicate for the said City to be returned into the Exchequer upon or before the said Eighth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and three (all Appeals also being determined) do not or shall not amount in the whole to the full Sum of Seventy eight thousand six hundred forty two Pounds Fifty Shillings and Seven Pence Halfpenny or in case all the Sums which by or in pursuance of the said former Powers

and in Westminster  
to 2000000, 150, 000

and Directions of this Act shall be duly assessed within and for the said City and Liberty of Westminster and which are to be continued in the Duplicate for the said City and Liberty to be returned into the Exchequer upon or before the said Eighth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and three (all Appeals also being determined) do not or shall not amount in the whole to the full Sum of Thirty one thousand ninety six Pounds

then the respective  
Commissioners are  
to examine the  
Defendants.

Seven Shillings and Three Pence then and in each Case the several and respective Commissioners by this Act appointed for the said City of London and the said City and Liberty of Westminster respectively or for each of them where such Deficiency shall happen on any Three or more of them are hereby authorized and required within the respective Limits for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners as aforesaid to [renew] or cause to be renewed as followeth that is to say within the said City of London so much as shall make up the whole Assessment due upon this Act to amount unto the said Sum of Seventy eight thousand six hundred forty two Pounds Fifty Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny and within the said City and Liberty of Westminster so much as shall make up the whole Assessment due upon this Act to amount unto the said Sum of Thirty one thousand ninety six Pounds Seven Shillings and Three Pence Half penny which new Assessments shall be made upon such Stock as Trade Monies at current Prices Available Offices and Professions as aforesaid in the most equal and indifferent Manner that may be and shall be made levied collected and paid in such Manner and Form and by such Ways and Means as in this Act is declared and directed for making raising levying collecting and paying the said Assessments to made in pursuance of this Act as aforesaid Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

**LXXXVI.**  
Register kept in  
Exchequer for  
Orders.

And it is hereby further enacted That there shall be kept in the said Exchequer a Register for all the Orders to be registered on all the several Rates Rates Taxes Assessments and Sums of Money by this Act granted.

**LXXXVII.**  
Resident owners  
of Cathedral and  
collegiate churches  
paying Officers  
&c.

And whereas the Rents and Revenues belonging to the Residentaries of the Cathedral Churches are chargeable in the Land Tax granted by another Act of this Session of Parliament and in some Cases the Overplus of the said Rents and Revenues above such Tax Repairs and other Charges is to go in Shares for the Maintenance of the said Residentaries which Shares are diminished by the [said] Land Tax it is hereby provided and enacted That in such Cases the said Residentaries shall not be further chargeable as enjoying Offices of Profit out of the said Rents and Revenues Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

**LXXXVIII.**  
No Person capable  
of being a Com-  
missioner for a  
City, Act unless he

Provided also and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act in and for any City Borough Town Corporate or Cinque Port of the Realm of England Dominion of Wales or in the Town of Berwick upon Tweed for which Commissioners



are specially appointed by this Act (other than the Mayor Bayliff or Bayliffs or other Chief Magistrate or Magistrates of each City Borough Town Corporate or Cinque-Port respectively) unless such Person by himself or his Tenants or Trustees was used or did pay for the Value of Thirty Pounds per Annum or more in Lands Tenements or Households by virtue of the Act made and passed in the First Year of Her Majesty's Rights intitled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by down Subsidies and a Land Tax or unless such Person so appointed to be a Commissioner shall at the Time of the Execution of an Act of this present Session of Parliament intitled An Act for granting to Her Majesty a Land Tax for carrying on the War against France and Spain be by himself or his Tenants (\*) liable to be taxed by virtue of the said last mentioned Act for an Estate in Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of the said Value of Thirty Pounds per Annum or more or unless such Person so appointed to be a Commissioner shall at the Time of the Execution of this Act be liable to be taxed by virtue thereof the Sum of Six Pounds or more

Provided also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful so and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigner Bodily Politick or Corporate to advance and lend to Her Majesty upon Credit of the said several Rates Duties Assessments and Sums of Money by this Act granted as aforesaid any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the Whole the Sum of Six hundred thousand Pounds and to issue and receive for the Performance thereof Interest after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum and moreover that no Money to be lent upon Security of this Act shall be used as assessed by virtue of this Act or any other Act of Parliament whatsoever

And it is hereby further enacted That all and every Person or Persons who shall lend any Money upon the Credit of this Act and pay the same into the Receipt of Exchequer shall immediately have a Valley of Loan struck for the same and an Order for his her or their Repayment bearing the same Date with his her or their Talleys in which Order shall be also contained a Warranty for Payment of Interest for the Redemption thereof at the Rate aforesaid to be paid every Three Months until the Repayment of the Principal And that all such Orders for Repayment of Money to be lent shall be registered in course according to the Date of the Talleys respectively without any undue Preference of one before another

And that all and every Person and Persons shall be paid in course according to their Orders shall stand registered in the said Register Books so as the said Person Native or Foreigner his Executors Administrators or Assignees who shall have his Order or Orders first entered in the said respective Books of Registry shall be taken and accounted the First Person to be paid out of the Moneys to come in by virtue of this Act and he or they who shall have his or their Order or Orders next entered shall be taken and accounted to be the Second Person so he paid and so successively and in course

And that the Moneys to come in by this Act or for the said Subsidies Rates and Assessments as aforesaid shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the Moneys to be lent as aforesaid to the respective Parties their Executors Administrators Successors and Assignees successively without undue Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or disburse to any other Use Intent or Purpose whatsoever

And that no Fee Reward or Gratuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesty's Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesty's Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party grieved by the Party offending with Treble Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place also

And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in Point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party grieved and shall be disqualified of his Place or Office and if such Preference be actually made by any his Deputy or Clerks without Directions or Privity of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever after incapable of his Place or Office

And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct the Order or the Clerk of the Peils record or the Teller make Payment according to each Person due Place and Order as above directed then he or they shall be obliged to satisfy and the respective Deputies and Clerks likewise offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid all which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be incurred by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any of their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Pleas or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster whereto no Knight Protection Privilege Wager of Law Intestment or Order of Respite shall be in any wise granted or allowed

was charged for the last Year a Land Tax for the Value of fifty per Annum or fifty Shillings (Exchequer) c. 6. sec. c. 1. Stat. 1. sec.

LXXIX. Proviso was laid Money in the Majesty's duty per Cent. and Ann.

XC.

Orders for the Payment registered according to Date of Talley, and paid in course.

XC.

XCII. Money to come in by this Act liable to satisfy such Loan.

XCIII. No Bill for providing or making Books, &c. or for Payment of Money lent.

XCIV. Undue Preference by Officers, Deputy, By Deputy, Deputy.

XCV. Auditors, &c. not making Payment on the Order, Deputy.

How such Penalties to be recovered.

\* or Trustees &c.

XXVI.  
Persons whose  
Orders shall bear  
Date the same  
Day.

Provided always and be it hereby declared That if it happen that several Talleys of Loans or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted no such Preference which of those be entered first so as he enters them all the same Day.

XXVII.  
Persons whose  
Orders if then  
demanded no other  
Preference, if  
sufficient reason  
to satisfy preceding  
Orders.

Provided also That it shall not be interpreted any such Preference to alter any Priority in Point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerk of the Pells record and the Talleys do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand their Moneys and bring their Orders before either Persons that did not come to take their Moneys and bring their Orders in their Course so as there be no such Money reserved as will satisfy precedent Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed of but kept for them lawless upon Loans being to come from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them.

XXVIII.  
Orders for Payment  
of Money but may  
be stopped by  
Indemnity.

And be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due by Loans to be repaid by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Register as aforesaid His Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Writs of Assignment to be endorsed and written on his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall make such Assignee his Executors Administrators and Assigns to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereon And such Assignee may in like Manner assign again and so confer quous and afterwards it shall be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignments to make void release and discharge the same or any the Moneys thereby due or any Part thereof.

XXIX.  
Class of  
Appropriations.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Moneys which shall be lent to Her Majesty on the Credit of this Act and all the Moneys which are or shall be due contributed or advanced to Her Majesty upon every or any other Act or Acts of this Session of Parliament for granting any Aid or Supply to Her Majesty for carrying on the present War and other Her Majesties necessary or important Occasions and so much of the several Taxes and Duties by this and the said other Acts or any of them granted as shall remain (over and above such Charges as are to be allowed for the raising the said Taxes and Duties respectively and over and above the Moneys thereof which are in the first Place to go and be applied in Repayment and Satisfaction of all the Loans made or to be made thereupon or upon any of them and the Interest thereof respectively) shall be appropriated and applied and the same are hereby appropriated for or towards the several Uses and Purposes hereon after expressed (that is to say) For or towards the defraying the [Charge of the] Ordinary of Her Majesties Navy and other Services of the Navy and the victualling thereof and the [Charge of the] Ordinary of the Ordnance performed and to be performed and for or towards the Land Services performed and to be performed by the said Office of the Ordnance and to and for Substantive Officers and Charges for One Year from the Four and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and two to Her Majesties Guards and Gendarmes in England and the Dragoons thereunto belonging (Ireland excepted) and the contingent Charges of the same and for or towards the defraying the Charge of Her Majesties Army and such Forces as shall be added thereunto in the Low Countries within or for One Year to be reckoned from the said Four and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and two and the contingent Charges thereunto belonging and for or towards the Payment of Her Majesties Proportion of the Subsidies due upon Tonnies made or to be made with Her Majesty Allies for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and three and for or towards the Payment of any Sum not exceeding Five thousand Pounds for the Support of the landward and for or towards the discharging of the Pressures and other Charges for circulating the Bills commonly called Exchequer Bills and for or towards the Satisfaction of the Sum not exceeding Three thousand five hundred Pounds to be paid without Account as well for the Salaries of the Five Commissioners appointed by Act of Parliament for seeing the Accounts of the Army Transports and Passes during the last War as for incident Charges in the Execution of their Trust and for or towards the Satisfaction of the Sum of Three thousand five hundred Pounds for Salaries and any Sum not exceeding Two thousand five hundred Pounds for incident Charges to be allowed without Account to the Seven Commissioners appointed by Act of Parliament for seeing the Accounts of all Publick Moneys and to some other Use lawful or Purpose whatsoever.

For Sea Service.

Ordinance for Land  
Service,  
Subsidies, for  
of Guard and  
Gendarmes.

Army and Forces  
in the Low  
Countries.

Proportion of  
Subsidies due upon  
Tonnies,  
Druides.

Exchequer Bills,  
and incident Salaries  
to Commissioners of  
Publick Accounts.

C.  
Provision as to  
Defendants of  
Jury, who are  
of Manners for  
Guards and  
Gendarmes,  
and out of Moneys  
for Navy and Sea  
Service.

Provided always That out of the Moneys to be issued to the Guards and Gendarmes as aforesaid there shall be taken and applied any Sum not exceeding Eighty seven thousand two hundred twenty five Pounds and Ten Shillings towards the Charge of maintaining Ten thousand Soldiers for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges thereunto belonging and out of the Moneys to be issued for the Service of the Navy and Sea Service as aforesaid there shall be taken and applied with Sum as together with the said Sum of Eighty seven thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds and Ten Shillings shall be necessary for the Charge of maintaining the said Ten thousand Soldiers for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges thereunto belonging any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

## CHAPTER XVIII. (\*)

*An Act for advancing the Sale of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland and for vesting such as remain unsold by the present Trustees in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for such Uses as the same were before vested in the said Trustees and for the more effectual selling and setting the said Estates to Protestants and for explaining several Acts relating to the Lord Boplin and Sir Edmund Esmond.*

*See Pref. c. 200.  
p. 2.*

**W**HETHERAS in the Sale of several of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland pursuant to the Act of Parliament made and passed in the Eleventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third (of ever blessed Memory) entitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by Sale of the Forfeited and other Estates and Inclosures in Ireland and by a Land Tax in England for the several Purposes therein mentioned and to other Acts since made in that Behalf it is found by Experience that in many Cases where a Forfeited Estate is to be sold in Parcels the Purchases are discouraged by reason of large Quit Rents Crown Rents and Composition Rents payable to the Crown that are reserved or charged upon the whole Estate so forfeited or a great Part thereof and may be levied upon any Parcel of the same which shall be sold to any particular Purchaser or Purchasers For readyling whereas in such manner that the said Quit Rents Crown Rents and Composition Rents may well be sufficiently secured to be duly answered He is enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful so and for the Trustees for Sale of the said Forfeited Estates or any Seven or more of them by and with the Consent and Approbation of Three or more of the Commissioners of Her Majesties Revenues in Ireland For the Time being to apporportion any such Quit Rent Crown Rent or Composition Rent and to charge the same and all Avoirs thereof in Parcels upon the Mannors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments liable thereto according to the best of their Judgments and Discretions so that every Part of the Premises which shall be sold by it self being had to the Quantity and Value thereof may be liable to a certain Proportion of the said Quit Rent Crown Rent and Composition Rent and (\*) the Avoirs thereof and to no more or any greater Part of the same which Appointments being warranted and set down in Writing under the Hands and Seals of the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them [and of the said Commissioners of Her Ma<sup>ty</sup> Revenues or any Three or more of them] and being enrolled in Her Majesties Court of Exchequer in Ireland shall be firm good and effectual in the Law and the Rent which by such Appointments shall be chargeable upon any Part of the Premises which shall be sold by it self shall be assessed and reserved to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors in the Purchase Deed for the same and every such Part of the Premises shall be liable to such Proportion of Rent so reserved in the same Manner as it was before liable to the whole Rent and be commuted and discharged from all the Rent and Residue of every such Quit Rent Crown Rent or Composition Rent respectively

*Reason for passing this Act.  
Stat. 11 W. III.  
c. 2.*

*Effect of the Trustees may apporportion such charges in Parcels.  
Quit Rents, &c.*

*Such Appointments must be set down in Writing under Hand and Seal and enrolled, to be chargeable upon any Part of the Premises sold.*

Also in case the said Trustees and Commissioners or each of them as aforesaid shall not agree in the said Appointments or any of them respectively before the Four and twentieth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and three or shall sooner disagree therein or in any of them then and in every such Case the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of Ireland for the Time being in and are hereby authorized and directed to make the like Appointments and Appointments respectively according to his or their Discretion which shall be of the like Force and Effect as if the same had been made by the said Trustees with the Consent of the said Commissioners of the Revenue or so many of them as aforesaid Any thing in the said former Acts or any of them contained to the contrary notwithstanding

*§1.  
If the Trustees, &c. do not agree in such Appointments, Lord Lieutenant may make Appointments.*

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such and so many of the several Honours Mannors Baronsies Curtes Mortgages Lands Tenements Rents Reversions Services Remissions and other Estates whatsoever and all such Parts and Parcels of them or any of them which by the several Acts aforesaid or any of them were vested in the said Trustees to be sold or otherwise disposed and which are not or shall not before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three be sold by them or the Baronsies of them or otherwise conveyed or disposed pursuant to the true Meaning of the said former Acts respectively and all Judgments Statutes Recognizances Estates Mortgages Securities Right of Redemption of Mortgages and Securities Debts Symplectis Obligations Goods Chancels and Personal Estates whatsoever by the said Acts or any of them vested in the said Trustees which are not or shall not before the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three be disposed by the said Trustees or the Baronsies of them to the Uses Intents and Purposes in the said several Acts expressed such of the said Forfeited Estates as have been or are or shall be conveyed to or vested in any other Person as Person Bodies Politick or Corporate by virtue or in pursuance of any other Act or Acts of Parliament made in England always excepted shall be vested and settled and the same not lawfully vested and settled in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for the several and respective Uses and Purposes intended by the Acts aforesaid of and concerning the same respectively and so shall continue subject nevertheless to such Orders and Appointments as by Authority of the Parliament of England shall hereafter be given in that Behalf

*§2.  
Each of the Lands, &c. vested in the said Trustees is to be sold before 4th June 1704.*

*And each of the Judgments, &c. vested in the said Trustees is to be disposed of before the said 4th June 1704. (Excepted) vested in the Crown for the Purposes of the said Acts, subject to the Order of Parliament.*

\* This is Chapter XXI. in the Common printed Editions.

\* of 0

\* inserted in the Bill

IV.  
From the and  
24th June 1702  
Persons of old Acts  
(Exempted)  
to make, and  
Trustees to deliver  
to Commissioners  
of Revenue, by  
Indenture sealed,  
all Deeds, Ac-  
counting the said  
Forfeited Estates  
in their County.

Said Commissioners  
to reflect Rates of  
said Estates, and  
Accounts.

and use in the  
Mere of the  
Crown for Debt  
due.

and pay moneys, after  
deducting Charges,  
into Court of  
Exchequer

V.  
Regulations for  
making forth  
Declarations by  
Payment of  
Fines, and  
Commissions  
of Accounts  
for Payment of  
Principal and  
Interest

VI.  
Sales, Mortgages,  
Leases, Ac. of  
said Estates to be  
made in Presence  
only, under a Seal  
only.

VII.  
Sums Trustees  
may accept the  
Purchase Money  
in Proportion to  
Interest now made,  
and upon Payment  
of the Fine  
Proportion made  
Consequently, with  
a Power to be  
made upon Non-  
payment of the  
Purchase in Interest  
amounted.

The said Payments  
to be made into  
the Court of  
Exchequer in

And that from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three  
all Powers and Authorities given by the said Acts or any of them to the said Trustees touching the said Forfeited  
Estates or any of them except as to such Moneys and Things as are or shall be duly executed by them in any  
of them in the mean time shall cease and determine and that the said Trustees or the Baron or the Survivor of  
them or the major Part of them within Forty Days after the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand  
seven hundred and three shall deliver or cause to be delivered unto the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Revenue  
in that Kingdom or in any Three or more of them by Indenture to be made sealed and delivered between them in  
that behalf and to be also enrolled in His Majesty's Court of Exchequer in Ireland all the Deeds Writings  
Mortgages Scrivener's Records Books Accounts [and"] Papers whatsoever in the Custody or Power of the said  
Trustees or any of them any way touching or concerning the Forfeited Estates and other the Premises aforesaid  
or any of them and that the said Commissioners of Her Majesty's Revenue for the Time being shall cause the  
same to be safely kept for the Publick Service and that from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of  
June One thousand seven hundred and three the said Commissioners of Her Majesty's Revenue in the said Kingdom  
of Ireland for the Time being or Three or more of them shall cause to be levied and collected all the Rents  
and Profits of the said Forfeited Estates and the Arrangements thereof and of every of them in the Name of Her  
Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and shall also sue for prosecute and recover in the Name of His Majesty Her  
Heirs and Successors all the said Debt Sums of Money Goods Chattels and Personal Estates which shall be  
vested by this Act in Her Majesty as aforesaid and cause all the Moneys owing thereby (the necessary Charges  
of levying collecting suing and recovering as aforesaid and other modest Charges relating to the said Forfeited  
Estates only excepted) to be brought and paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer in Ireland and there to be  
kept apart from all other His Majesty's Treasure and Revenue to be applied and disposed for the Uses Intents  
and Purposes aforesaid according to such Orders and Directions as shall hereafter be given by Authority of the  
Parliament in England as aforesaid

And for the observing all Doubts in the Debentures which are intended to be applied to or for the purchasing  
of the said Forfeited Estates or any of them it is hereby further enacted and declared That all Debentures made  
forth as to be made forth for Principal or Interest by the Paymaster General of Her Majesty's Forces in England  
for the Time being pursuant to Certificate from the Commissioners for making the Accounts of the Army or any  
Three or more of them for the Time being and all Debentures that are or shall be made forth either for  
Principal or Interest by the said Commissioners of Accounts or any Three or more of them for the Time being  
or by the said Commissioners for Transport Service or the major Part of them are and shall be according to  
the Tenor thereof and for so much as shall be contained therein and all such Interest as shall be due upon the  
same by virtue of any Act or Acts of Parliament applicable to the purchasing of any such Estate or Estates as  
aforesaid any Defect or Defects or other Matters or Things in the said former Acts or any of them to the  
contrary notwithstanding

And whereas since the making of the said recent Act for vesting all the Forfeited Estates and Interests in the  
Kingdom of Ireland in Trustees to be sold for the Use of the Publick several Persons have been named to some  
of the said Forfeited Estates by several other Acts of Parliament For preventing any Doubts that may arise  
thereupon be it declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Sales Mortgages Leases or other Dispositions  
whosoever which shall be made of the said Estates or Interests so forfeited and entered or of any Part of them  
by any Person or Persons who now have or hereafter may have Power to sell or dispose of the same shall be  
only to such Person or Persons being Promises as is and by an Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reiga  
intituled An Act for the Relief of the Protestants Purchasers of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland is provided and  
appointed in the Case of other Forfeited Estates in that Kingdom and that no Person or Persons whatsoever disabled  
by the said Act shall be capable of taking holding or occupying any of the said Lands so forfeited and entered  
under the Powers and Disabilities in the said Act mentioned and contained

And for the encouragement of Purchasers and facilitating the Sales of the said Estates be it enacted by His  
Authority aforesaid That the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them shall or may (if they think fit) accept  
from the several Purchasers thereof One Third Part only of their Purchase Money or any greater Proportion thereof  
to be paid at such Times before the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three  
in the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them shall direct and upon Payment of such Part or Proportion  
make Conveyance of the Land so purchased to the several Purchasers thereof under a Power notwithstanding  
making void the same for Non-payment of the Residue of the said Purchase Money in Manner following That  
to any One Midday of the said Residue on or before the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand  
seven hundred and three and the other Midday of the said Residue on or before the Four and twentieth Day of  
June One thousand seven hundred and four together with Interest for each of the said Months or Half Part  
after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum in English Money as the same is valued in England  
from the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three until the respective Third  
of Payment thereof the said several Payments to be made into the Receipt of the Exchequer in Ireland either in  
English Money as the same is valued in England or in any the Debentures Certificate Tallies Orders Tickets  
and Bills applicable by this or the said former Acts or any of them to such Purchasers and that all and every

the Mortgage as paid shall be reserved to be applied to the Uses Intents and Purposes in the said first recited Act directed as aforesaid and that in such Cases the Officers of Her Majesties Exchequer do take Care to cancel the same Debentures Certificates Talley Orders Tickets and Bills so paid and to receive an Account thereof from Her Majesties Exchequer in England in the same Manner as the said Transoms are directed to do by the same Act And for the better Security of Purchasers or such of them as shall comply with the Payments to be secured as aforesaid the proper Officers of the said Exchequer for the Time being shall sign Receipts for the same endorsed upon each Conveyance respectively the Transcripts of which said Receipts shall also be entered upon the Entry of the said Conveyances remaining with the Entries or Records of the said Transoms and also on the Instruments thereof so remote in the High Court of Chancery in Ireland

Inland in English Money or Debentures, &c. to be applied as before mentioned.

Officers of the Exchequer to sign Receipts endorsed upon Conveyances, &c.

PROVIDED always That the said Transoms or any Seven or more of them shall and may and they are hereby impowered to convey to any Purchaser or Purchasers his or their Heirs and Assigns at any Time before the Tenth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and three any of the said Forfeited Estates or any Part thereof for which they or any Seven or more of them shall have agreed to sell to any such Purchaser or Purchasers before the said Four and twentieth Day of June and that such Conveyance shall be as good and as effectual in the Law as if the same had been perfected before the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three Any thing in this or any former Act contained to the contrary thereof in any way notwithstanding

NOTE.  
Said Transoms may convey before the 10th July 1703, upon Agreements made before 10th June 1702.

AND that the same Intent and Meaning of the aforesaid Act intitled An Act for the Relief of the Protestant Purchasers of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland may not by cunning Deceits be evaded he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid that all Leases Releases Confirmations Agreements Bargains and Sales Marriages Judgments Statutes or Obligations for further Security of such Bargains and Agreements concerning any such Lands Tenements or Hereditaments which were made done or suffered by any Person restored by virtue of any of the Acts passed in the last Parliament to which or in Trust for any Estate at any Time since the First Day of May which was in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred sixty nine are hereby made null and void to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever and any Persons who shall hereafter claim the Benefit or Advantage of any such Bargain or Agreement made since the said First Day of May are hereby made subject and liable to such Penalties and Disabilities as are contained in the said recited Act for Relief of Protestant Purchasers and every such Person who has paid or given any Sum or Sums of Money for or in Consideration of any such Bargain or Agreement to any such Person so restored shall his Heirs and Assigns shall hereby recover in an Action of Debt such Sum or Sums as they have bona fide paid for or in Consideration of such Bargain or Agreement against such Person or Persons their Heirs and Assigns to whom they paid the same

IX.  
A. M. 1702.  
All Leases, Agreements, Statutes, &c. entered into by Persons restored, with or in Trust for Estates, void.

and Persons claiming thereunder subject to Penalties of the said Act 1 and Money paid for the same may be recovered in Action of Debt.

AND whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of Her present Majesties Reign intitled An Act for the Relief of Sir Edmund Everard Peter Fagan and the Protestant Children of Sir Anthony Maffuly deceased with relation to the Forfeited Estates in Ireland it is (amongst other Things) enacted That upon Payment of the Sum of Two thousand Pounds to the Trustees for the Sale of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland or to the Survivors of them for the Purposes therein mentioned the said Trustees or any Seven of them should convey all and singular the Manors Castles Lands Tenements and Hereditaments Privileges Franchises Advantages Emoluments Conditions Rights of Entry Rights of Action and equitable Rights of Redemption and all other Estates and Incidents whereof Sir John Everard deceased was seized possessed or interested in on the Second Day of November One thousand six hundred eighty eight or at any Time after to Her Grace Mary Duchess of Devonshire Wife of the most Noble William Duke of Devonshire Second of Her Majesties Household the most Noble James Duke of Ormonde William Marquess of Montagu Son and Heir Apparent of the said Duke of Devonshire Richard Lord Leake Viscount Ranelagh in the Kingdom of Ireland (since deceased) and Thomas Wright of Longport in the County of Derby Esquire and their respective Heirs to the Use of them [and<sup>o</sup>] their Heirs law in Trust to raise by Sale or Mortgage of the Premises or any Part thereof the Sum of Two thousand Pounds and such other Sums or Sums of Money as should be necessary to pay off and discharge such Debts and Incumbrances as were adjudged and decreed by the said Trustees for Sale of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland to affect the said Estate or any Sum or Sums of Money as should be thought requisite for the Maintenance Education and Settlement of the said Sir Edmund Everard and from and after raising the same then the said Trustees and the Rents Issues and Profits thereof in the Mean Time subject to the Payment of the said Sums should be and cease to be the Use of and in Trust for the said Sir Edmund Everard his Heirs and Assigns for ever.

X.  
Recited Stat.  
1 Ann. c. 49. P.

AND whereas some Doubts have arisen about the Construction of the said Act by Reason of another Act passed in the same Session of Parliament intitled An Act for the Relief of the Protestant Purchasers of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland To the Intent therefore that the said Sir Edmund Everard may have the Benefit of the said Act made for his Relief and that all Doubts may be cleared and removed he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon Payment of the said Sum of Two thousand Pounds to the said Trustees for the Sale of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland or the Survivors of them payment to the true Intents and Meaning and for the Purposes contained in the said Act made for the Relief of the said Sir Edmund Everard and others all and singular the Manors Castles Lands Tenements Hereditaments Privileges Franchises Advantages Emoluments Conditions Rights of Entry Rights of Action and equitable Rights of Redemption and all other Estates and

XI.  
And the Deeds-  
had since upon the  
same by Statute of  
c. 10. 1702.  
The said Deeds  
renewed.

<sup>o</sup> inserted in the Bill.

Instrument whereof the said Sir John Ernold was seised or possessed of or interested in on the Second Day of November One thousand six hundred eighty eight or at any Time after shall be taken deemed and adjudged and are hereby declared to be severally void in the said Mary Daughters of Devonshire James Duke of Grafton William Marquess of Harborough and Thomas Wright and their Heirs and that they and the Survivors and Successors of them and the Heirs of each Survivor shall be at and at or interested in all and singular the same Premises with the Appointments Any thing in this Act or any other Act or Acts of Parliament to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding subject nevertheless to and charged with the several Trusts Duties and Sums of Money and with such Powers to make the same by Sale or Mortgage as are mentioned in the above recited Act made for the Relief of the said Sir Edmund Erskine and others and subject also to the Engagement of such Sum or Sums of Money as (together with the proportionable Part of the One and twenty thousand Pounds given to the Protestant Purchasers and charged upon the said Estate) shall complete the whole Sum which shall appear to have been paid by the said Protestant Purchasers to the Earl or Remedy for Lands by them purchased from the said Earl which Lands were Part of the Estate of Sir John Ernold deceased and subject also to such Powers and Clauses as in the said recited Act for Relief of the said Sir Edmund Erskine are contained and enacted for the Education or Training the said restored Estate or concerning Restorations and Vicarages Incumbencies Tythes Oblations Offerings Glebes or other Things to them belonging or appertaining vested in the said Trustees for Protestant Estates and the said Trustees shall (in) pay or secure all such Monies and Debentures or the Value thereof to have been paid by any Protestant Purchasers to any Part of the said Estate by them sold since the last Session of Parliament

XII.  
Recited of  
c. 41. Ps. ante.

Powers to  
Trustees to raise  
the Sum of  
officers and  
Deputies from  
a public House by  
Deputy Mortgage  
of said House, to  
pay into into  
Exchequer of  
Ireland in terms  
mentioned;  
and upon Payment  
of Payments  
of the said  
officers, Officers  
of the Exchequer  
to sign Receipts  
for the same.  
Payments  
paid as if made  
before sixth March  
1702.

XIII.  
Payments to be  
made in English  
Money

XIV.  
In Default of  
Payment of Pro-  
portions, Payment  
mentioned in  
c. 41. Ps. ante  
vested in the  
Crown for the  
Public.

If Default of the  
proportion Pro-  
portions, the said Estate  
vested in His  
Majesty charged in  
terms mentioned.

AND whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reigne of Her present Majesty intituled An Act for making Provision for the Protestant Children of the Earl of Clarendon and the Lord Boplin it is enacted That such Protestant Trustees as are or shall be appointed by the Guardians mentioned in the said Act shall by Mortgage or Sale of certain Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments raise and pay into Her Majesty's Exchequer in Ireland the Sum of Twenty five thousand Pounds of lawful Money of England within the Time and Space of One Year from the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two but by Reason of unexpected Difficulties which the said Lord Boplin and his Family do at present lie under the said Sum cannot be raised and paid within the said Time and according to the Direction of the said Act be a discharge enacted by the Authority sheweth That it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Protestant Trustees by Mortgage or Sale of the said Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments (in which Mortgage or Sale the said Lord Boplin shall join) to raise the said Sum of Five and twenty thousand Pounds and Interest for the same from the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three at the Rate of Six Pounds per Cent<sup>us</sup> per An<sup>no</sup> and pay the said Sum into the said Exchequer in Ireland in Manner following (that is to say) One Third Part of the said Five and twenty thousand Pounds (with all the Interest so that Time due) on or before the First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three and One other Third Part of the said Five and twenty thousand Pounds (together with all the Interest so that Time) on or before the First Day of December One thousand seven hundred and three and the other Third Part of the said Sum of Five and twenty thousand Pounds together with all the Interest so that Time due on or before the First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four upon Payment of which said respective Proportions of the said Five and twenty thousand Pounds and Interest the proper Officers of the said Exchequer for the Time being shall sign Receipts for the same which said several Payments as so be made as aforesaid shall be and be construed and taken to be as beneficial and effectual to all Issues and Purposes as if the said Sum of Five and twenty thousand Pounds had been or should be actually paid before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three Any thing contained in any former Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

AND it is declared and enacted That the said Payments so to be made shall be in English Money as the same is valued in England and that all and every the Monies so paid shall be returned to be applied to the Use Issues and Purposes in the said first recited Act directed as aforesaid

Providem always That if Default of Payment shall be made of the First Third Part herein before mentioned to be paid on the said First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three or of any Part thereof all the said Premises mentioned in the said Act intituled An Act for making Provision for the Protestant Children of the Earl of Clarendon and the Lord Boplin shall be vested in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for the Use of the Publick Any thing in this Act or the said Act before mentioned to the contrary notwithstanding And if Default shall be made of Payment of either of the Two remaining Third Parts herein mentioned on any day Days and Times appointed for Payment of the same that then and from thenceforth the said Estate shall be vested in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for the Use of the Publick charged only with such Sum of Money as the said Estate is liable to by the said before recited Act and the Principal and Interest of said Money as shall be charged thereon to make the Payments pursuant to this Act.

enacted on the Roll.

## CHAPTER XII. (\*)

AN ACT for preventing Frauds in Her Majesties Duties upon stamped Value Parchment and Paper

See Part 1 above, p. 5. &amp; 6.

**F**OR Prevention of several Frauds whereby Her Majesties Duties by the several Acts of Parliament in that Behalf made imposed on stamped Value Parchment and Paper have been very much lessened &c. it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Fifth and twentieth Day of March in the Year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three if any Clerk Officer Attorney Solicitor or other Person (to whom it shall appear or who shall be employed or interested to enter or [re-]) file any Action Plea Bail Appearance Admission or other Matter or Thing in respect whereof any Duty shall be payable by virtue of the said Acts or any of them) shall neglect to enter file or record the same as by Law the same ought to be entered filed or recorded within the Space of Four Months after such Clerk Officer Attorney Solicitor or other Person shall have received any Money for or in respect of the Entry Filing or Recording of any such Action Plea Bail Appearance Admission or other Matter or Thing or shall have promised or undertaken to enter file or record the same or shall neglect to enter file or record any such Action Plea Bail Appearance or other Matter or Thing before any subsequent further or other Proceeding Matter or Thing in respect or relating to the same shall be had entered filed or recorded or if any Clerk Officer Attorney Solicitor or other Person or Persons shall after the said Fifth and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three transact enter record or file any such further or other Proceeding Matter or Thing subsequent and relating to such Action Plea Bail or Appearance before the same shall have been duly entered filed or recorded that then every such Clerk Officer Attorney Solicitor or other Person as neglecting or offending shall for every such Offence or Neglect forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds with full Costs of Suit and further that no such Record or Entry as aforesaid shall (in or upon any Book or Proceedings) be commenced or brought against any such Clerk Officer Attorney Solicitor or other Person for any Offence against this Act) be of it self any concluding Evidence of the Time that the same was made written entered or filed or supposed (') to be but in such Suit or upon such Prosecution Proof shall be admitted to be made of the Time that the same was actually made written entered or filed. Provided that nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to oblige or compel any Clerk Officer or other Person to enter or file any Appearance where any Judgment is issued by Confession Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Attorney or others not entering Appearance in respect whereof any Duty is payable by virtue of the said Acts.

as entering Proceedings relating to such Actions, Plea and subsequent Matters, before the same shall have been duly entered, Fined, &c. and such Entry not conclusive Evidence of the Time of making the same.

Process.

II.

Writing, &c. as between or before written or without a Book Stamp.)

or fraudulently using, as Stamp, for or entering all Stamp for any other Writing.)

Fines, Alms, and Costs.

III.

Fines and for Offences and penalties, to be liable also to the Punishment of former Acts.

IV.

Process for Offences relating to Books, &c. transgressed, that shall have been first shown to and signed by the Commissioners, &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons at any Time after the said Fifth and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three shall write or legibly or cause to be written or engrossed either the Whole or any Part of any Writ Mandate Bond Affidavit or other Writing Matter or Thing whatsoever in respect whereof any Duty is payable by the said Acts or any of them on the Whole or any Part of any Piece of Value Parchment or Paper whereas these shall have been before written any other Writ Bond Mandate Affidavit or other Matter or Thing in respect whereof any Duty was payable by the said Acts or any of them before such Value Parchment or Paper shall have been again marked or stamped according to the said Acts or shall fraudulently erase or scrape out or cause to be erased or scraped out the Name or Names of any Person or Persons or any Sum Due or other Thing written in such Writ Mandate Affidavit Bond or other Writing Matter or Thing as aforesaid or fraudulently cut out or get off any Mark or Stamp from any Piece of Value Parchment or Paper or any Part thereof with intent to use such Stamp or Mark for any other Writing Matter or Thing in respect whereof any Duty shall be payable by virtue of the said Acts or any of them Out then to obtain and in every such Case every Person so offending in any of the Particulars before mentioned shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds with full Costs of Suit.

And it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person who shall (in or upon any Book or Information which shall be commenced or brought upon or in pursuance of this Act) be convicted of any of the Negligence or Offences herein before mentioned shall likewise lose all other Forfeitures and Disabilities which such Offender should or would have incurred if he had been convicted of Writing contrary to the said Acts or any of them the Entry of any Plea or Action or any Writ Bond or other Writing Matter or Thing on Value Parchment or Paper not marked or stamped according to the said Acts nor having any Stamp or Mark thereon resembling any of the Marks or Stamps in the said Acts or any of them mentioned.

Process always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Officer shall be subject to any of the Penalties Forfeitures Disabilities or Incapacities in this or any of the said former Acts mentioned for Writing or causing to be written any of the Matters or Things aforesaid in any Book or Roll without any Marks or Stamps thereon which shall have been first shown to and signed by the Commissioners for the Time being appointed to put the said Acts in Execution or any Three or more of them or some Officer or Officers by them or the major Part of them for that Purpose authorized and empowered to signify his or their Leave or Approbation that the Matters and Things to be written in such Book or Roll may be therein written without any Marks or Stamps thereon so as the Person or Persons having the Custody of such Book or Roll do from time to time (where

\* This is Chapter XXII. in the Common Printed Edition.

The Person having the Custody of such Book, &c. to permit Inspection thereof by Commissioners, &c. and to pay such Duty as ought to be paid

and as often as he or they shall be thereto required) permit the said Commissioners or any of them or any Officers or Agent by them or the major Part of them for that Purpose appointed to inspect and view such Book or Roll and do also (from time to time when and as often as he or they shall be thereto required by the said Commissioners or the major Part of them or any other by them or the major Part of them authorized) pay unto the Receiver General for the Time being of the said Duties (for such other Officers or Persons as the said Commissioners or the major Part of them shall appoint to receive the same) all such Sums and Sums of Money which according to the true Intent and Meaning of the said Acts or any of them ought to be paid in respect of all and every such Matters and Things as shall be written in such Book or Roll Any thing herein or in any of the said former Acts contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

V.  
Writing to be upon or over the Stamp.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Writings Matters and Things (in respect whereof any of the said Duties shall be payable and which shall be expressed or written after the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three shall be written in such Manner that since Part thereof shall be either upon or as near as conveniently may be to the Stamp or Mark which shall (in pursuance of the said Acts or any of them) be placed on the Vellum Parchment or Paper whereupon the same shall be written or expressed upon Pain that the Person who shall write or ingross or cause to be written or expressed any such Writing Matter or Thing contrary to the Tenor and true Meaning hereof shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of Ten Pounds with full Costs of Suit

Penalty after and Costs.

VI.  
How Penalties divided.

Also be it hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the One Moiety of all the pecuniary Forfeitures Fines and Penalties herein before mentioned shall be to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety with full Costs of Suit shall be to any Person or Persons who shall inform and sue for the same or any of them in any Court of Record by Action of Debt Bill Pleint or Information wherein no Escoign Protection or Wages of Law shall be allowed

VII.  
Allowance for prompt Payments.

And whereas some Doubts have arisen touching the Allowances which by virtue of the said former Acts ought to be made for prompt Payment of the said Duties be it therefore declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two there shall be allowed and paid to every Person who shall at any One Time being to be stamped or buy of the said Commissioners Paper or Parchment the Duties whereof shall amount to Ten Pounds or upwards after the Rate of Six Pence in the Hundred Pounds per Annum for Six Months upon the present Payment of the said Duties at the Head Office in London or Westminster and not otherwise nor any other Allowance Any thing in the said former Acts contained to the contrary notwithstanding

VIII.  
The Comptroller and Accountant General of the Exchequer to receive yearly in the Exchequer the Balance of such Accounts

Also to the End the said Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper and all Matters incident thereto may be fully and duly answered and accounted for be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Comptroller and Accountant General of the said Duties for the Time being shall annually pass a general Account in the Court of Exchequer of the gross Produce of all the said Duties in which Account there shall be charged all the Moneys becoming due to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors for all the Stamp or Marks which shall be ingrossed or put upon any Vellum Parchment or Paper distinguishing those for which ready Money is or shall be paid at the Head Office for the said Duties in London from those which shall be delivered over to be otherwise sold or distributed and all the Moneys which shall arise to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors for Penalties relating to the said Duties and all the Moneys which shall be paid by the Registers or other of the Two Universities or by any Officers of the Law or others for Entries made in Books where the Duty ought to be paid for every Entry therein and all the Moneys arising for Vellum Parchment and Paper which shall be delivered out by the Commissioners of the said Duties or by their Order for the better accommodating Her Majesties Subjects so that the Profits arising thereby and the Kinds and Quantities so delivered out may plainly appear in every such Account and all the Moneys which shall be received by any Bonds taken for the said Duties or any Part thereof and all other Moneys Matters and Things whatsoever which ought to be charged in a General or gross Account for the said Duties within the Time for which every such Annual Account ought to be made and in the Discharge of every such General Account there shall be comprehended all the Moneys which shall appear to have been duly paid or answered by the Receiver General of the said Duties within the Time of every such Account and all other Salaries and Incident Charges which shall be duly allowed in or for the Management of the said Revenues and all the Discounts for prompt Payments which shall be duly made out of the said Duties and all the Moneys which shall be actually paid for Vellum Parchment and Paper bought or provided by the said Commissioners or their Order for accommodating Her Majesties Subjects so that the Kinds and Quantities of all the Vellum Parchment and Paper so provided may also plainly appear in every such Account and all other Matters and Things which by the Course of the Exchequer ought to be discharged in an Account of this Nature

and when it is appear thereby

The Time of Discharge and when it is to be completed therein.

The Kinds and Quantities of Vellum, &c. provided to appear by such Account

IX.  
Accounts of Duties to be set together

upon said by Treasury.

And it is hereby enacted That all the Debts and Arrears of the said Duties which at the End of every such Account ought to be charged upon any Revenues Disburses or others shall be duly set together upon the several Persons chargeable therewith to the End the same may be recovered by the Ordinary Process of the said Court unless the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall see cause to stay the said Process against the said Persons or any of them for giving them Time to pay or answer such Debts and Arrears or any of them and to be discharged thereof in any subsequent Account of such Comptroller and Accountant General according to the due Course of the said Court



AND it is hereby also enacted That the Stocks of Vellum Parchment and Paper stamped or unstamped which at the End of every such Account ought to remain in Her Majesties Wardhouses or elsewhere shall also be set down and exposed at the Foot of every such Account and that the First of the said General and Annual Accounts shall be for the Year in and on the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and three and shall be delivered by the said Comptroller and Accountant General to the Auditors of Her Majesties Impres and other Accounts before the First and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and three and shall be sworn to by him (to the best of his Knowledge) and be followed and prosecuted by him in such Manner that the same shall not by his Negligence or Default remain unfinished in the Court of Exchequer beyond the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and four and that every subsequent Annual Account shall in the Manner aforesaid on the First Day of August be delivered to the said Auditors or one of them before the First and twentieth Day of December and prosecuted so that the same may be finished before the First Day of May yearly during the Continuance of the said Duties under the Penalty of Forfeiting his Office and the Sum of One hundred Pounds One Moiety thereof to the Queen and the other Moiety to such Person or Persons who will inform or sue for the same to be recovered in Manner aforesaid

X.  
Bank of Vellum,  
the, according to  
by an Accountable  
Foot of Account.  
Times of delivering  
Annual Accounts

Forfeiture of Office  
and Penalty thereon

PARLIAMENT always That if any such Comptroller and Accountant General shall wilfully and knowingly receive any Receiver Distributor or other Person inquest for any Moneys or Stamps daily answered paid or accounted for by such Receiver Distributor or other Person respectively whereby he or they shall sustain any Damage or Payable them and in every such Case Comptroller and Accountant General shall be liable to answer and pay Triple Damages to the Party grieved to be recovered by Action of the Case in any Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster with full Costs of Suit in which Action no Esquire Pleasance Wager of Law or more than one Imparance shall be granted or allowed.

XI.  
Comptroller, the,  
publicly answering  
Receiver, the,  
Impres,

Triple.

# CHAPTER XL()

AN ACT for punishing Officers or Soldiers who shall desert Her Majesties Service in England or Ireland and for punishing false Musters and for better Payment of Quarters in England.

Act, Part  
I. Anno, p. 6. 4.

WHEREAS the raising or keeping a Standing Army within this Kingdom in Time of Peace unless it be with Consent of Parliament is against Law and whereas it is judged necessary by Her Majesty and this present Parliament that several of the Forces which are now on Foot should be continued and others raised for the Safety of this Kingdom and for the constant Defence of the Protestant Religion and for the Preservation of the Liberties of Europe. And whereas no Man may be deprived of Life or Limb or subjected in Time of Peace to any Kind of Punishment within this Realm by Martial Law or in any other Manner than by the Judgment of his Peers and according to the known and established Laws of this Realm yet nevertheless it being requisite for the retaining such Forces in their Duty that an exact Discipline be observed and that Soldiers who shall desert or set up before or shall desert Her Majesties Service within this Realm or the Kingdom of Ireland be brought to a more exemplary and speedy Punishment than the usual Forms of the Law will allow Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the First and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two every Person being in Her Majesties Service in the Army and being enlisted and in Pay as an Officer or Soldier who shall at any Time before the First and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four within this Realm commit crime or joys in any Manner or Sedition in the Army or desert Her Majesties Service in the Army shall suffer Death or any other Punishment as by a Court Martial shall be inflicted or being a Soldier actually bound in any Regiment Troop or Company shall for himself into any other Regiment Troop or Company without a Discharge produced in Writing from the Captain or the Officer commanding the Troop or Company in which he has served as a listed Soldier shall suffer Death or such other Punishment as by a Court Martial shall be inflicted

Reason for putting  
this Act

Soldier disobeying  
or deserting, the

Punishment

AND it is hereby further enacted and declared That Her Majesty or the General of her Army for the Time being may by virtue of this Act have full Power and Authority to grant Committments to any General Lieutenant General or other Officer (not under the Degree of a Field Officer or Commander in Chief of a Garrison) from time to time to call and assemble Courts Martial for punishing such Officers as aforesaid.

II.  
Her Majesty or  
General of the  
Army may grant  
Committments to  
call a Court  
Martial.

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That no Court Martial which shall have Power to inflict any Punishment by virtue of this Act for the Offences aforesaid shall consist of fewer than Twelve: whereas also to be under the Degree of a Commission Officer and the President of such Court Martial not to be under the Degree of a Field Officer or the then Commander in Chief of the Garrison where the Offender shall be tried

III.  
Number, the, of  
the Court.

\* This is Chapter XVI. in the Common printed Editions.

- IV.** *Field Officer by whom trial.*  
*Court may give an Oath.*  
**PROVIDED** always That no Field Officer shall be tried by any Officer under the Degree of a Captain and that such Court Martial shall have Power and Authority to administer an Oath to any Witness in order to the Examination or Tryal of the Offences aforesaid.
- V.** *Persons for Process of Law.*  
**PROVIDED** always That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to exempt any Officer or Soldier whatsoever from the ordinary Process of Law.
- VI.** *Persons for Militia.*  
**PROVIDED** always That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend or be in any ways construed to extend to concern any the Militia Forces of this Kingdom.
- VII.** *How the Trial shall be in Capital Cases.*  
**PROVIDED** always and be it enacted That in all Tryals of Offenders by Courts Martial to be held by virtue of this Act where the Offence may be punished by Death every Officer present at such Tryal before any Proceeding be had thereupon shall take an Oath upon the Evangelical before the Court and the next Justice of the Peace Judge Advocate or his Deputy or one of them are hereby authorized to administer the same in these Words (that is to say)
- Oath by Officers.*  
**YOU** shall well and truly try and determine according to your Knowledge in the Manner now before you between our Sovereign Lady and the Queens Majesty and the Prisoner to be tried. So help you GOD.
- VIII.** *Number of Officers to attend in Court.*  
*House of Lords.*  
**AND** no Sentence of Death shall be given against any Offender in such Case by any Court Martial unless Nine or Thirteen Officers present shall concur therein and if there be a greater Number of Officers present than the Judgment shall pass by the Consent of the greater Part of them so sworn which major Part shall not be less than Nine and not otherwise and no Proceedings Tryals or Sentence of Death shall be had or given against any Offender but between the Hours of Eight in the Morning and One in the Afternoon.
- IX.** *Making false Certificate to excuse Absence from Muster.*  
*Penalty of five Pounds and imprisonment.*  
**AND** for preventing of Fraud and Deceit in mustering of Soldiers be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person shall make or give or procure to be made and given any false or untrue Certificate whereby to excuse any Soldier for their Absence from any Muster or other Service which they ought to attend or perform upon a Pretence of Sickness or other Cause that then every such Person so making giving or procuring such Certificate shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Fifty Pounds and shall be forthwith cashiered and be displaced from such his Office and shall be thereby utterly disabled to have or hold any Military Office or Employment within this Realm or in Her Majesties Service.
- X.** *Making false Muster, or altering Muster Roll Oath.*  
*Penalty of five Pounds and imprisonment.*  
**AND** be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Officer that shall make any false or untrue Muster of Man or Horse and every Constabulary Muster Master and other Officer who shall wilfully or willingly allow or sign the Muster Roll wherein such false Muster is contained as any Deponent thereof upon Proof thereof upon Oath made by Two Witnesses before a Court Martial to be thereof sworn (which is hereby authorized and required to administer such Oath) shall for each such Offence be forthwith cashiered and displaced from such their Office and shall be thereby utterly disabled to have or hold any Civil or Military Office or Employment within this Kingdom or in Her Majesties Service and shall likewise forfeit One hundred Pounds.
- XI.** *Constabulary, to give Notice of Muster to Major, who is to be present.*  
*Penalty of five Pounds.*  
**AND** be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Constabulary or Muster Master upon any Muster to be made had or taken by him or them shall by a convenient Time before such Muster made give Notice to the Major or other Chief Magistrate or Officer of the Place where the Soldiers as to be mustered shall be quartered who is hereby required to be present at every such Muster and give his strict Attendance for the discovering any false or untrue Muster then made or offered to be made. And that every such Constabulary or Muster Master making or taking such Muster that shall neglect to give such Notice as aforesaid or shall refuse to take the Aid and Assistance of such Major Chief Magistrate or Officer whose the Soldiers as to be mustered shall be quartered shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds and be discharged from his Office. And no Muster Roll shall be allowed unless the same be signed by the said Major or other Chief Magistrate or Officer respectively.
- XII.** *Penalty of five Pounds to be paid to mustered.*  
*Constabulary.*  
**AND** be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person shall be falsely mustered or offer himself falsely or deceitfully to be mustered every such Person upon Proof thereof made upon Oath by Two Witnesses before the next Justice of the Peace of the County where such Muster shall be made and every such Person so falsely mustered or offered to be falsely mustered upon Certificate thereof in Writing under the Hand of the Constabulary of the Muster or Chief Magistrate as aforesaid made to such Justice of the Peace the said Justice is thereupon and is hereby authorized and required to commit such Offender to the House of Correction that he remain for the Space of Ten Days. And each Offender from the Time of such false Muster shall to all intents and Purposes be taken to be a Barred Soldier and shall not be discharged but by the Consent of the said Justice by Writing under his Hand. And if any Person shall wilfully or [willingly] lend or furnish a Horse to be mustered which shall not truly belong to the Troop or Troop as mustered the said Horse so falsely mustered shall be forfeited to the Informer if the same doth belong to the Person lending or furnishing the said Horse or otherwise the Person lending or furnishing the said Horse shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds upon Oath made by Two Witnesses before the next Justice of the Peace.

AND be it also further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Forfeiture shall be to such Person or Persons that shall inform immediately to be paid out of the Arrears of such Officers Pay as shall knowingly so offend upon Conviction before the Court Martial by Order of the said Court to the Paymaster if such Officer so offending shall have any Arrear and if there shall be no Arrear the Court Martial shall accordingly give Order to seize the Goods of such Officer so offending and sell them for Payment of such Forfeiture to the Informer rendering the Overplus to the Owner and if such Officer so offending shall have no Goods then he shall be sent to the Common Goal there to remain without Bail or Mainprize for the Space of Six Months and the said Court Martial is hereby obliged to discharge such Informer if a Soldier from any further Service if he shall demand the same.

AND be it further enacted That if any Paymaster Agent or Clerk of any Regiment Troop or Company shall wilfully detain or withhold by the Space of One Month the Pay of any Officer or Soldier (Gentle) and all other just Allowance being deducted) after such Pay shall be by him or them received or if any Officers having received their Soldiers Pay shall refuse to pay each respective Common Soldier their respective Pay when it shall become due at the Rate of Seventeen Shillings and Sixpence a Week for each Corporal of Light Horse Fourteen Shillings a Week for each Trumpeter and Private Trooper Eight Shillings and Two Pence a Week for each Dragoon Seven Shillings a Week for each Sergeant Five Shillings a Week to each Corporal and Drummer and Four Shillings a Week to each Private Soldier of Her Majesties Two Regiments of Foot Guards and Six Shillings a Week to each Sergeant Four Shillings and Sixpence to each Corporal and Drummer and Three Shillings a Week to each Foot Soldier of the Army and also over and above the said Three Shillings by the Week at the End of every Two Months shall account for Sixpence by the Week to each Foot Soldier of the [said] Army the said Sixpence per Week being the Remainder of the Substantance of each Foot Soldier that upon Proof thereof before a Court Martial as aforesaid every such Paymaster Agent Clerk and Officer so offending shall be discharged from his Employment and shall forfeit to the Informer upon Conviction before the said Court Martial One hundred Pounds to be levied as aforesaid and shall be thereby thereby disabled to have or hold any Civil Office or Employment within this Kingdom or in Her Majesties Service and the Informer if a Soldier if he demand it shall be and is hereby discharged of any further Service Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

AND it is hereby enacted and declared That the Commanding Officer of every Troop or Company at the Time of Muster shall bring in a Certificate signed of the Names of such Persons as are sick or have leave to be absent upon Furlows and of such Persons as are dead and deceased since the last Muster with the Days of their Deaths or Departures and if such Certificate prove false upon Conviction thereof before a Court Martial the Officer signing such Certificate shall suffer such Penalties and in such Manner as is declared and inflicted by this Act upon those that make false Musters.

AND it is hereby further enacted That if any Officer shall misuse any Person that is a Servant or retainer Wages from any Officer or that shall attend any Officer as a Servant in the Absence of the said Officer from his Quarters or shall mistreat any Person by a wrong Name knowingly upon Conviction thereof before a Court Martial the said Officer or Commandary shall suffer such Penalties and in such Manner as is inflicted and declared by this Act upon those that shall make false Musters.

AND whereas by the Petition of Right in the Third Year of King Charles the First it is enacted and declared that the People of this Land are not by the Laws to be burthened with the journeying of Soldiers against their Will And by a Clause in one Act of Parliament made in the One and thirtieth Year of the Reigne of King Charles the Second for granting a Supply to His Majesty of Two hundred and six thousand four hundred sixty two Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Three Pence for paying and disbursing the Forces it is declared and enacted that no Officer Military or Civil nor any other Person whatsoever should force themselves presume to place quarter or billet any Soldier or Soldiers upon any Subject or Inhabitant of this Realm of any Degree Quality or Profession whatsoever without his Consent And that it shall and may be lawful for any such Subject Squares or Inhabitant to refuse to quarter any Soldier or Soldiers notwithstanding any Command or Warrant or bidding whatsoever but nevertheless as at this Time and during the Continuance of this Act there is and may be Occasion for the marching and quartering many Regiments Troops and Companies in several Parts of this Kingdom he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for and during the Continuance of this Act and no longer it shall and may be lawful for the Constables Tythingmen Headboroughs and other Chief Officers and Magistrates of Cities Towns and Villages and other Places in the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed and for no others to quarter and billet the Officers and Soldiers in Her Majesties Service in Inns Livery Stables Alehouses Vending Houses and all Houses selling Brandy Strongwaters Cyder or Mead (in by Retail to be drunk in their Houses other than and except the House or Houses of any Barliths who keep Houses or Places of drinking Brandy and Strong Waters and the House of any Shipkeeper whose principal dealing shall be ware in either Goods and Merchandise that in Brandy or Strong Waters and who do not provide or suffer selling in his or their Houses and no other and in no private Houses whatsoever nor shall any more Billets at any Time be ordered than there are effective Soldiers present to be quartered and if any Constable Tythingman or such like Officer or Magistrate as aforesaid shall presume to quarter or billet any such Officer or Soldier in any private House without the Consent of the Owner or Occupier in such Case such Owner

XIII  
Forfeiture here paid  
and forfeited

Goods to what  
Court seized

Soldier informing  
may be demanded.

XIV  
Paymaster, Agent,  
or Accounting Pay  
or Allowance.

Officer refusing  
to pay Soldier  
the several Rates.

Penalty of fine, and  
Forfeiture.

Soldier informing  
may be demanded.

XV  
Commander in  
Chief or Master  
Certificate of  
Absence,  
Signifying false  
Certificate,  
Penalties.

XVI  
Officer mistreating  
Servants, &c.  
Penalties.

XVII  
Penalty of Eight  
by Stat. 3 Geo. I.  
renewed.  
Stat. 31 Geo. II.  
c. 2. renewed.

Constables, &c.  
may, during the  
War, quarter  
Officers and  
Soldiers upon  
Inns, &c.

Mis to be paid  
Billets then  
soldiers.  
Refusing to provide  
Houses without  
Consent of Owner.

**Remedy:**  
Military Officer  
threatening Com-  
mission, &c.

or Occupier shall have his or their Remedy at Law against such Magistrate or Officer for the Damage that such Owner or Occupier shall sustain thereby. And if any Military Officer shall take upon him to quarter Soldiers otherwise than is limited and allowed by this Act or shall use or offer any Menace or Compulsion to or upon any Mayors, Councils or other Civil Officers before mentioned tending to deter or discourage any of them from performing any Part of their Duty hereby required or appointed such Military Officer shall for every such Offence being thereof convicted before any Two or more Justices of the Peace next adjoining by the Oath of Two credible Witnesses and the said Justices Certificate thereof to the Judge Advocate who is hereby obliged to certify the same to the next Court Martial upon such Certificate to be demanded and taken to be upon facts collected and shall be utterly disabled to have or hold any Military Employment within this Kingdom or in Her Majesty's Service.

**Penalties.**

**XVIII**  
Justices in Sessions  
to cause the Rates  
of Quarters.

Provided nevertheless and it is hereby enacted That the Officers and Soldiers so quartered and billeted as aforesaid shall pay each reasonable Price as shall be appointed from time to time by the Justices of the Peace in their General or Quarter Sessions of each County City or Division or Place within their respective Jurisdictions and the Justices of Peace aforesaid are hereby empowered and required to set and appoint in their General or Quarter Sessions aforesaid such reasonable Rates for all necessary Provisions for such Officers and Soldiers for one or more Nights in their marching through their Cities Towns Villages and other Places as shall be appointed by their Resolutions or Quarters.

**XIX**  
Officers taking  
Money for Quarters  
Private quarters,  
Penalties.

Provided always and he is enacted That if any Officer shall take or cause to be taken or knowingly suffer to be taken any Money of any Person for crossing the quartering of Officers or Soldiers or any of them in any House allowed by this Act every such Officer shall be punished and made incapable of serving in any Military Employment whatsoever.

**XX**  
Penalties  
Secretary of War,  
&c. not to take  
Fines, or deduct  
from Pay,  
Emption.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Twenty fourth Day of March no Pay Master of the Army Secretary of War Comptroller or Master Muster or their Under Officers shall receive any Fine or make any Deductions whatsoever out of the Pay of any Officer or Soldier in Her Majesty's Army or from their Agents which shall grow due from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of March other than the usual Deductions for Clothing and the Twelve Pence in the Pound to be disposed as Her Majesty shall think fit and the One Days Pay in the Year for the Use of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea.

**XXI**  
Act to be read at  
Barracks.

And he is further enacted That this Act shall be read at the Head of every Regiment Troop or Company at every respective Muster by the Comptroller or Master Muster before each Muster shall be made that no Soldier may pretend Ignorance.

**XXII**  
Officers receiving  
Subsistence Money  
to give Notice  
thereof to Dis-  
pensers, &c.

And that the Quarters both of Officers and Soldiers may hereafter be duly paid and satisfied Her Majesty's Duty of Exchequer the house answered he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of March every Officer or Officers in whom it belongs to receive or that actually does receive the Pay or Subsistence Money either for a whole Regiment or particular Troops or Companies or otherwise shall immediately upon each Receipt of every particular Sum which shall from time to time be paid returned or come to him or their Hands on account of Pay or Subsistence give publick Notice thereof to all Persons keeping Inns or other Houses where Officers and Soldiers are quartered by virtue of this Act and shall also appoint the said Innkeepers and others to repair to their Quarters at such Times as they shall appoint for the Distribution and Payment of the said Pay or Subsistence Money to the Officers or Soldiers which shall be within Four Days at furthest after the Receipt of the same as aforesaid. And the said Innkeepers and others shall then and there acquaint each Officer or Officers with the Accounts or Debt (if any shall be) between them and the Officers and Soldiers so quartered in their respective Houses which Accounts the said Officer or Officers are hereby required to script of and immediately pay the same before any Part of the said Pay or Subsistence be distributed either to the Officers or Soldiers provided the said Accounts exceed not for a Commissions Officer of Horse being under the Degree of a Captain for such Officers Diet and Small Beer per Diem Two Shillings nor for one Commissions Officer of Dragoons being under the Degree of a Captain for such Officers Dyet and Small Beer and Hay and Straw for his Horse per Diem One Shilling nor for one Commissions Officer of Foot under the Degree of a Captain for such Officers Dyet and Small Beer per Diem One Shilling and if such Officers shall have Horse or Horses for each such House or Horses per Diem Six Pence nor for one Light Horseman's Dyet and Small Beer and Hay and Straw for his Horse per Diem One Shilling nor for one Dragoons Diet and Small Beer and Hay and Straw for his Horse per Diem Nine Pence nor for one Foot Soldiers Diet and Small Beer per Diem Four Pence.

Inkeepers to  
inform Officers of  
Accounts, &c. to  
be paid out of  
Subsistence Money,  
&c.

the Rates

**XXIII**  
Remedy against  
Officers not giving  
Notice or paying

And if any Officer or Officers as aforesaid shall not give Notice as aforesaid and shall not immediately upon producing such Accounts stated under content and pay the same upon Complaint and Oath made thereof by any Two Witnesses at the next Quarter Sessions for the County or City where such Quarters were (which Oath the Justices of Peace at such Sessions are hereby required and authorized to administer) the Paymaster or Payment of Her Majesty's Forces are hereby required and authorized upon Certificate of the said Justices before which such Oath was made of the Sum due upon such Accounts and the Persons to whom the same is owing.

satisfy and pay the said Sum out of the Amount due to the said Officer or Officers upon Penalty that such Paymaster or Paymasters shall forfeit and loose their respective Place or Places as Paymaster or Paymasters and be disabled from holding the same for the future.

Also in case there shall be no Amount due to the said Officer or Officers then the said Paymaster or Paymasters are hereby required and authorised to defray the Sum he or they shall pay pursuant to the Certificate of the said Justice out of the next Pay or Subsistence Money of the Regiment to which such Officer or Officers shall belong and such Officer or Officers shall for such their Offence or for neglecting to give Notice of the Receipt of such Pay or Subsistence Money as aforesaid be deemed and taken and are hereby declared ipso facto cashiered. And where it shall happen that the Subsistence Money due to any Officer or Soldier shall by reason of any Accident not be paid to such Officer or Soldier [or] such Officer or Soldier shall neglect to pay the same so that the Quarter cannot be or are not paid as this Act directs and where any Horse Foot or Dragoon shall be upon their March so that no Subsistence can at present be returned unto them to make Payment as the Act directs or they shall neglect to pay the same in every such Case it is hereby further enacted That every such Officer shall before his or their Departure out of his or their Quarter where such Regiment Troop or Company shall remain for any Time whatsoever make up the Account as this Act directs with every Person with whom such Regiment Troop or Company shall have quartered before he leave that Quarter and give the said Certificate to be him signed to the Party to whom such Money is due with the Name of such Regiment Troop or Company in which he or they shall belong to the End the said Certificate may be forthwith transmitted to the Paymaster or Pay-Master of Her Majesties Army who is or are hereby required immediately to make Payment thereof to the Person or Persons to whom such Money shall be due to the End the same may be applied to such Regiment Troop or Company respectively under pain as is before in this Act directed for Non payment of the Quarters.

Also be it further enacted That no Constabulary shall master any Forces within the City of Westminster and Borough of Southwark and Liberties thereof but in the Presence of Two Justices of the Peace not being Officers in the Army under the aforementioned Penalty.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall be construed to extend to the Islands of Jersey and Guernsey as to the Clauses therein for arresting and paying and the Penalties thereunto belonging.

Enacted always and be it further enacted That all Cloaths Arms and Accoutrements of War belonging to the Horse Foot and Dragoons in Her Majesties Pay and Service who receive English Pay shall be bought in the Kingdom of England Devonshire of [Wales] and Town of Berwick upon Tweed and not elsewhere and every Officer or Person who shall offend herein (upon Proof made in that behalf) shall be cashiered.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Comptroller General of the Musters or his Deputies shall upon every Muster taken by him or them respectively of any Regiment Troop or Company in Her Majesties Service cause the Muster Rolls of the said Regiment Troop or Company upon the Place the same Day the said Muster is taken and shall return one of every of the said Rolls so taken in Parchment to the Paymaster General of Her Majesties Forces the next Day after the said Rolls shall be respectively closed if in London or within Twenty Miles Distance from the same and if at further Distance by the next Post after the said Rolls shall be so respectively closed upon pain of forfeiting their respective Employments.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid for the better and more regular Provision of Carriages for Her Majesties Forces in their Marches in this Kingdom of England Devonshire of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed that all Justices of the Peace within their several Counties Riding Divisions and Liberties being duly regulated themselves by an Order from Her Majesty shall as often as such Order is brought in brought and shewn unto One or more of them (by the Quarter Master Agent or other Officer of the Regiment Detachment Troop or Company then marching) issue out his or their Warrants to the Constables or Petty Constables of the Division Riding Liberty or Hundreds next adjacent requiring them to make such Provision of Carriages as is mentioned in the said Warrant allowing them sufficient Time to do the same that the neighbouring Parts may not always bear the Burthen. And the aforesaid Officer or Officers who by virtue of the aforesaid Warrant from the Justice of the Peace do demand the Carriage or Carriages therein mentioned of the Constable so when the Warrant is signed is and are hereby required at the same Time to pay down in Hand to the said Constable the Sum of Eight Pence for every Mile any Wagon with Five Horses shall travel laden and the Sum of Eight Pence for every Mile any Wagon with Six Oxen or Four Oxen and Two Horses shall travel laden and the Sum of Six Pence for every Mile any Cart with Four Horses shall travel laden and so in proportion for lesser Carriages. And if any Military Officer or Officers for the Use of whose Troop or Company the Carriage was provided shall force and oppress any Wagon Wain Cart or Carriage to travel more than One Days Journey or shall not discharge the same in due Time for their own Home or shall suffer or connive at his or their Soldier or Serrains (except such who are sick or wounded) or any Woman to ride in the Wagon Wain Cart or Carriage

XXIV.  
If an Answer due to an Officer, Paymaster may default.

When Troops can have no Subsistence Money awarded, the Officer is required to register the Account, and the Paymaster of the Army to pay it.

Penalty—

XXV.  
Justices in Westminster, &c. shall before Two Justices.

XXVI.  
Juries, &c. within the Act.

XXVII.  
Clothes, &c. to be bought in England, Penalties.

XXVIII.  
Master Muster to return a Roll of Muster in Parchment to the Paymaster General.

XXIX.  
Justices may order Constables to provide Carriages.

Reason of Carriages to be paid down.

Officer forcing Carriage to travel too far, or suffering Soldiers, &c. to ride.

\* continued on the 2d.

\* G. Gough.

so leaving Persons  
to provide,

Penalty *ad p.*

whereas or shall force any Constable or Petty Constable by threatening or menacing Words to provide Soldiers Houses for themselves or Servants or shall force Houses from the Owners by themselves Servants or Soldiers away such Officer shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds *Prove* thereof being made upon Oath before Two of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace of the same County or Riding who are to certify the same to the Paymaster General of Her Majesties Forces who is hereby required to pay the aforesaid Sum of Five Pounds according to the Order and Appointment under the Hands and Seals of the aforesaid Justices of the Peace of the same County or Riding who are hereby impowered to deduct the same out of such Officers Pay

XXX.  
Officers quartering  
Wives, &c. &  
if Officer or Soldier  
offended;

And whereas great Abuses are frequently committed by the Liberty taken by some Officers [*& Soldiers*] to quarter their Wives Children and Maid Servants in their Quarters contrary to the Purport and Meaning of the Act be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Officer Military or Civil by this Act authorized to quarter Soldiers in any House lawfully appointed for any Purpose shall at any Time during the Continuance of this Act quarter any of the Wives Children or Maid Servants of Officers or Soldiers in any such Houses against the Consent of the Owners the Party offending if Officer or Soldier of the Army shall upon Complaint and *Prove* thereof made to the Commander in Chief of the Army or Judge Advocate be ipso facto cashiered And if a Constable Tythingman or other Civil Officer be shall forfeit to the Party grieved the Sum of Twenty Shillings upon Complaint and *Prove* thereof made to the next Justice of Peace of the Place to be levied by Warrant of such Justice by Distress and Sale of his Goods reaching the Overplus to the Party after the Deduction of reasonable Charges in taking the same.

If Constable, &c.  
Penalty *ad p.*

XXXI.  
Officers or Soldiers,  
without Leave of  
Lord of Manor,  
destroying the  
Game,

And whereas in the Game has of late Years been very much destroyed by the Officers and Soldiers in or near such Places as they have been quartered in be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of March any Officer or Soldier shall without the Leave of the Lord of the Manor under his Hand and Seal first had and obtained take kill and destroy Hare Cones Pheasant Partridge Pidgeon or any other Sort of Fowl Poultry or Fish or Her Majesties Game within the Kingdom of England and Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed and upon Complaint thereof shall be upon Oath of One or more [*Witness*] or Witnesses convicted before any Justice or Justices of the Peace who is and are hereby impowered and authorized to hear and determine the same (that is to say) every Officer so offending shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds to be distributed amongst the Poor of the Place where such Officer shall be committed and every Officer commanding in Chief upon the Place for every such Offence committed by any Soldier under his Command shall forfeit the Sum of Ten Shillings to be paid and distributed in like Manner as aforesaid. And in case upon such Conviction made by the Justices of the Peace and Demand thereof also made by the Constable and Owners of the Place such Officer shall refuse or neglect and not within Two Days pay the said respective Penalties such Officer so refusing or neglecting shall and is hereby declared to have forfeited his Commission and his Commission is hereby made null and void

Penalty on Officer  
Ad p.  
and on Commanding  
Officer for every  
Soldier *con.*

Penalties not paid,  
Forfeiture.

XXXII.  
How Accounts are  
to be kept between  
Paymaster of the  
Army and Colonel  
of every Regiment,  
&c.

And be it enacted That there shall be an exact Account of all Money due according to the Muster Rolls to every Regiment in Her Majesties Service made upon the First Day of July One thousand seven hundred and three or Six Days after between the Paymaster of the Army for the Time being and the Colonel of every such Regiment as the Agent by such Colonel respectively appointed and authorized to receive the Pay thereof from the First Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two to the Twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and three and so successively from time to time when Four Months become due an Account shall be made as aforesaid for the Two preceding Months and after the said Account shall be (\*) registered in a Book to be kept for that Purpose in the Pay Office and those subscribed by such Paymaster General or his Deputy and the Colonel or Agents of the Regiment who together with the said Paymaster made up the same and a Duplicate thereof by them respectively signed shall be given to the said Colonel or Agent without Fee or Reward to be paid for the same which Colonel or Agent shall deliver to each Captain of the Regiment an Account of so much thereof as respectively appertaineth to him and his Troop or Company and the inferior Officers and Soldiers thereof and the Balance which shall remain upon making up every such Account as aforesaid and also all other Money as shall then become due to every such Regiment shall be by the said Paymaster General paid to the said Colonel or Agent respectively at such Time as Her Majesty shall direct and the Paymaster General for the Time being offending herein shall lose and forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of One hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons who will sue for the same in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record And if any Deputy of the said Paymaster or any Agent of a Regiment shall offend in the Premises upon *Prove* thereof made at a Court Martial such Deputy or Agent shall ipso facto lose his Place and if any Colonel of a Regiment shall offend therein such Colonel shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of One hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons who will sue for the same to be recovered as aforesaid

Penalties General  
offending,  
Penalty above, &  
on Deputy, Loss of  
Office.

on Colonel, &c. &c.

XXXIII.  
Warrant to take off  
Regiment's Quarters  
upon by the  
Treasurer.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Warrant to take off the Regiments from any Muster Rolls shall be allowed by any Paymaster during the Continuance of this Act unless the same be recommended by the Lord High Treasurer of England or the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury for the Time being

\* mentioned on the Roll.

\* Witness O

\* to be made up and perfected it shall be "O. B. King's Printer COT"

Provided always That if any Person shall harbour conceal or assist any Deserter from Her Majesties Service knowing him to be such or shall knowingly buy or exchange or otherwise receive any Arms Cloaths Caps or other Furniture belonging to the Queen from any Deserter upon any Assurance or Promise whatsoever or cause the Colour of such Cloaths to be changed the Person so offending shall forfeit for every such Offence Five Pounds and being convicted thereof at the General or Quarter Sessions the same shall be levied by Warrant under the Hands of Two or more Justices of the Peace upon the Goods and Chattels of such Offender the One Moiety thereof to be paid to the Informers by whose Means such Deserter shall be apprehended and the other Moiety to the Officer to whom such Deserter did belong And if any Person as prosecuted for harbouring or concealing or assisting a Deserter or for buying exchanging colouring or receiving Arms Cloaths Caps or other Furniture shall be found not guilty he shall receive Triple Costs to be recovered in such Manner as Costs in any other Case where by the Law Costs are given to Defendants

XXXIV.  
Persons harbouring  
Deserters to buy  
up, &c. forfeit  
five Pounds,  
Double if gilty.

Part of not found  
guilty, he loses  
Twelve Pence

Provision and it is hereby declared That no Person or Persons inhabiting or that shall inhabit in Ecclesiastical also Episcopi in the County of Surrey or in any other Place where any Militia Warden are shall be liable by virtue of this Act to have any Soldier or Soldiers billeted or quartered on him her or them for or by Reason of his her or their lodging or receiving of such Persons only who shall resort to such respective Places for the Benefit of the said Warden or the Air or keeping their Houses at Livery or selling Beer or Ale or Vintage in their Houses to such Persons only

XXXV.  
Persons who bil-  
larding Soldiers  
on Ecclesiastical  
Persons or any other  
Place where  
Militia Warden  
are.

And whereas as there is not any special Provision made for the Government of Her Majesties Land Forces out of the Realm of England be it further enacted and declared That if any Officer or Soldier in Her Majesties Army shall either upon Land out of England or upon Sea hold Correspondence with any Rebel or Enemy of Her Majesty or give them Advice or Intelligence either by Letters Messages Signs or Tokens in any Manner of Way whatsoever or shall treat with such Rebels or Enemies or come into any Coalition with them without Her Majesties License or License of the General Lieutenant General or Chief Commander then every such Person so offending shall be deemed and adjudged to be guilty of High Treason and suffer such Pain and Penalties as in Case of High Treason

XXXVI.  
Officers or Soldiers  
out of England or  
upon the Sea  
corresponding with  
the Enemy, &c.

High Treason

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Officer or Soldier in Her Majesties Army either upon Land out of England or upon Sea shall raise or cause to be raised any Mutiny or Sedition in the Army or shall refuse to obey his superior Officer or shall resist any Officer in the Execution of his Office or shall strike down or offer to draw or lift up any Weapon against his superior Officer upon any Pretence whatsoever all and every the Person and Persons so offending in any of the Matters before mentioned shall be adjudged and taken to be guilty of Felony and shall suffer as in Case of Felony and every of these said Offences shall be deemed to be Felony and shall suffer as in Case of Felony and the Offenders being thereof convicted or being indicted and arraigned thereof and standing Mute or challenging peremptorily above the Number of Twenty returned to be of the Jury shall suffer Death as in Case of Felony

XXXVII.  
Such Officers or  
Soldiers raising  
Mutiny for refusing  
to obey Orders, &c.  
Felony;  
standing mute, &c.  
upon Trial.  
Death.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Treasons and Felonies before mentioned that shall be committed perpetrated or done may be inquired of heard and determined in Her Majesties Court commonly called the High Bench by good and lawful Men of the same County where the said Court shall sit and be kept or before such Commissioners and in each County of the Realm as shall be assigned by the Queens Majesty and by good and lawful Men of the same County in like Manner and Form to all intents and Purposes as if the said Treasons and Felonies had been committed perpetrated [and] done with in the same County

XXXVIII.  
Where the said  
Treasons and  
Felonies may be  
determined.

Provided always That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to abridge Her Majesties Power of punishing making and establishing Articles of War and erecting and confirming Courts Martial and inflicting Punishes by Sentence or Judgment of the same in such Manner as might have been done by Her Majesties Authority beyond the Seas in the Time of War before the making of this Act

XXXIX.  
Persons for this  
Majesties Power to  
make Articles of  
War, &c.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Her Majesty may from time to time grant a Commission to such General Lieutenant General or other Officers as shall be for the holding a Court Martial within this Realm in which all Officers and Soldiers who shall at any Time hereafter during the Continuance of this Act commit any Crime or Offence out of this Realm against the Rules Articles or Laws of War and shall not be tried for the same by a Court Martial before their Return into this Realm shall and may be tried and proceeded against and punished according to the Rules and Articles of War aforesaid

XL.  
Her Majesty may  
grant Commissions  
for holding Courts  
Martial, &c.

Provided always that if any Officer or Soldier shall desert Her Majesties Service in any Part beyond the Seas and shall escape or come into this Realm or Ireland before he be tried by a Court Martial for such Offence then and as often as any such Case shall happen if it shall also happen that the Regiment Troop or Company to which such Officer or Soldier shall belong shall continue in Her Majesties Service beyond the Seas it shall and may be lawful upon Oath thereof made to any One of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace where such Offender shall be taken for such Justices of the Peace to cause such Offender to be sent to the General

XLI.  
Persons who  
Officers or Soldiers  
desert in Parts  
beyond the Seas  
and come into this  
Realm or into  
Ireland, and the  
Regiment, Troop  
continue beyond  
Sea

Court Martial in England or Ireland who are hereby enabled if they think fit for Examples sake to send such Offenders to the respective Regiment Troop or Company beyond the Seas to which the Offender shall belong there to be proceeded against according to the Direction of this Act

XLII.  
Acquittal by Court  
Martial a Bar to  
Further Proceedings.

PROVIDED also That if any Person or Persons shall in a Court Martial convicted as aforesaid be tried and acquitted or convicted of any of the Crimes or Offences herein before mentioned such Acquittal or Conviction shall be a full Bar to any Indictment or Proceeding for the same Offence

XLIII.  
Attainder not to  
work of Corruption  
of Blood or  
her Issue

PROVIDED always That no Attainder for any Crime or Offence made Felony by this Act shall extend to be adjudged to make any Corruption of Blood to any Issue of such Offender or to debar the Wife of such Offender of her Title of Dowry

XLIV.  
Treason for Trial  
of Person offending  
beyond Seas not  
and tried there, and  
coming into the  
Realm

PROVIDED also That if any Peer of the Realm shall commit any of the Offences aforesaid in any Part beyond the Seas and shall not have been there tried for the same by Martial Law and after his Return into this Realm shall be indicted of any Offence hereby declared or enacted to be Treason or Felony that then and after such Indictment he shall have his Trial by his Peers in such like Manner and Form as hath been accustomed

XLV.  
Persons for Benefit  
of the Public  
c. 2

AND it is declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons who shall hereafter be accused indicted or prosecuted for any Thing made or declared Treason by this Act shall be amenable to the Benefit of the Act of Parliament made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for regulating Trials in Cases of Treason and Misdemeanors of Treason

XLVI.  
Matters subject to  
this Act within  
Shore

AND whereas it may be otherwise desired whether the Marine Regiments and the Officers and Persons employed in the Train of Artillery be within the Limit and Meaning of this Act for punishing Offences and Soldiers who shall readily or desert Her Majesties Service and for punishing false Masters and for Payment of Quarters it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers and Soldiers of the Regiments called the Marine Regiments (while they shall be on Shore) and the Officers and Persons employed or that shall be employed in the several Trains of Artillery be at all Times subject to all the Penalties and Punishments mentioned in this Act during the Continuance of the same

XLVII.  
Reason for paying  
the Excise

AND whereas it is just and reasonable that the respective Paymasters who have deducted or shall deduct from the Pay of Her Majesties Forces or any of them any Sum or Sums for the Forwards and One Days Pay in the Year before mentioned or for Provision or any other Cause for which Deductions are or shall be directed to be made for the Service of the Publick (shall) be duly charged therewith and made accountable for the same he is therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Right Honourable Richard Earl of Rensdigh of the Kingdom of Ireland late Paymaster of Her Majesties Forces in England and the Duties and Perquisites belonging (being excepted) and in the Law Counties and the Paymaster General and other Paymasters thereof for the Time being who are or shall be accountable for the Moneys by them actually received or to be received for the said Forms or any of them respectively shall deliver or cause to be delivered (so far as Vouchers to his or their respective Accounts) to the Auditor or Auditors to whom it shall appertain to examine try and make up such Account or Accounts the particular Account for each Regiment Garrison or Independent Company whereby it may appear what Sums became due to such Regiment Garrison or Independent Company for the Time of entry such Account and what Sums were discharged by actual Payments and how much was discharged by such Deductions as aforesaid and that such Auditor or Auditors shall carefully examine such Regimental or other particular Accounts before mentioned and shall [hereby] have Power to examine the Accountant or any of his Agents upon his or their Oath or Oaths (which the said Auditor or Auditors have hereby Power to administer) touching the several Articles contained in such Regimental or particular Accounts as aforesaid and touching any other Matters or Things whereunto such Accountant or particular Accounts are or shall be accountable to His Majesty His Heirs or Successors over and above the Sums which shall be contained in the Inspection Rolls made forth by the Auditor of the Receipt and Clerk of the Peils in the Exchequer and that no Account of any Moneys received or to be received by any such Paymaster (not being yet accounted for in the Exchequer) shall hereafter be declared by the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury Chancellor Under Treasurer or House of the Exchequer for the Time being until such Auditor shall first certify in Writing that he hath examined the said Regimental or other particular Accounts respectively Any Custom or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding

No Account of  
Moneys received by  
Paymaster declared  
by Treasury until  
Certified by  
Auditor

XLVIII.  
Application of  
Moneys raised by  
Receipt

PROVIDED always That all Moneys raised or arising by Receipt may be applied as Levy Money for recruiting the several Regiments Troops and Companies in Her Majesties Service in such Manner and in such Proportions as Her Majesty the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or the Paymaster General of Her Majesties Forces by Warrant under their Hands respectively shall from time to time direct as to the whole Charge to the Publick for such Recruits except for Men or Horses killed or taken by the Enemy or lost at Sea

XLIX.  
Persons for raising  
Pay of Invalids

PROVIDED always and it is hereby declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any of the Invalids from the Hospital at Chelsea or elsewhere are or shall be be quartered in any Garrison of this Kingdom the



Governor thereof having certified to the Paymaster of the Guards and Garrison for the Time being the Debits owing in Quarters or for Subsistence of such Invalid Officers and Soldiers in the said Garrison the said Paymaster and Agent in whose Hands the Pay doth or shall remain are hereby respectively required from time to time to issue the Pay of such Invalid Officers and Soldiers to the said Governor or his Order and his Receipts thereof shall be a Discharge for the same to the said Paymaster and Agent respectively and the said Governor within the Space of Ten Days after his Receipt of the same shall in the Presence of the said Officers and Soldiers respectively pay or cause to be paid the respective Debts to the said Quarters and for the said Subsistence out of each respective Officers and Soldiers Pay and shall also then pay the Surplus remaining (if any be) to each Officer and Soldier respectively and every such Governor upon producing to the Paymaster General the Certificate of the Chief Magistrate of the Place for the Payment of the said Quarters and of the Captain or other Chief Officer of the Company of Invalids for Payment of the Balance of the said Money shall be discharged thereof without being answerable or at all answerable to the Exchequer for the Money so certified to be paid.

Officers and Soldiers in Quarters Hospital and elsewhere

Governor discharges of Pay-  
ment upon Pres-  
entment of Cer-  
tificates in his  
own name.

And whereas several Persons convicted or attainted of Capital Felonies and Offences are thought fit to be removed from Execution in Order to obtain their Pardon upon Condition of being transported beyond the Seas or to Persons fit to serve Her Majesty in Her Army or Navy and often Times lie in Prison for a long Time in Expectation of the passing such Pardon under the Great Seal and the pleading and allowing thereof in the usual Form of Law to the great Charge and Burden of the County where they have been so convicted and afterwards detained in Prison. For Remedy thereof be it enacted That during the Continuance of this Act on Vene and Return of a Warrant under the Sign Manual of Her Majesty for preparing a Bill for passing a Pardon for each Offender or Offenders or for inserting any such convicted Person in a Pardon after to be passed upon Condition of being transported beyond the Seas or of joining him or themselves in the Service of Her Majesty in Her Army or Navy it shall and may be lawful so or for the Judge or Judges before whom any such Pardon (if passed) might be pleaded and allowed and they are hereby required upon such Warrant under the Sign Manual to direct him or their Warrant to the Sheriff and Sheriffs or Keeper of the Goal or Prison where such Prisoner or Prisoners are detained in Prison (who are hereby required to yield Obedience to such Warrant) thereby directing the immediate Delivery of such Prisoner out of Custody to be disposed of according to the Condition contained in such Warrant under the Sign Manual and directed to be inserted in such intended Pardon and the Pardon when passed shall be moved and enrolled in due Form of Law and shall be so all known and Purposes of the same Force and Effect as if the same had been by such Prisoner pleaded and allowed after the passing thereof under the Great Seal. Any Law or Usage to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

L.  
Remedy for passing  
the Execution.

Process for delivery  
of Prisoners  
pardon upon  
Condition

PROVIDED always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That so much of this Act as relates to the punishing of Mutineers and Deserters and such who shall receive such Deserters and to Persons holding Correspondence with Her Majesties Enemies and no more shall extend to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever to such Governors or other Officers in Garrisons and Forts as Her Majesty has now in Pay or shall have in Pay in Ireland during the Continuance of this Act.

L.  
Act in the Mutiny,  
the extended to  
Ireland.

[And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Bill Plea or Suit shall be brought against any Person or Persons for any Act Matter or Thing to be acted or done pursuant to this Act or against any Officer or Officers of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors concerned in any Matter relating to the Army or Her Majesties Naval Forces or Ships of War or the providing for the same or any their Deputy or Deputies or against any other Person or Persons acting by Authority from or in Aid or Assistance of or by their Commandment for or concerning any Matter Cause or Thing by them done by virtue or Reason of this or any of their Office or Offices that it shall be lawful so and for all and every Person and Persons aforesaid to plead thereunto the General Issue that he or they are Not Guilty and to give such Special Matter in Evidence to the Jury which shall try the Issue which Special Matter being pleaded had been a good and sufficient Matter in Law to have discharged the said Defendant or Defendants of the Trespas or other Matter in his or their Charge and that if the Verdict shall pass with the said Defendant or Defendants in any such Action or the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs therein become Nonsuit or suffer any Discontinuance thereof that in every such Case the Justice or Justices or such other Judge before whom the said Matter shall be tried shall by force and virtue of this Act allow unto the Defendant or Defendants his or their Double Costs which he or they shall have sustained by Reason of their wrongful Venison in Defence of the said Action or Suit for which the said Defendant or Defendants shall have like Remedy as in other Cases where Costs by the Laws of this Realm are given to (\*) Defendants]

L.  
In Action for  
executing Act.

Goverment may  
be pleaded.

Double Costs.

\* inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

\* the O.

CHAPTER XXV<sup>(1)</sup>

*But Part 1 does, A.D. 1702*

AN ACT for enlarging the Time for taking the Oath of Allegiance and also for expunging and indemnifying such Persons as have not taken the same by the Time limited and shall take the same by a Time to be appointed and for the further Security of Her Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for expunging the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors.

*Recital of Stat. 12 B. 14 W. III. c. 5.*

WHEREAS by an Act made in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for expunging the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors And by One other Act made in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty declaring the Abettors of the Oath in the said recited Act contained several of Her [said<sup>(2)</sup>] Majesties Subjects are obliged to take and subscribe the Oath therein mentioned by certain Times limited and appointed in the said first recited Act who have through Ignorance or Mistake or by the not duly holding the Courts where the same ought to have been taken or for some other such like Reasons omitted or neglected to take and subscribe the said Oath and are thereby subject and liable to the Disabilities Incapacities and Penalties in the said Act contained be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That if any Person or Persons who ought to have taken and subscribed the said Oath with the Abettors in the said last recited Act examined in the Manner at the Places and by the Times in the said first recited Act limited shall on or before the First Day of August which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three take and subscribe the said Oath as altered or amended in such Manner and at such Places as is and by the said several Acts in prescribed such Person and Persons is are and shall be (for such Neglect or Omission only) by this Act intempered free and exempt all the Penalties Fortifications Incapacities and Disabilities incurred by such Misdemeanor or Offences and is are and shall be fully and actually recompensed and restored to the same State and Condition to all intents and Purposes as if such Person or Persons had taken and subscribed the said Oath in such Manner and within such Times as by the said several Acts in prescribed and as such Misdemeanor or Offences had been made Any thing in the said several Acts in the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

*and of a. 16. 1702.*

*Persons having omitted to take and subscribe the said Oath, and taking the same on or before 1st August 1703 intempered.*

*and exempted to all his Capabilities.*

*II. But not in Office when any other Person appeared.*

[<sup>(3)</sup> Provided always That no Person or Persons who by Reason of any such Misdemeanor or Offences hath or have left or forfeited any Office Benefice Place Dignity or Employment whatsoever to which any other Person or Persons hath or have been preferred or promoted shall be restored to such Office Benefice Place Dignity or Employment Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

*III*

AND for the further Security of Her Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for expunging the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons at any Time after the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and two shall endeavor to deprive or hinder any Person who shall be next in Succession to the Crown for the Time being according to the Limitations in an Act intitled An Act declaring the Rights and Liberties of the Subject and settling the Succession of the Crown and according to One other Act intitled An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject from succeeding after the Decease of Her Majesty (whom God long preserve) to the Imperial Crown of this Realm and the Dominions and Territories thereto belonging according to the Limitations in the before mentioned Act that it is in any such case of Her Majesties Body as shall from time to time be next in Succession to the Crown if it shall please God Almighty to bless Her Majesty with Issue and during the Time Her Majesty shall have no Issue the Princess Sophia Electress and Dutchess Dowager of Hanover and after the Decease of the said Princess Sophia the next in Succession to the Crown for the Time being according to the Limitation of the said Act and the same maliciously advisedly and directly shall attempt by any overt Act or Deed every such Offence shall be adjudged High Treason and the Offender or Offenders thereof their Abettors Procurers and Counsellors knowing the said Offence to be done being thereof convicted or attainted according to the Laws and Statutes of this Realm shall be deemed and adjudged Traytors and shall suffer Pain of Death and all Losses and Forfeitures as in Cases of High Treason]

*Endorsing in books the Succession to the Crown according to the Limitations of Stat.*

*Limitations stated.*

*and attempting the same by overt Act, High Treason.*

*IV. Persons having Office, &c. in Ireland, Scotland, Wales, &c. shall take the Oath, &c. in such Manner as shall be directed by the said Act.*

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons that shall hold any Office or Office Military or Civil or shall receive any Pay Salary Fee or Wages by Reason of any Place or Office from Her Majesty or any of Her Majesties Privy Counsellors or shall have Command or Place of Trust from or under Her Majesty or from any of Her Majesties Privy Counsellors or by Her or Their Authority or by Authority derived from Her or Them within the Realm of Ireland and all Ecclesiastical Persons and Master Governor Head or Fellow of the Colleges or University of Dublin and all Persons teaching Pupils in the said University or elsewhere and all School Masters and Teachers and all Preachers and Teachers of separate Congregations and every Person that shall act as a Sergeant at Law Counselor at Law Barrister Advocate Attorney Solicitor Proctor Clerk or Notary practicing in any Manner or such in any Court or Courts whereunto who shall inhabit be or

<sup>(1)</sup> This is Chapter XXV. in the Commons printed Edition.

<sup>(2)</sup> The following Clauses are inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule

<sup>(3)</sup> inserted in the Bill.

within the City of Dublin or within Thirty Miles of the same on the First Day of Easter Term which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three or at any Time during the said Term shall presently appear before the End of the said Term [or in Trinity Term<sup>1</sup>] then next following in Her Majesty's High Court of Chancery in that Kingdom or in Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench Common Pleas or Exchequer there and shall then in publick and open Court between the Hours of Nine of the Clock and Twelve in the Forenoon take the Oath according to the Alterations thereof in the said Two last mentioned Acts contained unto which Oath so taken every such Person so taking the same shall subscribe his Name or make his Mark and during the Time of taking such Oath all Pleas and Proceedings in the said respective Courts shall cease and all and every the said respective Persons not having taken the said Oath and subscribed the same as aforesaid shall on or before the First Day of August in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three at the General Quarter Sessions for the County Barony or Place in the said Kingdom of Ireland where he or they shall be inhabitable or reside on the Twentieth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three take the said Oath in open Court between the said Hours of Nine and Twelve in the Forenoon and subscribe his Name or make his Mark under the same

reading in Dublin or within 30 Miles to appear and take the Oath before the said Court or at the said Two last mentioned Acts.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons that shall be admitted entered placed or taken into any Office or Offices Civil or Military or shall receive any Pay Salary Fee or Wages by reason of any Patent or Grant from Her Majesty or shall have Connexed or Place of Trust from or under Her Majesty or by Her Authority or by Authority derived from Her within the said Kingdom of Ireland after the First Day of Easter Term aforesaid shall take and subscribe the said Oath at the same Time that he or they shall take the Oath and make and subscribe the Declaration required and appointed to be taken made and subscribed by an Act made in the Third Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the strengthening the Oath of Supremacy in Ireland and appointing other Oaths And all Ecclesiastical Persons every Master Governor Head or Fellow of the Colleges or University of Dublin and all Persons teaching Pupils in the said University or elsewhere and all Schoolmasters or Teachers and all Presidents and Teachers of separate Congregations and every Person who shall act as Sergeant at Law Counsellor at Law Barrister Advocate Attorney Solicitor Practice Clerk or Notary by practicing in any Manner as such in any Court or Courts whatsoever who shall at any Time after the First Day of Easter Term aforesaid be admitted unto or enter upon any of the before mentioned Preferments Benefice Offices or Places or shall come into any such Capacity or shall take upon him or them any such Practice Employment or Business as aforesaid shall after he or they shall be admitted into or enter upon any such Preferment Benefice Office or Place or come into such Capacity or take upon him or them such Practice Employment or Business as aforesaid take and subscribe the said Oath in the next Term in one of the said Courts or at the next General Quarter Sessions for the County Barony or Place in the said Kingdom where he or they shall reside after he or they shall be admitted into or enter upon any such Preferment Benefice Office or Place or come into such Capacity or take upon him or them such Practice Employment or Business as aforesaid

V.  
Persons in Office Civil or Military, or receiving Pay or Salary, &c. by reason of any Patent, &c. in Ireland, to take and subscribe the said Oath as herein mentioned.  
Stat. 3 W. & M. c. 2.  
Ecclesiastical Persons, Schoolmasters, Presidents, Persons practising the Law, &c.

upon entering into Practice, &c. to take and subscribe the said Oath, &c.

And be it further enacted That all and every the Person and Persons aforesaid that do or shall neglect or refuse to take the said Oath and subscribe thereunto in the said Courts and Places and at the respective Times aforesaid shall hence be subject and liable unto the Penalties Forfeitures Possibles and Disabilities in the said first mentioned Act expressed for the Neglect or Refusal of the same by any such Person or Persons in the Kingdom of England

VI.  
Neglecting or refusing to take and subscribe the said Oath.  
Penalty.

Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to any Person that now is or at any Time hereafter shall be in England who by virtue of this [Act<sup>2</sup>] ought to take the said Oath (\*) and subscribe thereunto in England according to the said Two last mentioned Acts nor to any Person now beyond the Seas out of England and Ireland or in Her Majesty's Service on board the Fleet or as such Persons do the next Term or the next General Quarter Sessions for the County Barony or Place where he shall reside after his Return into Ireland take the said Oath and subscribe thereunto according to the Appointments of this Act

VII.  
Persons far Persons in England, beyond Sea, &c.

And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for the respective Courts aforesaid to give and administer the Oath aforesaid to the said Person and Persons and upon Tender of any Person or Persons to take the said Oath the said Courts are hereby required and enjoined to administer the same of the taking and subscribing whereof the like Register shall be kept as by an Act made in the Five and twentieth Year of King Charles the Second was directed to be kept of the subscribing the Declaration therein mentioned

VIII.  
Upon Tender of any Person to take the said Oath, the Court aforesaid to administer the same.

Provided always That any Person who by any Neglect or Refusal according to this Act shall lose or forfeit any Office may be capable of a new Grant of the said Office or of any other and have and hold the same again such Person taking the said Oath and subscribing thereunto in such Manner as aforesaid as in such Office be not granted to or actually enjoyed by some other Person at the Time of the regarding thereof

IX.  
Persons having forfeited Office by neglecting, &c. to take the Oath, capable of a new Grant on taking the same of such Office

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three no Person that now is or shall be hereafter a Peer of the Kingdom of Ireland or Member of the House of Peers there shall vote or make his Proxy in the said House of Peers or sit there

X.  
Members of the House of Peers or of Commons not to

<sup>1</sup> inserted on de Roll

<sup>2</sup> is that he take the said Oath, &c. King's Printer Copy.

at and under seal  
they have taken and  
subscribed the said  
Oath,  
according to Stat.  
3 W & M. c. 2.

during any Debate in the said House nor any Person after the said first and twentieth Day of March who shall be elected a Member of the House of Commons in this Kingdom shall be capable to vote in the said House or sit there during any Debate in the same after their Speaker is chosen until each Peer or Member shall from time to time respectively take the said Oath and subscribe the same at the same Time and in each Manner as is directed for their making subscribing and repeating the Declaration mentioned and expressed in the said Act entitled An Act for abolishing the Oath of Supremacy in Ireland and appointing other Oaths

XV.  
Peer or Member  
of the House of  
Commons  
attending.  
Presby.

Also be it further enacted That if any Person that now is or hereafter shall be a Peer of the said Realm of Ireland or Member of the House of Commons there shall after the said first and twentieth Day of March persons to vote or make his Proxy not having taken the said Oath and subscribed the same as aforesaid every such Peer and Member shall from thenceforth never be subject and liable unto the Penalties and Disabilities in the said first mentioned Act expressed touching Peers in Parliament and Members in the House of Commons in England

XVI.  
Persons for whom  
Officers have  
Returned

Provided always That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to the Office of any High Constable Petty Constable Tythingman Headborough Overseer of the Poor Churchwarden Surveyors of the Highways or any like inferior Civil Office in the said Kingdom of Ireland or to any Office of Forester or Keeper of any Park Chase Warren or Game or Rents of any Manor or Lands nor to any like Private Office nor to any Person or Persons having only any the beforementioned or the like Offices in the said Kingdom.

#### CHAPTER XIII. (')

An Act for the more effectual preventing the Abuses and Frauds of Persons employed in the working up the Woollen Linnen Fustian Cotton and Iron Manufactures of this Kingdom.

WHEREAS many Frauds are daily committed by Persons employed in the working up of the Woollen Linnen Fustian Cotton and Iron Manufactures within this Kingdom by debauching and perverting of the Materials with which they are invested to the great Prejudice of Trade and Commerce Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three if any Person or Persons employed in the working up the Woollen Linnen Fustian Cotton or Iron Manufactures within this Kingdom shall wilfully or perjury any Wools Threads or Ends of Yarn or any other Materials of Wool Hemp Flax Cotton or Iron with which he she or they is or shall be intrusted to work upon or shall reel short or false Yarn being thereof lawfully consisted by the Oath of One or more credible Witnesses or Witnesses or by the Confession of the Party or Parties accused of the same before One Justice of the Peace of the said County where such Offender shall be committed shall forfeit Double the Value of the Damages done for the Use of the Poor of the said Parish and in case the Offender or Offenders so committed as aforesaid shall neglect or refuse to pay their Penalties or Forfeitures as aforesaid that then it shall and may be lawful for the said Justice to cause the said Offender to be committed to the House of Correction until Satisfaction shall be made and in case it shall appear to the said Justice that the said Offender is not able to make Satisfaction then the said Offender shall be there publicly whipped and kept in hard Labour for any Time not exceeding Fourteen Days

Remembering passing  
this Act.

Persons employed  
in the said Manu-  
factures perverting  
the Materials for  
Work intended to  
steal.

Presby.  
Not paying the  
same.

Providence.

IX.  
Persons buying or  
conveying such  
Materials.  
Presby.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person or Persons buying or conveying any Wools Threads or Ends of Yarn or any other Materials of Wool Hemp Flax Cotton or Iron and being thereof lawfully convicted in manner as aforesaid shall suffer the like Penalties and Forfeitures as one convicted pursuant to this Act for perverting and misusing of the said Materials

XII.  
Labourers to be  
paid in Money, and  
not in Commodities

Wool delivered out  
to be the Weight  
declared.

Presby.  
Labourers making  
Default in Work.  
Presby.

Also to prevent the Oppression of the Labourers and Workmen employed in the Woolles Linnen Fustian Cotton and Iron Manufactures be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Payments and Satisfaction hereafter to be made to any of the same Labourers and Workmen for any Work by them done in the same Manufacture shall be by the lawful Coins of this Realm and not by any Clash Venials or Commodities in lieu thereof and all Wools delivered out to be wrought up shall be so delivered with Declaration of the true Weight thereof on Pain that every Offender in either of the said Cases shall forfeit and pay to each Labourer or Workman double the Value of what shall be due for such Work by him her or them done and if any such Labourer or Workman shall be guilty of any such Fraud or Default in the Work by him her or them done then such Labourer or Workman shall allow and answer to the Owner of each Work double the Damages thereby sustained

IV.  
Wages, Debts, &c.  
of Labourers  
in the said Manu-  
factures.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Wages Debts Frauds and Defaults of Labourers in the Woollen Linnen Fustian Cotton and Iron Manufactures for or concerning any Work done in the said Manufactures shall and may be heard and determined by any Two Justices of the Peace of the County where

Division City or Town Corporate where the Matter in Controversie ariseth who are hereby impowred to summon and examine Witnesses on Oath concerning the same but in case any Person shall think himself aggrieved by any Judgment or Order of the said Justices it shall and may be lawful for such Person to appeal against the Judgment and Order of the said Two Justices to the Justices of the Peace in the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace which shall be hold for the same County Riding Division City or Town Corporate next after Notice of such Order of the said Two Justices and the Justices of the Peace in the said General Quarter Sessions are hereby impowred to summon and examine Witnesses on Oath and to hear and finally determine the Matter of the said Appeal and in case the same Justices in the said General Quarter Sessions shall give Judgment against such Appellant then the same Justices shall award and order to the Party on whose Behalf the same Appeal is demanded such reasonable Costs and Charges to be paid by such Appellant in regard of such Appeal as to the same Justices shall seem meet.

Successors to be  
assessors by  
Two Justices of  
Peace, who are  
empowred to sit  
in Quarter  
Sessions,  
who may fully  
determine the same  
Costs, &c. &c. &c.  
against Appellants.

Parliaments also and be it further enacted That this Act shall continue for the Space of Three Years to be commencing from the said Twentieth fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliaments and no longer.

V.  
Continued of  
Act

## CHAPTER XXIII. (1)

AN ACT for taking examining and stating the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom.

Act for a new  
p. 6. n. 7

WHEREAS many and great Acts and Provisions have been given made and assigned for the necessary Defence of the Crown and these Kingdoms and for the Support of the Government To the End therefore that both Your Majesty and the whole Kingdom may be satisfied and truly informed therein may it please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That William Brerley Esquire Thomas Coke Esquire Sir Godfrey Copley Baronet Robert Byrley Esquire Henry St. John Esquire Francis Gower Esquire and Sir William Draka Baronet shall be and are hereby constituted Commissioners for examining taking and stating the Accounts of all Money of the Publick Revenue of the Crown and all other Accounts which were by One Act of Parliament made in the Second Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for appointing and enabling Commissioners to examine take and state the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom and One other Act made in the Fourth and Fifth Year of Their said Majesties Reigns intituled An Act for examining taking and stating the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom and One other Act made in the Fifth and Sixth Year of Their said Majesties Reigns intituled An Act for [typographical and] enabling Commissioners to examine take and state the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom and One other Act made in the Sixth and Seventh Years of His late Majesties Reigns intituled An Act for appointing and enabling Commissioners to examine take and state the Publick Accounts and One other Act made in the Seventh and Eighth Years of His late Majesties Reigns intituled An Act for the taking examining and stating the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom as be taken examined and stated by the respective Commissioners by the said Acts or any of them contrained or any Four Five or more of them respectively authorized by virtue of the same or any of them and that the said Acts and every Clause Matter and Thing in the said Acts and every of them contained are hereby authorized shall be and are hereby revived and continued in full force and virtue to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever from the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three to the Five and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four and shall be executed with all the Powers and Authorities in them and every of them respectively contained by the said Commissioners or any Four or more of them

Reasons for passing  
this Act.

Commissioners  
named for taking  
the Accounts to  
be taken under  
Stat. 2 W. & M.  
Sec. 1. c. 11.  
4 W. & M. c. 10.  
1 A. & W. & M. c. 11.  
1 A. & W. & M. c. 12.  
1 A. & W. & M. c. 13.  
and c. 14. etc.

The said Acts  
revived and  
continued

And the said Commissioners or any Four of them shall be and are hereby authorized and empowered to take Accounts of all Moneys that have been or shall be granted to the Crown and of all other Publick Money due or payable on the Fifth Day of November One thousand six hundred eighty eight or at any Time between the said Fifth Day of November One thousand six hundred eighty eight and the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four not yet accounted for by virtue or in pursuance of the said recited Acts or any of them or the last Clause touching Publick Accounts made in the Third Year of Their said Majesties Reigns intituled An Act for raising an Aid by a Poll payable Quarterly for One Year for supplying on a vigorous War against France and that the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury or Lord High Treasurer of England for the Time being shall and are hereby authorized [and required] to issue and pay or cause to be issued and paid the like yearly Allowance for Paymaster of Clerks and other Charges as are in the first recited Act directed and the like yearly Payments to every of the said Commissioners hereby concerned as are appointed to be paid to the Commissioners therein named all which Payments and Salaries to be paid one of the same shall be free and clear of all Taxes and Assessments whatsoever

II.  
The Commissioners  
to take Accounts  
before mentioned,  
not yet recalled  
previous to the  
said Acts, and also  
previous to Stat.  
3 W. & M. c. 5

Treasury to issue  
and pay Allowance  
to Clerks, &c. five  
of Years, who then  
3 W. & M. Sec. 1.  
c. 11.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXII. in the Common printed Editions

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Bill.

III  
Two Commissioners before they  
act to take the  
Oath sworn  
sworn before  
the Chancellor  
of the Exchequer, for  
Form of Oath

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Two of the said Commissioners first named in the Act before they enter upon the Execution of the same shall take an Oath before the Chancellor of the Exchequer or Master of the Rolls for the Time being (which day and either of them are hereby respectively authorized) and required to administer to them) the Tenor whereof shall be as followeth viz.

I A B do swear That according to the best of my Skill and Knowledge I shall faithfully impartially and truly  
denounce my self in examining and taking the Accounts of all such Sums or Sums of Money and other Matters  
and Things brought or to be brought before me in Execution of an Act intituled An Act for reviving accounting  
and setting the Publick Accounts of the Kingdom according to the Tenor and Purport of the said Act

IV  
The other Com-  
missioners to take  
the said Oath before  
the said Com-  
missioners

And every other of the said Commissioners hereby constituted before he enter upon the Execution of the  
said Act shall likewise take the same Oath before the said Two Commissioners herein first named who are hereby  
authorized and required to administer the same to them after they themselves have taken the said Oath as  
aforesaid

V  
Four Commissioners  
on any inquiry  
concerning History  
of Commerce in  
Persons employed  
in managing His  
Majesty's Treasures

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Commissioners or any Four or more of  
them shall be and are hereby empowered to examine any Revenues or Compositions in any Person or Persons  
concerned in the Management ordering paying receiving or disposing of His Majesty's Treasures and shall give  
an Account together with the Execution of the other Parts of their said Commission in such Manner as they are  
directed to do by the said several Acts

VI  
Reason for the  
Enactment

And whereas Jacob Vandermeche late Paymaster to the Dutch Forces who served in the late War in England  
and Ireland upon the English Establishment has received great Sums of Money for the Pay and defraying the  
contingent Expences of the said Dutch and other Foreign Forces and has not yet rendered or given any particular  
Accounts of the Disbursement of such Sums of Money and although the Sums imposed by the Paymaster General  
to the said Jacob Vandermeche are as is supposed as much or more than by the Establishment the said Troops  
can demand for themselves yet the said Colonels and other Officers in Behalf of themselves and their respective  
Regiments demand great Sums of Pay as due to the said Regiments Be it therefore enacted by the Authority  
aforesaid That no Sums or Sums of Money shall be expended issued or paid to the said Colonels or other  
Officers in Behalf of themselves or their respective Regiments until the said Jacob Vandermeche has duly appeared  
before the said Commissioners appointed by this Act or any Four or more of them and has regularly made  
up his Accounts and until the said Accounts are passed and allowed in such Form as the said Commissioners  
shall direct

VII  
Commissioners not  
to hold Place of  
Trust under His  
Majesty

(\*) And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person appointed a Commissioner by this Act  
shall accept of or hold any Employment of Profit from or under Her Majesty during the Continuance of  
this Act.

#### CHAPTER XXIV. (\*)

For Part  
of the Act

AN ACT for reviving and continuing the late Act for appointing Commissioners to take examine and determine  
the Debts due to the Army and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the  
late War.

Reason for passing  
this Act

WHEREAS several Debts and Arrears due to the Army and Garrisons and for Transport Service and  
Account relating to the Prizes taken during the late War against France and divers other Accounts  
which were intended to be examined stated and accounted by virtue of one Act made in the Eleventh Year of  
the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third (of ever blessed Memory) entitled An Act for the  
appointing Commissioners to take examine and determine the Debts due to the Army Navy and for Transport  
Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the late War And by virtue of One other Act of the  
Thirteenth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign for reviving and continuing the Act aforesaid and by virtue of  
certain Clauses contained in several other Acts of Parliament relating thereto have not been examined and stated  
or determined upon the said several Acts and Clauses formerly passed in that Behalf by the Commissioners in  
the said Acts named be it therefore enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and  
Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the  
Authority of the same That Thomas Morrice of London Merchant Bernard Adkins of London Esquire Thomas  
Lunar of Colchly in the County of Lincoln Esquire William Farrer of Biddenden in the County of Bedford  
Esquire and George Langton of Longton in the County of Lincoln Esquire or any Three or more of them shall  
be and are hereby constituted Commissioners for examining taking stating balancing and determining all and every  
the Accounts Debts Matters and Things whatsoever which in and by the several Acts and Clauses before  
mentioned the Commissioners therein named or mentioned or any of them were enabled to examine take  
state balance and determine but have not examined taken stated balanced or determined And the said several Acts  
and Clauses and all Things therein contained not hereby altered shall be and are hereby revived and continued

For 10 W III  
c. 1.

For 13 & 14 W III.  
c. 1.

Commissioners  
appointed for  
taking Accounts  
relating to the  
several Acts  
before mentioned.

The said Acts  
revived and  
continued

\* inserted to the Original Act in a separate Subtitle

\* This is Chapter XX. in the Common printed Edition

in full does and writes to all Issues Contractors and Purposes whatsoever in reference to the Accounts of the Army Transport Service and Mass Medicament Trains of Artillery and Hospitals in the said Act or any of them mentioned and the making forth Certificates and Debentures for the same from the Twentieth day of December One thousand seven hundred and two to the Twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five and shall be executed with all the Powers and Authorities therein contained by the Commissioners hereinafter named or any Three or more of them.

And the Lord High Treasurer of England or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall be and are hereby authorized and required to issue and pay or cause to be issued and paid without Account the like Allowances for Payment of Cloths and other Officers and defraying the necessary Charge in and about the Execution of the Powers of this Act as are in the said former Acts directed and the like Payments in every of the said Commissioners hereby constituted as are by the said Acts appointed to be paid to the Commissioners therein named which said Payments and Allowances shall not be liable to any Taxes or Assessments whatsoever.

And be it further enacted That Two of the said Commissioners first named in this Act before they enter upon the Execution of the same shall take an Oath before the Chancellor of the Exchequer or Master of the Rolls for the Time being which they or either of them are hereby authorized and required to administer to them the Oath which shall be as followeth that is to say

I A. B. do swear That I will according to the best of my Skill and Knowledge faithfully impartially and truly discharge my self in discharge of the Trust committed unto me by an Act of Parliament intituled An Act for reviving and continuing the late Acts for appointing Commissioners to take estimate and discharge the Debts due to the Army and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prison prises during the late War according to the Tenor and Purport of the said Act so as neither the Publick or any Person concerned in such Accounts may be prejudiced

So help me GOD.

And every other of the said Commissioners in this Act named before he enters upon the Execution thereof shall likewise take the same Oath before the said Two Commissioners herein first named who are hereby authorized to administer the same to them after they shall have themselves taken the said Oath as aforesaid.

And the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them after they shall have taken the aforesaid Oath shall apply themselves with all Diligence in the examining taking stating balancing and determining of all and every the several Debts Moneys and Things aforesaid in such Manner as the same might and ought to have been credited taken stated balanced and determined by virtue of the said Acts or either of them or any the Clauses aforesaid by the Commissioners therein named or thereby authorized.

And whatsoever the said Commissioners hereby named or any Three or more of them shall upon any such Examination as aforesaid determine to be due to such Common Officer Engineer or Gunner or to any Person or Persons lawfully claiming by from or under any such Officer Engineer or Gunner or upon the Account of Clothing the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall before the First Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three certify the same to the late Paymaster General of Her Majesties Guards and Garrison who is hereby required before the First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three to make out Debentures to such Officer or Officers Engineers and Gunners and other Person or Persons claiming by from or under them or any of them as aforesaid and for such Clothing Debts which shall be so certified as aforesaid And the said late Paymaster of Her Majesties Guards and Garrison is hereby further required from time to time to transmit under his Hand to the Treasurer appointed by Act of Parliament for the Sale of Forfeited Estates in Ireland a true List of all such Debentures which shall be made out as aforesaid according to the Direction of this Act all and every which Certificates and Debentures shall be made in such Form as Certificates and Debentures were made in pursuance of the said former Acts.

And whereas the Accounts of several of the said Regiments and Garrisons and of the Trains of Artillery and Hospitals before mentioned have not been brought in to the Commissioners which by the said former Acts were imposed to examine state and determine the same be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Commissioners by this Act continued and appointed or any Three or more of them shall have Power and are they hereby required to meet their several Preceptors under their Hands and Seals to such Colonels or less Colonel Governors or late Governors Agents or late Agents and other Persons concerned in this behalf or such of them as the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them in their Discretion shall judge to be the Persons who ought to exhibit the said Accounts as to the Rights Executors or Administrators of them or any of them respectively thereby requiring them and every of them severally to exhibit and deliver in to the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them at such Place or Places as in the said Preceptor shall be appointed and within such Time or Times as in such Preceptor respectively shall be prefixed as at the same be before the Tenth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and three at farthest a full true and perfect Account of all the Moneys which became due to every or any such Regiment or Garrison Train of Artillery or Hospital for the Time for which no Account hath been already delivered as aforesaid and of all the Moneys received from the Paymaster of the Army or otherwise for or towards the Payment of the same and of all Arrears (if any be) due

31.  
Treasury to issue and pay Allowances, &c. to Clerks, &c. One of Treas. or by the said former Acts.

32.  
Two Commissioners before they act to take the Oath before the Chancellor of the Exchequer, &c. Forc of Oath.

33.  
The other Commissioners to take the said Oath before the said Two Commissioners.

34.  
Commissioners to take the said Accounts, &c. in order to the said Acts.

35.  
Wherever the said Commissioners shall find due to the several Persons herein named as to be certified by them to the late Paymaster of the Guards and Garrison, who is to make out Debentures accordingly, and transmit a List thereof to the Treasurer of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland.

36.  
Reason for joining the Certificate.  
The said Commissioners are to cause their Preceptors to exhibit and deliver in to the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them a true and perfect Account of all the Moneys which became due to every or any such Regiment or Garrison Train of Artillery or Hospital for the Time for which no Account hath been already delivered as aforesaid and of all the Moneys received from the Paymaster of the Army or otherwise for or towards the Payment of the same and of all Arrears (if any be) due

and in Default of  
Account to be  
accounted by One  
month after  
12th April 1701.  
Possibly on  
Debit of the  
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to each Regiment or Garrison Train of Artillery or Hospital respectively in such Form as by the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them in those respective Provisions aforesaid shall be prescribed to the End the said Accounts may be examined and determined according to this Act and in Default thereof it is hereby provided enacted and declared That an Account shall be rendered by the said Commissioners or for any such Regiment Garrison Train of Artillery or Hospital respectively after the said Twelfth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and three and the Party making Default shall forfeit the Sum of Two hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons as will inform or see for the same by Writ of Debt or on the Case Bill Pleas or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Escaign Protection Wages of Law or more than One Impedance shall be allowed.

VIII.  
Enrollment, &c. of  
Officers and  
Sergeants in  
Regiments.

to be in full of  
the three new  
proper Debt.

And be it further enacted That where any Colonel is dead the Executors or Administrators of such deceased Colonel shall before the said Twelfth Day of April bring in to the said Commissioners the Account or Accounts of such deceased Colonel for the Regiment or Regiments of which he was Colonel (or the said his inferior Officers their Executors and Administrators may be satisfied in by this and the preceding Act is directed) and in Default thereof that the Executors or Administrators of such deceased Colonel shall be liable to and chargeable with the respective Sums of Money due to such inferior Officers their Executors Administrators and Assigns in his and their own Right ("") as if the same was his and their own proper Debt.

IX.  
Commissioners  
to make full  
Debit due for  
Foreign Transports  
employed for  
relieving Ireland.

And it is hereby also enacted and declared That the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall make full Debenture for the Debt due to the Owners of the Dutch and other Foreign Transport Ships employed for the relieving of Ireland which Debt is the Sum which will remain when the Value of Four thousand seven hundred and seventy Guineas shall be abated from twenty two thousand eight hundred and fifty Pounds and shall deliver the same to the Agent for the Persons interested therein to be applied to the purchasing ["of"] Forfeited Estates in Ireland.

X.  
How Accounts of  
Regiments serving  
in Ireland in the  
late War to be  
computed and  
allowed.  
Certificates and  
Debit due thereon.

And be it further enacted and declared That the Accounts of the several Regiments which served in Ireland in the Time of the said late War and which have been laid before the said Commissioners by the Payment of the said late Majesty's Army those shall be computed and allowed according to their Establishments of English Pay notwithstanding the Reductions which might be attended by an Establishment of the Foot of January One thousand six hundred and ninety not yet in Execution and that Certificates for the same shall be made out by the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them and Debentures thereon by the late Paymaster General of Her Majesty's Guards and Garrisons to be applied in like Manner to the purchasing of Forfeited Estates in Ireland and the said Commissioners are hereby directed in making up the said Army Accounts to take all possible Care that Her Majesty or the Publick be not defrauded by any Excess or Mist in the Manner made as by any additional or fictitious Names in the same.

Commissioners to  
make full Debit,  
Receipts for in  
the Manner made.

XI.  
Commissioners for  
Prison in the late  
War to account  
and make in the  
Accounts, &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person who was in Commission for Prison taken during the late War for and during such Time as he was in such Commission shall be accountable for and Answer in the making up the Accounts of all the Prison Ships and Goods taken in the said late War and deliver the same to make up to the said Commissioners of Accounts or any Three or more of them before the Twelfth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and three.

XII.  
Process for End  
of Ransack, for  
late Payment of  
the Forces, in  
respect of capturing  
and making full  
Debit due,  
Certificates, &c.

And for avoiding Confusion and Perplexity in the Accounts of Her Majesty's Forces it is hereby further enacted That Richard Earl of Ransack of the Kingdom of Ireland late Paymaster of Her Majesty's Forces shall receive from the said Commissioners for making the Accounts of the Army or any Three or more of them all the Debentures for the One Day Pay in the Year which became due for the Hospital at Chelsea and for what Debentures remain to be made forth by this Act And all the Certificates which by this or any other Act or Act of Parliament are still to be delivered by the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them to the Paymaster of the Forces for the Time being in order to the making forth Debentures thereon for any Pay or other Matter or Thing for which any Debentures are to be made forth on the said Act to be applied to the purchasing of Forfeited Estates in Ireland and that the said Earl of Ransack shall make forth the said Debentures and Account for the same as fully as if he had still continued in his Office of Paymaster of the Forces Any thing in this or any other Act or Act of Parliament contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XIII.  
Regiments of  
Regiments, &c.  
must, Partia,  
and Colonel to  
be charged by the  
late Payment as  
before accounted.

And whereas some Difficulties have arisen in the setting the Accounts of the Regiments now commanded by Brigadier Seymour Brigadier Fulkner and Brigadier Colborne in reference to the Sums of Money charged with those Regiments for the Time they were paid as Dutch Regiments by Louis Vanderauche it is hereby enacted and declared That the said Regiments be charged by the said Earl of Ransack with such Sums or Sums only as were received by the respective Colonels for the Time being or their Agents since the First Day of April One thousand six hundred ninety two which was the [Time the] said Regiments began to be paid by the said Earl of Ransack.



And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any deceased Colonel the Accounts of whose Regiment at the Time of his Death were not made up both as ailing Executor or Administrator whereby the said Accounts do still remain not made up it shall and may be lawful for such Persons as were Lieutenant Colonel Major or Captain of the said Regiment at the Time of the Death of such Colonel or any Two or more of them, to lay the Accounts of such Regiment before the Comptrollers by this Act appointed in order to their examining string and certifying for the Sums that shall appear due to the said Regiment.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Comptrollers or any Three or more of them are hereby authorized and required to state examine determine and certify the Debts due by regular Vouchers to John Ingham and Katherine Dunbar Widow and Heirs of John Dunbar Esquire jointly contracted with the said John Ingham in furnishing and providing Horse Carriages of Drivers of War and other necessaries for the Service of the Train of Artillery and for their Attendance thereon during the several Sieges of Athlone Galway and Limerick.

XIV.  
Lieutenant Colonel,  
to certify  
Accounts of  
Regiment before  
Comptrollers,  
where no ailing  
Executor, &c. of  
deceased Colonel  
appears.

XV.  
The Comptrollers  
to examine and  
certify Debts due  
to the Representatives  
of John  
Dunbar Esquire  
deceased.

Annis 2<sup>o</sup> & 3<sup>o</sup> ANNÆ, A. D. 1703.

STATUTES MADE IN THE PARLIAMENT,  
BEGUN AT WESTMINSTER, ON THE TWENTIETH DAY OF OCTOBER,  
IN THE FIRST YEAR OF THE REIGN OF  
QUEEN ANNE,  
AND BY SEVERAL PROROGATIONS AND ADJOURNMENTS  
CONTINUED TO THE THIRD DAY OF APRIL  
IN THE THIRD YEAR OF THE SAME QUEEN.

Ex Rotulo Parliamenti de Annis Annæ Reginæ Secundo et Tertio.

IN PARLIAMENTO incipiens apud Westmonaster' Vicinio Die Octobris Anno Regni Serenissimæ reg. Excellentissimæ  
Domine nostre Annæ Dei Grat' Angliæ Sveciæ Franciæ & Hiberniæ Reginiæ Fidei Defensoris huius Præsentis et  
supra Prærogatiuæ & Adjournment continuæ etc. ad id in Tertius Dies Aprilis Annæ Regni dictæ Domine  
Reginæ Annæ Reginiæ Tertio Cessante ordinariæ Terminæ sui Spirituæ quæ Temporalis & Civitatis Consensu  
& Regni Majestatis Assensu sanctis iuribus ordinata & stabilita fuerunt sequenti huius Statuta ad Verbum  
ut sequitur videlicet

PUBLIC ACTS.

CHAPTER I.

*See Post.  
1703. Anno reg. 2. & 3.*

An ACT for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and four.

**M**OST gracious Sovereign We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England a Parliament assembled being desirous to raise such Supplies as may enable Your Majesty to prosecute the present War with Success until Your Majesty can arrive at a happy Peace whereupon the Safety and Prosperity of Your Majesties Realm and Dominions may be established for future Times have cheerfully and unanimously given and granted unto Your Majesty the Rates and Assessments hereafter mentioned and we do humbly beseech Your Majesty that it [may be] enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in the present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Sum of One million nine hundred seventy nine thousand nine hundred thirty one Pounds Ninepence Shillings and One Penny shall be raised levied and paid unto Her Majesty within the Space of One Year from the First and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four and shall be assessed and raised in the several Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed according to the Proportions and in the Manner following (that is to say)

FOR the Towns of Bedford the Sum of Six hundred twenty two Pounds Eleven Shillings and One Penny  
For the rest of the County of Bedford the Sum of Twenty seven thousand eight hundred sixty two Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Halfpenny  
For the Borough of New Windsor and Castle there the Sum of Nine hundred seventy eight Pounds and Ten Shillings

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

*As before page 19  
it is to be read as  
One Year from  
1703. March 20th  
as the Customs,  
Taxes and Pensions  
in the Act now  
passed, in Manner  
following.*

For the rest of the County of Bucks the Sums of Forty thousand seventy five Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Borough of Bucks with Borton Bottom-hold Pothend-end Gwilton and Lentharrow the Sums of Six hundred and thirteen Pounds and Five Pence Half-penny

For the Borough of Wicomb the Sums of Three hundred fifty eight Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence

For the rest of the County of Bucks the Sums of Forty six thousand six hundred eighty eight Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence Half-penny

For the University and Towns of Cambridge the Sums of Two thousand eight hundred forty six Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny

For the Isle of Ely the Sums of Eight thousand and eight Pounds Five Shillings and Seven Pence Half-penny

For the rest of the County of Cambridge the Sums of Twenty one thousand nine hundred seventy one Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Three Pence Half-penny

For the City and County of the City of Chester the Sums of Fifteen hundred eighty four Pounds and Seven Shillings

For the County of Chester the Sums of Twenty seven thousand and fourteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Ten Pence Half-penny

For the County of Cornwall the Sums of Thirty one thousand nine hundred seventy five Pounds and Six Shillings

For the County of Cumberland the Sums of Three thousand seven hundred and thirteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Two Pence Half-penny

For the County of Derby the Sums of Twenty four thousand ninety three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Half-penny

For the City and County of the City of Eam the Sums of Four thousand seven hundred and eight Pounds and Five Pence Half-penny

For the County of Devon the Sums of Seventy seven thousand eight hundred seventy five Pounds Two Shillings and Ten Pence Half-penny

For the Towns and County of the Towns of Exet the Sums of Three hundred twenty eight Pounds and Two Shillings

For the County of Dorset the Sums of Thirty two thousand seven hundred eighty eight Pounds Five Shillings and Six Pence Half-penny

For the County of Durham the Sums of Ten thousand five hundred ninety seven Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Five Pence Half-penny

For the West Riding of the County of Yorks the Sums of Thirty nine thousand Three hundred sixty two Pounds One Shilling and One Penny

For the North Riding of the County of Yorks the Sums of Twenty six thousand four hundred and fifty Pounds Seventeen Shillings

For the East Riding of the County of Yorks the Sums of Nineteen thousand one hundred twenty seven Pounds Two Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the City of Yorks and County of the same City the Sums of Four thousand six hundred thirty nine Pounds and Eight Shillings

For the Towns and County of the Towns of Kingston upon Hull the Sums of Two thousand fifty three Pounds Two Shillings and Four Pence

For the Towns of Malton in the County of Easts the Sums of Five hundred ninety six Pounds and Eighteen Shillings

For the Towns of Cuthbert the Sums of Two thousand nine hundred Pounds Two Shillings and Three Pence

For the Towns of Harwich and Dover Court the Sums of Four hundred and Three Pounds Thirteen Shillings

For the rest of the County of Essex the Sums of Eighty seven thousand one hundred and Six Pounds Eight Shillings and Five Pence

For the City and County of the City of Gloucester the Sums of Thirteen hundred ninety six Pounds Four Shillings and Eight Pence

For the whole County of Gloucester the Sums of Forty six thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds Eight Shillings and Two Pence

For the City of Hartford the Sums of Seven hundred sixty three Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Borough of Leamington the Sums of Three hundred thirty three Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the whole County of Hartford the Sums of Nineteen thousand three hundred and eleven Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Borough of St. Albans in the County of Hartford the Sums of Seven hundred seventy four Pounds and Two Shillings

For the rest of the whole County of Hartford the Sums of Forty one thousand one hundred ninety nine Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence

- For the Towne of Haddington the Sume of Four hundred thirty two Pounds Twelve Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the rest of the County of Haddington the Sume of Fifteen thousand six hundred four Pounds Twelve Shillings and Four Pence
- For the City and County of the City of Canterbury the Sume of Seventeen hundred sixty two Pounds Five Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the Towne and Liberty of Dover the Sume of Nineteen hundred twenty three Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Nine Pence
- For the Towne of Folkestone the Sume of One hundred forty four Pounds Nineteen Shillings
- For the Towne of Forberich the Sume of Seventy seven Pounds and Eight Shillings
- For the Towne of Faversham the Sume of Five hundred and thirteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Three Pence
- For the Towne of Tenterden the Sume of One thousand thirty two Pounds and Six Shillings
- For the Towne and Liberty of Sandwich the Sume of Nine hundred thirty one Pound [Six 's'] Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Towne and Port of New Romney the Sume of Two hundred forty nine Pounds and Seventeen Shillings
- For the Towne of Lyd the Sume of Seven hundred sixty nine Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Towne and Part of High and Wen High within the Liberty of the said Towne and Port the Sume of Two hundred forty six Pounds and Two Shillings
- For the rest of the whole County of Kent the Sume of Seventy five thousand seven hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the County of Lancashire the Sume of Twenty thousand nine hundred eighty nine Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six Pence Half-penny
- For the Borough of Lancaster the Sume of Six hundred thirty nine Pounds Twelve Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Leicester the Sume of Thirty four thousand two hundred thirty two Pounds Seven Shillings and One Penny Half-penny
- For the County of Lincoln with the City and County of the City of Lincoln the Sume of Seventy two thousand two hundred twenty six Pounds Ten Shillings and Four Pence
- For the City of London the Sume of One hundred twenty three thousand three hundred thirty four Pounds Two Shillings and Seven Pence
- For Seignors Inn in Fleetstreet the Sume of Sixty five Pounds Four Shillings
- For Seignors Inn in Chancery Lane the Sume of Thirty one Pounds and Four Shillings
- For the lesser Temple and Inns of Chancery thenceunto belonging the Sume of Four hundred Pounds
- For the Middle Temple and Inns of Chancery thenceunto belonging the Sume of Two hundred seventy two Pounds and Sixteen Shillings
- For the Society of Lincolnes Inn and Inns of Chancery thenceunto belonging the Sume of Three hundred forty one Pounds Seven Shillings and Six Pence
- For Grays Inn and the Inns of Chancery thenceunto belonging the Sume of Two hundred fifty two Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Palaces of Whitehall and Saint James's the Sume of Ten thousand six hundred eighty six Pounds Five Shillings and Four Pence
- For the City of Westminster and Liberties thereof and Offices executed in Westminster Hall the Sume of Sixty three thousand four hundred fifty eight Pounds and Six Pence Half-penny
- For the rest of the County of Middlesex the Sume of One hundred and eight thousand nine hundred and twelve Pounds Nine Shillings and Seven Pence
- For the County of Monmouth the Sume of Nine thousand eight hundred and twelve Pounds Six Shillings and Five Pence Half-penny
- For the City and County of the City of Norwich the Sume of Eight thousand five hundred and eighty Pounds Eleven Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the Borough of Great Yarmouth the Sume of Two thousand eight hundred and twenty Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny
- For the Borough of Kings Lynn the Sume of Eighteen hundred and fourteen Pounds Fourteen Shillings
- For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in the County of Norfolk the Sume of Two hundred thirty nine Pounds
- For the rest of the whole County of Norfolk the Sume of Seventy one thousand two hundred sixty eight Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Towne of Northampton the Sume of Eight hundred and thirty Pounds Seven Shillings and Ten Pence
- For the rest of the County of Northampton the Sume of Forty seven thousand two hundred seventy six Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the Towne and County of the Towne of New Castle upon Tyne the Sume of Two thousand five hundred and eighty Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Towne of Berwick upon Tweed the Sume of One hundred forty five Pounds Three Shillings

- For the County of Northumberland the Sum of Eleven thousand eight hundred twenty two Pounds and Eighteen Shillings
- For the Town and County of the Towne of Nottingham the Sum of Nineteen hundred and fourteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Seven Pence Half-penny
- For the County of Nottingham the Sum of Twenty five thousand six hundred sixty two Pounds and Two Pence
- For the University of Oxon the Sum of One hundred and eleven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Two Pence
- For the City of Oxon the Sum of Three thousand six hundred [seventy] two Pounds Twelve Shillings and Six Pence
- For the rest of the County of Oxon the Sum of Thirty five thousand four hundred forty eight Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Seven Pence
- For the County of Rutland the Sum of Five thousand five hundred twenty five Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half-penny
- For the Towne of Ludlow the Sum of Two hundred twenty six Pounds and Two Shillings
- For the County of Salop the Sum of Twenty eight thousand eight hundred thirty four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and One Penny Half-penny
- For the City and County of the City of Bristol the Sum of Seven thousand three hundred ninety one Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the City of Bath the Sum of Four hundred forty three Pounds and Six Shillings
- For the City of Wells the Sum of Four hundred eighty one Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Bridgewater with Haygrove Tiling the Sum of Three hundred sixty six Pounds and Five Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Somerset the Sum of Sixty three thousand seven hundred and thirty Pounds Four Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Town and County of the Towne of Southampton the Sum of Seven hundred ninety three Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny
- For the Inc of Wight the Sum of Six thousand two hundred seventy three Pounds [Sixteen Shillings\*]
- For the rest of the County of [Southampton] the Sum of Forty eight thousand one hundred and nineteen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Half-penny
- For the City and County of the City of London the Sum of Four hundred and twenty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the County of Stafford the Sum of Twenty six thousand seven hundred Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence
- For the Towne of Spanish the Sum of Two thousand sixty one Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Mary S. Edmunds the Sum of Two thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds [and\*] Wherein Shilling†
- For the Borough of Dunwich the Sum of Forty Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Eps the Sum of Five hundred and two Pounds
- For the Borough of Sudbury the Sum of Five hundred and six Pounds Eight Shillings and Eight Pence
- For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in Suffolke the Sum of Seventy nine Pounds and Four Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Suffolke the Sum of Sixty eight thousand five hundred and three Pounds Ten Shillings and Six Pence
- For the County of Surrey the Sum of Sixty seven thousand and fourteen Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Six Pence Half-penny
- For the Town and Port of Hastings and Liberty thereof the Sum of Three hundred seventy eight Pounds and Six Shillings
- For the Liberty of Seaford the Sum of One hundred forty one Pounds and Eighteen Shillings
- For the Liberty of Pevensey the Sum of One thousand eighty eight Pounds and Ten Shillings
- For the Town and Parish of Rye the Sum of Four hundred seventy three Pounds and Eighteen Shillings
- For the Towne of Winchester the Sum of Four hundred and six Pounds
- For the rest of the County of Sussex the Sum of Fifty eight thousand three hundred thirty two Pounds Nine Shillings and One Penny
- For the City and County of the City of Coventry the Sum of Two thousand four hundred sixty three Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Nine Pence
- For the County of Warwick the Sum of Thirty seven thousand four hundred Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the City and County of the City of Worcester the Sum of Two thousand two hundred thirty nine Pounds Nine Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the County of Worcester the Sum of Thirty one thousand four hundred fifty seven Pounds Eight Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the City of New Sarum the Close of the same and Christen Parks the Sum of Nineteen hundred thirty five Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the rest of the County of Wilt the Sum of Forty nine thousand seven hundred thirty six Pounds Eleven Shillings and Five Pence

\* "Twenty" G. &amp; King's Printer Copy.

† read as the Half.

‡ Southampton G.

For the County of Westmorland the Sum of Three thousand forty five Pounds Three Shillings and Nine Pence Half-penny

For the City of Angoult the Sum of Sixteen hundred thirty three Pounds Seven Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Borough of Breton the Sum of One hundred seventy seven Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the County of Breton the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Cardigan the Sum of Thirteen hundred seventy two Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence

For the County Borough of Carmarthen the Sum of Two hundred twenty nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Four thousand one hundred and forty Pounds Three Shillings and Eleven Pence Half-penny

For the County of Cantrefwr the Sum of Two thousand seven hundred thirty seven Pounds Six Shillings and Seven Pence

For the County of Denbigh the Sum of Six thousand eight hundred Pounds

For the County of Flint the Sum of Two thousand three hundred and fourteen Pounds Seventeen Shillings

For the County of Glamorgan the Sum of Seven thousand nine hundred and six Pounds Nine Shillings and Ten Pence

For the County of Merioneth the Sum of Two thousand four hundred thirty two Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Ten Pence

For the County of Montgomery the Sum of Five thousand eight hundred fifty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Pembrokeshire the Sum of Two thousand nine hundred sixty seven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Eight Pence Half-penny

For the County of Radnor the Sum of Two thousand six hundred ninety two Pounds and Six Shillings

And for the Towns and County of the Town of Hereford West the Sum of One hundred seventy four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence

II.  
Personal Taxes  
Levied, in pay  
of the Pound

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That towards the raising the said several and respective Sums of Money hereby charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places as aforesaid all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate Guilds and Fraternities within the same respectively having any Estate in Ready Money or in any Debt whatsoever owing to them within this Realm or without or having any Estate in Goods Wares Merchandises or other Chattels or Personal Estate whatsoever within the Realm or without belonging to or in Trust for them (except and out of the Premises deducted such Sums as he or they do owe to and such Debts owing to them as shall be adjudged due by the Commissioners appointed by this Act And also except the Stock upon Land and such Goods as are used for Household Stuff And also except such Loans or Debts as are or shall be owing from Her Majesty to any Person or Persons) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings in the Pound according to the true yearly Value thereof for One Year (that is to say) for every Hundred Pounds of such ready Money and Debts and for every Hundred Pounds Worth of such Goods Wares Merchandises or other Chattels or Personal Estate the Sum of Twenty four Shillings and one penny that Rate for every greater or lesser Sum or Quantity to be assessed levied and collected in Manner hereafter mentioned And that all and every Person and Persons and all and every Chancellor or Comptroller having seeing or exercising any publick Office or Employment of Profit (such Military Officers who are or shall be in Muster by the Master [Master's] General of Her Majesties Army as in pay in Her Majesties Army or Navy in respect of such Office only excepted) and all and every their Agents Clerks Secretaries Subscribers and other inferior Ministers whatsoever shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings which he or they do receive in One Year by virtue of any Salaries Gratitudes Bounty Money Reward Fees or Profits to him her or them accruing for or by Reason or Occasion of their several Offices or Employments And that all and every Person and Persons Guilds Fraternities Bodies Politick or Corporate having any Pension Annuity Stipend or other yearly Payment either out of the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer or out of any Branch of Her Majesties Revenues or payable or incurred to be paid by any Person or Persons whatsoever (such being meeting out of any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or charged upon the same touching which other Directions are given by this Act and not being Annuities or yearly Payments which by any Act or Acts of Parliament made or to be made are or shall be specially exempted from the Payment of Tithes or Aids) shall yield and pay to Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Years for every such Pension Annuity Stipend or yearly Payment respectively and that the Rate for one whole Year the said several Rates and Sums of Money hereby granted to be assessed imposed levied and collected in such Manner as hereafter is specified

Employment of  
Public (except  
Military Officers  
of the Army or  
Navy) to pay of  
the Pound.

Pensions, An-  
nuities of the Public  
Revenues, except  
such, to pay of  
the Pound.

to be assessed as  
herein mentioned.

III.  
Mans, Lands,  
Tenements, Her-  
editaments, and  
other Estates  
in, and out of,  
the County of  
Gloucester.

And to the End the full and entire Sum by this Act charged upon the several Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively as aforesaid may be fully and completely raised and paid to Her Majesty We be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Manner Messuages Lands and Tenements and

also all Quenies Mines of Cole Tin and Lead Copper Mendick Iron and other Mines Iron Workers Salt Springs and Salt Works all Allom Mines or Workes all Parkes Chasses Wastons Woods Underwoods Coppices and all Fishings Tykes Tolls Auntyens and all other yearly Profits and all Beneficences of what Name or Kind soever they be situate lying and being happening or issuing within the severall and respective Countyes Cities Burroughs Townes or Places aforesaid respectively or within any Parts of the same as well within Ancient Demerres and other Liberties and privileged Places as without and all and every Person and Persons Bodie Politick and Corporate Quills Mysteries Frateralties and Brotherhoods whether Corporate or not Corporate having or holding any such Mannors Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises in respect thereof shall be charged with as much Equallity and Indifferency as is possible by a Pound Rate for or towards the said severall and respective Sittes [of Money] by this Act sett and imposed or intended to be imposed for or upon all and every such Countiee Cities Burroughs Townes or other Places hereby charged therewith as aforesaid see that by the said Rates see to be made or assessed for or upon the said Ready Money Debt Goods Ware Merchandises Chattells or Personall Estates and for or upon the said Offices or Employments of Profits and for and upon the Persons Ancesties Sittes or purely Payments aforesaid and for and upon the said Mannors Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and other the Premises according to the Purport and true Meaning of this present Act the full and entire Sittes hereby appointed to be raised as aforesaid shall be completely and effectually taxed assessed levied and collected and shall be paid into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer by Four Quarterly Payments the First Payment thereof to be made upon or before the Twentie fourth Day of June which shall be in the Years of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four

And whereas many of the Mannors Messuages Lands Tenements Tibbes Hereditaments and Possessions intended by this Act to be charged with the Pound Rate as aforesaid stand incumbered with or are subject and liable to the Payment of severall Rents Charges or Ancesties or other Annual Payments issuing out of the same or to the Payment of diverse Fee-Farm-Rents Rents Service or other Rents thereupon reserved or charged by Reason whereof the true Owners and Proprietors of such Mannors Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments doe not in Truth receive to their owne Use the true yearly Value of the same for which nevertheless they are by this Act chargeable with a certaine Pound Rate it is therefore declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful so and for the Landlords Owners and Proprietors of such Mannors Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments and Possessions being charged with a Pound Rate as aforesaid to shut and deduct and to receive and keep in his or their Hands out of every such Fee-Farm-Rent or other Annual Rent or Payment so much of the said Pound Rate which shall be taxed or assessed upon the said Mannors Messuages Lands and Possessions as a like Rate for every such Fee-Farm-Rent or other Annual Rent or Payment respectively shall by a just Proportion amount unto one six such Fee-Farm-Rent or other Annual Rent or Payment doe amount to Ten Shillings p Acre or more And all and every Person and Persons who are or shall be any Way entailed to such Rents or Annual Payments are hereby required to allow such Deductions and Payments upon Receipts of the Receiver of such Monies as shall be due and payable to them for such Rents or Annual Payments moved or charged as aforesaid

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the better assessing ordering levying and collecting of the severall Sittes of Money now as aforesaid limited and appointed to be paid and for the more effectually putting of this present Act in Execution all and every the Persons who are named or otherwise appointed to be Commissioners for putting in Execution the Act of Parliament made and passed at Westminster in the First Year of Her Majesties Reigne intitled An Act for granting to Her Majesty a Land Tax for carrying on the War against France and Spain within the severall Countiees Ridings Cities Burroughs Cinque Ports Townes and Places within the Kingdom of England Duchies of Wales and Towne [of] Berwick upon Tyne (being duly qualified according to this Act) shall be Commissioners for putting in Execution this present Act and the Powers therein contained within and for the said Countiees Ridings Cities Burroughs Cinque Ports Townes and Places respectively

And be it further enacted and declared That the severall Commissioners aforesaid shall meet together at the next next and Closest Place of Meeting within each of the said Countiees Ridings Cities Burroughs Townes and Places respectively for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners on or before the Ninth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and four and shall meet afterwards in the like Manner as often as it shall be necessary for the putting of this Act in Execution And the said Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present at such General Meeting or Meetings or the major Part of them are hereby authorized and required to put this present Act in Execution and shall ascertain and sett downe in Writing the severall Proportions which ought to be charged upon every Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division respectively for and towards the raising and making up the whole Sittes by this Act charged upon the whole Countiee City or other Place for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners according to the Proportions which were assessed on the same Hundreds [and] Divisions respectively by virtue of the Act of Parliament made and passed in the Fourth Year of the Reigne of their [late] Majesties King William and Queene Mary of blessed Memory intitled An Act for putting to their Majesties an Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound for One Year for carrying on a vigorous War against France and shall show if they see Cause otherwise and distribute themselves and the other Commissioners not then present into lesser Numbers see as Three or more of the said Commissioners may be appointed for the

Rest Charges, he  
it will within  
seven Months  
be without.

to be charged with  
as much Equallity  
as possible.

How assessed.  
To be paid into  
the Exchequer by  
Quarterly Pay-  
ments.

IV.  
Reason for putting  
in Execution.

Landlords, &c. of  
such Mannors, &c.  
to retain the Rate  
and Deductions  
are to allow it.

Landlords to abate  
for Proportions  
to other annual  
Payments, if the  
Rent amounts to  
one per Acre.

V.  
Commissioners  
appointed for  
putting in Execu-  
tion this Act.  
Commissioners  
under a 12. may be  
Commissioners  
for this Act.

VI.  
Commissioners to  
meet on or before  
the 9th April 1704.

not afterwards as  
often as it shall be  
necessary.

not to multiply down  
the Proportions to  
be charged upon  
every Division.

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May distribute as  
in Three or more  
be appointed for  
each Division

Service of each Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and as may best conduce to the carrying on Her Majesty's Service hereby required notwithstanding that thereby the said Commissioners or any of them from acting as Commissioners in any other Part of the County or Place for which they are appointed.

VII.  
Commissioners at  
their First Meeting  
to sit down in  
Writing what  
Number of Com-  
missioners shall act  
in each Division.  
87.

Commissioners in  
their Division to  
have Power to  
be equally assessed  
and upon Proviso  
to Inhabitants, &c.  
repaying them in  
advance and charge  
them with Exces-  
sion of Act 1  
and Commissioners  
to seal to them  
their Charge.

Commissioners, &c.  
declaring, &c.  
repaying and  
refusing to serve.

Penalty.

VIII.  
Commissioners to  
appoint Assessors.

to prefix a Day  
and Place for the  
Assessors to bring  
in their Assessments.  
Assessors to make  
the full Sum and  
bring a Certificate  
of Assessments, and  
return thereof to  
the Collectors.

Parish, &c. to be  
answerable for  
Collectors paying  
into Receiver  
General.

IX.  
Assessors neglect-  
ing or refusing to  
serve, &c.

Penalty.

X.  
Assessors to deliver  
One Copy of  
Assessments to  
Commissioners,  
who are to sign and  
send Two Duplicates  
thence.

And for the more effectual Performance thereof be it enacted and declared That the Commissioners in such General Meeting or the major Part of them then present shall sit down upon and set down in Writing when and what Number of the said Commissioners shall act in each of the said Divisions or Hundreds and shall deliver true Copies of such Writings to the Receiver General to be appointed by Her Majesty or in pursuance of His Direction to the End there may be no Failure in any Part of the due Execution of the Service by this Act required and the Commissioners within the several Hundreds Laths Wapentakes Rapes Wards or other Divisions or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the several apportion charges on the respective Hundreds Laths Wapentakes Rapes Wards or other Divisions for or towards the Aid hereby granted to be equally assessed and taxed within every such Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and within every Parish and Place therein according to the best of their Judgements and Discretions And for due Aid and Payment to direct their several or joint Precept or Precepts to such Inhabitants High Constables Petty Constables Bayliffs and other Officers or Ministers and such Number of them as they in their Discretions shall think most convenient to be Processors and Assessors requiring them to appear before the said Commissioners at such Place and Time not exceeding Six Days as they shall appoint And as such their Appearances the said Commissioners or such of them as shall be then present shall openly read or cause to be read unto them the several Rates Duties and Charges in this Act mentioned and also openly declare the Effect of [the'] Charge to them and how and in what Manner they should and ought to make their Assessments and how they ought to proceed in the Execution of this Act according to the true Meaning of the same And if any such Constable Petty Constable Bayliff Officer or Minister or other Inhabitants to whom any Precept shall be directed shall absent themselves without lawful Excuse to be made out by the Oath of Two credible Witnesses (which Oathes the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered to administer) or if any Officer or Person appearing shall refuse to serve then every such Officer or Person so making Default or refusing to serve shall for every such Default or Refusal forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many as shall be present or the major Part of them being present shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Five Pounds nor less than Forty Shillings.

And as and after such Charge given as aforesaid the said Commissioners shall take Care that Warrants be issued forth and directed to Two at least of the most able and sufficient Inhabitants of each Parish Township or Place within the respective Divisions thereby appointing and requiring them to be Assessors of all and every the Rates and Sums of Money by this Act imposed and shall therein also appoint and fix a certain Day and Place for the said Assessors to appear before them and to bring in their Assessments in Writing which said Assessors are hereby strictly enjoined and required with all Care and Diligence to assess the full Sums given them in charge respectively upon all Ready Money Debts Personal Estates Office Employments Annuities and Pensions according to this Act and by an equal Perpetual Rate upon all Mannors Lands Townships Rents Hereditaments and other the Premises within the Limits Circums and Bounds of the respective Parishes or Places for which they shall be appointed Assessors as aforesaid and shall bring with them at the Time and Place so as aforesaid prefixed for their Appearance a Certificate in Writing of the said Assessments and shall then also receive the Names of Two or more able and sufficient Persons living within the Limits and Bounds of those Parishes Townships Constables or Places where they shall be chargeable respectively or be Collectors of the Moneys which shall be assessed as aforesaid and to be paid to Her Majesty by this Act for whose paying in to the Receiver General or his Deputy in Manner hereafter mentioned such Moneys as they shall be chargeable withal the Parish or Place wherein they are so employed shall be answerable.

And if any Assessor so appointed or to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to serve or shall make Default at the Time appointed for his Appearance not having a lawful Excuse to be witnessed by the Oath of Two credible Witnesses (which Oath the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them have Power to administer) or shall not perform his Duty every such Assessor shall for every such Neglect or Refusal or Default forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present or the major Part of them shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Forty Pounds to be levied by Distress and Sale of the said Assessor's Goods and Chattels in like Manner as by this Act is appointed for the levying of the several Rates and Assessments herein mentioned in case of Neglect or Refusal of Payment and to be charged upon the respective Receiver General together with the said Rates and Assessments.

And for the completing the whole Sums charged as aforesaid and to the End the aforesaid Sums charged upon the several and respective Churches Rectories Cures Boroughs Towns and Places may be duly collected and true Accounts thereof made the said Assessors are hereby required to deliver one Copy of their respective Assessments fairly written and subscribed by them unto the said Commissioners within the Time to be fixed as aforesaid And the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them are hereby ordered and required to sign and send Two Duplicates of the said Assessments and the One of them to deliver or cause to be delivered to Two or more honest and responsible Persons to be Collectors which the said Commissioners are hereby authorized to nominate.



and appoint for each Parish or Place with Warrant to the said Collectors to collect the same Assessment payable as aforesaid not at the said several Times may be paid to the Receivers General at the respective Times hereby limited.

And the said Commissioners are hereby required to deliver or cause to be delivered a Schedule or Duplicates in Parchment under their Hands and Seals fully written containing the whole Sums assessed upon each Parish or Place unto the Receivers General of each County Riding City Borough Town or Place respectively or his Deputy and shall transmit or cause to be transmitted a like Schedule or Duplicates unto the Queens Remembrancers (Office of the Exchequer and the said Commissioners shall cause to be done upon or before the Eighth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and four or within Twenty Days after (all Appeals to them made being first determined) for which Duplicates the Remembrancers or his Deputy shall give to the Person that brings the same a Receipt in Writing given under the Seal of Two Pounds to be returned to the Queens Use as other Pledges are by this Act recoverable.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Persons so appointed to be Collectors as aforesaid shall levy and collect all and every the Rates or Taxes so assessed and charged according to the Intent and Direction of this Act which said Collectors are hereby required to demand all and every Shilling and Sixpence of Money which shall be due thereon and [added] of the Parties themselves at the same shall become due if they can be found at the Place of their last Abode or upon the Premises charged with the Assessment And the said several Collectors shall collect and levy the said Monies so charged for Her Majesties Use and are hereby required and enjoined to pay unto the respective Receivers General or their Deputies all and every the said Rates and Assessments by them respectively collected or received at each Time or Times Place or Places as the Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall appoint And also at the whole Sums due for each Quarterly Payment shall be paid or answered by the said Collectors to the Receivers General or their Deputies respectively upon the Days and at the Times by this Act appointed for the Payment thereof.

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Money received by the said Collectors within the respective Divisions or Hundreds as aforesaid shall from time to time be duly paid to the Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies to be appointed under his Hand and Seal whereof Notice under the Hand and Seal of the Receiver General shall be given to the Commissioners or any Two or more of them within the respective Divisions or Hundreds within Ten Days after the next General Meeting and so from time to time within Ten Days after every Death or Removal of any Deputy (if any such shall happen) And the Receipt of such Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies or any of them (which Receipt or Acquittance shall be given gratis to the Collectors for all Monies by them paid) shall be a sufficient Discharge to every such Collector And the particular Collectors are hereby required to pay in all and every the Sums so received by them unto the said Receiver General or their Deputy or Deputies for the Payment whereof the said Collectors shall not be obliged to travel above Ten Miles from the Place or Places of their Habitation.

And be it further enacted That the Sums of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the First Quarterly Payments shall be collected levied and paid unto the Receivers General of the said several Counties Cities or other Places who shall be appointed as aforesaid on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four And the Sums of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the Second Payment of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and four And the Sums of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the Third of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four And the Sums of Four hundred ninety four thousand nine hundred eighty two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Farthing for the Fourth and Last of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Receiver General from time to time with[in] the Space of One Month next after he shall have met the full Sums that shall be charged on any Hundred or Division for each particular Payment that is to be made to such Receiver General by virtue of this Act [shall give to such Commissioners as shall act] in such Hundred or Division a Receipt under his Hand and Seal acknowledging the Receipt of the full Sums charged upon each Hundred or Division for each particular Payment which Receipt shall be a full Discharge to such Hundred or Division for such particular Payment against His Majesty His Heirs and Successors which said Receiver General are hereby required forthwith or at farthest within Twenty Days after the Receipt of any Money of the Taxes or Duties by this Act granted to transmit or cause to be paid the Monies by them received into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer And the Lord High Treasurer or Lords Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury for the Time being are hereby authorized to allow the said Receiver General of each County Riding City and Town respectively a Salary for his Pains not exceeding Two Pence in the Pound for so much as he shall pay into the Exchequer upon the clearing of his Accounts.

XXI.  
Commissioners to deliver Duplicates of Assessments.

Appendix to  
Schedule (1)

Remembrancers to give Receipts given, freely  
off.

XXII.  
Collectors General have as they become due  
of which Demand to be made.

Collectors to pay to Receivers  
General.

XXIII.  
Receiver General to give Notice of his Deputies to the Commissioners, &c.

Receipt of Receiver  
General, &c. a  
Discharge to  
Collectors.

Collectors travelling.

XXIV.  
First Quarterly  
Payment to  
Receiver General  
24th June 1704.

Second Quarterly  
Payments.

Third Quarterly  
Payments.

Fourth Quarterly  
Payments.

XXV.  
Receiver General to give Com-  
missioners Receipts for Monies received  
by them.

Each Receipt a  
Discharge to  
Deputies.

Receiver General to pay into the  
Exchequer.

Salary to Receiver  
General.

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\* inserted on the Roll.

XVI  
Collectors to have  
jls in the Pound.

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Collectors of the Rates and Assessments hereby granted for gathering the particular Sums charged upon the Parishes or Places for which they shall be appointed Collectors by virtue of this Act shall upon Collection of the whole Sums appointed to be collected by them and Payment thereof as is hereby before appointed have and receive for their Pains in collecting and paying the Monies Three Pence in the Pound which the said Collectors are empowered to deduct out of the last Payment of the Money of their several and respective Quarterly Payments And the said Barrowes General upon the Receipt of the whole Assessments of the County Riding City or Towns for which he is appointed Receiver General in case he shall have received the several Duplicates of such Parishes or Places thereto and that Duplicates shall be returned to the Office of Her Majesties Remembrancer of the Exchequer as aforesaid and not otherwise shall allow and pay according to such Warrant as shall be in that Behalf given by the said Comptrollers or any Two or more of them Three Halfpence in the Pound and no more for the Comptrollers Clerks for their Pains in this Writing the Assessments Duplicates and Copies hereof before directed (\*) for all Warrants Orders and Instructions relating thereto

Allowance to  
Comptrollers  
Clerks.

XVII  
Persons refusing to  
pay Rates upon  
Demand.

And be it further enacted and declared That if any Person shall refuse or neglect to pay any Sums of Money whereto hee shall be rated and assessed by this Act upon Demand by the said Collectors of that Place according to the Process or Warrants to him or them delivered by the said Comptrollers that then and in all and every such Case and Cases it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collectors or any of them and they are hereby authorized and required to levy the Sums assessed by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of such Person soe refusing or neglecting to pay or to distresse upon the Messuages Lands Tenements and Premises soe charged with any such Sums or Sums of Money and the Goods and Chattels then and there found and the Distress soe taken to keep by the Space of Four Days at [the"] Costs and Charges of the Owners and if the said Owners doe not pay the Sums or Sums of Money soe rated or assessed within the said Space of Four Days then the said Distress to be appraised by Two or more of the Inhabitants where the same shall be taken or other sufficient Persons and to be sold by the Collector for the Payment of the said Money and the Overplus coming by such Sale (if any be) over and above the Tax and Charges of taking and keeping the said Distress to be immediately returned to the Owners thereof

Duties.

If Rate not paid  
within Four Days.

Proceedings

XVIII  
Houses, &c.  
may be broken  
open upon Warrants  
of Comptrollers,  
calling in Case  
of non-payment,  
for  
Quantities  
determined by  
Comptrollers.

And more over it shall be lawful to break open in the Day dose any House and upon Warrants under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Comptrollers any Chest Trunk Box or other Things where any such Goods are calling to their Assistance the Constables Tythingmen or Headboroughs within the Countess Ridings Cities Towns and Places where any Refractory Neglect or Resistance shall be made which said Officers are hereby required to be aiding and assisting in the Premises as they will answer the contrary at their Perille And if any Question or Difference happen upon taking such Distress the same shall be ended and determined by the said Comptrollers or any Two or more of them

XIX.  
Where sufficient  
Distress (Excep-  
tion).

And if any Person or Persons assessed by this Act shall neglect or refuse to pay his or their Assessment by the Space of Ten Days after Demand as aforesaid or convey any his or their Goods or other Personal Estate whereby the Sums (\*) soe assessed cannot be levied according to this Act in every such Case any Two or more of the Comptrollers aforesaid for any City County or Place are hereby authorized by Warrants under their Hands and Seals to call in such Person or Persons (except a Par or Persons of this Rank) to the Common Goal there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until Payment be made of the Money assessed and the Charges for bringing in of the same be paid and no longer

Impoundment  
to Common Goal.

XX.  
Tenants paying  
assessed as against  
the Landlord,  
not may deduct out  
of Rates due

And the several and respective Tenants and Tenants of all Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments which shall be rated by virtue of this Act are hereby required and authorized to pay such Sums and Sums of Money as shall be rated upon such Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and to deduct out of the Rent due next of the said Rate as in respect of the said Rents of any such Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments the Landlord should and ought to pay and here and the said Landlords both make and acknowledge according to their respective Assessments are hereby required to allow such Deductions and Payments upon Receipt of the Rent due of their Rents

XXI.  
Tenants paying  
assessed as against  
assessors Tenants,  
Comptrollers  
may write Dis-  
tresses between  
Landlords and  
Tenants as to Rates.

And be it enacted and declared That every Tenant paying the said Assessments last mentioned shall be required and discharged for so much Money as the said Assessments shall amount unto as if the same had been actually paid unto such Person or Persons unto whom his Rent should have been due and payable And if any Difference shall arise between Landlord and Tenant or any other concerning the said Rates the said several Comptrollers or any Two or more of them in their several Sessions shall and have hereby Power to settle the same as they shall think fit

XXII  
Over-ones may be  
compulsed again  
within Six Days  
after Demand.

And if any Person or Persons shall find him or themselves aggrieved in that the Assessors have overrated him or them and in Six Days after Demand made of the Sums of Money assessed on him or them due by him or themselves or by his or their Stewards or Bayliffs complaine to Three or more of the Comptrollers (whereof Two of the Comptrollers whose signed or allowed his her or their Assessments to be of that Number) the said Comptrollers or any Three or more of them shall have and have hereby Power within Six Days after the Demand

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\* mentioned in this Rule

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of the Assessment as aforesaid to relieve such Person or Persons and to charge the same on such other Person or Persons as they shall see Cause and Appeals once heard and determined to be paid without any further Appeal upon any Petition whatsoever.

Appeals final.

And in case the Properties set by this Act upon all and every the respective Counties Riding City Towns and Place shall not be fully assessed levied and paid according to the true Meaning thereof or if any of the said Assessments shall be rated and imposed upon any Person not being of Ability to pay the same or upon any decayed or void House or Land where the same cannot be collected or levied or due through any Willfulness Negligence Misdemeanor or Accident the said Assessment charged on each County Riding City Towns or Place by virtue of this Act happen not [to] be paid to the Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies as in this Act is directed that then in all and every such Case and Cases the several and respective Commissioners Assessors and Collectors aforesaid and every of them respectively are hereby authorized and required to assess or reassess or cause to [be] assessed or reassessed levied and paid all and every such Sums and Sums of Money upon the respective Divisions and Hundreds wherein such Deficiency shall happen or Failures therein as to the said Commissioners or such Number of them as by this Act are authorized to cause the First Assessment hereby required to be made shall seeme most agreeable to Equity and Justice the said new Assessment to be made collected and paid in such Manner and by such Means as in this Act for this Assessment is declared and directed.

XXIII.  
If Properties of  
County, &c. be not  
fully assessed,  
Commissioners  
to cause new  
Assessments  
to be made.

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That if any Assessor Collector or other Person or Persons shall wilfully neglect or refuse to performe his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this present Act the said respective Commissioners or any Three or more of them have hereby Power to impose on such Person or Persons so refusing or neglecting his or their Duties such Fine or Fines as by them shall be thought fit so as the same exceed not the Sum of Forty Pounds which said Fines shall not be taken off or discharged but by the Consent of the Majesty of the Commissioners who imposed the same but shall be levied by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of the Offenders and in Default of Goods and Chattels the Offender to be committed by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them to Prison there to remain till Payment of the said Fines and that all Fines so be imposed by virtue of this Act shall be paid to the respective Receiver General and by them into the Receipt of His Majesties Exchequer and shall be included in the Discharges in Perpetuity fairly written to be transmitted to the Office of the Queens Remembrancer as aforesaid that the same may be thereby known and charged in his Accounts.

XXIV.  
Assessor, &c.  
neglecting, &c.  
to commit Act,  
Fines,

levied by  
Distress, &c. or  
Imprisonment.

Fines paid to  
Receiver General.

And be it further enacted and declared That if any Collector that shall be by virtue of this Act appointed for the Receipt of any Sums or Sums of Money thereby to be assessed levied or collect to pay any Sums or Sums of Money which shall be by him received as aforesaid and to pay the same as in this Act is directed or shall decline in his or their Hands any Money received by them or any of them and not pay the same as by this Act is directed the Commissioners of such County Riding City Towns respectively or any Two or more of them in their respective Divisions are hereby authorized and empowered to impose the Person and seize and secure the Estate as well Freehold as Copyhold and all other Estates both Real and Personal of such Collector to him belonging or which shall descend or come into the Hands or Possession of his Heirs Executors or Administrators where ever the same can be discovered and found and the said Commissioners who shall see order and secure the Estate of any Collector or Collectors shall be and are hereby empowered to appoint a Time for the General Meeting of the said Commissioners for each County Riding City Towns and Place and there to cause publick Notice to be given of the Place where such Meeting shall be appointed Six Days at least before such General Meeting [and the Commissioners present at such General Meeting] and the major Part of them in case the Monies destined by any such Collector or Collectors be not paid and satisfied as it ought to be according to the Direction of this Act shall and are hereby empowered and required to sell and dispose of all such Estates which shall be for the Cause aforesaid seized and secured or any Part of them and to receive and pay into the Hands of the Receiver General or his Deputy for each County Riding or Place the Sums which shall be due in the Hands of such Collector or Collectors their Heirs Executors and Administrators respectively.

XXV.  
Collector not  
paying Monies  
received by him,  
Imprisonment, and  
Real and Personal  
Estate liable.

Commissioners  
maying Order to  
sell a General  
Meeting of  
Commissioners  
on Notice.

Proceedings.

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That at the Expiration of the respective Times in this Act prescribed for the full Payment of the said Yearly Quarterly Assessments the several and respective Commissioners or any Two or more of them within their Division or Hundred shall and are hereby required to call before them the Collectors within each respective Division or Hundred Parish and Place to transmit and assure themselves of the full and whole Payment of the particular Sums and Sums of Money charged upon the same Division or Hundred and every Parish and Place therein and of the due Returns of the same into the Hands of the respective Receiver General their Deputy or Deputies of the said County Riding City Towns and Place respectively and by such Receiver General their Deputy or Deputies of the said County Riding City Towns and Place respectively to pay any Part of the Assessment by virtue of this Act to be assessed and paid nor any Arrears remaining chargeable upon any of the said Counties Riding Cities Towns and Places respectively and in case of any Failure in the Payment the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the same to be lawfully levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act.

XXVI.  
Commissioners to  
call before them  
Collectors, and  
assure themselves  
full Payment of  
Assessments.

and in case of  
Failure, to levy.

**XXVII.**  
If Controversy  
concerning  
Commissioners  
returned in  
writings  
to Defect  
Fines.

Questions  
lawfully determined  
by Commissioners

And it is hereby enacted and declared That in case any Controversie arise concerning the said Assessments or the dividing apportioning or Payment thereof which concerns any the Commissioners by this Act appointed that the Commissioners soe constituted in the said Controversie shall have noe Voice but shall withdraw at the Time of the Debate of any such Controversie until it be determined by the rest of the Commissioners and in Default thereof that the Commissioners then present shall have Power and are hereby required to impose such Fines or Penes as to them shall be thought fit upon such Commissioners soe refusing to withdraw not exceeding the Summe of Twenty Pounds and to cause the same to be levied and paid as other Fines to be imposed by virtue of this Act are to be levied and paid and all Questions and Differences which shall arise touching any the said Rates Duties or Assessments or the collecting thereof shall be heard and finally determined by the Commissioners in such Manner as by this Act is directed upon Complaint thereof made to them by any Person or Persons directly aggrieved without further Trouble or Suit in Law

**XXVIII.**  
Forfeited Places  
or Persons not  
excepted.  
Pre-emption and  
Rights, but liable  
Taxes to pay  
proportionally, and  
indemnified.

And be it further enacted and declared That noe Priviledged Place or Person Body Politick or Corporate within the Counties Riding Cities and Townes aforesaid shall be exempted from the said Assessments and Taxes and that they and every of them and alsoe all Ten-Pence-Rents and all other Rents Payments Sines and Sums of Money or Annuities issuing out of or payable for any Lands shall be liable towards the Payment of every Sine by this Act to be taxed and levied and all the Tenants are hereby directed and authorized to pay proportionably according to the Rates and Assessments by this Act appointed and directed and all such Tenants shall be bound and kept hereunto by the Authority of this Act from any further Payment of any such Proportion of any such Rent Rates Sines of Money or Annuities to any Person or Persons to whom any such Rent Rates Sines of Money or Annuities as aforesaid should or ought to be paid to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever as fully and amply as if they had paid the same to any Person or Persons to whom the same is or are reserved or become due

**XXIX.**  
Fines for  
Colleges, for in the  
University of  
Windsor, Eton,  
Westminster, and  
Hospitals, in  
respect of Rates of  
Colleges, &c. and  
for the Great Alms-  
house, and other  
Hospitals and  
Alms-houses.

Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to charge any College or Hall in either of the Two Universities or the Colleges of Windsor Eton Westminster or the Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Reliefe of the poore Widowers and Children of Clergymen or the College of Brounly or any Hospital for or in respect of the Sines of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any of the Buildings within the Walls or Limits of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any Master Fellow Scholar or Exhibitioner of any College or Hall or any Reader Officer or Minister of the said Universities Colleges or Halls or any Masters or Officers of any Schools for or in respect of any Sine wages Profits or Exhibitions whatsoever arising or growing due to them in respect of the said several Places and Insignificants in the said Universities Colleges or Schooles or to charge any of the Houses or Lands which on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred sixty three did belong to the Sines of any College or Hall or to Christ Hospital or Burtholmores Bedwell St Thomas and Beethlem Hospital in the City of London and Borough of Southwarke or any of them or the said Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Reliefe of the poore Widowers and Children of Clergymen or the College of Brounly or shall extend to charge any other Hospital or Alms-house for or in respect only of any Rents or Revenues which on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred sixty three were payable to the said Hospitals or Alms-houses being to be received and disbursed for the immediate Use and Reliefe of the Poore in the said Hospitals and Alms-houses only

**XXX.**  
Lands, Air, Soil, by  
Lease from Dis-  
posers, &c. to be  
rated as their  
yearly Value.

Provided That noe Tenants that hold or enjoy any Lands or Houses by Lease or other Grant from the said Corporation or any of the said Hospitals or Alms-houses doe charge or enjoy any Freedom Exemption or Advantage by this Act but that all the Houses and Lands which they soe hold shall be rated and assessed for soe much as they are yearly worth over and above the Rents reserved and payable to the said Corporation or to the said Hospitals or Alms-houses to be received and disbursed for the immediate Support and Reliefe of the Poore in the said Hospitals and Alms-houses

**XXXI.**  
Tenants of said  
Hospitals, Colleges,  
&c. not exempt  
from Taxes.

Provided always That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed or taken to discharge any Tenant of any the Houses or Lands belonging to the said Colleges Halls Hospitals Alms-houses or Schooles or any of them whose by their Leases or other Contracts are and doe stand obliged to pay and discharge all Rates Taxes and Impediments whatsoever but that they and every of them shall be rated and pay all such Rates Taxes and Impediments Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**XXXII.**  
If Questions  
concerning  
Assessments of  
Hospitals, &c.  
Commissioners to  
determine same

And in case any Question hath been or shall be made how far any Lands or Tenements belonging to any Hospital or Alms-house not excepted by Name out of this Act ought to be assessed and charged with the Land Tax he is enacted and declared That the same shall be determined by the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them (Two of the said Commissioners whose signed or allowed such Assessments being of that Number) upon Appeal before them at the Day or Days by them appointed for the hearing and determining of Appeals whose Determination in each Case shall be final

**XXXIII.**  
Lands, Air,  
Soil, by  
Lease, &c.  
belonging to  
Hospitals, &c.  
assessed by

Provided alsoe and it is hereby enacted That all Lands Revenues or Rents belonging to any Hospital or Alms-house as were assessed in the Fourth Year of the Reigne of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary shall be and are hereby adjudged to be liable to be charged towards the Payment of the present

And that no other Lands Tenements Hereditaments Rents or Rents whatsoever belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse as aforesaid shall be charged taxed or assessed by virtue of this present Act Any thing herein contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

And it is hereby further enacted That all and every Auditors Receivers and their Deputy and Deputies who shall or receive any Fee-Farm-Rents or other Chiefe Rents due to Her Majesty at the Queen Dowager or to any Person or Persons claiming by any Grant or Purchase from or under the Crown shall allow Four Shillings for every Pound of the said Rents and proportionally for any greater or lesser Sum to the Party or Parties paying the same without any Fee for such Allowance upon the Penalty of Twenty Pounds to the Parties grieved to be recovered as aforesaid And if any Auditor of the Revenues or any of them belonging to Her Majesty or to Her Majesty Katherine [the] Queen Dowager or any Deputy or other Person acting for or on the Behalf of any such Auditor shall in the Account of any Rents Recover or otherwise so longer any Tenant or other Person or make any such Tenant or other Person or his or their Estate liable to any Excess Forfeiture or Vexation whatsoever for any Sum or Sums of Money which by the true Issue and Meeting of the Act ought to be allowed after the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound or shall refuse neglect or delay to allow and finally discharge the same to the proper Accountants wherein the same ought to be allowed or discharged that then and for every or any such Offence every such Auditor or Deputy or Person acting for such Auditor shall forfeit the Sum of Two hundred Pounds to the Party grieved to be recovered as aforesaid and shall be also incapable to enjoy his Office or Place or any other Office or Place of Trust or Profit under Her Majesty or the said Queen Dowager

And be it enacted That the Officers of the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer and in other the Publick Offices upon Request to them made by the respective Accountants shall deliver good true Lists or Accounts of all Pension Annuities Sums or other annual Payments and of all Fees Salaries and other Allowances payable at the said Receipt or in the said Publick Offices to any Chamberlains or Chamberlains Officers or Officers for the Execution of this Act for the better Guidance of the said Accountants in the charging of the same And that in all Cases where any Pension Annuities Sums or other Annual Payments or the Fees Salaries Wages or other Allowances or Profits charged by this Act shall be payable at the Receipt of Exchequer or by the Officer of Her Majesties Household or out of any other Publick Office or by any Her Majesties [Revenue] or Paymasters the Tax or Payment which in pursuance of this Act shall be charged for or in respect of such Pension Annuities Sums Fees Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits shall and may in case of Nonpayment thereof be detained and kept out of the same or out of any Money which shall be paid upon such Pension Annuities Sums Fees Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits or for Arrears thereof and be applied to the Satisfaction of the same and Debit not otherwise paid as aforesaid And the proper Officers in the said Exchequer and other Publick Offices aforesaid shall keep true Accounts of all Moneys paid and upon Request shall give Copies of such Accounts to the proper Collector of such Moneys for the respective Parishes or Places where the said Moneys are assessed by this Act

Provided That where any Person inhabiting within the City of London or any other City or Towns Corporate hath his Dwelling House in one of the Parishes or Wards therein and hath any Goods Wares or Merchandises in use or stock of the other Parishes or Wards within the same that then such Person shall be charged taxed and assessed for such his Goods or Merchandises in the Parish or Ward where he dwelleth and not elsewhere within the said City or Towns Corporate

Provided nevertheless That no Clause or Provision in this Act shall extend to the levying or Assessment of the full Sum appointed by this Act to be used levied collected and paid but that the same be fully assessed levied collected and paid in the several and respective Counties Cities and Towns aforesaid in such Manner and Form and to such Uses as herein is before certified and declared

Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to alter change determine or make void any Contracts Covenants or Agreements whatsoever between Landlord and Tenant or any other Persons touching the Payment of Taxes and Assessments Any thing herein before contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided always and be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That for avoiding all Obstacles and Delays in assessing and collecting the Sums by this Act to be rated and assessed upon any Manner Lands Tenements Rents Tythes or other Hereditaments all Places Constabularies Houses and Allowments which have been used to be rated and assessed shall pay and be assessed in such County Hundred Rape Wapentake Constabularie Division Place and Allowment as the same have heretofore been usually assessed in and not elsewhere

Provided nevertheless That the Hundred of West-Berford formerly rated and assessed in the Lath of Alford in the County of Kent may for the future if the Commissioners think fit be rated and assessed in the Lath of Kent in the County aforesaid as likewise may the Tithing of Northfleet in the County of Chanc be assessed in the Hundred of Bampton in the said County and the Tythings of Churbury Folke and Fluscock in the Hundred

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shall be charged by this Act, and so others

XXXIV.  
Persons for  
Allowance in  
regions of Rents  
due to Her Ma-  
jesty or the Queen  
Dowager, without  
Fee.  
Penalty also  
Auditors who  
suffer any Person  
except

Penalty also,  
if any Person  
of Office

XXXV.  
Officers of the Ex-  
chequer, who  
in Lists of Taxes, due  
to Accountants

Payment may be  
stopped out of  
Taxes, &c.

Officers in the  
Exchequer, who  
in Lists of Taxes, due  
to Accountants

XXXVI  
Inhabitants in  
London, who to be  
taxed in the Parishes  
where they dwell.

XXXVII  
No Clause in this  
Act to extend to  
lower the Rates

XXXVIII  
Persons for Con-  
tract between  
Landlords and  
Tenants.

XXXIX.  
Places not to be  
assessed to pay in  
heretofore

XL.  
Persons to be  
assessed in West-  
Berford, North-  
fleet, Churbury-  
Folke, Fluscock,  
London, and Forest  
of Chanc.

\* notwithstanding D.

\* inserted in the Bill.

of [Chadlington] in the said County in above the whole Tithes and Parishes of Lands in the County of York in the Hundred of Skirbeck in the said County and the Parson of Church shall be assessed and pay where the same was assessed for the First Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound granted to Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary

**XII.**  
In Actions for  
trespass, &c.  
General Issue may  
be pleaded.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Plaint Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what in or they shall do in pursuance or Execution of this Act such Person or Persons are and in any Court whatsoever shall and [may] plead the General Issue (Not Guilty) and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the Statute therein in Evidence And if the Plaintiff or Prosecutor shall become Non-suit or forbear further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendant shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in case where Costs by the Law are given to Defendant

**XIII.**  
Proceedings in case  
of Lands and  
Distress excepted,  
not to Distress  
again.

Provided always and be it further enacted That in case any Lands or Houses in any Parish Place or Cornhillwick shall be unoccupied and no Distress can be found on the same by Reason whereof the said Parish Place and Cornhillwick are forced to pay and make good the Tax assessed upon such Land lying unoccupied that then it shall and may be lawful at any Time after for the Collector Constables or Tythingmen of the said Parish Place or Cornhillwick for the Time being to enter and distrain upon the said Land or Houses whereon such shall be any Distress thereunto to be found and the Distress and Distresses if not redressed within Four Days by Payment of the Tax and Charge of the Distress to wit rendering the Overplus to the Owner or Owners of such Distress And the said Collector Constable or Tythingman is hereby enjoined to distribute the Money raised by the said Distress and Sale proportionably to the Parties whose contributions to the Tax of the unoccupied Lands and Houses

**XIV.**  
When Wood  
Lands are assessed,  
and so Distress,  
Wood may be cut,  
and sold.

Provided always and be it enacted That where any Wood Lands shall be assessed and no Distress can be had that in such Case it shall and may be lawful to and for any Collector Constable Headborough or Tythingman by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of Two or more of the Commissioners of that Hundred or Division at reasonable Times of the Year to cut and sell to any Person or Persons so much of the Wood growing in the Woodlands so assessed (Timber Trees excepted) as will pay the Assessment or Assessments not behind and unpaid and the Charge incident thereunto And that it shall and may be lawful for the Person or Persons so cut and their Assigns to whom such Wood shall be sold to fell cut down dispose and carry away the same to his own Use rendering the Overplus if any be to the Owner any Law to the contrary notwithstanding

**XV.**  
Where Rate on  
Tithes, &c. not  
paid Officers may  
seize, &c.

Provided always and be it further enacted That where any Tax or Assessment shall be charged or laid upon any Tythes Tithes Profits (\*) Markets Fairs or Fekery or other Annual Profits not distributable in case the same shall not be paid within Six Days after such Assessment are charged or laid and demanded that it shall and may be lawful so and for the Collector Constable or other Officer thereunto appointed by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of any Two or more of the Commissioners authorized by this Act to seize take and sell so much of the said Tythes Tithes and other Profits so charged as shall be sufficient for the paying of the said Tax or Assessment and all Charges occasioned by such Nonpayment thereof rendering the Overplus to the Owner (if any be)

**XVI.**

And for the better preventing such unjust Versities as might be occasioned by such Process as shall be appointed Receiver General of any the Sums of Money granted by this Act and to the intent that the said Receiver General may return a true Account into His Majesty's Court of Exchequer of any Sums of Money as shall be received by them and every of them their and every of their Deputy and Deputies be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any such Receiver General shall return or certify into the said Court any Sums or Sums of Money to be in Arrear and unpaid after the same have been received either by such Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies or any of them or shall [cause] any Person or Persons or Persons to be set prisoner in the said Court for any Sums or Sums of Money that hath been so received that then every such Receiver General shall be liable to pay to every Person or Persons that shall be so seized seized or charged by Reason of such unjust Certificate arrears or being prisoner twice the Damages that shall be thereby occasioned to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in which no Exigat Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed or any more than One Impedance and shall also forfeit to His Majesty Her Heirs and Successors double the Sums that shall be so unjustly certified or returned or caused to be set prisoner

**Receivers General**  
receiving Money  
to be due when  
the same has  
been paid

**Penalty to Party**

**Penalty to the  
Queen.**

**XVII.**  
Commissioners to  
seize such rates

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners that shall be within any County City or Place within the respective Counties or major Part of them shall tax and assess every other Commissioner joined with them for and in respect of their Ready Money Debts and Personal Estate as also for and in respect of the Office and Employers of Profit that shall then be held and enjoyed by such Commissioners not in the Residence and usual Dwelling Place of such Commissioners are to be taxed be within the Division of such Commissioners by whom he is taxed and not in the Office or Employment held or enjoyed by such Commissioners not to be taxed be Whome carried within the Division or Limits of such Commissioners by whom he is to be taxed And the Commissioners within their Divisions shall also assess every Assessor within their Division for all

**Commissioners to  
seize such rates.**

\* Chadlington O

\* inserted in the Roll.

and singular the Masters and Things for which by this Act he ought to be rated and assessed and as well all Streets named upon every the said Commissioners and Assessors as the Assessments made and set by the Assessors aforesaid shall be within streeted layed and gathered in the same should and ought to have been if such Commissioners had not been made Commissioners

Provided also That no Person inhabiting in any City Borough or Town Corporate shall be compelled to be any Assessor or Collector of or for any Part of the Rates and Assessments hereby granted in any Place or Places out of the Limits of the said City Borough or Town Corporate

Provided always and be it enacted That every Rate Tax or Assessment which [shall] be made or imposed by virtue of this Act in respect of any House or Tenement which an Ambassador Resident Agent or other Publick Master of any Foreign Prince or State now death or hereafter shall inhabit or occupy shall be paid by the Landlord or Owner of the said House or Tenement respectively

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all privileged and other Places being Extrajurisdiction or not within the Countie of Middlesex or within the respective Assessors to be appointed by virtue of this Act (although in any Manly or other Tax they have not been rated heretofore) the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall and are hereby required to nominate and appoint Two six Persons living in or near the said privileged or other Places as aforesaid to be Assessors for the said Places and to make and receive the said Assessments in like Manner as by this Act is appointed in any Parish Tything or Place and since to appoint Two or more Collectors who are hereby required to collect and pay the same in the Manner appointed by this Act for collecting and paying all Sums of Money chargeable by this Act

Provided also and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Commissioner Assessor or Collector who shall be employed in the Execution of this Act shall be liable for or by Reason of such Execution to any of the Penalties mentioned in an Act made in the first and twentieth Year of the Reigne of King Charles the Second For preventing Damages which may happen from Popish Recusants or in One other Act made in the First Year of the Reigne of King William and Queen Mary entitled An Act for the strengthening the Oathes of Allegiance and Supremacy and appointing other Oathes or in One other Act made in the Parliament holden in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Years of the Reigne of His late Majesty King William the Third entitled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crowne in the Protestant Line and for strengthening the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Adherers

Provided also and be it enacted That no Person shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or executing any of the Powers therein contained (unless it be the Power hereby given of administering Oathes) until such Time as he shall have taken the Oathes appointed by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reigne of King William and Queen Mary entitled An Act for the strengthening the Oathes of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oathes which Oathes it shall and may be lawful for any Two or more Commissioners to administer and are hereby required to administer the same to any other Commissioners

Provided always and be it enacted That if any Person hereby appointed a Commissioner shall prove to act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act before he shall have taken the Oathes which by this Act he is required to take and in the Manner hereby prescribed he shall forfeit to Her Majesty the Sum of Two hundred Pounds

Provided also That every Person rated or assessed for his Office or Employment shall be rated and pay for his said Office or Employment in the County City or Place where the same shall be executed although the Revenue or Profits arising by such Office or Employment are payable elsewhere

Provided also That the Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls the Masters in Chancery Six Clerks Clerks of the Petre Big Treasurers Registers Clerks of the Inquisitions Clerks of the Affidavits and Subpoena Officers and all other the Officers of the Court of Chancery who execute their Offices within the Liberty of the Rolls shall there be assessed for their respective Offices Salaries and other Profits and not elsewhere And that all Annuals Stipends and Pensions payable to any Officers in respect of their Offices shall be rated and assessed where such Officers are rated and assessed for their Offices and not elsewhere and that all other Periodic Stipends and Assessments not charged upon Lands shall be charged and assessed in the Parishes or Places where they are payable And every Person who is or shall be rated for or in respect of any Personal Estate to him any Wages belonging shall be rated at such Place where he or she shall be resident at the Time of the Execution of this Act And all Persons not being Householdiers nor having a curial Place of Residence shall be rated at the Place where they shall be resident at the Execution of this Act And if any Person whose right to be taxed by virtue of this Act for or in respect of his Personal Estate shall at the Time of this Assessment be out of the Realm such Person shall be rated therefore in such County City or Place where he was last abiding within the Realm

XLVII  
Inhabitants of  
Cities, but not  
compelled to sit  
out of London

XLVIII  
Liability to pay  
or collect rates  
Foreign Masters  
reside

XLIX  
Persons requiring  
Restoration of  
Assessors and  
Collectors from  
privileged and  
privileged Places

L  
Commissioners,  
Assessors and  
Collectors of the  
Parishes of the  
City of London  
1703, 1704 & 15  
W. III. c. 5

LII  
Commissioners to  
take the Oath of  
Allegiance and  
Supremacy  
which Two Com-  
missioners may  
administer

LIII  
Commissioners  
may before  
taking Oathes  
Forfeit of fine

LIV  
Persons at Office  
rated where Office  
executed

LIV  
Where Officers in  
Chancery within  
the Rolls to be  
assessed  
Assessors, for  
payable to Officers  
Assessors, for  
charged upon Lands

LVI  
Persons and House-  
holders

LVI  
Persons out of the  
Realm

LVI  
Where Owners of  
Goods in County  
other than where  
he resides

Goods sold  
where they lie

LVI  
Persons having  
several Messu-  
ages doubly  
charged in respect  
of Personal Estate,  
whereas in Coun-  
ties of Commerce  
persons are not  
doubly charged  
in such Cities  
and Towns

LVII  
Persons for Scot-  
land, Ireland,  
Jersey & Guernsey

Persons charged  
their Estates  
to escape being  
taxed to be charged  
Twice

LVIII  
Householders to  
give an Account of  
Lodgers

Penalty for

LIX  
Persons in the New  
Room, Thames,  
Marybone, or  
Hampstead Water-  
Works, for draw-  
ing more than Five  
Gallons or other  
Liquors  
Stocks and Quarters  
Printing House,  
to pay for the  
Prints

By whom Rates  
for the said Messu-  
ages paid

LX  
Persons of 16 Years  
of Age not being  
within the Parish,  
to pay Double, as  
by Statute 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>d</sup>  
c. 9 § 11.

LXI  
Persons where  
within Ten Days  
after the First

PROVIDED That where any Person shall have any Goods Wares or Merchandises in any County or County other than the County where he shall be resident or had his last Residence it shall be lawful to visit and assess such Person for such Goods Wares or Merchandises in the County or Counties where the same shall be And every Person who shall be rated or assessed for or in respect of Mannor Messuages Lands or Tenements or other the Premises according to this Act shall be rated and assessed in the Places where such Mannor Messuages Lands and Tenements or other the Premises respectively do lie and not elsewhere

PROVIDED also That if any Person or Persons by reason of his her or their having several Messuages Houses or Places of Residence or otherwise shall be doubly charged for any Personal Estate Office or otherwise by Officers of this Act then upon Certificate made by any Two or more of the Commissioners for the County Riding City or Place of his her or their last Personal Residence under their Hands and Seals of the Sines or Sines charged upon him her or them (which Certificate the said Commissioners are required to give without Delay Fee or Reward) and upon Oath made of such Certificate before any Justice of the Peace of the County or Place where the said Certificate shall be made (which Oath the said Justice of the Peace is hereby authorized and required to administer) then the Person or Persons so doubly charged shall for so much as shall be so certified be discharged in every other County City or Place

PROVIDED also That this Act shall not extend to the Inhabitants of Scotland Ireland Jersey or Guernsey for assessing any such Personal Estate which they or any to their Use have within the said Kingdoms and Islands And if any Person that ought to be taxed by virtue of this Act for or in respect of his Personal Estate shall by changing his Place of Residence or by any other Fraud or Collusion escape from the Taxation and not be taxed and the same be proved before the Commissioners or any Two of them as before One or more Justices or Justices of the Peace of the County where such Person dwelleth or resideth at any Time within One Year next after such Tax made every Person that shall so escape from the Taxation (') shall be charged (upon Proof thereof) at the Triple Value of so much as he should or ought to have been charged at by this Act the said Triple Value upon Certificate thereof made unto the Exchequer by the Commissioners Justices or Justices (before whom such Proof shall be made) to be levied of the Goods Lands and Tenements of such Person

And for the better Discovery of Personal Estates intended to be charged by this Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Householder shall upon Demand of the Assessors of the respective Parishes or Places give an Account of the Names and Qualities of such Persons as shall reside or lodge in their respective Houses under the Penalty of forfeiting to Her Majesty the Sum of Five Pounds to be levied and recovered in such Manner as any other Penalties in this Act mentioned shall and may be levied and recovered

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Shares or Interest in any such Stream or running Water brought to the North Parts of London commonly called the New River or in the Thames Water Works or in Mary bone or Hampstead Waters or any Rents or Profits arising thereby and all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Interest in any Office or Stock for Insuring of Houses in Cases of Fire or in the Convey or other Lights or in the Stock or Stocks for printing of Books or in or belonging to the House commonly called the Queens Printing House shall pay for the same the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the [full] yearly Value thereof towards the said Assessments And they and all Companies of Merchants in London and the Bank of England and all Banks and Partners (habitable in London) among and payable at the General Post Office and Exchequer Office charged by this Act shall be assessed by the Commissioners authorized and appointed for the said City or any Two or more of them for their respective Shares and Interests aforesaid (') upon such Stock or Stocks and for such Salaries and Pensions and the same shall be paid by the Governors and respective Treasurers or Receivers of the said New Water Works and Waterworks and of the said Office and Stocks respectively and be deducted at and out of the [said] Dividend And every Person having any Salary in respect of any Office or Employment sustained in the Ward of London where the Poor Office is situate shall be assessed and pay for the same in the said Ward or and Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound towards the said Sum by this Act granted

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Papist or reputed Papist being of the Age of Sixteen Years and upwards who shall not have taken the Oath mentioned and required to be taken by the Act made in the First Year of the Reigne of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for (') abrogating the Oath of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sum and Rate which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned and contained he or she should or ought to pay or be charged with to be assessed levied collected assessed and paid in such Manner by such Ways and Means and according to such Rules and Directions and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are before in this Act expressed or appointed for and concerning the above mentioned Rates and Sines

PROVIDED nevertheless That if any such Papist or reputed Papist within Ten Days after the first Meeting of the said Commissioners in the respective Counties or Places where he or she ought to be taxed or assessed



according to the Intent of this Power Act shall take the said Outber before Two or more of the said Commissioners (which Outber the said Two or more Commissioners are empowered to administer) in that Case he or she shall not be liable to be doubly assessed as aforesaid.

Meeting of the Commissioners he shall take the Outber.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person being of the Age of Fifteen Years and upwards and being within the Realm at the Time of the Execution of this Act who shall not believe that Time have taken the Outber mentioned and required to be taken by the said last mentioned Act and upon Summons by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners shall refuse to take the said Outber at the Time appointed in the said Warrant or shall neglect to appear at such Time before the Commissioners in order to take the said Outber (which the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered and required to administer) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty double the Sines and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in that Act before mentioned or corrected he or she should or ought to pay or be charged with in Manner as is before in this present Act appointed touching Papies or reputed Papies.

LXII.  
Every Person of 15 Years of Age, who shall not have taken the Outber before Execution of this Act, being summoned shall refuse to take them or neglect to appear before Commissioners, to pay double.

And be it further enacted That any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed by this Act upon Information given or upon any Cause of Suspicion in that Behalf shall and are hereby required and empowered to cause every Person suspected or against whom such Information shall be given to be summoned to appear to take the said Outber as aforesaid.

LXIII.  
Commissioners to examine Persons to report and take the Outber.

Proviso nevertheless That whereas certain Persons Dissent from the Church of England commonly called Quakers and now known to be such do scruple the taking of any Outber it shall be sufficient for any such Person to make and subscribe the Declaration of Fidelity contained in an Act made in the Parliament held in the First Year of the Reigne of Their said late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for exempting Their Majesties Protestant Subjects dissenting from the Church of England from the Penalties of certain Laws which Declaration any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed for executing this Act are hereby empowered and required to administer and every such Person so doing shall not [be] liable [to] or chargeable with any of the double Rates aforesaid.

LXIV.  
Persons for Quakers to subscribe the Declaration.  
1 W. & M. c. 18.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where any Assessor or Assessors whose by this Act are required to make a double Assessment upon Papies or reputed Papies or other Persons for not taking the Outber aforesaid shall neglect to do his or their Duty therein the respective Commissioners of the County Riding Hundred or Division or Place where such double Assessment ought to have been made or any Two or more of them shall take Care and are hereby authorized and required to cause such Papist to be doubly charged according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act.

LXV.  
Commissioners to cause the double Assessment to be made for not taking the Outber, if the Assessor omit the same.

Proviso always and be it enacted That where the Owners of any Lands Tenements and Hereditaments are liable to be doubly charged as Papies or reputed Papies by reason of their not having taken the Outber according to the Intent of this Act in every such Case such Owners early shall be charged with and shall pay the said double Rates and the respective Tenants of such Lands Tenements & Hereditaments are hereby discharged of and from the same any Covenant for Payment of Taxes or other Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding.

LXVI.  
Tenants discharged from the double Rating, notwithstanding any Covenant for Payment of Taxes.

Proviso always That the Prison of the Queens Bench Prison-House Lands Gardens and the Closter Side and all the Rents Profits and Perquisites of the Marshall of the said Queens Bench lying and being in the Parish of St George the Martyr in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey and also the Prison-House Lands and Gardens of the [Prison of the] Marshall of the Marshalsea Prison and all Officers Perquisites and Profits of the Marshalsea Court and Prison lying and being also in the said Parish of St George in the Borough of Southwark and County of Surrey shall be charged and assessed to the Assessment in the said Parish of St George and Borough of Southwark and not elsewhere any thing to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

LXVII.  
Prisoners belonging to the Queens Bench Prison, and the Marshalsea.

where and how assessed.

Proviso also That the Prison of the Fleet Prison-House Lands Gardens and the Closter Side and all the Rents Profits and Perquisites of the Office of the Warden of the Fleet lying and being in the Parish of St Bridegate alias Bridles London shall be charged and assessed to the Assessments in the said Parish of St Bridegate alias Bridles London and not elsewhere any thing to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

LXVIII.  
Prison for the Fleet Prison & where and how assessed.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers of Her Majesties Dock Yard now at Stoke Newington near Plymouth shall be assessed upon this Act for the Salaries and other Profits of their Place within the Town and Parish of Plymouth where the Salaries of the Old Dock Yard at Plymouth in the Years One thousand six hundred ninety three were assessed and not elsewhere nor as the full Propoſition which was assessed upon the said Town and Parish of Plymouth in the said Years One thousand six hundred ninety three be again assessed thence by virtue of this Act and so as the said Parish of Stoke Newington be not charged with a greater Proportion in respect of the said Salaries and Profits than they were in the said Years One thousand six hundred ninety three any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

LXIX.  
Officers of the Dock Yard at Stoke Newington, to be assessed as the full Propoſition as in 1693.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

**LXX.**  
Southwark, by  
whom rated and  
assessed

PROVIDED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Waterworks in the Borough of Southwark shall be rated and assessed towards the Rate by this Act granted by the Commissioners and Assessors of the County of Surrey and not by the Commissioners or Assessors of the City of London any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**LXXI.**  
The Rate to be  
assessed in  
Westminster.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That the Waterworks in the City or Liberty of Westminster shall be rated and assessed by the Commissioners and Assessors of the said City and Liberty of Westminster towards the said Rate by this Act granted and not by the Commissioners or Assessors of the City of London any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding and all Commissioners Collectors (\*) and Receivers are hereby required and enjoined to apply themselves with all Diligence to the most speedy and efficient Execution of their several and respective Duties and to use their utmost Endeavours that all Rates and other Things herein charged may fully and duly pay the Rates and Assessments according to the Direction of this Act and so as Her Majesties Service therein may not be delayed or hindered through any of their wilful Neglect or Default

**LXXII.**  
No Person liable  
to Pound Rate,  
when Lands are  
under two years.

PROVIDED That no poor Person shall be charged with or liable to the Pound Rate imposed by this Act upon Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of whom Lands Tenements or Hereditaments are not of the full yearly Value of Twenty Shillings in the whole

**LXXIII.**  
Collectors of  
Rates, to  
keep Moneys  
collected in their  
Hands ready, or  
to pay away  
any  
Fifty shs.  
Receiver General  
or his Deputy  
suddenly paying  
Moneys received  
under this Act.

AND be it further enacted That if any Collector of any Parish or Place shall keep in his Hands any Part of the Money by him collected for any longer Time than is by this Act directed (other than the Allowance made unto him by this Act) or shall pay any Part thereof to any Person or Persons other than to the Receiver General of such County or Place or his respective Deputy that every such Collector shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Forty Pounds and in case any Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the Money paid to him or them by any Collector by virtue of this Act to any Person or Persons whatsoever other than the Receiver of Her Majesties Exchequer and as or within the respective Times limited by this Act or to the said Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the said Money by any Warrant of the Lord Treasurer Commissioners of the Treasury or Under Treasurer for the Time being or upon any Tally of Pro or Tally of Anticipation or other Way or Device whatsoever whereby to divert or hinder the actual Payment thereof into the Receipt of the Exchequer as aforesaid that then such Receiver General shall for every such Offence of himself or his Deputy forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pounds to him or them that shall sue for the same in any Court of Record by Bill Plaint or Information wherein such Receipt Presentation or Wager of Law is to be allowed

Fifty shs.

**LXXIV.**  
Warrant not to  
direct any Warrant  
to Collect or  
Receiver General  
for Payment of  
Moneys otherwise  
than as herein  
mentioned, &c.

AND it is hereby further enacted That the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury or Under Treasurer for the Time being or any of them do not direct any Warrant to any of the Collectors or Receivers General or their Deputies for the Payment of any Part of the Moneys hereby given to any Person or Persons other than into the Receipt of Exchequer as aforesaid nor shall they nor any of them direct any Warrant to the Officers of the Exchequer for striking any Tally of Pro or Tally of Anticipation nor do any other Matter or Thing whereby to divert the actual Payment of the said Moneys into the Receipt of Exchequer: nor shall the Officers of the Exchequer strike or direct or record the striking of any Tally of Pro or Tally of Anticipation upon any of the said Moneys upon any Account or Warrant whatsoever nor shall any Teller show receipt any Bill whereby a charge himself with any of the said Money until he shall actually have received the same

**LXXV.**  
No Stay of  
Prosecution as  
Actions for  
Penalties, &c.

PROVIDED also and be it [further] enacted That no Stay of Prosecution upon any Command Warrant Motion or Order or Direction by Non vult clerics Process shall be had made admitted received or allowed by any Court whatsoever in any Suit or Proceeding by Action Debt Bill Plaint or Information or otherwise for the Recovery of all or any the said Penalties or Forfeitures upon any Person [or Persons] by this Act inflicted or those mentioned or for or in order to the Conviction or Disability of any Person offending against this Act

**LXXVI.**  
Commissioners to  
show, on Proof  
that Lands are  
overcharged above  
up in the Pound  
and the Money  
charged to be  
returned, on Oath  
shall only be  
repaid

PROVIDED always That if any Person or Persons who shall be charged or Assessed [by] this Act to or with a Pound Rate upon his or their Manors Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises shall upon Complaint made to the Commissioners in such Manors and within such Time as are herein directed in Cases of Appeal make it appear to the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Proof upon Oath that such Assessment doth exceed Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the full yearly Value in such Case upon every such Proof and due Examination thereof the said Commissioners are hereby empowered to abate and lessen the said Assessment: not much in the same shall exceed Four Shillings [for every] Twenty Shillings of the true yearly Value and not more and shall cause the Money so abated to be returned and charged and levied in such Manors as they or any Two or more of them in their Judgments and Discretions shall judge most equal just and reasonable within the whole Hundred Lath Wapentake or other Division where such Overcharge or Charge doth happen although the Pound Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound be thereby extended or if any [1] Part or Parts of the same or any Persons therein shall appear to them to be undercharged that the Money so abated shall not may be raised upon such particular Part or Person so undercharged nor that the whole Sum payable to Her Majesty for such Hundred Lath Wapentake or other Division shall be fully and duly answered and paid without being diminished by reason of any such particular Abatement any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

or more it is  
any Person  
undercharged.  
The whole Sum to  
be fully answered  
to His Majesty.

\* Head Collectors &  
\* included on the Roll.

\* G. m. m.

\* inserted on the Roll, inserted in King's Printer's Copy  
\*\* particular, G. & King's Printer's Copy.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Receiver General of each County shall nominate and appoint fit and proper Persons for whom he shall be answerable to be his Deputy or Deputies to receive from the said Sub Collectors all and every the Rates Duties and Assessments by them respectively collected or received And the said Receiver General are hereby required to nominate and appoint one or more [of such] Deputies in their respective Counties that none Subcollector may be forced to travel above the Space of Ten Miles from the usual Place of his Abode for the Payment of the said Monies that shall be by him collected or received And if any Receiver General shall neglect or refuse to nominate and appoint such Deputies in Manner aforesaid or shall wilfully neglect to attend by himself or Deputy at the Time and Place by him appointed for his respective Receipts such Receiver General shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds the [one<sup>st</sup>] Moiety to Her Majesty His Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to him or them that shall sue for the same by Action of Debt Bill Plein or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster in which Action or Suit no Escaign Protection Privilege or Wager of Law shall be allowed

LXXVII.  
Receiver General  
answerable for his  
Deputies.

and to appoint as  
many of them that  
the Subcollector  
be not forced to  
travel above Ten  
Miles to pay the  
Money he collects

Forfeity also

PROVIDED nevertheless That in case there shall not be a sufficient Number of Citizens in any City Borough Towne Cinque-Port or Place (for which by this Act Commissioners are particularly appointed) capable of acting according to the Qualification required by this Act for putting this Act in Execution that in every such Case any the Commissioners appointed for the County at large within which such City Borough Towne Cinque-Port or Place doth stand or which is next adjoining thereto may act as Citizens in the Execution of this Act within such City Borough Towne Cinque-Port or Place

LXXVIII.  
When any Com-  
missioners enough  
for County, for  
County, for  
County, for  
County, for  
County, for  
County, for

And whereas several Members of Parliament whose by Reason of their Attendance in Parliament have by the Assent of London Westminster and Middlesex and the Suburbs of the same been taxed for their Personal Estates and to the Payment of the Poll Money and have been put to unreasonable Vexation and Charge by the further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Members of Parliament whose in the Execution of this Act during this Session of Parliament shall shade within the said Cities of London and Westminster and the Suburbs of the same or within the County of Middlesex shall for or in respect of their Ready Money or Debts or any other Tax which may be laid on their Persons or Personal Estates during this Session of Parliament be assessed only in the Places where such Members have their Mansion Houses or other Place where they most usually reside during the Interval of Parliament any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

LXXIX.  
Members of Par-  
liament, to be  
taxed for Personal  
Estates, when their  
Mansion Houses,  
or other Places of  
Abode usually are  
not of Parliament

PROVIDED also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the West Riding of the County of Yorkshire shall be held at the Town of Pontefract And the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the North Riding of the County of Yorkshire shall be held at the Town of Thirsk And the First [General] Meeting of the Commissioners for the East Riding of the County of Yorkshire shall be held at the Town of Kibbom any thing in this Act before contained or any former Customs to the contrary notwithstanding

LXXX.  
When First General  
Meeting is to be  
of Commissioners  
for the several  
Ridings of the  
County of York

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be provided and kept in Her Majesty's Exchequer (that is to say) in the Office of the Auditor of Receipts One Book or Register in which all the Monies that shall be paid into the Exchequer for the Pound Rate and Duties hereby granted shall be entered and registered apart and distinct from all [other] Monies paid and payable to Her Majesty

LXXXI.  
Register to be kept  
in the Exchequer of  
Monies paid direct

PROVIDED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act or any thing [herein] contained shall not charge or be construed to charge Her Majesty the Queen Dowager or Her Treasurer or Treasurers with the above mentioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of the yearly Sum of Ten thousand nine hundred seventy two Pounds Nine shillings and Three Pence and One Penny fourth Part of a Penny and One thousand one hundred thirty six Pounds Sixteen Shillings and a Penny Half pence granted to Her Majesty by Two several Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England One bearing Date on or about the Twentieth Day of December One thousand six hundred seventy two and the other bearing Date on or about the Ninth Day of October One thousand six hundred seventy four or to charge His Royal Highness Prince George Marquess of Denmark or His Treasurers with the above mentioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of any Annuity or Annuities that are or shall be granted from the Crown or to in Trust for His said Royal Highness but that the said Annuities or Tenancy Summes and Her Majesty the said Queen Dowager and His Royal Highness and their respective Treasurers and Receivers General in respect of the same shall by virtue hereof be released and discharged of fines and against the said Duty of Four Shillings for every Twenty [Shillings] by the Year and all Payments whatsoever which might be charged by this Act for or in respect of the said yearly Summes as if this Act had never herein made any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

LXXXII.  
Persons by  
Annuities or  
Tenancy Summes,  
or Prince George  
of Denmark

PROVIDED also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That none Person shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or of any the Powers therein contained in or for any County at large within the said Kingdoms of England Dominions of Wales (the Counties of Anglesy Merioneth Cardigan Glamorgan Carmarthen Montgomery and Carnarvon excepted) or in or for any of the Ridings in the County of Yorkshire

LXXXIII.  
Qualification for  
Persons being a  
Commissioner for  
any County,  
(excepted)

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Roll.

<sup>2</sup> Article O.

<sup>3</sup> Shillings O.

Stat. at Large, Sec. 2.  
c. 1.

unless such Person by himself or his Tenants or Trustees was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding for the Value of One hundred Pounds p Annũ or more of his own Estate by virtue of the Act aforesaid and passed in the First Years of Her Majesties Raigne intitled An Act for granting to Her Majesty a Land Tax for carrying<sup>(ing)</sup> on the War against France and Spain or unless such Person not appointed to be a Commissioner shall at the Time of the Execution of this Act be by himself or Tenants or Trustees liable to be taxed by virtue of this Act for an Estate in Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of the said Value of One hundred Pounds p Annum or more within the said County or Riding and which was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding by virtue of the Act last mentioned

LXXIV.  
Commissioner and  
Auditor shall  
acting as a Com-  
missioner for any  
City, Town or  
Inhabitant  
Attorney,  
Receiver of Aids,  
Ans. Auditors.

PROVIDED nevertheless and it is also hereby enacted That no Person who is appointed to be a Commissioner for executing this Act shall be disabled from acting as a Commissioner within and for any City Borough Camp, Port or Corporate Towne so long wherof he shall be an Inhabitant at the Time of the Execution of this Act nor from acting as a Commissioner within any the limits of Court or less of Chancery And that no Attorney or Solicitor or Person practicing as such or any Receiver General or Collector of any Ayl granted to Her Majesty shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner at the Execution of this present Act any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

LXXV.  
Persons disabled  
acting as Com-  
missioners

AND it is hereby further enacted That if any Person intended by this Act to be disabled for any the Cases aforesaid shall nevertheless presume to act as [a] Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or any the Powers therein contained every such Person for each Offence shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons that will inform or sue for the same to be recovered in any Her Majesties Courts of Record by Ayl of Debt or of the Case Bill Debt or Information whereas now Foreign Protection Wages of Law or more that One Impurance shall be allowed

Forfeiture of

LXXVI.  
Persons of the  
Aidings Duty and  
New Water Works  
to be charged with  
the Assessment to be  
made by the Ayl and  
to be allowed  
in their Accounts  
by the Proprietors

AND be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the respective Persons who have received or collected or shall receive or collect the yearly Profits of the Aidings Duties and New Water Works respectively within the City and County of Essex for the Time being shall and are hereby charged and chargeable with the Payment of the Tax that shall be assessed on the said Profits respectively by this Act to be levied in such Manner as other Aids and Assessments in and by this Act are directed And the respective Persons are charged as aforesaid and paying the same shall be allowed the same on their respective Accounts by their respective Employers or Proprietors for the Time being any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

LXXVII.  
Persons for  
Superannuated  
Sea Officers and  
Widows,  
and for the Poor  
Knights of Windsor.

PROVIDED always That this Act shall not extend to charge the Pensions of any Superannuated Comission or Warrant Sea Officers or the Pensions of Widows of Sea Officers who in the Service of the Crowne or the Revenue of the Most Noble Order of the Garter or the Pensions of the Poore Knights of Windsor payable out of the Exchequer easily but the same shall not extend to lessen the Sum provided by this Act

LXXVIII.

AND whereas the Rents and Revenues belonging to the Rectories of the Cathedral Churches are chargeable to the Land Tax granted by this present Act and in some Cases the Overplus of the said Rents and Revenues above such Tax Repales and other Charges is to goe in Allowance for the Maintenance of the said Rectories which Rents are diminished by the said Land-Tax It is hereby provided and enacted That in such Cases the said Rectories shall not be further chargeable in supplying Offices of Profit out of the said Rents and Revenues any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Rectories of  
Cathedrals not  
chargeable in  
supplying Offices of  
Profit.

LXXIX.  
Persons for Pensions  
to Poor Clergy of  
the Isle of Man.

PROVIDED That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to charge a certain Pension of One hundred Pounds p Annũ granted by the late King Charles the Second to the Poor Clergy of the Isle of Man

XC.  
Persons may lend  
Money to Her  
Majesty not exceeding  
the Sum of  
Twenty thousand  
Pounds.

PROVIDED also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigner Bodily Politick or Corporate to advance and lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer upon the Credit of the said Rates Assessments and Sums of Money by this Act granted as aforesaid any Sums which shall not exceed at the Whole the Sum of One Million eight hundred and fifty thousand Pounds and to have and receive for the Forbearance thereof interest at the Rate of Five Pounds p Cent p Annũ And moreover that any Money so to be lent upon the Security of this Act shall be rated or assumed by virtue of this Act or any other Act of Parliament whatsoever

XCI.  
Tidies of Loans  
to be taken and  
Warrants for  
Interest

AND it is hereby further enacted That all and every Person or Persons who shall lend any Money upon the Credit of this Act and pay the same into the said Receipt of Exchequer shall immediately have a Tally of Loan struck for the same and an Order for his her or their Repayment bearing the same Date with his her or their Tallyes in or upon which Order shall be also contained a Warranty for Payment of Interest for the Forbearance thereof at the Rate aforesaid to be paid every Three Months until the Repayment of the Principal And that all such Orders for Repayment of Money to be lent shall be registered in course according to the Statute respectively without other Production of one before another and that all and every Person and Persons shall be paid in course according to their Orders shall want registered in the said Register Bookes not as the said Persons Native or Foreigner his Executors Administrators or Assignes who shall have his Order or Orders first entered

Orders for Repayment  
registered  
according to Statute  
of Tallyes and paid  
in Tallyes.

In the said respective Books of Register shall be taken and accounted the first Person to be paid out of the Money so come in by virtue of this Act and he or they whose shall have but as their Order or Orders near current shall be taken and accounted to be the second Person to be paid and so successively and in course.

And that the Money to come in by this Act or for the said Rates and Assessments as aforesaid shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the Money to be first as aforesaid to the respective Parties their Executors Administrators Successors or Assignes respectively without undue Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or assignable to any other Use Issue or Purpose whatsoever.

XXII.  
Money to come in  
by this Act shall  
be paid in course.

And that no Fee Reward or Gratuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesties Subject for providing or making of any such Bookes or Registers or any Entries Vouchers or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Paym<sup>t</sup>. of Treble Damages to the Party grieved by the Party offending with Treble Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place and Office.

XXIII.  
No Fee for  
providing Bookes,  
for or Payment of  
Money lent.  
Penalty.  
Forfeiture.

And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in point of Registry or Paym<sup>t</sup>. contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Person offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party grieved and shall be debarred of his Place or Office And if such Preference be indirectly made by any his Deputy or Clerke or Deputies or Privy of his Matter then such Deputy or Clerke shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be forever incapable of his Place or Office.

XXIV.  
Undue Preference  
by Officers.  
Penalty.  
By Deputy.  
Forfeiture.

And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct the Order or the Clerke of the Tolls record or the Toller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as aforesaid then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and Clerks hereto offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs to such Manner as aforesaid All which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be incurred by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesties Court of Records at Westminster whereas no Escheque Protection Privilege Wager of Law Inquest or Order of Rescous at Westminster whereas no Escheque Protection Privilege Wager of Law Inquest or Order of Rescous shall be [in] any wise granted or allowed.

XXV.  
Auditor, Clerk of  
the Tolls, or Toller  
not making Pay-  
ments in due Order.  
Penalty.  
How Penalties  
recovered.

Providens etiam et he is hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies of Loan or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be intepreted and undue Preference which of them be entered first and as he enters them all the same Day.

XXVI.  
Persons whose  
several Tallies  
bear Date the  
same Day.

Providens etiam That it shall not be intepreted any undue Preference to favour any Person in point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerke of the Tolls record and the Toller do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand their Money and bring their Order before other Persons that did not come to take their Money and bring their Order in their Course so as there be not much Money reserved or will suffice preceding Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them inquest upon Loans being to come from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Tally for them.

XXVII.  
Paying subsequent  
Orders, if first  
demanded, in what  
Case no undue  
Preference.

And he it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans to be regulated by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Books of Register as aforesaid his Executors Administrators or Assignes by proper Writs of Assignment to be endorsed and written upon his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and an Entry or Memoriall thereof since made in the Books of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall suffice such Assignee his Executors Administrators and Assignes to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereon And such Assignee may in like Manner assign againe and so sales quaten and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons whose here or hath made such Assignments to make void assigne and discharge the same or any the Money thereby due or any Part thereof.

XXVIII.  
Orders for Payment  
of Money lent may  
be assigned by  
Indorsement.

Assigned thereof  
without Fee.

Assignee may  
assign.

continued on the next.

## CHAPTER II.

*See Parl.  
Hist. 1703, p. 1, n. 2.*

*An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by continuing the Duties upon Malt, Malt Cyder and Perry for One Year.*

*Duties of Excise  
Act 1703, c. 2, 3.  
continued as herein  
mentioned.*

**M**OST gracious Sovereigns Wee Your Majesties most dutifull and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to provide such Supplies as may be sufficient for the raising of Money to carry on the present Warre and for other Your Majesties necessary and important Occasions have therefore freely and unanimously resolved to give and grant and doe by this Act give and grant unto Your Majesty the Rates Duties and Impositions hereto after mentioned and doe most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spirituall and Temporall and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the severall and respective Rates Duties and Impositions which in and by one Act of Parliament made and passed in the First Year of Her Majesties Reigne (intituled An Act for granting a Supply to Her Majesty by severall Duties imposed upon Malt Malt Cyder and Perry) were granted to Her Majesty in the Manner therein mentioned shall be continued in like Manner for and upon all Malt which shall be made and all Malt which (shall) be made or imported and all Cyder and Perry which shall be made for sale from and after the Twentry third Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four and before the Twentry fourth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five and shall be asked levied collected and paid unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors during the Termes abovesaid by the same Ways Means and Methods and by such Rules and Directions and with such Allowances and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Power of Misdemeanor and other Powers and in such Manner and Forme in all respects as are prescribed mentioned or expressed in the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reigne and that the same Act and every Article Rule Clause Matter and Thing therein contained or thereby referred to shall be of full Force and Effort to all Intents and Purposes for raising levying collecting assessing and accounting for admeasuring and making Allowances out of the said Rates Duties and Impositions hereby granted or continued and for levying the Penalties and for all other Matters and Things during the Continuance of this Act as fully as if the same were particularly and at large repeated in the Body of this present Act.

*It  
Malt of Malt  
winning or  
grainings may  
Malt.*

*Penalty.*

Provided always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority abovesaid That if any Maltster of Malt shall during the Continuance of the Duties hereby granted fraudulently hide conceal or convey away any of his Malt from the Sight or View of the Gauger or Gaugers appointed to take an Account of the same the Person or Persons offending therein shall forfeit and lose for every Bushell of Malt so hid concealed or conveyed away from the Sight and View of such Gauger or Gaugers the Summe of Ten Shillings to be recovered and distributed or adjudged as other Penalties and Forfeitures in the said recited Act mentioned.

## CHAPTER III.

*See Parl.  
Hist. 1703, p. 1, n. 2.*

*An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty for carrying on the Warre and other Her Majesties Occasions by selling Attention at severall Rates and for such respective Termes or Estates as are therein mentioned.*

*Recall of Stat.  
1703, c. 11, W. III.  
c. 11.*

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**M**OST gracious Sovereigns Whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of the Reigne of our late Sovereign Lord King William the Third of blessed Memory intituled An Act for appropriating Three thousand seven hundred Pounds weekly out of certaine Branches of Excise for Publick Uses and for making Provision for the Service of His Majesties Household and Family and other His necessary Occasions it was (amongst other Things) enacted That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four during the Termes of Five Years from thence next ensuing the full clear and entire weekly Summe of [Three] thousand seven hundred Pounds of lawfull English Money out of all the Monies arising by the Hereditary Rates and Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors which were granted to the Crowne in the Twelfth Year of the Reigne of King Charles the Second and by the Duties of Excise payable during the said late King Williams Life and by every or any of them if all those Duties of Excise should soe long continue and if the said Duties of Excise payable during the said late Majesties Life should happen to determine before the End of the said Termes of Five Years then out of the Monies arising yearly by the said Hereditary Rates of Excise for and during all the Residue which should be then to come and unexpended of the said Termes of Five Years should be brought and paid into the [Receipt of the] Exchequer by weekly Payments and in such Manner and Forme as in the said Act are particularly mentioned for the Payees in the said Act expressed. And it is thereby further enacted that in full and discharge of certaine perpetual annuall Payments and of all Arrears thereof granted by His late Majesty King Charles the Second to the respective Persons therein named the said Hereditary Revenue of Excise should from and after the Twentry sixth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five be and stand charged for ever with the Payment of annuall Sums after the Rate of Three

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<sup>1</sup> inserted on the Roll; omitted in King's Printer's Copy.

<sup>2</sup> inserted on the Roll.

Pounds p Cent p Ann<sup>d</sup> to be paid as by the said Act is directed and subject to such Power of Redemption as in the said Act is expressed And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of Your Majesty's Regency intitled An Act for the better Support of Her Majesty's Household and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown it is (amongst other Things) enacted that the Duties of Excise which had been granted to His said late Majesty King Charles the Second during His Life and afterwards to King William and Queen Mary during Their Lives and the Life of the Survivor of Them (except as therein is excepted) and a certain Duty upon Vintage shall be levied and paid to Your Majesty during Your Life (which God preserve) and the same together with the said Hereditary Duties of Excise are thereby subjected to the said weekly Payment of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds in the Manner therein mentioned during the said Term of Five Years and it was thereby further declared that from and after the Expiration of the said Term of Five Years so much Money as together with the said Payments after the Rate of Three Pounds p Cent<sup>d</sup> p Annum should make up the Sum of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds for every Week during Your Majesty's Life should and might be taken out of the said Hereditary Duties of Excise and out of the said Duties of Excise granted for Your Majesty's Life and either or any of them and the said Payments after the Rate of Three Pounds p Cent<sup>d</sup> p Ann<sup>d</sup> being deducted out of the Hereditary Part thereof the Residue of the said Three thousand seven hundred Pounds a Week should be applied and disposed of to and for the Publick Use and Service as by the said several Acts (Relatives being respectively had) may more fully appear Now We Your Majesty most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Citizens of England in Parliament assembled being advised by the most wise Men and Men of the most ability to raise the Money which is necessary for carrying on the present War and supplying Your Majesty's important Occasions doe cheerfully and unanimously grant unto Your Majesty a further Aid to arise by Contributions for Annuities to be purchased in the Manner and Forme herein after mentioned and doe humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of December in the Tenth of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five the said full clear and entire weekly Sum of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds out of all the Monies arising by the said Hereditary Duties of Excise and by the said Duties of Excise payable during Her Majesty's Life and by every or any of them according to the Tenor and Direction of the Act of Parliament above recited in that Behalf and from (\*) after Hay Ma<sup>ss</sup> Because then the like full clear and entire weekly Sum of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds of full English Money out of all the Monies to arise by the said Hereditary Duties of Excise and every or any of them from time to time for ever shall be brought and paid by the Commissioners Farmers Receiver and Receivers General for the Time being of the said several Duties of Excise (who are hereby required and supposed to bring and pay the same accordingly) into the Receipt of Exchequer directly and separately from all other Monies whatsoever that are or shall be payable by them into the said Receipt the said weekly Sum or Payment of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds to be brought and paid into the said Receipt upon Wednesday in every Week if it be not an Holiday and if it be then upon the next Day that is not an Holiday for the Purpose in this Act expressed and in case in any Week or Weeks the whole Receipt of the Monies of the said several Branches or Duties of Excise hereby charged as aforesaid shall not be sufficient to amount the weekly Payment or Payments hereby directed for such particular Week or Weeks then and not when the Deficiency and Deficiencies thereof shall be supplied and made good out of the whole Receipt of the said particular Branches of Excise and every or any of them arising in the next Week or Weeks when the Receipt or Receipts shall be sufficient to bear the same

Recd of Rec.  
in Act c 3

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From 4th Dec  
1705  
to pay weekly  
out of the said  
Duties to be paid  
into the Exchequer.

If the Week's  
Receipt not  
sufficient, the sum  
to be made good  
out of the next  
Week's Receipt.

II.

Commissioners of  
Excise to keep  
exact Books of  
particular Branches  
of Excise, and  
make weekly  
Payments into  
Exchequer

III.

Commissioners  
employed to pay,  
in supplying  
Mint, &c.  
Particulars of  
Office, Inspectors,  
and Finders

IV.

Comptroller of  
Excise to keep a  
detailed Account  
of Monies  
Arising therein  
without Fee

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners of Excise for the Time being in their Head Office in London shall from time to time separate and keep apart all the Monies arising by the said particular Branches of Excise herein before mentioned in the same shall from time to time arise or be paid into the said Office of Excise by the Receivers or Collectors of the same as by any other Process or Persons whatsoever and shall out of the Monies [see \*] bringing make the said weekly Payments into the Exchequer for the Uses in this Act mentioned

And it is further enacted That if the said Commissioners of Excise for the Time being shall refuse or neglect to pay or cause to be paid into the Exchequer the said weekly Sums hereby appointed or shall divert or misapply any Part of the Monies which should make good the same then they and every of them are offending and shall forfeit their several Offices and Places and be incapable to serve the Queen Her Heirs or Successors in any Office or Place of Trust or Profit and shall be liable for every such Offence in pay Double the Value of the Money so diverted or misapplied to any Person or Persons who will inform us for the same by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Sent or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster wherein the English Protection Wager of Law or more than One Imparison shall be granted or allowed

And it is enacted That the Comptroller of the Excise for the Time being shall keep a perfect and distinct Account in a Books or Books fairly written of the Monies which shall arise by the said particular Branches of Excise out of which the said weekly Payments are to be made as aforesaid as the same shall from time to time arise or be raised for which Books all Persons concerned shall at all reasonable Times have free Access without

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Performers of  
Oaths, Incapacity,  
and Penalty also.

V  
Annot. of the  
Receipt to enter  
the said Money  
spent.

VI.  
Annual Sum as  
duty per Cent. per  
Annum paid out of  
weekly Payments,  
amounting to Six  
pence III d. 111  
subject to the  
disposal of  
and also the  
Annot. to be  
paid by the  
Act after the said  
year.  
Receipt of weekly  
Payments to be  
applied for the  
public Use.

VII  
Annot. of the  
Act to be noted,  
for the Purpose  
herein mentioned.

Class of Rates  
of 12 p. 100  
the Act for pur-  
chasing Annuities  
for 99 Years, from  
1710 March 1 (1704  
at 15 Years Pur-  
chase to be paid  
into the Exchequer.

One Third Part as  
on May 1704.  
One other Third  
Part on 15th June  
1704 -  
and the other Third  
Part on 15th Sept.  
1704.  
Annuities as pur-  
chased payable  
quarterly.

Here inserted  
and paid

VIII.  
Class of Rates for  
discharge for  
carrying on the  
said War.

For or Charge) and such Comptroller in Default thereof shall forfeit his Office or Place and be rendered incapable as aforesaid and shall also forfeit and lose the Sum of Two hundred Pounds for every such Default to any Person or Persons who will inform or sue for the same as is before mentioned.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be provided and kept in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer One Book or more in which all the Moneys which ought to be paid in weekly as aforesaid for or upon account of the said weekly Sums out of the said particular Branches of Taxes and which shall be brought to the said Receipt shall be entered upon and distinct from all other Moneys paid into the said Receipt on any other account whatsoever.

AND it is hereby further enacted That out of the Money of the said Hereditary Duties of Excise arising as is by such weekly Payments at the Exchequer as aforesaid the said annual Sums after the Rate of Three Pence per Cent. p. Annum prescribed by the said Act made in the Parliament holden in the Twelfth Year of the Rejoice of His Majesty King William the Third shall be satisfied and paid according to the Direction therein contained and subject to the Power of Redemption therein mentioned and also out of all the Moneys of the said several Branches of Excise arising as is by the said weekly Payments the several Annuities to be purchased in pursuance of this Act shall be paid and satisfied from and after the said Five and twentieth Day of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five for and during the first Residue and Remainder of the several and respective Terms and Estates which by virtue of this Act shall be purchased of and in such Annuities respectively and that all the Rent and Residue of the Moneys arising by the said weekly Payments and which at the End of every Year reckoning the first Year to begin from the said Five and twentieth Day of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five shall remain after meeting or answering sundry to satisfy all the Payments which shall be then incurred or payable due as well for and upon the said annual Sums after the Rate of Three Pence p. Cent. p. Annum as also for and upon all the said Annuities to be purchased upon this Act shall be applied and disposed of to and for the public Use and Service and no otherwise.

AND for the satisfying any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding One million eight hundred eighty hundred and seven Pence Eighteen Shillings and Six Pence That it is in any Nine hundred thousand Pounds thereof for carrying on the present War and other Her Majesties Occasions and One hundred and eighty thousand eight hundred and seven Pence Eighteen Shillings and Six Pence Residue thereof for making good the Quarterly Payments herein after mentioned to incur and grow due as and before the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five in a hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigners to contribute advance and pay into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer for Her Majesties Use as or before the respective Dates and Times by this Act limited in that Behalf any Sum or Sums of Money for or towards the said Sum of One million eight hundred eighty hundred and seven Pence Eighteen Shillings and Six Pence for purchasing any Annuity or Annuities to be satisfied in [in] this Act is mentioned for and during the full Term of Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four in the Rate of Fifteen Years Purchase which Rate doth amount to the Sum of One hundred and fifty Pounds for every such Annuity of Two Pence p. Cent. and proportionally for any greater Annuity at the same Rate or Consideration Money is hereby appointed to be paid into the said Receipt at or before the respective Dates and Times herein after mentioned that is to say One third Part thereof on or before the Fifteenth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four One other Third Part thereof on or before the Fourth and twentieth Day of June in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four and the remaining Third Part thereof on or before the Ninth and twentieth Day of September in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four and the said Annuities are to be purchased and every of them shall be paid and payable from time to time at the Four most usual Fairs of the Year that is to say the Feast of the Nativity of S. John Baptist S. Michael the Arch Angel the Birth of our Lord Christ and the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary by even and equal Portions the first Payment thereof to be made at [before] the Feast of the Nativity of S. John Baptist in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four which said Annuities shall for the first Year and Three Quarters of a Year the said Terms of Ninety and Years be satisfied and paid out of the Moneys to be advanced in pursuance of this Act whereas sufficient shall be reserved for that Purpose and for all the Rent and Residue of the said Term of Ninety nine Years the said Annuities and every of them shall be paid and satisfied out of the Moneys arising by the weekly Payments of Excise Money before mentioned.

AND for the satisfying any further Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding Three hundred thousand Pounds for carrying on the said War and other Her Majesties Occasions and also for raising such Moneys as shall be necessary to discharge the Quarterly Payments which during One Year and Three Quarters of a Year to be reckoned from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four shall or may grow due upon the said Annuities to be purchased as is herein after mentioned it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigners



to contribute advance and pay into the said Receipt of His Majesties Exchequer for His Majesties Use at or before the respective Days and Times and by such Proportion as are before in this Act appointed for Payment of the Purchase Money for the Annuities first above mentioned any Summ and Sums of Money for purchasing any Annuity or Annuities for One Life at the Rate of Nine Years Purchase or for Two Lives at the Rate of Eleven Years Purchase or for Three Lives at the Rate of Twelve Years Purchase or for such a certain Term of Ninety nine Years as is directed at the Rate of Fifteen Years Purchase at the Election of such Purchaser respectively which said Rates due amount to the Summ of Ninety Pounds for an Annuity of Ten Pounds p An<sup>m</sup> for One Life and to the Summ of One hundred and ten Pounds for an Annuity of Ten Pounds p An<sup>m</sup> for Two Lives and to the Summ of One hundred and twenty Pounds for an Annuity of Ten Pounds p An<sup>m</sup> for Three Lives and to the Summ of One hundred and fifty Pounds for an Annuity of Ten Pounds p An<sup>m</sup> for the certain Term of Ninety nine Years before mentioned and proportionably for any greater Annuities not to be purchased for such Estates or Interest respectively

AND it is hereby enacted That all the said Annuities are to be purchased for Life Lives or Years at the Election of the Purchaser as aforesaid shall likewise commence from the said Five and twentieth Day of March in the Years of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four and shall be paid and payable at the said Receipt of Exchequer at the Four usual Feast before mentioned by even and equal Portions the First Payment thereof to be also made at or [before] the said Feast of the Ministry of Saint John Baptist in the Years of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Quarterly Payments which shall or may incur or grow due for or upon the Annuities last mentioned within the said Term of One Year and Three Quarters of a Year to be reckoned from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four until and for the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five shall be certified and paid out of the Moneys to be advanced for purchasing the same Annuities upon the Act whereof sufficient shall be reserved for the Purpose And all Quarterly Payments which shall arise and grow due for or upon the same Annuities last mentioned and any of them from and after the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five during the Continuance of the respective Terms and Estates are to be purchased therein shall be paid and certified out of the Moneys issuing by the weekly Payments of Exchequer Money before mentioned

PROVIDED always That when the Contributions upon this Act shall amount in the whole to One million two hundred thousand Pounds for carrying on the said War and Her Majesties Occasions and to no much more as shall or may be necessary to discharge all the said Annuities until the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five inclusively then no further Contributions shall be received at the said Exchequer for purchasing Annuities upon this Act

AND it is hereby further enacted That where any Contributor shall advance Money at the respective Rate aforesaid for an Estate for One Life as aforesaid every such Contributor his Executors Administrators or Assigns shall and may come to the Auditor of the Receipt and Clerk of the Pells for the Time being or to either of them the Life of the same Contributor or any other Life (at his or her Election) during which every such Contributor or such as he or she shall appoint his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns respectively shall be intitled to every such Annuity according to the true Meaning of this Act and that where any Contributor shall advance Money at the respective Rate aforesaid for an Estate for Two Lives every such Contributor his Executors Administrators or Assigns shall and may come to the said Auditor of the Receipt and Clerk of the Pells for the Time being or either of them Two Persons or Nominees (whereof himself or her self if he or she thinks fit may be one) during whose Lives and the Life of the Survivor of them every such Contributor or such as he or she shall appoint his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns respectively shall be intitled to every such Annuity according to the true Meaning of this Act and that where any Contributor shall advance Money at the respective Rate aforesaid for an Estate for Three Lives every such Contributor his Executors Administrators or Assigns shall and may come to the said Auditor of the Receipt and Clerk of the Pells for the Time being or either of them Three Persons or Nominees (whereof himself or herself if he or she thinks fit may be one) during the Lives of which Nominees and of the Survivor of them every such Contributor or such as he or she shall appoint his her or their Executors Administrators [or] Assigns respectively shall be intitled to every such Annuity according to the Tenor and true Meaning of this Act

PROVIDED always That all the said Lives shall be named by the several Contributors their Executors or Administrators or such as shall be employed by them to pay in the said Purchase Moneys on or before the said First Day of May in the Years of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four

AND it is hereby enacted That in the Office of the said Auditor of the Receipt and Clerk of the Pells there shall be provided and kept a Book or Books in which shall be fully entered the Names of all

Articles for One Life at Nine Years Purchase

Two Lives at Eleven Years Purchase  
Three Lives at Twelve Years Purchase  
For Ninety nine Years at Fifteen Years Purchase  
Rates of the said Annuities

IX.  
Annuities as purchased in this Act  
On the 25th March 1704  
and be paid Quarterly at the Exchequer

X  
Out of what Moneys the Quarterly Payments shall be paid  
On the 25th March 1704  
to the 25th Day 1705  
to be paid, &c.

XI.  
When Contributions amount to  
£1,200,000, &c.  
no more received

XII.  
Contributor advancing Money for One Life, may name the Life of the same Contributor, or any other, who shall be intitled to such Annuity

Contributor advancing for Two Lives, may name Two Nominees, &c.

and for Three Lives, Three Nominees, &c.

XIII.  
Lives to be named on or before the 1st May 1704

XIV.  
Contributors Names, &c. entered in Office of Auditor of Receipt and Clerk of the Pells

Books to be  
printed without  
Fee.

who shall be Contributors and of all Persons by whose Hands the said Contributors shall pay in any of the said Stores and also the several Stores not paid and the Taxes when the same are respectively paid and the several Monitions for whose Lives respectively the said Annuities for Life or Lives are to continue to which Books it shall be lawful for the respective Contributors their Executors Administrators and Assigns from time to time and at all reasonable Times to have access and to inspect the same without Fee or Reward and as well the said several Contributors for Life Lives or Years to the said Monitions for Life or Lives shall be described in the said Books by their Christian and Surname Additions and Places of Abode and other Descriptions which shall best ascertain the Persons

XV.  
Contributors  
paying their  
Purchase Money,  
shall have and enjoy  
the Annuities so  
purchased.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Contributor and Contributor upon this Act duly paying the Consideration or Purchase Money after the respective Rates aforesaid as or before the respective Rates and Taxes in this Act before limited in that Behalf for any Annuity or Annuities for such Term of Years or Years for Life or Lives as aforesaid according to the true Meaning of this Act or such as he she or they shall appoint his her or their respective Executors Administrators and Assigns shall have access and enjoy and be intitled by virtue of this Act to have access and enjoy the respective Annuity and Annuities so to be purchased out of the Monies arising and to come as aforesaid for and during all and every such Term of Years for Life or Lives respectively and that all the Annuities to be purchased on this Act for any Term Estate or Interest whatsoever shall be free from all Taxes Charges and Impediments whatsoever

free from Taxes.

XVI.  
And shall have  
Title for the  
same.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Contributor upon any Part of this Act for any of the Annuities aforesaid his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns upon Payment of the Consideration or Purchase Money for the same at the respective Rate in this Act before appointed or any Part or Proportion thereof within the Time or Times by this Act limited in that Behalf shall immediately have one or more Tally or Tallies levied importing the Receipt of so much Consideration Money as shall be so paid for or in Part of the said respective Sum to be raised as aforesaid and upon Payment of all the Purchase Money for any such Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid at the Rate by this Act appointed every such Contributor respectively his or her respective Executors Administrators or Assigns shall have an Order for Payment of such Annuity and Annuities for and during such respective Term Estate or Interest as he she or they shall or ought to have therein as aforesaid which Order shall be signed by the Treasurer and Under Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being and after the signing thereof the same shall be true good valid and effectual as Law according to the Purpose and true Meaning thereof and of this Act and shall not be determinable by or upon the Discretion or Reason of any Treasurer or Under Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioner or Commissioners of the Treasury or by or upon the Determination of the House of Officers or Officers of them or any of them nor shall any Lord High Treasurer of England Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioners of the Treasury now or for the Time being have Power to revoke countermand or make void such Order nor signed as aforesaid or any of them

Treasury not to  
have Power to  
revoke, &c. the  
same

XVII.  
Contributors  
paying so their  
Purchase Money  
before 1<sup>st</sup> May  
1704, shall enjoy  
perpetual interest  
for payment  
thereof.

Also for the Encouragement of the Contributors to advance and pay forthwith into the Receipt of the Exchequer the Sums by them intended to be advanced upon any of the Terms aforesaid it is provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Contributor whose shall advance and pay upon the said Receipt of Exchequer all or any Part of the Purchase Money payable for any such Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid before the said First Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns shall be allowed and paid out of the Consideration Money arising by this Act interest after the Rate of Five Pounds p Cent p Annum for the prompt Payment of the Money so advanced from the Time of the actual advancing and paying the same until the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and four

until 1<sup>st</sup> May 1704.

XVIII.  
Contributors, for  
any money or debts  
Assigned, and so  
taken up thereon.

Also be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Contributor his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns at any Time or Times during the Continuance of his or her Term Estate or Interest of and in any Annuity to be purchased upon this Act by any Writing under Hand and Seal or by his or her Will in Writing to assign or devise such Annuity and Annuities or any Part thereof or any Interest therein to any Person or Persons whatsoever and so such Assignee or to be receivable soe as an Entry or Memorandum of such Assignment or Will be made in Books to be kept for that Purpose in the said Office of the Auditor of the Receipt within the Space of Two Months after such Assignment or Death of the Devisee and that upon the producing such Assignment or Will or Proof thereof in the said Office of Receipt to be entered as aforesaid the Party soe producing the same shall bring therewith an Affidavit taken before some Person authorized to take Affidavits in Cases depending in any the Courts at Westminster of the due Execution of the said Assignee or Will which Affidavits shall be severally filed in the said Office which said Entry or Memorandum the said Officers in the said Receipt of the Exchequer are hereby required to make accordingly and to file the said Affidavits and in Default of such Assignment or Devise by Deed or Will the Interest of such Contributor (not being such as is so determined by his or her Death) shall goe to his or her Executors or Administrators

Entry of such  
Assignments, &c.  
to be made in the  
Auditor's Office as  
Affidavits.

Affidavits to be  
filed.

In default of  
Assignment or  
Devise, Interest of  
Contributors to go  
to the Executors,  
&c.

And it is hereby enacted That every Estate of and in any Annuity to be purchased upon this Act shall be deemed a Personal Estate and (if the same be not such Annually as to depend upon the Continuance of the Life) shall go to his Executors and Administrators and not be descendible to the Heir

XIX.  
Annuities deemed  
Personal Estates.

And he is further enacted That it shall and may be lawful for any Guardian or Trustee having the Disposal of the Money of any Infant under the Age of One and twenty Years for the Use or Benefit of such Infant to advance and pay the Sum of One hundred and fifty Pounds of the Money of such Infant to purchase any Annuity upon this Act for the Benefit of such Infant and the said Guardian and Trustee as to the said Sum of One hundred and fifty Pounds are advised is hereby discharged

XX.  
Guardians may  
advance all the Money  
of an Infant,

and be discharged  
for so much.

And to the Intent and Purpose that all Decrees in making any Payment upon any of the said Annuities to be purchased for Life or Lives as aforesaid may be prevented be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Counterfoil for any of the said Annuities for Life or Lives his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns upon his or her demanding [of] any Quarterly Payment upon such his or her Annuity (whenever the Nominee appears in Person at the said Receipt) shall produce a Certificate of the Life of his or her respective Nominee signed by the Minister and Churchwardens of the Parish where such Nominee shall be then living upon the Day when the said Quarterly Payment shall become due (if such Nominee shall be then residing in the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed) which Certificate the said Minister and Churchwardens are hereby required to make without Fee or Reward or otherwise it shall and may be lawful so and for every Counterfoil his or her Executors Administrators and Assigns at his her or their Election to make Oath of the Truth of his her or their respective Nominees Life upon the Day when the said Payment shall become due before any One or more Justices of the Peace of the respective County Riding City Town or Place wherein such Person at the Time of making the said Oath shall reside (which Oath he or they are hereby empowered to administer) And the said Justice or Justices shall make a Certificate thereof for which Oath and Certificate no Fee or Reward shall be received And the said Certificate shall be filed in the said Office of the Receipt of Exchequer and if any Person shall be guilty of a false Oath or forging any Certificate touching the Premises and be thereof lawfully convicted he or she shall incur the Punishment to be inflicted upon Persons who commit wilful and corrupt Perjury

XXI.  
In what Case  
Certificates to  
produce Certificates  
of Life of Nominee,  
&c.

signed by the  
Minister and  
Churchwardens.

without Fee or  
Reward Counter-  
foils to make  
Oath of Nominee's  
Life

Justices to make a  
Certificate thereof,  
that in Exchequer,  
false Oaths, for  
Perjury.

And he is further enacted That in case any Nominee for Life or Lives shall at the Time of such Demand of any Quarterly Payment be resident in Scotland or beyond the Seas and any One or more of the Barons of the Exchequer for the Time being shall certify that upon Pounds to him or them made (which Pounds he or they and they are hereby authorized and required to take in a ready Way) doth seem probable to him or them that the said Nominee is living (which Certificate is to be given and Executed) made without Fee or Reward) the said Certificate being filed as aforesaid shall be a sufficient Warrant for the making of such Quarterly Payment to the respective Counterfoil his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns

XXII.  
Certificate of  
Barons of  
Exchequer, that  
Nominee resident  
abroad, he is  
living, sufficient for  
making Payment

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall receive any One or more Quarterly Payments upon any of the said Annuities purchased for One or more Lives as aforesaid for any Time beyond the Death of his her or their Nominee when the same ought to cease such Person shall be obliged to repay the Sum soe by him or her received into the Receipt of of Exchequer And if the same were obtained either by forging any Certificate of the Life of such Nominee or by bringing any one to the said Receipt of Exchequer to perjure him or her Appearance every such Person soe fraudulently getting the said Money and every Person soe professed as aforesaid shall forfeit Twofold the Sum soe received to be recovered by Action of Debt in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster by any Person whose shall sue for the same in which Action no Essoign Privilege or Wager of Law or more than One Imparance shall be allowed And whosoever the said Persons soe fraudulently getting the said Money and the Persons professed as aforesaid and all other Persons in such Forgery or Fraud shall be further punished for the same according to the Laws of this Realm

XXIII.  
Persons receiving  
after Death of  
Nominee, to repay  
into Exchequer  
Obtaining same  
fraudulently,  
Penalty.

Procurators.

And he is further enacted for the better encouraging Persons to advance the said several Sums on this Act That all Receipts and Issues and all other Things directed by this Act to be performed in the Exchequer shall be done and performed by the Officers there without demanding or receiving directly or indirectly any Fee Gratitude or Reward for the same And in case any of the Officers of the Exchequer shall take or demand any such Fee or Reward or shall divert or misapply any of the said weekly Sums to be paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer or any Part of the Money which should make good the Payment of the said Annuities or shall pay or make out of the same otherwise than according to the Intent of this Act or shall not keep Books and Registers and make Entries and do and perform all other Things which by this Act they are required to perform every such Officer shall forfeit his Office and be for the future incapable of any Office or Place of Trust whatsoever and shall answer and pay Treble Damages with Costs of Suit to every Counterfoil or Person whose shall be provided thereby to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plein or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas to Essoign Privilege of Parliament or other Privilege Wager of Law Imparance or Order of Remota or more than One Imparance shall be granted or allowed And in the

XXIV.  
Receipts, by the  
Exchequer done  
there, without Fee,  
Officers taking Fee,  
or misapplying  
Money.

not making  
Entries,  
Procurators of Office,  
Imparance,  
Treble Damages

Full Costs.

If Collusion, &c.  
any other Con-  
tributors, he  
may bring another  
Action

and Action the Plaintiff upon Recovery shall have his full Costs One Third Part of which Shew are to be recovered for Damages shall be in the Use of His Majesty His Heirs and Successors and the other Two Third Parts with the Costs shall be in the Use of the Prosecutor And in case there shall be any Collusion or False Prosecution between the Plaintiff and Defend<sup>t</sup> in such Action it shall be lawful for any other Contributor his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns to bring an other Action whereby he shall recover as aforesaid in the Use aforesaid

XXV.  
Officer making  
Payment on his  
Certificate, his, or  
Penalty, unless  
he knew thereof.

Provided always and be it enacted That in case any Officer of the Exchequer shall make any Quarterly Payment or Payments upon such Certificate as is before directed such Officer shall not incur any Penalty Forfeiture or Disability for doing thereof although the said Certificate be forged or false or the said Nemour be dead unless the said Officer did know at the Time of such Payment that the said Nemour was dead or that the said Certificate was forged or false

XXVI.  
Contributors for  
Life or Lives to  
pay by Third Part  
Remains to  
Auditors of Receipts,  
and deliver up  
Tallies and Orders  
in Three Months  
after death  
Penalty

And be it further enacted That every Contributor for Life or Lives as aforesaid his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns within One Month after Notice of the Death of any his or their respective Nemours or Nemours shall send such Death to the Auditor of the Receipts of Exchequer for the Time being and within Three Months after Notice of the Determination of his his or their Annuity or Annuities by the Death or Deaths of his her or their Nemours or Nemours shall deliver or cause to be delivered up to the said Auditor his or their Tally and Order by which he or they were or was retained during the Life of such Nemours or Nemours to receive such Annuity or Annuities in one such Tally and Order be in his or their Hands or Power and in Default thereof such Contributor his or her Executors Administrators and Assigns shall forfeit the Same of Ten Pence to be recovered by Action of Debt [at] aforesaid and to be had and received in the Use of any Person whose shall see for the same

XXVII  
In such of  
weekly Payments  
and Contributions  
Money as herein  
mentioned, appro-  
priated for Payment  
of Annuities.

And it is hereby enacted and declared That not much of the Moneys arising by the said weekly Payments out of the said Branches of Exchequer shall be sufficient from time to time to discharge the said Annuities here and after the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five during the Continuance of the said Annuities respectively and so much of the said Contribution Money to be advanced on the Act as shall be sufficient to discharge all the Payments which shall or may grow due on the said [1] Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four until and for the said Twenty fifth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five inclusively shall be appropriated and applied and are hereby appropriated to and for the Payment of the said Annuities according to the true Meaning of this Act and shall not be divertible or diverted to any other Use herein or Purpose whatsoever under such Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities as are before mentioned

XXVIII  
No Purchase good  
within One Third  
Part paid wh<sup>y</sup>  
10 May 1704.

Provided always That no Person or Persons whatsoever shall or may purchase or obtain [1] any Annuity upon this Act for any Term Years or Interest whatsoever unless the Whole or One Third Part of the Contribution Money for the same at such respective Rate as aforesaid be advanced and paid into the said Receipt of Exchequer on or before the said First Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four

XXIX.  
Contributors  
advancing One  
Third Part, and  
not paying the  
Two other Parts of  
the Contribution  
Money within the  
Time limited.

Provided also That in case any such Contributor as aforesaid whose shall on or before the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and four have advanced One Third Part only of his or her Purchase Money his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns do not advance and pay into the Receipt of Exchequer One other Third Part of his or her Contribution Money nor so to be paid for such respective Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid on or before the said Twenty fourth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five and the remaining Third Part thereof on or before the said Twenty fourth Day of September in the same Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four then and in every such Case respectively nor Order shall be drawn or signed for such respective Annuity for which the Contribution Money shall not be fully paid as aforesaid but so much of the Contribution Money as shall have been actually paid into the Exchequer for such respective Annuity shall be forborne and lent to His Ma<sup>ty</sup> His Heirs and Successors and be applied together with other the Moneys to be raised by this Act for the Purposes aforesaid any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Money paid in  
relation to  
how applied

XXX.  
Treasury to make  
Allowances to  
Officers and Clerks  
employed, &c.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being out of the Moneys of the said weekly Payments to reward the Officers and Clerks in the Exchequer so employed in the Payment of the said Annuities or any of them for their Labour Pains and Service therein respectively in such Proportion as to the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall seem meet and reasonable as that Behold any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXXI.  
If at any  
Contribution shall  
not be made by

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if not many Contributions upon the Act for such Annuities as aforesaid shall not be made on or before the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and four as shall be sufficient (together with the several Parts or Proportions of the Purchase Money

[1] Q. 1023.

[2] continued on the Roll

[3] Annuities from the said [1] Q. 4 King's Printer Off

[4] as be aforesaid to purchase annuities [1] Q. 8 King's Printer Off

then remaining to be paid at or before each several Days or Times as aforesaid) to raise the said whole Sum of One million and two hundred thousand Pounds over and above the Money necessary to discharge such Annuities as shall be purchased until the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five lawfully as aforesaid then immediately from and after the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and four it shall and may be lawful to and for Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or Her or Their Officers in the Receipt of Exchequer by Command or Appointment of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors to borrow and take into the said Receipt of Exchequer of or from any Person or Persons Native or Foreigner Bodies Politick or Corporate (whose bare Verby Power and Authority to lend and advance the same) for the Service of carrying on the said Wars and other Her necessary Occasions any Sums or Sums of Money which together with the whole Amount of all the Considerations or Purchase Moneys paid or to be paid in ready Money or by Proposition as aforesaid for the said Annuitie shall not exceed in the Whole the said Sum of One million and two hundred thousand Pounds besides soe much as shall be necessary to discharge the purchased Annuitie until and for the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five as aforesaid which Loans shall be required and repaid in course according to the Duty of the Treasurers and Exchequer shall be allowed for the said Loans after the Rate of Six Pounds p Cent p An<sup>o</sup> and payable Quarterly and the Principal and Interest of the said Loans shall be charged upon and payable out of [all<sup>1</sup>] the Moneys which shall arise by the said weekly Payments over and above soe much as will be sufficient to satisfy the said Annual Payments after the Rate of Three Pounds p Cent p An<sup>o</sup> to the said Pensioners and those claiming under them and over and above soe much as shall be sufficient to satisfy soe many Annuities as shall have been actually purchased upon this Act

And that Talleys of Loans shall be levied for the Moneys soe lent and Orders shall be devised and signed for Repayment of the same with such Interest as aforesaid according to the Course of the Exchequer and that such Orders or any Part thereof shall be assignable such Assignments being first entered in the Office of the Auditor of the said Receipt and that soe Moneys soe to be lent shall be chargeable with any Taxes Rates or Impositions

And all the Moneys arising by the said weekly Payments out of the said Branches of Exche (over and above soe much as will be sufficient to satisfy the said Annual Payments after the Rate of Three Pounds p Cent p An<sup>o</sup> and soe many Annuities as shall have been actually purchased upon this Act as aforesaid) shall be applied and appropriated and the same are hereby appropriated to and for the Repayment of the said Loans in course with such Interest as aforesaid unto such Person or Persons Native or Foreigner Bodies Politick or Corporate who shall lend or advance the same as aforesaid his her or their Executors Administrators Successors or Assignes respectively without any Fee or Charge whatsoever and shall not be diverted or be divisible to any other Use or Purpose whatsoever under the like Penalties and Forfeitures as are by this Act provided for diverting or misapplying any of the Money that ought to be applied to the Payment of the said Annuities and in case all the Moneys soe to be borrowed with the Interest thereof shall not be repaid by or before the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred & six then the Remainder thereof [shall<sup>2</sup>] be united out of the next Aids to be granted by Parliament after the same Five & twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred & six

By My 1704 to  
will raise  
£1,200,000 over  
and above the  
necessary Money  
for discharging  
the Annuities,  
and 450,000  
1704.  
The Queen, by  
my Letters to  
such as with the  
said Consideration  
Money will make  
up the whole  
£1,650,000, &c.,

re-Money required  
and paid to interest,  
Interest at 6% per  
Cent. payable  
Quarterly

XXXX.  
Tallies and Orders  
for Repayment, &c.  
Orders assignable  
Mortgage fees  
&c. &c.

XXXX.  
Weekly Payments,  
&c. over and above  
annual Payments at  
6% per Cent. per  
Annum, appro-  
priated for Repay-  
ment of Loans,  
with Interest,  
without Fee

Mortgage borrowed  
and not repaid by  
1704 Dec. 25th,  
united out of  
next Aids.

As Paid  
£ 5 5 1000, p. 1.  
&c. &c.

Reason for passing  
this Act.

Mortgage of all  
Deeds and Convey-  
ances executed  
after 1704 Sept  
1704, and of Wills  
of Persons dying  
after that Date,  
effecting Loans  
&c. in the West  
Riding of York-  
shire to be

## CHAPTER IV.

As Act for the publick registering of all Deeds Conveyances and Wills that shall be made of any Houses Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within the West Riding of the County of York after the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and four.

WHEREAS the West Riding of the County of York is the principal Place in the North for the Cloth Manufacture and most of the Tradesmen therein are Protholders and have frequent Occasions to borrow Money upon their Estates for managing their said Trade but for want of a Register find it difficult to give Security to the Satisfaction of the Money-Lenders (although the Security they offer be really good) by Means whereof the said Trade is very much obstructed and many Families ruined For the remedying whereof may it please Your most Excellent Majesty at the humble Request of the Justice of the Peace Gentlemen and Freeholders of the said West Riding that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That a Memorial of all Deeds and Conveyances which from and after the Nine and twentieth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four shall be made and executed and of all Wills and Testaments in Writing made [?] and published where the Testator or [?] shall dye after the said Nine and twentieth Day of September of or concerning and whereby any Houses Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments in the said West Riding may be any way affected in Law or Equity may at the Election of the [?] Person concerned be registered in such Manner as is herein after directed and that every Deed or Conveyance that shall at any Time after any Memorial is so registered be made and

<sup>1</sup> Interposed by the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> Twentieth 0

<sup>1</sup> "or to be made," G. & King's Printer Copy

<sup>2</sup> "Paying in;" G. & King's Printer Copy.

registered, and all  
Deeds, &c. made  
after such Registry  
will, as herein  
mentioned.

exceed of the Honors Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or any Part thereof comprised or contained in any such Memorial shall be adjudged fraudulent and void against any subsequent Purchaser or Mortgagee for valuable Consideration unless such Memorial thereof shall be registered as by this Act is directed before the registering of the Memorial of the Deed or Conveyance under which such subsequent Purchaser or Mortgagee shall claim and that every Deed or Will of the Honors Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments to any Part thereof mentioned or contained in any Memorial so registered as aforesaid that shall be made and published after the registering of such Memorial shall be adjudged fraudulent and void against any subsequent Purchaser or Mortgagee for valuable Consideration unless a Memorial of such Will be registered in such Manner as is herein also directed.

II.  
Public Registry  
Office established  
at Wakefield

Acted for setting and [establishing] a certain Method with proper Rules and Directions for registering such Memorials as aforesaid be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That One Publick Office for registering such Memorials of and concerning any Honors Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments that are situate lying and being within the said West Riding shall be established and kept in Wakefield the nearest Market Town to the Centre or Middle of the said West Riding to be managed and conducted by a fit and able Person to be from time to time elected and appointed in Manner herein after directed or his sufficient Deputy and to continue in the said Office for so long Time as he shall well demean himself therein.

III.  
How Election of  
Register to be held.

Acted be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Elections of a Register to be made or appointed by virtue of this Act shall be performed by balloting in Manner following (that is to say) All the Freeholders that at the Time of any such Election have an Estate of Freehold of or in any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within the said West Riding of the yearly Value of One hundred Pounds (to be determined by the Oath of the Elector before the Scrutators herein after mentioned if any Doubt arise touching the same which Oath they are hereby empowered to administer) shall be Electors of the said Register and that the Jurors of the Peace for the said West Riding in that Behalf assembled or the major Part of them or any Five of such Jurors to be appointed by such major Part shall be Scrutators of the Ballot who shall meet on the Day and Place of Election and there in the Presence of the Electors shall place One or more Glass Vessels to be provided for that Purpose into which each Elector present shall put One open Paper containing the Name of such Person as he approves of to be Register which Papers shall be taken out again in the Presence of the said Scrutators by a Person by them in that Behalf appointed and the Name or Names of every Person therein shall be once transcribed in distinct Columns and under each Name shall be set down the Number of their Electors which shall be deliberately cut up by the said Scrutators and the same shall be read over in the Hearing and set up in the View of the Electors then present and the Person upon whom the Majority shall fall shall be declared Register.

IV.  
When Election of  
First Register to be  
held.

Acted be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Election of a Person to be the first Register shall be made at the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the said West Riding after the Feast of Easter in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four in open Court on the Second Day of the said Sessions between the Hours of Nine in the Morning and Three in the Afternoon.

V.  
How and by whom  
Vacancy in the  
Place of such  
Register supplied.

Acted be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That when and so often as in the said Office shall become vacant by the Death Forfeiture or Surrender of any such Register the Jurors of the Peace for the said West Riding assembled at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace next after such Vacancy shall happen or the major Part of them shall in open Court declare the said Vacancy and by Order of the same Sessions shall appoint and prefer a certain Day and Time within the Space of One Calendar Month and above Three Weeks ensuing the End of such General Quarter Sessions for the Electors to assemble at Wakefield aforesaid to choose a fit and able Person in the Manner aforesaid to supply the said Vacancy and so the latest that all Persons qualified to be Electors may have due Notice of such Vacancy and Time of Election of a succeeding Register the Clerk of [of] the Peace for the Time being for the said West Riding shall forthwith cause Copies of such Order for the polling at Time of such Election to be delivered to the respective Chief Constables of the several Wapentakes within the said West Riding who shall and are hereby required to publish the same in full Market in every Market Town within their several Wapentakes on the next Market Day after the Receipt thereof and to affix the same in the most publick Place of Record there.

VI.  
All Vacancies  
regarded, the  
Executors and  
Administrators  
appointed.

Acted be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon the Death of any such Register and until another Election of a Person to execute that Office shall be made in Manner aforesaid the Executors and Administrators of the Register (if) together with the Scrutators for the said Register or their Executors and Administrators shall appoint a proper Person to execute the Office of Register for whose Deceased in the Execution of the said Office the Security given for such Register deceased shall be answerable.

VII.  
Regulations for  
setting Memorials  
in case of Deeds.

Acted be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Memorials so to be made or registered shall be put into Writing in Velum or Parchment and directed to the Register of the said Office and in case of Deeds and Conveyances shall be under the Hand and Seal of some or one of the Grantors or some or one of the Grantees his or their Guardians or Trustees attested by Two Witnesses One aforesaid to be One of the Witnesses to the Execution of such Deed or Conveyance which Witnesses shall sign

\* establishing G.

\* G. omitt.

\* "deceased" G. & King's Printer Opp.

His Oath before the said Register or his Deputy prove the signing and sealing of the said Memorial and the Execution of the Deed or Conveyance mentioned in such Memorial and in case of Wills the Memorials shall be under the Hand and Seal of some or One of the Devisors his or their Grandsons or Trustees named by Two Witnesses one whereof shall upon his Oath before the said Register or his Deputy prove the signing and sealing of such Memorial which respective Oaths the said Register or his Deputy is hereby empowered to administer

In case of Wills.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Memorial of any Deed Conveyance or Will shall containe the Day of the Month and the Year when such Deed Conveyance or Will bears Date and the Names and Additions of all the Parties to such Deed or Conveyance and of the Devisor or Testatrix of such Will and of all the Witnesses to such Deed Conveyance or Will and the Places of their Abode and shall expresse [or mention] the Houses Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments contained in such Deed Conveyance or Will and the Names of all the Parties Townshipss Eleventh Precincts or Extrajurisdiction Places within the said West Riding where any such Houses Manors Lands Tenements [and] Hereditaments are lying or being that are given granted conveyed devised or any way assigned or charged by any such Deed Conveyance or Will in such Manner as the same are expressed or mentioned in such Deed Conveyance or Will or to the same Effect and that every such Deed Conveyance and Will or Probate of the same of which such Memorial is so to be registered as aforesaid shall be produced to the said Register or his Deputy at the Time of entering such Memorial who shall endorse a Certificate on every such Deed Conveyance and Will or Probate thereof and therein mention the certain Day Month and Time on which such Memorial is so entered and registered expressely shew in what Book Page and Number the same is entered And that the said Register or his Deputy shall signe the said Certificate when so entered which Certificate shall be taken and allowed as Evidence of such respective Registries in all Courts of Record whatsoever And that every Page of such Register Books and every Memorial that shall be entered therein shall be numbered and the Day of the Month and the Year and Hour or Time of the Day when every Memorial is registered shall be entered in the Margens of the said Register Books and of the said Memorial And that every such Register shall keep an Alphabetical Calendar of all Partishes Extrajurisdiction Places and Townshipss within the said West Riding with Reference to the Number of every Memorial that concerne the Houses Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments in every such Partish Extrajurisdiction Place or Townshipss respectively and of the Names of the Parties mentioned in such Memorial And that such Register shall duly file every such Memorial in order of Time as the same shall be brought to the said Office and enter or register the said Memorials in the same Order that they shall respectively come to his Hand

VIII.  
What such Memorials are to containe.

Deed or Will to be produced to Register.

Certificats of Registry.

Time of Registry to be entered, in 3 Columns kept.

Register to file Memorials in order of Time.

And be it further enacted That every such Register before he enter upon the Execution of the said Office shall be sworn before the Justice of the Peace for the said Riding or any Three or more of them that shall be present at his Election (who are hereby empowered and required to administer such Oaths) in these Words

IX.  
Register to be sworn.

YOU shall truly and faithfully performe and execute the Office and Duty that is directed and required by Act of Parliament in registering Memorials of Deeds Conveyances and Wills within the West Riding of the County of York as long as you shall continue in the said Office and that you have not given nor promised directly nor indirectly nor authorized any Person to give or promise any Money Gratuity or Reward whatsoever for procuring or obtaining the said Office for you

Form of Oath.

So help you GOD

And that when and as often as the said Register shall appoint any Deputy to execute the said Office such Deputy shall before he enter upon the Execution thereof take the said Oath appointed to be taken by the Register before Two or more Justices of the Peace for the said Riding who are hereby empowered and required to administer such Oath

X.  
Deputy Register to take the same Oath.

And that every Register at the Time of his being sworn into the said Office shall also enter into a Recognizance with Two or more sufficient Sureties to be approved of by Three or more of the Justices of the Peace of the said Riding that were present at his said Election by Writing under their Hands and Seals to be registered at the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said Riding of the Penalty of Two thousand Pounds unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors to be taken by the same Justices of the Peace that approved of his Security conditioned for his true and faithful Performance of his Duty in the Execution of his said Office the same to be transmitted by the same Justices of the Peace within One Month next after the Date thereof into the Office of Her Majestys Remembrancer of the Exchequer there to remaine amongst the Records of the said Court

XI.  
Register to enter his Recognizance of office.

to be transmitted to the Exchequer.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That when any Register shall die or surrender his Office and that within the Space of Three Years from and after such Death or Surrender no Maleheir apparent to have been continued by such Register in the Execution of his said Office then and in such Case at the End of the said Three Years after his Death or Surrender the said Recognizance so entered into by him shall become void and of no Effect in all Intents and Purposes whatsoever

XII.  
If no Maleheir apparent at the End of Three Years from Death or Surrender of Register, Recognizance discharge'd.

\* inserted on the Roll.

\* ad G.

XIII.  
Days and Hours  
of Attendance by  
Register and  
Deputy.  
To make Search,  
and give Certificates  
when required.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Register or his sufficient Deputy shall give due Attendance at his Office every Day in the Week (except Sundays and Holydays) between the Hours of Nine and Twelve in the Forenoon and (") Two and Five in the Afternoon for the Dispatch of all Business belonging to the said Office and that every such Register or his Deputy as often as required shall make Searches concerning all Memorials that are registered as aforesaid and give Certificates concerning the same under his Hand if required by any Person

XIV.  
Fees allowed to  
Register.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Register shall be allowed for the Fee of every such Memorial as is by this Act directed the Sum of One Shilling and no more in case the same do not exceed Two hundred Words but if such Memorial shall exceed Two hundred Words then after the Rate and Proportion of Six Pence an Hundred for all the Words contained in such Memorial over and above the First two hundred Words and the like Fee for the like Number of Words contained in every Certificate [or"] or Copy given out of the said Office and no more and for every Search at the said Office One Shilling and no more

XV.  
Register Deputy  
neglecting Duty.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any such Register or his Deputy shall neglect to perform his or their Duty in the Execution of the said Office according to the Rules and Directions in this Act mentioned or contain or suffer to be continued any undue or fraudulent Practice in the Execution of the said Office and be thereof lawfully convicted that then such Register shall forfeit his said Office and pay Treble Damages with full Costs of Suit to every such Person or Persons so shall be injured thereby to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information as may of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster whereby no Twigg Protection Privilege or Wager of Law shall be allowed here any more than One Impignation

XVI.  
Person nominated  
during Vacancy to  
take the said Oath.

Also be it further enacted That the Person (") nominated as aforesaid upon the Death of any Register to execute the said Office during the Time the same shall be vacant as aforesaid shall before he come upon the Execution thereof take the Oath herein before appointed to be taken by such Register and his Deputy before Two or more Justices of the Peace for the said Riding (who are hereby impowered to administer the same Oath) and that such Person so nominated shall be lawfully convicted of any Neglect Misdemeanor or fraudulent Practice in the Execution of the said Office during such Vacancy he shall be liable to pay Treble Damages with full Costs of Suit to every Person that shall be injured thereby to be recovered as aforesaid

XVII.  
Fees for  
Cognate and  
Cognate Landhold  
Estate.

Provided also and be it further enacted That this Act shall not extend to any Cognate Estate or to any Lease at a Rack Rent or to any Lease not exceeding One and twenty Years where the actual Possession and Occupation goeth along with the Lease Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

XVIII.  
When there are  
more Writings than  
One affecting the  
same Lands for  
One Motion in  
such Courts as in  
the Memorial  
subjoin

Provided also and be it further enacted That where there are more Writings than One for making and perfecting any Conveyance or Security which do name mention or any ways affect or concern the same Honors Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments it shall be a sufficient Memorial and Register thereof if all the said Honors Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and the Parties Touching the same or the Deeds or Writings made for the perfecting of such Conveyance or Security and that the Dates of the rest of the said Deeds or Writings relating to the said Conveyance or Security with the Names and Additions of the Parties said Witnesses and the Places of their Abodes be only set down in the Memorial Register and Certificate of the same with a Reference to the Deed or Writings whereof the Memorial is so registered that contain or appertain the Particles mentioned in all the said Deeds and Directions how to find the regarding the same

XIX.  
Person inspecting  
Memorials of  
Deeds and Writings  
made and entered  
or published in  
London, or in any  
other Place not  
within Forty Miles  
of the said Great  
Bridges, but  
affecting Lands,  
or situate therein.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That a Memorial of such Deeds Conveyances and Writings shall be made and entered or published in London or in any other Place not within Forty Miles of the said Great Bridges which do or may concern or affect any Honors Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments in the said Great Riding shall be entered or registered by the aforesaid Register or his Deputy in case an Affidavit is sworn before any One of the Judges in Westminster or a Master in Chancery be brought with the said Memorial to the said Register or his Deputy wherein One of the Witnesses in the Execution of such Deeds and Conveyances shall swear he or she saw the same entered and the Memorial signed and sealed as aforesaid or wherein One of the Witnesses to the Memorial of any Will shall swear he or she saw such Memorial signed and sealed as aforesaid and the same shall be a sufficient Authority to the said Register or his Deputy to give the Party that brings such Memorial and Affidavit a Certificate of the registering such Memorial which Certificate signed by the said Register or his Deputy shall be taken and allowed as Evidence of the Register of the same Memorials in all Courts of Record whatsoever Any thing in this Act to the contrary thereof contained in any wise notwithstanding

Certificate of  
Register.

XX.  
Fees for  
Memorials  
or Certificates

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall at any Time forge or counterfeit any such Memorial or Certificate as are herein before mentioned and directed and be thereof lawfully convicted such Person or Persons shall incur and be liable to such Fines and Penalties as in and by an Act of Parliament made in the Fifth Year of the Reigne of Queen Elizabeth intitled An Act against Forgery of Bills

Stat. 5 Eliz. c. 74.



Deeds and Writings are imposed upon Persons for forging or publishing of false Deeds Charters or Writings sealed Court Rolls or Wills whereby the Freehold or Inheritance of any Person or Persons of in or to any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments shall or may be unduly troubled or charged. And that if any Person or Persons shall at any Time foreclose himself before the said Register or his Deputy or before any Judge or Master in Chancery in any of the Cases aforesaid and be thereof lawfully convicted such Person or Persons shall incur and be liable to the same Penalties as if the same Oath had been made in any of the Courts of Record at Westminster.

Forfeiture before  
Register.

Forfeiture.

PROVIDED also and it is hereby enacted That all Memorials of Wills that shall be registered in Manner as aforesaid within the Space of Six Months after the Death of every respective Devisor or Testator dying within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed or within the Space of Three Years after the Death of every respective Devisor or Testator dying upon or in any Parts beyond the Seas shall be in full and effectually against subsequent Purchasers as if the same had been registered immediately after the Death of such respective Devisor or Testator any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

XXII.  
Memorials of Wills  
registered within  
Six Months after  
Death of Testator  
in England, and  
within Three Years  
after Death of  
Testator abroad,  
valid.

(3) PROVIDED also That in case the Devisor or Person or Persons interested in the Houses Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments devised by any such Will as aforesaid by reason of the contending such Will or other Inconvenience without his her or their wilful Neglect or Default shall be disabled to exhibit a Memorial for the Registry thereof [with<sup>1</sup>] the respective Times herein before limited then and in such Case the Registry of the Memorial within the Space of Six Months next after his her or their Attainment of such Will or a Probate thereof or Removal of the Impediment whereby he she or they are disabled or hindered to exhibit such Memorial shall be a sufficient Registry within the Meaning of this Act any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

XXIII.  
Persons for Devisors  
disabled from  
registering if he  
Registers within  
Six Months after  
Disability removed.

(4) Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Member of Parliament for the Time being shall be capable of being chosen Register or of executing by himself or any other Person the said Office or have taken or receive any Fee or other Profit whatsoever for or in respect thereof nor shall any Register or his Deputy for the Time being be capable of being chosen a Member to serve in Parliament.

XXIII.  
Register or De-  
puty not capable  
of serving in  
Parliament.

AND be it further enacted That this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts within this Kingdom as a Publick Act and all Judges and Justices are hereby required as each to take Notice thereof without special pleading the same.

XXIV.  
Public Act.

#### CHAPTER V.

AN ACT to regulate a Province in an Act of the Fourth Years of the Reigne of King William and Queen Mary which governs the Citizens of the City of York from disposing of their Personal Estates by their Wills as others inhabiting within the Province of York by that Act may do.

Act for  
the City of York.

WHEREAS by an Act made and passed in the Fourth Years of (1) Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act that the Inhabitants of the Province of York may dispose of their Personal Estates by their Wills notwithstanding the Customs of that Province in which Act there is a Provision that nothing in the said Act contained should extend or be construed to extend to the Citizens of the City of York and Chancery who were or should be Freeman of the said respective Cities inhabiting therein or within the Suburbs thereof at the Time of their Death but that every such Citizens Widow and Children should and might have and enjoy such reasonable Part and Proportion of the Testator Personal Estate as then or they might or ought to have had by the Customs of the Province of York before the making of the said Act And whereas notwithstanding the Mapes and Customs on Behalf of the Inhabitants of the said City of York have been lately devised that the said Province may be repealed so that the Freeman of the said City may have the Benefit of the said Act of Parliament as well as all other Persons inhabiting within the said Province he is therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Six and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four the said Province so far as the same concerns the Citizens of the City of York shall be repealed and is hereby repealed and made null and void so that from thenceforth it shall and may be lawful for all and every the Citizens of the (2) City of York who are or shall be Freeman of the said City inhabiting therein or within the Suburbs thereof at the Time of their Death by their last Wills and Testaments to give bequeath and dispose of their Goods Chattels Debts and other Personal Estates to their Executors or Administrators or to such other Persons or Persons as the said Testator or Testator shall think fit as any other Person or Persons inhabiting or residing within the said Province of York may lawfully do by virtue of the said Act And that from and after the said Six and twentieth Day of March the Widows

Repeal of Stat.  
4<sup>th</sup> Will. 4. c. 11.

1. a.

Reason for passing  
this Act.

The said Province  
repealed.

Freemen of York  
may dispose of their  
personalty.

Widows, &c.  
benefit thereby.

<sup>1</sup> inserted to the Original Act in a separate Subordinate.

<sup>2</sup> the Reigne of "G. 6. King's Printer Copy.

"as within" G. 6. King's Printer Copy

and G.

Children and other Kindred of such Testator or Testatrix shall be bound to chaise or demand any Part of the Goods [or] Chattels or other Personal Estate of the Testator or Testatrix in any other Manner than as by the said last Will and Testaments is limited and appointed Any thing in the said Act or any other Law Statute or Usage to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

II.  
Public Act.

Provided and be it enacted That this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts within this Kingdom in a Public Act and all Judges and Justices are required so such to take Notice thereof without special pleading the same

# CHAPTER VI.

An Act for the Encouragement and better Encouragement of Navigation and Security of the Coast Trade

For Part.  
4th of Anne, p. 11, 12.

Reason for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS the giving due Encouragement to such of the Youth of this Kingdom as shall voluntarily betake themselves to the Sea Service and Trade of Navigation and oblige others who by reason of their want or their Parents Poverty are destitute of Employers or any lawful Means whereby to maintain themselves may greatly tend to the Increase of able and experienced Mariners and Seamen for the Service of Her Majesties Royal Navy and for the carrying on the Trade and Commerce of this Kingdom be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled [it by the Authority of the same] That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five it shall and may be lawful so and for Two or more Justices of the Peace in their several and respective Counties Ridings or Divisions as also so and for all Mayors Aldermen Bayliffs and other Chief Officers and Magistrates of any City Borough or Town Corporate within Her Majesties Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed and Berwick so and for the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor (for the Time being) of the several and respective Parishes within the Place aforesaid by and with the Consent and Approbation of such Justices of the Peace Mayors Aldermen Bayliffs or other the Chief Officers or Magistrates aforesaid to bind and put out any Boy or Boys who [is] are or shall be of the Age of Ten Years or upwards or who is [or] are or shall be chargeable or whose Parents are or shall be [or] chargeable to the respective Parish or Parishes wherein they inhabit or who shall begg [for] Alms to be Apprenticed and Apprentices to the Sea Service to any of Her Majesties Subjects being Masters or Owners of any Ship or Vessel used in Sea Service and belonging to any Port or Ports within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed aforesaid for so long Time and until such Boys shall respectively strake or cease to the Age of One and twenty Years and such binding or any such Apprentices shall be as effectual in the Law to all Intent and Purpose as if such Boy were of full Age and by Indenture had bound himself as Apprentice and to the end that the Time of the Continuance of the Service of such Apprentice or Apprentices may the more plainly and certainly appear the Age of every such Boy so to be bound Apprentice shall be mentioned and inserted in his Indenture being [taken] truly from a Copy of the Entry in the Register Book wherein the Time of his being baptized is or shall be noted (where the same can or may be had) which Copy shall be given and attested by the Minister Vicar or Curate of such Parish or Parishes wherein such Boys Baptism shall be required without Fee or Reward and may be writ upon Paper or Parchment without any Stamp or Mark and where to each Entry of such Boys being baptized can be found Two or more of such Justices of the Peace and such Mayors Aldermen Bayliffs or other Chief Officers shall as fully as they can inform themselves of such Boys Age and from such Information shall insert the same in the said Indentures and the Age of such Boy so inserted and mentioned in the said Indentures (in relation to the Continuance of his Service) shall be taken to be his true Age without any further Proof thereof

Such binding  
effectual.  
Age of Boys taken  
from Copy of  
Register inserted  
in Indenture

No Fee for Copy  
of Register.

Age inserted taken  
in the true Age.

II.  
Churchwardens,  
to give due  
Apprentice Fee

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor for the Time being of the several and respective Parishes from whence any such Boy shall be bound Apprentice to the said Service as aforesaid shall pay down to such Master to whom the Boy is bound at the Time of his binding the Sum of Fifty Shillings to provide necessary Clothing and Bedding for Sea Service for such Boy and the Charges by this Act appointed shall be allowed to the said Churchwardens and Overseers on their Accounts

III.  
Overseers of  
Townships may  
act as the said  
Whitens as  
Churchwardens  
Re. of Parishes.

[And whereas in many large Parishes within this Realm there are several Townships or Villages and Overseers of the Poor are chosen and appointed within and for each such Township or Village respectively be it therefore enacted That the Overseers of the Poor of every such Township or Village shall and may from time to time within every such Township or Village do perform and execute all and every the Acts Powers and Authorities hereby enacted or directed to be done performed or executed by the Churchwardens or Overseers of the Poor of a Parish any thing herein contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.]

<sup>1</sup> O. omits.

<sup>2</sup> inserted on the Roll.

<sup>3</sup> inserted in the Original MS in a separate Schedule

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no such Apprentice or Apprentices shall be compelled or imposed or permitted or suffered to sit or enter him or themselves into Her Majesties Service at Sea or into the Sea Service of Her Majesties Ships or Successors till such Apprentice or Apprentices respectively arrive to the Age of Eighteen Years.

And he is further enacted That the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Parish out of which any such Boy shall be bound as Apprentice shall send the said Indentures to the Collector of Her Majesties Customs residing at or belonging to any Port or Ports within this Kingdom of England, Dominion of Wales and Towns of Borough upon Tyeed whosoever such Masters or Owners of Ships or Vessels to whom such Apprentices or Apprentices shall be bound do or may belong who shall in a [sic] Book or Books to be by him kept for that Purpose fully enter from time to time all and every Indentures and Indentments whereby such Apprentices and Apprentices shall be bound and which shall be so sent unto him and shall make an Indentment upon the said Indentments of the Registry thereof subscribed by the said Collector without taking any Fee or other Reward for the same and every such Collector neglecting or refusing to enter such Indentments and send the same or making false Entries shall forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds for the Use of the Poor of the Parish from whence such Boy was bound Apprentice and all and every such Collector or Collectors or his or their lawful Deputy or Deputies of the said several and respective Ports shall from time to time transmit Certificates in Writing under his or [sic] their Hands to the Lord High Admirall of England or [sic] the Commissioners of the Admiralty for the Time being containing the Names and Ages of every such Apprentice respectively and to what Ship he belongs and upon Receipt of such Certificates Provisions shall from time to time be made and given for such Apprentices till they arrive their several and respective Ages of Eighteen Years without any Fee or Reward to be taken for the same which Certificates so as aforesaid to be given are not required to be writ upon stamp Paper or Parchment.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every [the] Person and Persons to whom any poor Parish Boy hath been or hereafter shall be put Apprentice according to the Statute made in the Forty third Year of the Reigne of Queen Elizabeth any with the Consent [sic] Approbation [sic] of Two or more Justices of the Peace of the same County and dwelling in or near the same Parish where such poor Boy was bound Apprentice or by [sic] with the Consent and Approbation of [the] Mayor Alderman Bayliffe or other Chief Officer or Magistrate of any City Borough or Town Corporate where such poor Boy was bound Apprentice at the Request of the Master or Mistress then living of such Apprentices or his or their Executors Administrators or Assignes by Indentures assign and turne over such poor Boy Apprentice to any Master or Owner of any such Ship or [Vessel] using the Sea Service as aforesaid for and during the then remaining Time of his Apprenticeship which Assignment and Assignments of such Apprentices to as aforesaid shall be and are hereby declared to be good and effectual in the Law all which Indentures of Assignment are hereby directed to be registered and Certificates thereof given and transmitted by such Collector at the said several Ports where such Parish Apprentices shall be [sic] assigned over and bound to the Sea Service in Manner and Forme aforesaid and upon Receipt of such Certificates Provisions shall from time to time be made and given for such Apprentices (as to be assigned over as aforesaid) till they shall arrive their several and respective Ages of Eighteen Years without Fee or Reward for the same in like Manner as aforesaid.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and singular such poor Boys as are herein before mentioned or intended by this present Act to be bound and put out and such as shall be assigned over to the Sea Service as aforesaid during their several and respective Apprenticeships till such Time as they shall arrive their several and respective Ages of Eighteen Years shall be and are hereby declared to be exempted from and discharged of and from Payment of his Pence per Month towards the better supporting of Greenwich Hospital the Act of Parliament made in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reigne of the late King William the Third of glorious Memory) intended An Act for the Encouragement and Encouragement of Seamen or any Clause in the same Act contrary to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

And for the better providing such Apprentices with Masters for the said Service he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every of Her Majesties Subjects being Masters or Owners of any Ship or Shipps Vessel or Vessels used in the Sea Service as aforesaid of the Burthen of Twenty Tuns to the Burthen of Fifty Tuns be obliged to take One such Apprentice and One more for the next Fifty Tuns and One more for each and every Hundred Tuns such Ship or Vessel shall exceed the Burthen of One Hundred Tuns and each Master or Owner of any Ship or Vessel refusing to take such Apprentice or Apprentices as aforesaid shall forfeit the Sum of Ten Pounds for the Use of the Poor of the Parish from whence such Boy was bound Apprentice.

And he is further enacted That every Master or Owner of such Ship or Shipps Vessel or Vessels so obliged to take such Apprentice or Apprentices after his Arrival lose any Part or Parts aforesaid and before he clear out of such Port shall give an Account in Writing under his Hand to the Collector of such Port to which he belongs containing the Names and [Numbers] of each Apprentice as are then remaining in his Service

IV.  
Persons to such Apprentices being assigned as being.

V.  
Churchwardens, &c. to send Indentures to Collector of Customs, who is to enter the same.

and deliver same upon Indentments without Fee.

Twice a day  
Collector to transmit Certificates of Names of Boys and Names of Ship to Admiralty.

Provisions without Fee.

No Stamp for Certificate.

VI.  
Power to Masters, with Consent of Two Justices, Mayors, &c. to assign Apprentices.

Indentures of Assignment and Certificates to be registered.

Provisions without Fee.

VII.  
Such Apprentices, until sent, exempted from Payment of his Pence per Month to Greenwich Hospital.

Stat. 2 & 3 W. III. c. 31.

VIII.  
Right for Master of Apprentices to be taken by Masters of Ships according to Tonnage.

IX.  
Masters of Ships to give an Account in Writing before clearing out of Number of Apprentices.

X.  
Apprentices to be  
conducted by  
Churchwardens,  
&c. to Port to  
which Masters  
belong.

Charges to be paid  
according to Stat.  
11 W. III. c. 18.

XI.  
Consent of  
Indentures to be  
recorded and  
attested by Col-  
lectors, and con-  
firmed by Gov-  
ernors, &c. to  
Churchwardens of  
Parish where  
Apprentices bound.

XII.  
Two Justices or  
Magistrates, &c.  
of every Port or  
Place, to receive  
and examine  
Complaints of  
Apprentices.

and to make Orders  
therein.

XIII.  
Collection of  
Customs to keep  
Registers of Vessels,  
and Names of  
Masters and  
Apprentices, &  
to transmit Copies  
thereof to Quarter  
Sessions, &c.  
No Fee.  
Collector refusing,  
&c.  
Penalty &c.

XIV.  
Officers at Ports to  
insert in Bottom of  
Coopers the Num-  
ber of Men and  
Boys on board of  
Ships going out,  
according to  
Apprentices.

XV.  
Boys voluntarily  
binding themselves,  
free from Indentures  
for Three Years  
from Date of Ser-  
vice.

Each Indenture to  
be registered, and  
Certificates given  
and transmitted by  
Collectors as afore-  
said.  
Penalties  
incurred &c.

XVI.  
Reasons for passing  
the Statute.

Persons adjudged  
Rogues and Vagabonds  
by Stat.  
23 Eliz. c. 4.

Act for the better conveying and conducting all and every such Apprentices and Apprentices as to be bound as aforesaid to his and their respective Master and Masters be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such Apprentices and Apprentices shall from time to time be severally and respectively sent conducted and conveyed to the several and respective Ports to which his and their Masters shall respectively belong by the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor or their Agents of the Parish from [which] such Apprentices be bound and the Charges thereof as to be the same Masters as is provided by an Act of Parliament made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of the Reigne of His said late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for the more effectual Punishment of Vagrants and sending them whither by Law they ought to be sent.

And it is hereby directed That the Consent of all and every such Indentures to be executed by the several and respective Masters of all such Apprentices shall be sealed and executed in the Presence of and attested by the Collector at the [Port] aforesaid (where such Apprentices shall be bound or assigned over) and the Constable or other Officer who shall bring or convey such Apprentices to the said several and respective Masters which Constables or Officers instrumental shall transmit and carry the Consents of such Indentures to the Churchwardens and Overseers of the several Parishes from whence such Apprentices shall be bound by the said [Ways] and Means as such Apprentices or Apprentices were conveyed to the said several and respective Ports.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Two or more Justices of the Peace of the respective Counties and dwelling in or near any of the Ports aforesaid and all Mayors Aldermen Bailiffs and other Chief Officers and Magistrates of any City Borough or Town Corporate in or near adjoining to such Port or Ports to which such Ship or Vessel shall at any Time arrive shall have full Power and Authority and are hereby authorized and empowered to inquire into and examine here and determine all Complaints of hard or ill Usage from the several and respective Masters to such their Apprentices and Apprentices so to be bound or assigned over as aforesaid and also of all such as already have or who shall at any Time hereafter voluntarily put themselves Apprentices to the Sea Service as aforesaid and to make such Orders therein as now they are enabled by Law to do in order Cases between Masters and Apprentices.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Collector in every Port or Ports aforesaid shall and in their several respective Stations keep an exact Register containing as well the Number and Births of all such Ships and Vessels together with the Masters or Owners Names as also the Names of such Apprentices in such Ship or Vessel belonging to their respective Ports and from whence Parishes and Places such Apprentices were respectively sent and that such Collectors shall transmit true Copies of such Register signed by them to the Quarter Sessions or to such Cities Boroughs Towns Corporate Parishes or Places when and so often as they shall be reasonably required so to do for which Copy or Copies so to be transmitted as aforesaid no Fee or Reward shall be taken. And that every such Collector refusing or wilfully neglecting to transmit such Copies as aforesaid shall for every such Refusal or Neglect forfeit Five Pounds for the Use of the Poor of the Parish from whence such Boy was bound Apprentice.

And be it further enacted That every Customs House Officer or Officers at each and every of the Ports aforesaid shall insert and are hereby required from time to time to insert at the Bottom of their Coopers the Number of Men and Boys on board the respective Ships or Vessels at their going out of every such Port therein particularly describing the Apprentices by their respective Names Ages and their Dates of their several Indentures for which no Fee or Reward shall be taken.

And for the Encouragement of all such as have or shall voluntarily bind themselves Apprentices to the Sea Service be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such Person and Persons who have or shall so voluntarily and of his or their own Accord bind or put him or themselves Apprentice to any such Master or Overseer of any Ship or Vessel as aforesaid shall not be compelled or imposed into Her Majesty's Sea Service or the Sea Service of Her Majesty's Heirs or Successors for and during the Terms of Three Years so to be accounted from the Dates of the respective Indentures of such voluntary Apprentice or Apprentices all which Indentures so hereby directed to be registered and Certificates thereof given and transmitted by such Collectors at the said several Ports where such Apprentices already have become so bound or thereafter shall so bind themselves in Master and Forfeit as aforesaid upon Receipt of which said several Certificates Provisions shall from time to time be made and given for the said First Three Years of their several respective Apprenticeships without other Fee or Reward for the same.

And forasmuch as diverse dissolute and idle Persons Rogues Vagabonds and sturdy Beggars notwithstanding the many good and wholesome Laws to the contrary do continue to wander up and down pilfering and begging through all Parts of this Kingdom to the great Disturbance of the Peace and Tranquility of the Realm for the most effectually suppressing such dissolute Persons and so to the End that they [might] be made industrious and beneficial to their Country be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all lewd and dissolute Men Beggars and every such Person and Persons both Men and Boys that are deemed and adjudged Rogues Vagabonds and sturdy Beggars (not being Fehow) by an Act of Parliament made in the Ninth and Thirtieth Years of the Reigne of the said

late Queen Elizabeth for punishing Rogues Vagabonds and idle Beggars shall be and are hereby directed to be taken up and conveyed into Her Majesties Service at Sea or the Service at Sea of Her Majesties Heirs or Successors by such Wives Mothers and Maids and in such Manner and Form as is directed by Vagrants by the said before mentioned Act of Parliament made in the said Eleventh and Twelfth Years of the Reigne of the said late King William the Third For the more effectually Punishment of Vagrants and sending them whither by Law they ought to be sent.

And whereas Owners and Masters of Merchant Ships are at great Charge in educating and bringing up the parish Children till they come to the Age of Eighteen Years and other voluntary Apprentices Thence Years at which Time they are capable to serve Her Majesties Ships of War he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid that when such Apprentices shall be imposed or voluntarily enter themselves into Her Majesties Service the said Owners or Masters of such Apprentices their Executors Administrators or Assigns shall be intitled to able Seamen Wages for such of their Apprentices as shall upon due Examination be found qualified for the same notwithstanding their Indentures of Apprenticeship

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Penalties and Forfeitures directed by this Act shall by Warrants under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more Justices of the Peace of the same County City Borough or Town Corporate be levied by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Charnels of the Offender which Sale shall be good in the Law against such Offender

And whereas upon the Act of Parliament before mentioned made in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reigne of the said late King William the Third intitled An Act for the Increase Encouragement of Seamen as also upon the Act of Parliament made in the Eighth and Ninth Years of the Reigne of the said late King William the Third intitled An Act to enforce the Encouragement of Seamen several Doubts have arisen whether any disabled Seamen their Children or the Widdows and Children of Seamen shinde killed or drowned in Sea Service other than such as are expressly qualified by the said last mentioned Acts may be admitted and provided for in Greenwich Hospital when any Vacancie happen therein Be it therefore enacted for the Encouragement of all Persons who do or shall serve at Sea That at any Time hereafter when any such Vacancie or Vacancies shall happen in the said Hospital that the Lord High Admirall of England or Commissioners executing the Office of Lord High Admirall of England for the Time being shall have full Power and Authority and is and are hereby empowered and authorized from time to time to nominate and appoint any disabled Seamen their Wives and Children and the Widdows and Children of Seamen shinde killed or drowned to Sea Service to be reinstited and provided for in the said Hospital as the said Lord High Admirall or Commissioners executing the Office of Lord High Admirall shall think fit or on Occasion Any thing in the said Two severall Acts of Parliament heretofore mentioned or in the Letters Patents in the said Acts mentioned contained to the contrary hereof in any wise notwithstanding.

And for the encouraging all such Ships or Vessels as shall be employed in bringing Goods for supplying the City of London and other Parts of this Kingdom at more reasonable Rates than during this War they have hitherto been he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four there shall be allowed yearly during the present War due from impensing to every Master of any Ship or Vessel employed in the Coast Trade besides the said Master and Maids Mates and Carpenter One shilling Six pence for every Hundred Tuns in Barthen not exceeding Three hundred Tuns due such Ship or Vessel comes which shall be made appear by a Certificate from the Customs House of what Number of Tuns such Ship or Vessel is really of according to the Tonnage or Measures mentioned in an Act passed in the Fifth and Sixth Years of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary For laying a Duty on Tonnage of Shipping And if any Captain Lieutenant or other Officer shall possess to impense or take any of the Money allowed by this Act as aforesaid such Captain Lieutenant or other Officer shall forfeit to the Master or Owner of such Ship or Vessel Ten Pounds for every Man he shall so impense or take to be recovered with Costs of Suit by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record wherein no Exigence Protection Privilege Injunction or Order of Restraint shall be in any wise granted or allowed

to be taken up for the last herein according to the said Statute

XVII.  
On qualified Apprentices being impressed, or voluntarily entering the Navy, Masters intitled to Wages of able Seamen

XVIII.  
Penalties levied by Justices and Sale

XIX.  
Recall of fine paid by a disabled Seaman

Advantage upon Vacancies in Greenwich Hospital, where disabled Seamen and others have been received.

XX.  
From 17th March 1704, during the present War, such Allowance of Seamen from Sea Impense according to Tonnage as is herein contained, according to Stat. 1 & 6 W. III. c. 21.

Officers impensing such Seamen, Penalty.



daily pay or are need for Four Pence at the least by the Week for and towards Reliefe of the Poor The First Election of the said Members whereof the said Corporation is to consist to be on the First Thursday in May which shall be in the Year of our One thousand seven hundred and four and all future Elections to be on the [said] First Thursday in May Yearly for ever

First Election of Members to sit Thursday in May 1704  
Pence Elections.

And to the End the said Election may be made according to the Intent of this Act the Mayor for the Time being or in his Absence or Default any One of [the Aldermen &c.] the said City shall summon the Free and every Capital Citizens of the said City to elect Two Aldermen and Two other Persons out of their Company as aforesaid and one or both of their Chamberlains of the said City who are hereby empowered to summon the Common Council of the Number of Eight and forty to elect the said Six Persons out of their Company to be Members of the said Corporation as are to be there chosen upon the said First Thursday in May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four and in like Manner upon every First Thursday in May Yearly for ever and alsoe the Ministers and such Inhabitants as aforesaid of the said respective Parishes shall on the next Monday after the First Thursday in May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four and in like Manner upon every Monday next after the First Thursday in May Yearly for ever meet together in their respective Parish Churches and there elect Four Persons of the ablest and discreetest Inhabitants of all the said respective Parishes except the Parish of Saint Alban out of which One only is to be elected to be the rest of the Members of the said Corporation.

II.  
Requirement for Elections.

And to the Intent and Purpose that the Elections to be made by the Ministers and Inhabitants of the said [Parish] may be fair and equal be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Ministers of the said Parishes respectively shall for Two Lords Dayes at least next preceeding the Day of Election as aforesaid immediately after Divine Service give Publick Notice in the Church of the Day and Time of Election according to the Meaning of this Act

III.  
Ministers of Parishes to give Publick Notice in Church of Election.

And for the encouragement of [of] such as shall be Benefactors to so good a Design be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons charitably disposed shall give the Sum of Twenty Pounds or more towards carrying on the said Works or secure to be paid Yearly the Sum of Three Pounds or more for Ten Years it shall and may be lawful for the said Corporation at a Court where there shall be present Twenty Members at the least of the said Corporation to elect and constitute such Charitable Person or Persons to be a Member or Members of the said Corporation and as so continue during the Term of One Year

IV.  
Proviso for Charitable Benefactors.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Mayor and other the Persons elected and constituted as aforesaid shall be and be called Guardians of the Poor of the City of Worcester

V.  
Title of Corporation.

And be it further enacted by the Authority [aforesaid] That in case any of the said Persons elected as aforesaid shall after their respective Elections and before the Time appointed for another Election happen to die or be removed in Manner as herein after is expressed the Name and Place of such Person or Persons so dying or being removed shall be supplied and filled up by a new Election or Elections to be made according to the Direction and Intent of this Act such Election or Elections to be made within Twenty Dayes after such Death or Removal and on such Notice as aforesaid

VI.  
Vacancies supplied by new Elections. Time limited.

Further always if it shall happen that at the Time of any Election to be made in any of the said Parishes of a Guardian or Guardians there shall be [of] Deficiency or Want of discreet and able Persons qualified as in kind before express that then and in such case the Inhabitants of such Parishes paying at least Four Pence by the Week towards the Reliefe of the Poor where such Deficiency or Want shall happen to be are hereby authorized and required to elect some honest discreet and qualified Persons inhabiting in any other of the said Parishes to supply such Deficiency and Want: any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

VII.  
Proviso for Deficiency of Persons qualified to be Guardians.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Mayor and other the Persons elected and constituted to be Guardians of the Poor of the City of Worcester as aforesaid shall for ever hereafter in Name and Fact be One Body Pollicke and Corporate in Law to all Intents and Purposes and shall have a perpetual Succession and shall be called by the Name of the Guardians of the Poor of the City of Worcester and that they shall be enabled to plead and sue and to be sued and impleaded by that Name in all Courts and Places of Judicature within this [Kingdom] and by that Name shall and may without Licence in Mortmain purchase take or receive any Lands Tenements or Beneficences of the Gift Alienation or Devote of any Person or Persons having a Right and not being otherwise disabled to grant alien or devote the [same] who are hereby without further Licence enabled to transfer and grant the same and any Goods and Chattels whatsoever [same] or for the Use and Benefit of the Corporation aforesaid

VIII.  
How Corporation to sue and be sued.

Enabled to take Lands, &c. in Mortmain.

And for the better [encouraging] of the said Corporation the said Guardians or the majority of them shall here and hereby have Authority to meet on the last Thursday in June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four in the Guild hall of the said City or in some other convenient Place within the said City and shall on that Day elect and constitute [out from and amongst] themselves by the Votes of the

IX.  
Corporation to meet on the last Thursday in June 1704, to choose Officers.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> into G.

<sup>3</sup> Parishes G.  
" or preceeding " G. & King's Printer's Copy.

<sup>4</sup> G. omits.

<sup>5</sup> G.  
" out of and from amongst " G.

and are to continue  
for One Year,  
and thereafter  
Yearly.

Corporation  
constituted to fill up  
Vacancies in  
Officers

X.  
Persons chosen  
Governor, Treas-  
urer, Receiver and  
Auditor  
to sit  
Presby  
in Governor,  
Deputy Governor,  
Treasurer,  
Receiver,  
Auditor,  
Guardian

XI.  
Not compellable  
to serve longer than  
Two Years  
together.

XII.  
Treasurer or  
Receiver not to  
continue these One  
Year, nor to be  
again chosen the  
Year following.

XIII.  
Guardians or mayor  
Part assembled, may  
displace  
Guardians and  
other Officers

XIV.  
Governor or  
Deputy Governor  
or the Auditor  
may hold a  
Monthly Court.

Effect of holding  
Court

Three Days  
Notice.

XV.  
Emergency  
Courts may be  
holden Request  
under the Hands  
of Two Guardians  
by Governor,  
or by Deputy  
Governor,  
or by Five  
Auditors.  
When Persons are  
to be present at  
such Courts  
Presby

major Number of them then present the several Officers following (that is to say) One Governor One Deputy Governor One Treasurer One Receiver and Nine Assistants to continue for the Year then next ensuing and no longer And from thenceforth the said Governor Deputy Governor Treasurer Receiver and Nine Assistants shall Yearly and every Year by the said Guardians or the major Part of them then present be elected and constituted out of and from amongst such Guardians as aforesaid on the last Thursday in June in every Year to continue in their respective Offices for a Year then next ensuing and no longer and the said Guardians or the majority of them shall have Power in case of the Death or Removall of any such Officer or Officers so elected and constituted before their said Year expires at any Meeting to be appointed for that Purpose by the Governor or in his Default the Deputy Governor or in both their Defaults the major Part of the Assistants then being in court and constitute other or others in his or their Room or Rooms respectively by the major Vote of the Guardians present at such Meeting to hold the said Office or Offices for the Remainder of the said Year and shall have Power and Authority at any Time or Times for just Cause to remove displace and put out any such Officer or Officers from his or their Office or Offices and to elect and constitute another or others in his or their Room or Rooms

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any Person shall [be<sup>1</sup>] at any Time or Times hereafter ['] chosen Governor Deputy Governor Treasurer Receiver Auditor or Guardian and shall neglect or refuse to take upon him such Office or Employment every such Person shall lose and forfeit to the said Guardians for the Use of the Poor the several Sums herein after mentioned that is to say Every Person so chosen Governor and so refusing any Sum not exceeding Twenty Pounds and not less than Ten Pounds And every Person so chosen Deputy Governor and so refusing any Sum not exceeding Fifteen Pounds and not less than Seven Pounds Ten Shillings And every Person so chosen Treasurer and so refusing any Sum not exceeding Fifteen Pounds and not less than Seven Pounds Ten Shillings And every Person so chosen Receiver and so refusing any Sum not exceeding Fifteen Pounds and not less than Seven Pounds Ten Shillings And every Auditor so chosen and refusing as aforesaid any Sum not exceeding Ten Pounds and not less than Five Pounds And every Guardian so chosen and so refusing as aforesaid any Sum not exceeding Five Pounds and not less than Fifty Shillings such Fines and Forfeitures to be imposed and set by the major Number present at any Court consisting of the Guardians or the majority of them.

Provided nevertheless That no Person shall be compellable to serve in any of the said Offices longer than Two Years together or liable to any Fine or Penalty for his Refusal so to do.

Provided also That no Person shall continue Treasurer or Receiver at one Time above the Space of One Year nor shall be capable of being elected again Treasurer or Receiver respectively till after the Expiration of One whole Year next following any thing herein before contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Guardians of the Poor of the said City of Worcester or the major Part of them assembled as aforesaid shall be and are hereby empowered to remove or displace any Guardian or other Officer belonging to the said Corporation for any Cause which they or the major Part of them so assembled shall deem or adjudge to be just and reasonable.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Governor or in his Default the said Deputy Governor [or<sup>2</sup>] on both their Defaults the said Assistants for the Time being shall have Power and Authority and are hereby required and [five<sup>3</sup>] enjoined from time to time upon the First Thursday in every Month in every [Year<sup>4</sup>] commencing July for the First Month to hold and keep a Court or Assembly of the said Corporation within the said City of Worcester of which there shall be Eleven of the said Guardians at least to consist of the said Court or Assembly in some convenient Place of the said City on the Days [at<sup>5</sup>] Times and in Manner and for the ends in this Act mentioned (that is to say) The said Governor shall hold the said Court or Assembly between the Hours of One and Six in the Afternoon and in his Default the said Deputy Governor or any Five of the Assistants shall after the Hours of Three in [in<sup>6</sup>] the Afternoon hold the same And also the said Governor for the Time being shall have and hath hereby Power and Authority at any ['] Time or Times as to him shall seem meet to summon assemble and hold a Court or Assembly of the said Corporation upon Three Days Notice or Warning at least to be given of such Court or Assembly to be holden

And in case any Two of the said Guardians upon any Emergency shall signify under their Hands to the Governor for the Time being that it is their Desire that a extraordinary Court or Assembly of the said Corporation may be called and hold the said Governor shall be bound and is hereby enjoined and required to call and hold such Court or Assembly at such Time as the said Ten Guardians shall so desire and on his Refusal or Default the said Deputy Governor for the Time being on such Signification shall be bound and is hereby likewise enjoined and required to call and hold the said Court or Assembly and on his Refusal or Default any Five of the said Assistants shall have and have hereby Authority to call and hold the said Court or Assembly at all which Courts or Assemblies all and every the said Guardians Member and Members of the said Corporation for the Time being are hereby enjoined to appear and be present and not to depart from the same without the Licence of the said Court or Assembly on Pain to forfeit such reasonable Sum and Sums of Money

<sup>1</sup> continued on the Roll.

<sup>2</sup> forty 9

<sup>3</sup> in G.

<sup>4</sup> O. omitt.

<sup>5</sup> and O

<sup>6</sup> each after O.



not exceeding Ten Shillings for the Use of the Poor as by the said Court or Assembly (') or the major Part of them assembled shall be assessed upon them unless they can show some reasonable Cause to the contrary to be allowed of by the said Court or Assembly or the major Part of them

And the said Court or Assembly consisting of Eleven Guardians at the least are hereby impowered to sit or appear before them any of the Inhabitants of the said City and Liberties thereof and above the Inhabitants of such Parts of the Parishes of Saint Peter Saint Martin and Saint Clement as lie in the County of Worcester to answer to Matters relating to the said Corporation who are [hereby (')] required to appear upon all such Summons and answer all such Questions relating to such Matters as shall be put to them by the said Governor Deputy Governor or any of the said Assistants on pain of forfeiting to the Use of the Poor of the said Corporation a Sum not exceeding Ten Shillings for every Default the aforesaid several Forfeitures to be levied and disposed of as heretofore is directed.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Corporation as any Court or Assembly consisting of the Majority of the Guardians by the Votes of the major Number then present shall have and lawfully have Power and Authority from time to time to make and appoint a Common Seal or Seals for the Use of the said Corporation and to make and ordain By Laws Rules and Ordinances for and concerning the better [government of] the said Corporation and the Poor of the said City and Parishes and Places aforesaid or any Part thereof shall be set on Foot by the said Corporation by employing the said Poor and other the Ends and Purposes of this Act And [also (')] to continue and appoint such and so many Constables to consist of such Number of the Guardians as shall be thought fit for the more easy and effectual Execution of the several Trades and Purposes by this Act supposed and named in the said Corporation And also the said Corporation shall have Power to hire purchase buy or erect One or more Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to adjourn any Court as such Time and Place as shall be thought fit by the major Number of Guardians then present And also that it shall and may be lawful for any Court consisting of Eleven Guardians at the least within the said City of Worcester or Liberties thereof to provide such Materials and Things as they shall judge necessary for the setting to work the Poor aforesaid of what Age or Sex severally they be And shall have hereby Power and Authority to compel such idle or poor People begging or seeking Reliefe who do not bethinke themselves to some lawful Employment and such other Poor who do or shall hereafter receive Alms of the respective Parishes or Places where they dwell or seek the same or by any of the Laws now in force or hereafter to be in force ought to be maintained and provided for by any Parish or Place aforesaid to dwell or inhabit or to work in such Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses And also to set to work all Persons sent into such Houses of Correction and to do all other Works as they shall think them able and fit for and to detain and keep in the Service of the said Corporation or to set to work until the Age of Fifteen Years any poor Child or Children of the said City or Liberties or any the Parishes or Places aforesaid who shall be or whose Father or Mother or other Relation or Person with whom they shall dwell are or shall then be maintained by the said City or any Parish or Place aforesaid or begging Reliefe or which by any of the Laws now in force or hereafter to be in force ought to be maintained and provided for by the said City or any other Parishes or Places aforesaid or the Child or Children of any other Person or Persons within the said City or Liberties thereof or any the Parishes or Places aforesaid that are or shall be willing or desirous to have their Child or Children put to work or to place or put their Child or Children in such Hospital or Hospitals until the Age of Fifteen Years And after they shall have attained their said Age of Fifteen Years or sooner the said Corporation by Indenture under their Common Seals shall have Power to [put forth and bind (')] such Child or Children Apprentices to any honest Person or Persons within the Kingdoms of England who are willing to receive such Child or Children for any Number of Years not exceeding Seven Years as they shall think convenient which Indenture shall be binding to such Child or Children And the Justices of the Peace for such County City Town or Place where the Masters or Mistresses of such Apprentices shall live shall have the like Authority over them as by any Law now in force they have over any other Apprentices

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Court or Assembly consisting of Six Guardians at the least shall have and lawfully have Power to inflict such Correction or Punishment on any poor Person or Persons within the said Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction or that shall be set to work that shall not conform to such Rules Orders and Ordinances made and to be made as aforesaid or shall misbehave themselves (') as to them or the major Part of them then present shall seem reasonable And that such Court or Assembly shall from time to time have and lawfully have Power to appoint a Constable to consist of (') of the Guardians at least who or any Three of them shall from time to time or at any Time (d) the next Court or Assembly have Power to inflict such Correction and Punishment as to them shall seem reasonable on such poor Person or Persons offending as aforesaid.

EVL.  
Each Court may  
summon Persons to  
appear and answer  
if sworn mentioned.

Persons summoned  
not appearing.  
Penalty.

XVII.  
Corporation may  
make and appoint a  
Common Seal.

and By-laws.

and may continue  
Governors.

and may erect, &c.  
Hospitals or Houses  
of Correction, &c.

XVIII.  
Court may be  
adjourned.

may provide  
Materials for  
employing Poor.

may compel  
Beggars to come  
into Hospitals,  
or to work there.

may set Persons  
sent to such Houses  
of Correction to  
work.

and may keep  
Children until 15, as  
before mentioned.

and after such Age  
may bind such  
Children as Apprentices.

Justices, Officers,  
&c. to have  
Authority over  
such Apprentices.

XIX.  
Court may inflict  
Punishment on  
Persons in Work-  
houses, for  
misbehaving.

and may appoint as  
constable Constables  
for that Purpose.

<sup>1</sup> or by the next succeeding Court or Assembly. G. is King's Printer Copy.

<sup>2</sup> mentioned in the Bill.

<sup>3</sup> or by the next succeeding Court or Assembly.

<sup>4</sup> bind and put forth to.

<sup>5</sup> hereby G.

<sup>6</sup> or as the same G. is King's Printer Copy.

<sup>7</sup> providing G.

XX  
Courts may send  
Sum necessary for  
repairs, for  
Hospitals, &c.

not exceeding  
Amount of last  
Year's Poor's Rates;  
and also Money  
necessary for  
Maintenance, &c.  
of Poor House,  
not exceeding  
Amount herein  
mentioned.

No other Levy to  
be made for that  
Purpose;  
May property  
Assessment of  
such House;

and may send  
Commissaries to  
Mayor, &c. of  
Worship, who  
are to maintain  
the same;  
on Oaths of  
Faithful Service.

Two Justices,  
Impowerment for  
One Month.

XXI  
Appeal to Quarter  
Sessions against  
Assessments.

Order upon Appeal  
final.

XXII  
Mayors, &c.  
employing, &c. to  
send Warrants for  
Imprisonment.

Corporation may  
act.

Churchwardens,  
&c. refusing, &c. to  
make Assessments.

Corporation may  
levy by Distress  
and Sale.

XXIII  
Corporation to  
relieve the Poor of  
all the said Parishes  
as if they were  
One Parish,  
Excoptions.

and may commit  
Churchwardens,  
&c. upon Oath.

Act for the better carrying on so pious and charitable a Work as is created by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for any Court or Courts consisting of the said Churchwardens or the Mayors of them to be holden by or before the said Governor Deputy Governor or Assistants by the Vote of the major Number of them present from time to time to set down and ascertain what Sum or Sums of Money shall be needful for the setting building making roofing or finishing of such Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction so that the same do not exceed the Poor's Rate assessed the last Year in the respective Parishes aforesaid to be raised within the Space of Two Years as to them shall seem meet by such quarterly or other Payments as they in their Discretion shall think fit And also from time to time to set down and ascertain what weekly monthly or other Sum or Sums of Money shall be needful for the maintenance and Employment of the Poor of the said Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction or other Place within the Care of the said Corporation so that the same doth not exceed what hath been paid in the said City and other the Places and Parishes aforesaid towards the Maintenance of the Poor thereof in any one of the Three Years last (\*) and so in each Poor of all and every the respective Parishes and Places aforesaid as are unable to work or get their Living to weekly provided for them to the Intent that no other Levy or Assessment may be made for any other Maintenance or Allowance to or for any of the Poor of the said respective Parishes or any of the said Inhabitants and shall and may likewise lawfully proportion out and assigne the said Sum and Sums of Money on the respective Inhabitants or Occupiers of Land Houses Tenements Tythes Incorporeal Appropriations of Tythes and on all Persons having and using Stocks and Personal Estates in the said City and Liberties of the same and Parishes and Places aforesaid in equal Proportion according to their several and respective Values and shall and may under their Common Seal certify the same to the Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of the said City for the Time being which said Mayor Recorder Aldermen or any Three or more of them may and are lawfully required to grant and hence out their Warrants under their Hands and Seals thereby to authorize and require the Churchwardens and Overseers of every respective Parish and Place aforesaid or some or One of them to demand gather and receive the same and for Nonpayment thereof (being lawfully demanded) upon such Demand or within Ten Days after to levy the same by Distress and Sale of the Goods of such Person and Persons who ought to pay the same restoring the Surplusage to the Party so distrained and if no Distress can be found then it shall and may be lawful so and for the said Mayor Recorder and Aldermen or any of them to commit such Person so offending to Prison there to remain for the Space of One Month and after the same shall be received to pay the same unto the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the Time being

Provided always That if any Person or Persons inhabiting or occupying any Lands or Tenements in any Parish or Place within the said City or Liberties or Parishes or Places aforesaid or using or employing any Stock there shall find him or themselves to be unequally taxed or assessed he or they may appeal to the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the said City after such Assessment made and demanded or to any other Sessions to be holden for the said City within Eight Months after and the Justices of the Peace at such Sessions shall and lawfully have full Power and Authority to make such Order therein as to them shall seem just and reasonable which Order shall be final

Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if the said Mayor Recorder and Aldermen shall refuse or neglect [within] the Space of Six Days next after such Certificate made as aforesaid to issue their Warrants to the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Place in the said City and other the Parishes and Places aforesaid to make such Assessments as aforesaid or if the said Mayor Recorder and Aldermen after such Assessments by the like Space of Six Days shall neglect or refuse to issue forth their Warrants for the gathering raising levying and paying of the same that then the Corporation by this Act constituted shall and lawfully have Power by their Warrants under their Common Seal to authorize and require the said Churchwardens and Overseers to do the same and if the said Churchwardens and Overseers shall refuse or neglect by the Space of Twenty Days next after the issuing forth of such Warrant by the said Corporation to make such Assessments or to gather receive levy or pay the same that then the Corporation shall have Power and Authority to distrain and levy the same by Distress and Sale of the Offendens Goods (reverting the Overplus if any shall be) of such Sum and Sums of Money that ought to have been so assessed gathered received levied or paid in pursuance of such Warrants to be employed to the same Uses to which the said Sum and Sums of Money so to be assessed gathered received levied or paid ought to have been employed.

Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Corporation shall take care and provide for Maintenance of all the Poor of the said City and Liberties thereof and Parishes and Places aforesaid of what Age or Sex soever they be who are or ought to be by Law relieved and provided for by their respective Parishes in all the said Parishes [A Places] were but one and the same Parish except such Poor as shall be elsewhere sufficiently provided for by the charitable Gifts of other Persons or in Hospitals or Almshouses within the said City already erected or which shall be erected and in order thereto shall have full Power to examine all Churchwardens and [A] Overseers upon Oath and shall have full Power to examine search and see what poor Persons there are come now residing and dwelling within the said City and other the Parishes and Places aforesaid

Act be it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Governor or Deputy Governor and Assistants or any Three of them whosoever the said Governor or Deputy Governor to be One by Warrant or Warrants under their Hands and Seals to be directed to the Constables of the said City or any the Places aforesaid or any or either of them or apprehend or cause to be apprehended any Vagabond Vagabonds Beggars or idle or disorderly Persons within the said City or any the Places aforesaid and to cause them to be kept and set to Work in the Workhouses Hospitals or Houses of Correction or one of them for any Time not exceeding Six Months And in case such Constable shall neglect or refuse well and duly to serve or execute faithfully such Warrant hee shall forfeit the Sum of Ten Shillings for every such Offence.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act or any thing herein contained shall not in any wise extend to give the said Corporation any Power or Authority over any Almshouse or Hospital or any other charitable Gift or Use within the said City or Liberties thereof shewly given acted or executed or to be at any Time hereafter given acted or executed but that the same may be wholly exempted therefrom any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Courts and Assemblies consisting of the said Guardians or the Majority of them so assembled shall by (") Votes of the major Number of them then present have Power to choose and appoint a Clerk and all such other Officers and Servants as shall be needful to be employed in and about the Premises and them or any of them from time to time to remove as they shall see cause and upon the Death and Removal of any of them to choose and appoint others in their Places and to make and give such reasonable Allowances to them or any of them out of the Stock or Revenue belonging to the said Corporation as they shall think fit.

Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the Time being and all other Officers belonging to the said Corporation Hospitals Workhouses and Houses of Correction shall from time to time before such Person or Persons as the said Corporation at any Court consisting of Eleven Guardians at the least shall shewly appoint account for such Sums of Money Stock and other Things belonging to the said Corporation Hospitals Workhouses or Houses of Correction as shall come to him or their respective Hands or be under his or their respective Care upon every reasonable Warning and Notice thereof by the said Corporation or by the said Governor or Deputy Governor to them respectively to be given And moreover that the said Treasurer and Receiver shall Yearly before the Determination of their said Offices respectively severally with such Person as shall be appointed by the said Corporation at any Court so aforesaid for all such Money Stock or other Things belonging to the said Corporation as shall here come to or be in their Hands respectively and shall pay or deliver (over) such Money and other Things as shall be found in their Hands to the succeeding Treasurer or Receiver respectively who shall give a Receipt for the same.

Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if the Treasurer Receiver and other Officers belonging to the said Corporation or any of them shall refuse or neglect to account as aforesaid such Person shall and may be by the said Governor or Deputy Governor and Assistants or any Five or more of them committed to the Goal of the said City of Worcester to remain without Bail or Mainprize until he or they shall become Conformable and Account as aforesaid And if upon any such Account there shall appear to be any thing in his or their Hands belonging to the said Corporation Hospitals Workhouses or Houses of Correction he or they shall pay and deliver the same as the said Corporation so assembled or the majority of them present shall direct and appoint or shall forthwith give such Security for the same as the said Corporation shall approve of on Pain to forfeit Double the Value thereof to be recovered by the said Corporation by Action of Debt Bill Plein or Information together with Costs of Suit in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Worcester in which no Protection (or<sup>1</sup>) Ensigne or Wager of Law or any more than One Imparience shall be admitted or allowed

Act be it further enacted That all Perchies or Forfeitures by this Act given or appointed shall (") by Districte and Sale of the Offenders Goods by Writ under Hand and Seals of the said Governor or Deputy Governor or of any Five of the said Assistants for the Time being running to the Offender the Overplus (the Charges of distringing being first deducted) and being so levied or paid shall be employed to and for such Uses and Purposes as the said Poor Rates are hereby directed to be employed.

Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all charitable Gifts Deeds or Dispositions heretofore given devised or disposed (") in general Terms to or for the Use of the Poor of the said City or of any of the Perchies or Places aforesaid shall be paid to and be had received and enjoyed by the said Corporation to and for the Uses of the Poor aforesaid.

PROVIDED also and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person or Persons shall at any Time or Times hereafter be elected or chosen or be any ways capable of being elected or chosen a Guardian or Guardians of the said Corporation or of taking upon him or them the Burden of such Place or Office unless such Person or Persons shall at the Time of his or their Election be rated and pay after the Rate of Six Pence yearly towards the Rates for the Relief of the Poor

XXIV.  
Governor Act may  
by Warrant ap-  
pointed Beggars and  
Vagabonds, idle  
and disorderly  
Persons.  
Constable  
negligent Duty:  
Penalty ten

XXV.  
Almshouse, be  
within the said City  
except from  
Benefaction of  
Corporation.

XXVI.  
Courts may choose  
a Clerk,  
and officers and  
supply Treasury  
and make  
Allowance

XXVII.  
Treasurer and  
Officers to account,

upon Notice,

and Treasurer and  
Receiver to account  
Yearly, and pay  
over to Successor.

XXVIII.  
Treasurer, &c.  
refusing or  
neglecting to  
account,  
committed  
if delivery, &c.  
found in hand,  
to pay the same or  
give Security.

Penalty.

XXIX.  
Penalties levied  
and applied

XXX.  
Charitable Gifts  
given in general  
Terms not to the  
Use of the  
Corporation.

XXXI.  
Qualification of  
Persons chosen  
Guardians

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<sup>5</sup> or that shall hereafter be given devised or disposed "O" is King's Printer Copy.

XXXII.  
Corporations  
unincorporated in  
contract with  
Prisoners in the  
County of  
Worcester for  
setting their Door  
to work.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Corporations hereby constituted shall have and hereby hath full Power and Authority to contract and agree with any Parish or [or<sup>1</sup>] Parishes in the said County of Worcester for the mooring, employing and setting to work in the said Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction all or any of the Poor within the said Parish or Parishes and that such Poor after they shall be so received shall be in all respects subject to and be ordered and governed by the said Corporation in such Sort and Manner as any other of the Poor there.

XXXIII.  
Receiving and  
setting to work  
and deemed a  
Settlement.

Proviso also that That the receiving, working or Continuance of any poor Person or Persons (being an Inhabitant or Inhabitants in any Parish or Parishes in the County of Worcester or elsewhere out of the Liberties of the said City in the said Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction shall not be deemed or construed to be any Settlement in the Place Parish or Parishes wherein such Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction shall happen to be but the Settlement or Settlements of such poor Person or Persons when discharged out of the said Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction shall be deemed to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever an Inhabitant legally settled in such other Parish or Parishes Precinct Place or Places when such poor Person was last before settled as if such poor Person had never worked or been received into the said Workhouse or Workhouses or House or Houses of Correction.

XXXIV.  
Such Part of  
Parishes having  
wardens as to be  
in the County, shall  
be within the  
City or Town,  
&c.

Proviso also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Part of the said several Parishes of St Peter & Martin and St Clement as lie in the County of Worcester as far as concerning Poor Rates and all Appeals touching the same and all other Matters (\*) in this Act contained and not otherwise shall be deemed and taken to be within the City of Worcester and Liberties thereof and for the same Purpose be subject and liable to such Orders and Determinations as other Parishes or Places lying and being within the said City and Liberties thereof.

XXXV.  
Guardians of  
Officers, except  
Quartermen, to be  
by Ballot as before  
mentioned.

Proviso also that That all Elections of Officers to be made by virtue of this Act other than the Election of Guardians shall be performed by the Ballot in Manner following (viz<sup>t</sup>) The Governor or Deputy Governor in his Discretion or Absence of them or either of them Five of the Assistants who are registered as first chosen at the last Election of Assistants shall and are hereby authorized and required to take the Scrutiny of this Ballot who [are to<sup>1</sup>] meet on the Day and Place of Election and there in the Presence of the [Election and there in the Presence of the Electors] shall place a Glass to be provided for that Purpose into which each Elector shall put a Scrub of Paper containing the Name of such Person as he thinks fit to be elected for the said Office or Place then to be supplied or filled and such Person as shall be found to have most Votes upon Inspection or Scrutiny of the said Papers shall be deemed and taken to be duly elected to the said Office or Place then in Nomination.

XXXVI.  
Selling Cloth or  
Stuff made in the  
said Workhouses,  
by the Wardens  
within the City,  
Penalty.

Proviso also that That no Cloth or Stuff either Woollen or Linen manufactured in the said Workhouse or Workhouses or House or Houses of Correction shall be sold by Retail within the said City of Worcester and the Liberties thereof by any Governor Officer or Agent of the said Workhouse upon Pain of forfeiting Double the Value thereof to any Person who shall sue for the same but that it may be lawful to employ any Quartermen of such Cloth or Stuff as to the Corporation hereby constituted shall suffice for for the Cloathing the Poor upon the Care of the said Corporation.

XXXVII.  
In Actions for  
breaching Act,  
General Issue may  
be pleaded.  
Trespass Costs.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall be sued for any Matter or Thing which he or they shall do in Execution of this Act he or they may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and if the Verdict shall pass for the Defendant or Defendants or the Plaintiff be acquitted or discontinue his Suit or Judgement shall be given against him the Defendant or Defendants shall have and recover his or their Treble Costs in such Manner as Costs are had or recovered by any Defendant upon Judgement given for him in any Action.

XXXVIII.  
Public Act.

And this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts within this Kingdom as a Publick Act and all Judges and Justices are hereby required in such to take Notice thereof without Special pleading the same.

XXXIX.  
Masters, &c. to  
be taking the  
Corporation in  
receiving Act.

And all Mayors Justices Sheriffs Bayliffs Constables and all other Officers and Ministers of Justice are hereby required to be aiding and assisting to the said Corporation and to all such Officers as shall be employed by them or any of them in the Execution of this Act or any the Powers or Authorities hereby given.

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## CHAPTER II. (')

AN ACT for the better and more regular paying and assigning the Annuities after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum payable to severall Barons and other Persons or those choosing under them

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WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of the Reigne of our late Sovereign Lord King William the Third (of glorious Memory) intitled An Act for appropriating Three thousand seven hundred Pounds weekly out of certain Branches of Exche for Publick Uses and for making a Provision for the Service of His Majesties Household and Family and other His Necessary Occasions It was amongst other Things enacted That in lieu and discharge of certain perpetual Annuall Payments and of all Annies thereof granted by His late Majesty King Charles the Second in the respective Patents therein named the Hereditary Revenue of Exche in the said Act mentioned should from and after the Twentieth day of December One thousand seven hundred and five be and stand charged for ever with the Payment of said Sum after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum for the Principall Sums mentioned in the said respective Letters Patent to be issued and paid out of the said Revenue by Quarterly Payments out of the Receipt of the Exchequer by the Officers of the same unto the respective Owners and Proprietors of the severall annual Sums and to their Heires and Assignes for ever withing any further or other Warranty to be used for had and obtained in that Behalf the said annual Payments after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum to be subject nevertheless to be redeemed on Payment of a Moneys of the Principall Sums mentioned in the said respective Letters Patent: And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reigne of Her present Majesty intitled An Act for the better Support of Her Majesties Household and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown it is amongst other Things enacted that from and after the Expiration of the Term of Five Years therein mentioned to make Money in together with the said Payments after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum should make up the Sum of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds for every Week during Her Majesties Life should and might be taken out of the said Hereditary Dues of Exche and out of the Dues of Exche thereby granted for His Majesties Life and either or any of them And the said Payment after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum being deducted out of the Hereditary Part thereof the Residue of the said Three thousand seven hundred Pounds a Week should be applied and disposed of to and for the publick Use and Service And whereas by an Act of this present Session of Parliament intitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty for carrying on the War and other Her Majesties Occasions by selling Annuities at severall Rates and for each respective Termes and Estates as are therein mentioned it is amongst other Things enacted that from and after the First and twentieth Day of December in the Years of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five the said full due and entire weekly Sum of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds out of all the Moneys arising by the said Hereditary Dues of Exche and by the said Dues of Exche payable during Her Majesties Life and by every and any of them according to the Tenor and Direction of the Act of Parliament above recited in that Behalf and from and after Her Majesties Decease then the like full due and entire weekly Sum of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds of lawful English Money out of all the Moneys to arise by the said Hereditary Dues of Exche and every or any of them from time to time for ever shall be brought and paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer and that out of the Moneys of the said Hereditary Dues of Exche arising in or by such weekly Payments at the Exchequer as aforesaid the said annual Sums after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum prescribed by the said Act made in the Parliament holden in the Twelfth Year of the Reigne of His late Majesty King William the Third shall be satisfied and paid according to the Directions therein contained and subject to the Power of Redemption therein mentioned as by the said severall Acts Relation being thereunto had more at large may appeare Now for the better and more regular paying and assigning the said Annuities after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum he is enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spirituall and Temporall and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Auditor of the Receipts of Her Majesties Exchequer for the Time being shall with all convenient speed search the Books and Entries in his Office and from thence or from the original Letters Patents Assignments or other Assurances to him to be produced shall make a Certificate to the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being of the Names of the severall and respective Persons that are or shall be then intitled to the said Annuities after the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum respectively expounding the Principall Sums due and the Annuities after the Rate aforesaid payable to the said Owners or Proprietors respectively

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The Auditor of the Receipts of the Exchequer is to search, and certify to the Treasury the Names of Annuities.

II.  
Annuitants to have Warrants for Payment of Annuities out of the weekly Deposits of Hereditary Revenues payable quarterly.

Orders signed by Treasury

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said respective Persons shall have One or more making Warrants and Orders (the said Orders to be made first upon Payment or Voucher paying the said Sum and no more which Four shall not exceed One Penny for every Twenty Shillings by the Year or after that Rate) for the Payment of such Annuity or Annuities so to be certified to be paid to them respectively and to their respective Executors Administrators and Assigns until the same shall be redeemed in full out of the Moneys of the said weekly Payments to arise by or from the said Hereditary Dues of Exche the said Payments of the said Annuities to be made quarterly the first Payment to be made on the Twenty seventh Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six which said Orders shall be signed by the [Treasurer] and Undersecretary of the Exchequer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury

' This is Chap. XV. in the Commons printed Edition.

' Treasurer G.

Not Detained by  
Death or Banishment  
of Treason &c.

for the Time being and after the signing the said Orders and every of them the same shall be firm good valid and effectual in Law according to the Purport and true Meaning thereof and of this present Act and shall not be determined by or upon the Death or Removal of any Treasurer or Under-treasurer of the Exchequer or any Comptroller or Commissioners of the Treasury or by or upon the Determination of the Power Office or Office of them or any of them nor shall any Lord High Treasurer of England Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioners of the Treasury now or for the Time being have Power to revoke annulment or make void such Orders as signed as aforesaid or any of them.

III.  
Assignments may  
assign or derive  
Assignments.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Person and Persons that are or shall be indebted to the said Annates respectively and his her and their respective Executors Administrators or Assigns by Writing under his her or their Hand and Seal or by his her or their last Will and Testament in Writing to assign or derive such Annates or Assignments or any Part thereof or any Interest therein to any Person or Persons whatsoever and so to make quodam and so such Assignment by Deed to be revocable so as any Entry or Memorandum of such Assignment or Will or Deed thereof shall be kept for due Purpose in the said Office of the Auditor of the Receipt within the Space of Three Months after such Assignment or Probate of the Will and that upon producing of such Assignment or Will or Deed thereof in the said Office of the Auditor of the Receipt to be entered as aforesaid the Party so producing the same shall bring therewith an Affidavit taken before some Person authorized to take Affidavits in Causes depending in any of the Courts at Westminster of the due Execution of the said Assignment or signing sealing and publishing of the said Will which Affidavits shall be usually filed in the said Office which said Entry or Memorandum the Officers in the said Receipt of the Exchequer are hereby required to make accordingly and to file the Affidavits making for the return of every such Assignment or Deed or Signing the said Affidavits the Sums of One Shilling and no more and in Default of such Assignment or Deed or Will the Annates of such Person or Persons shall upon his Death go to his or her Executors or Administrators.

Fee to the Exchequer.

IV.  
Assignments  
may derive.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Annates shall be free from all Taxes Charges and Impediments whatsoever and that all and every Person and Persons who shall be indebted to any of the said Annates so be comprised in such Order or Orders to be signed as aforesaid after the signing of the said Orders respectively shall be possessed thereof as of a Personal Estate and the same shall not be disseizable to the Heirs.

V.  
Exemption to  
the Officers of the  
Exchequer in lieu  
of Fees, &c. in the  
Pound.

Provided (\*) That the Officers in the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer for the Labour and Pains of themselves and their Clerks in the Payment of the said Annates shall or may (in lieu of their Fees) take and receive after the Rate of Two Pence in the Pound and no more to be divided amongst them in such Proportion as they shall think fit to be divided Any thing in this or the said former Acts contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

VI.  
Selling Writings  
of Annates held  
in Right of Wife  
to be made out in  
last Names of  
Husband and Wife  
and not in the dis-  
posed of without  
free Consent of  
Wife.  
Cuth of Executors  
and Consents of  
Wife.  
Folio.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That each standing Warrant and Orders to be made as aforesaid or any of the said Annates or any Part thereof wherein any Person on the Eleventh Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three shall be indebted in the Right of his Wife shall be made out jointly in the Names of such Person and his Wife and that no Person or Persons indebted as aforesaid to any of the said Annates or any Part thereof in the Right of his Wife shall be capable to sell or any value to dispose thereof at any Time during these Courtures without the free and voluntary Consent of his Wife first had and obtained testified by her being a Party in such Assignment and signing and sealing the same and such Person who shall make Cuth of the due Execution of such Assignment as above directed shall when made Cuth of the Wife Consent thereto [by \*] some Person authorized to take Affidavits as aforesaid and the Affidavits to be filed in the said Auditor Office.

VII.  
Several Annates  
may be comprised  
in One Order.

Provided also That where any Person is or shall be indebted to many or divers of the said Annates and shall be desirous to have the same comprehended in One Order upon Signification thereof in Writing under the Hand of such Person the Order shall and may be drawn and signed accordingly for several Annates to be reduced into One yearly Sum by One and the same Order Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

\* by G.

\* always G.

\* before \* G. R. King's Printer Copy.

CHAPTER X.<sup>(1)</sup>

An Act for the Discharge out of Prison such Insolvent Debtors as shall serve or procure a Person to serve in Her Majesty's Fleet or Army

Rev. Paul,  
1644, 1645, 1646, 1647

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of Her present Majesty's Reigne intituled An Act for the Reliefe of poor Prisoners for Debt it was intended and designed by virtue thereof to supply Her Majesty with Recruits both by Sea and Land during this present Warr as well as to relieve the said poor Prisoners but by reason that [Prisoners]<sup>(2)</sup> could be discharged by virtue of the said Act who were indebted above the Sum of Twenty Pounds besides Costs of Suit and for that by the said Act there was no particular Election how they should be or cause themselves in Her Majesty's Service the same did not answer the Intents for which it was made wherefore to supply the Defects which did obstruct the good Ends and Purposes of the said Act be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Justice of the Peace of any County City Town or Liberty within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tyne where any Person or Persons being actually a Prisoner or Prisoners on the Eighth Day of November One thousand seven hundred and three for any Debt or Damages or for or upon any Action or Actions or upon any Motion Process for Debt or Damages or who may [have]<sup>(3)</sup> Judgments or Judgements entered upon Record against him her or them [or]<sup>(4)</sup> are charged in Execution or imprisoned upon Contempt or Attachments for Debt or upon Outlawries before or after Judgment or upon any other Process whatsoever for any Debt Sums or Sums of Money contracted before the Eighth Day of November One thousand seven hundred and three who shall be found or become so poor that hee or shee hath not wherewith to maintain him or herself in Prison without being burthensome to their respective Relations or the Countie Cities or Parishes where such Prisoners are then and in such Case it shall and may be lawful to or for any of the said Justices of the Peace upon the Petition of any poor Prisoner or Prisoners to summon the Person or Persons at whose Suit or Suits hee or they are detained in Prison their Executors Administrators or Assigns; and also the Goalier or Keeper of the Prison where such poor [Prisoners] are or shall be committed or detained to bring such Debtor or Debtors before the Justice of the Peace at their Generall Sessions in open Court with a Copy of her her or their Cases of Complaint and in case such Prisoner shall take an Oath to the Effect following (viz<sup>(5)</sup>)

Record of the  
Act of 1703, and of  
the Prisoners  
thereof

In the Prison of  
your Majesty  
James the Second,

Justices of Peace  
may examine  
Creditors and Debtors  
in being Prisoners  
and Causes of  
Complaints, and  
upon Prisoners  
making the Oath  
before mentioned,

I A: B: [do]<sup>(6)</sup> upon my corporal Oath solemnly profess and declare before Almighty God That I have not any Estate Real or Personal in Possession Reversion or Remainder or in Trust of the Value of Tens Pounds in the whole or sufficient to pay the Debt or Damages for which I am imprisoned and that I have not directly or indirectly sold leased or otherwise conveyed disposed of or lencased all or any Part of my Estate thereby to secure the same to receive or expect any Profit or Advantage thereof or to defraud or deceive any Creditor or Creditors whatsoever to whom I stand indebted

Which Oath the said Justice of the Peace at their Generall or Quarter Sessions in open Court are lawfully empowered to administer and to examine upon Oath the Prisoner or any other Person about the Prisoners Poverty if they see Cause and shew the Summar of the same Service and Notice given to the Creditor or Creditors their Executors Administrators or Assigns Goalier or other Person And after the taking the said Oath such Creditor or Creditors as summoned shall shew Cause why such poor Prisoner or Prisoners shall not be discharged from his his her or their Imprisonment And if such Creditor or Creditors at whose Suit or Suits such poor Prisoner is detained do make or desire the Prisoner to [be]<sup>(7)</sup> in Prison the Justice in open Court or any Two or more of them are lawfully required and empowered to cause such Creditor or Creditors to provide a Mainmaine for the said poor Prisoners not exceeding Four Pence per Day which shall be paid to the Prisoner himselfe and not to the Goalier Keeper or any [other]<sup>(8)</sup> Person for him And if within the Space of Three Months after such Allowance by any Creditor no Estate of the Prisoners shall be discovered or made out before Two Justices of the Peace of the County where the Prisoner is kept in Prison or if the Creditor or Creditors neglect Payment of such daily Allowance for the Space of Threety Daies or upon the Default of the Appearance of the Creditor or Creditors to summon the Justice of the [Peace]<sup>(9)</sup> in open Court may discharge the Person only of such Prisoner from his or her Imprisonment from all or any Debt contracted before the said Eighth of November which Order of Discharge being signed and sealed by any Two or more of the said Justices shall cause himselfe every Sheriffe Jailer and Prisoner having a Duplicate thereof

which may be  
administered by  
Sheriff or Quarter  
Sessions,

Creditor to shew  
Cause against  
Discharge, and if  
Prisoner demand,  
Justice to examine  
Creditors provide  
a Mainmaine,

and if within  
Three Months  
no Estate of  
Prisoner be  
discovered or  
made out, Justice may  
discharge Prisoner

Provided always That the Discharge of the Prisoner or Prisoners shall not discharge his her or their Debt or Debtors any other Person or Persons jointly or severally bound with him [or]<sup>(10)</sup> or them nor any other Security nor any Debt Fine or Offence to the Queen but that all and every Judgment or Judgments against him her or them shall stand good to all Intents and Purposes against the Lands Tenements Hereditaments Goods and Chattels of the said Prisoner or Prisoners so discharged and that it shall and may be lawful to and for any Creditor or Creditors his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns to take out any new Execution or Executions against the Lands Tenements Hereditaments Goods and Chattels of the said Prisoner or Prisoners Any Law Usage or Custom to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

II.  
Discharge of  
Prisoner not to  
discharge Debtors a  
Prisoner, Debtors in  
the County, &c.

Creditor may take  
out new Executions.

<sup>(1)</sup> This is Chapter XLVI in the Commons printed Edition.

<sup>(2)</sup> Prisoner O

<sup>(3)</sup> mentioned on the Roll

<sup>(4)</sup> Prisoners or O, & King's Prisoners Copy.

<sup>(5)</sup> be kept O & King's Prisoners Copy

<sup>(6)</sup> unless O

<sup>(7)</sup> See O

III.  
In what Case any  
discharged Person  
may be again  
detained, &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons who shall be discharged by virtue of this Act shall at any Time or Times after his her or their Discharge or Discharges be again arrested or detained for any Debt or Debts Arising upon the said Duty Stamp or Stamp of Money whatsoever contracted or due before the said Eighth Day of November then such Person or Persons so arrested showing a Duplicate that he or she hath been discharged upon something the Person or Persons at whose Suit he or she is detained shall again be discharged and set at Liberty by any Two or more of the said Justices of the Peace (whereof One to be of the Quorum) upon an Affidavit by an Attorney for such Prisoner or Prisoners in the proper Court where such Prisoner or Prisoners shall [be arrested and the Person [or Persons] of such Prisoner or Prisoners shall] be for ever free whether a Prisoner on Main Process or in Execution for any Debt if contracted on or before the said Eighth Day of November

IV.  
Sheriffs, Gaolers,  
&c. Noting to  
every Benchman, or  
Clerk of Justice,  
Respectively.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Sheriff's Gaoler Prisoner or any other Person shall refuse to obey such Summons or Orders as shall be made by the Justices at any of their Meetings or Adjournments every Person so offending shall for every such Offence be fined at Discretion of the Justice authorized to put this Act in Execution in any Fine not exceeding Ten Pounds to be disposed in such Manner as the Judge Part of the Justice of the Peace at their General or Quarter-Sessions shall think fit and upon Non payment of such Fine they are hereby impowered to imprison the Person or Persons so offending until such Fine is paid

V.  
In Actions for  
recovery of Debt.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon any Action of Escape or other Suit brought or to be brought against any Justice of the Peace Sheriff's Gaoler or Prisoner for any thing done in Obedience to this Act it shall and may be lawful to and for such Justices of the Peace Sheriff's Gaoler or Keeper of any Prison Officer or other Person to plead the General Issue and give this Act in Evidence which shall be a good and sufficient Discharge and shall save Harless every such Justice of the Peace Sheriff's Gaoler or Keeper of any Prison Officer or any other Person pleading the same And if the Plaintiff in any such Action shall be awarded or Verdict pass against him the Defend<sup>t</sup> shall have Treble Costs to be taxed by the Court where such Action shall be brought

General Issue may  
be pleaded.

Treble Costs.

VI.  
No Prisoner  
discharged, shall  
be obliged to  
pay any  
Oath before the  
Justices.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Prisoner or Prisoners shall be discharged by virtue of this Act until he she or they shall before the Justice of the Peace who are by this Act impowered to discharge him her or them declare upon his her or their Corporal Oath (which Oath the said Justices are impowered to administer) what (?) to him her or them or what Debt or Debts are then owing to his her or them by any Person or Persons whatsoever within any of Her Majesty's Towns or elsewhere so as the best of his her or their Remembrance and by whom and for what Cause and upon what Security of all which a Schedule or Inventory shall be made in the Presence of such Justice and subscribed by the Prisoner and shall be by such Justice ordered to be kept by the Clerk of the Peace for the better Information of the Justices of such Prisoner who or each of them as will pay any Overplus in the Name of such Prisoner for his her or their Debt or so much thereof as will satisfy them such Person and Persons owing the Prisoner hereunto from all Moneys and Protections on any such Action or Actions and after the same is recovered and received to render to Overplus (their own Debts and Charges first deducted) to the Prisoner for the Satisfaction of other Debts if any shall remain due from him

Schedule thereof  
subscribed by  
Prisoner, and kept  
by Clerk of the  
Peace.

Overplus may not  
be due from  
Prisoner.

VII.  
Discharged  
Prisoners also  
discharged from  
Chamber Rent,  
Gaoler's Fee, &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Persons discharged by virtue of this Act and shall be freed and discharged from all Chamber Rent and other Fees to Gaolers and their respective Officers and all Securities given by such poor Prisoners or others bound with them to any Gaolers [or others bound with them to any Gaolers] or to any other Person in Trust for them as hereby [also] discharged and made void

VIII.  
Prisoners to have  
Working Apparel,  
Bedding, and Tools.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every poor Prisoner Working Apparel Bedding and Tools necessary for his or her Trade (not exceeding Ten Pounds in value) is hereby exempted from being sold to be seized or attached for any Debt contracted before the said Eighth Day of November

IX.  
Prisoners providing  
Debt of more than  
three

PROVIDED always That no Person or Persons by virtue of this Act shall be discharged out of Prison who shall stand charged and indebted in more than the Sum of One hundred Pounds to any one Person Principal Money and Damages

X.  
No Male Prisoner  
discharged during  
the present War  
shall be able, &c.

PROVIDED also and be it further enacted by the [Authority] aforesaid That no Man shall during the present War with France and Spain be discharged from his Impowerment or have any Benefit or Advantage by virtue or virtue of this Act or any thing therein contained unless such Man do and shall enter or let himself into Her Majesty's Service by Sea or Land and continue in such Service during the Continuance of this present War or in His Majesty's Place present or able bodied Man to be entered or hired and continue in Her Majesty's Service during the said War every Person as to be listed shall be listed before or by such Person or Persons as Her Majesty under Her Royal Sign Manual shall appoint

<sup>1</sup> G. omits.

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Roll.

<sup>3</sup> = Effigies belonging to G. is King's Prisoner Goff



Provision also and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person shall be guilty of wilful Paying or give any Advantage by this Act such Person being thereof lawfully convicted shall beyond and above the Penalties which may by the Laws now in being be inflicted be considered as the House of Correction there to remain for the Space of Twelve Months without Bail or Mainprize and be kept to hard Labour during such Time of his Imprisonment

XL.  
Paym.  
Prisoners.

## CHAPTER XL. (1)

AN Act for better charging several Accomps with Interest Money by them received and to be received.

Est. Part.  
18 J. 1. 1703. c. 10.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Twelfth Year of the Reigne of His late Majesty King William the Third for granting to His Majestie several Duties upon Low Wines or Spirits of the first Extraction and for continuing several Duties therein mentioned Provision is made that the respective Treasurers of the Navy and Paymasters of the Land Forces and the Officers in the subordinate Offices therein mentioned should be chargeable with the Interest Money by them or their Agents respectively received upon Tallies and Orders for Monies imprested to them severally during the late Wars against France or at any Time before the making of the said Act in the Manner and Form thereby prescribed And that every such Charge should be examined by the Entries and Vouchers in the Receipt of [the] Exchequer before the respective Account or Accounts of the said Treasurers Paymasters or other Officers should be delivered And by an Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reigne intitled An Act for making good Deficiencies and for providing the Publick Credit it was directed that the respective Accounts of any the said Treasurers Paymasters or other Officers of the Monies by them received for the Service of the said Navy Forces and for Services in the said subordinate Offices should and might be delivered and finished according to the ancient Usage and Methods of the Exchequer so as before the delivering of the last Accounts of the Monies by them severally received as aforesaid for the said respective Services all the said Interest Monies be duly examined and charged as the said former Act directed as by the said several Acts may more fully appear And whereas it appears that the Auditors of the said Receipt of Exchequer doth as too charge Accomps as aforesaid with Interest Money by them or their Agents received upon Tallies or Orders that are satisfied and discharged in the said Receipt but it is difficult to charge such Accomps with Interest Money upon each of the said Tallies or Orders as are standing out and unsatisfied and it is utterly impossible for him to charge upon such Accomps the Interest hereafter to be paid upon any such unsatisfied Tallies and Orders until the Principall thereupon comes in course of Payment and the said Tallies and Orders be brought to the said Receipt to be discharged and it will be a great Detriment to Her Majesties Service in case the said Accomps of the said respective Treasurers Paymasters and other subordinate Officers (which containe large Sums of Money and may have many Papers depending thereupon) should be delivered until all the said Duties and Tallies be fully discharged to obtain which Methode he is enacted by the Queen most Excellent [Maj<sup>ty</sup>] by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer for the Time being shall proceed as far as conveniently he can to examine the several Accounts [Accounts] exhibited or to be exhibited pursuant to the said Act of the Twelfth Year of His said late Majesties Reigne by the said Officers not far forth as the same are brought in and discharged at the said Receipt and shall pursuant to the same Act add and exchange the Interest Monies content therein and utter the same as far as he shall appear to him at present that the said Treasurers Paymasters and other subordinate Officers or their Agents have received any such Interest before the Assignments of the respective Orders which Interest ought to be charged upon them respectively as aforesaid and the High Treasurer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury Chancery Undersecretary Auditors of the Imprests and other Officers and Ministers of the Exchequer for the Time being to whom it doth or shall appertain shall and may upon such Charge so returned proceed in the delivering and finishing of the last or any other Accounts of the said respective Treasurers Paymasters or other Officers of the Monies by them received for the Service of the said Navy Forces and for Services in the said subordinate Offices according to the ancient Usage and Methods of the Exchequer Any thing in the said former Acts or either of them to the contrary notwithstanding.

Recd. of Treas.  
18 J. 1. 1703. c. 11.

18 J.

Recd. of Treas.  
18 J. 1. 1703. c. 11.

Reason for  
putting the Act.

Auditor of the  
Exchequer to  
examine Interest  
Accounts exhibited  
pursuant to the  
said Act 18 J. 1. 1703. c. 11.  
and to exchange  
Interest monies  
content therein and  
utter the same.

Treasury, Sec. to  
proceed upon such  
Charge as aforesaid.

XL.  
Auditor of the  
Exchequer, notwithstanding  
Accounts delivered  
finished, may  
examine the same.

and certify that  
yearly the same  
that ought to be  
charged for  
Interest.

Such Certificate  
to be legal Charge

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XVII. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> So written.

<sup>3</sup> contained in the Bill.

Agent Account-  
ant, and if he should  
to answer.  
Process issued.

And His Executors & Administrators respectively And if they respectively do neglect or refuse to answer  
with Charge the same shall be filed in the Court of Exchequer and the Process of the said Court shall be  
issued thereupon.

III.  
In case it appears to  
Auditor of  
Treasury that said  
Interest Money  
was assigned to  
Creditors, and  
Treasury retained  
thereof by  
Certificate from  
Auditor, &c.  
Treasury may make  
just Allowances to  
Accountants.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That in all Cases where it shall be made appears to the Auditors of  
the Treasury or either of them by authentick Voucher or good Proof upon Oath (the said Auditors or either of  
them having hereby Power to examine the said Accountants or their Agents or any other concerned upon Oath  
for this Purpose) that all or any Part of the said Interest Money charged or to be charged by the Auditor of  
the Receipts of the Exchequer as aforesaid on any such Accountant as aforesaid was truly and bona fide assigned  
paid or [disbursed] over to or actually received by the respective Creditors or other Persons who were appointed  
to receive the Money owing by the said Tallies and Orders or any of them and the said High Treasurer or the  
Comptroller of the Treasury shall be fully certified by a Certificate from the Auditor and enclosing the  
Vouchers or Proof whereupon the same shall be grounded that such Interest Money or any Part thereof  
or any Consideration or Advantage in lieu of the same did not come to the Use or Benefit of any such  
Accountant or their Agents respectively it shall and may be lawful to and for the said High Treasurer or  
any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being in any Account or Accounts  
wherein the said Interest Money or any shall be charged or chargeable to make such just and equitable  
Allowances or Discharges [of] or out of the same in the Cases and for the Causes before mentioned to the  
respective Accountant or Accountants as to the said High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time  
being shall seem meet.

IV.  
Payment of Salary,  
&c. to Comptroller  
of Army  
Accounts taken  
to have been made  
without Interest.

And he it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That all the Payments made at the Exchequer  
for the Salaries or Incident Charges of the Five Comptrollers for auditing the Accounts of the Army were and shall  
be taken to have been made without any Account or Interest to be set upon them or any of them for the same.

#### CHAPTER XII. (\*)

Act, Part,  
18 James, 2. c. 12.

An Act for the further Explanation and Regulation of the Privilege of Parliament in relation to Persons in  
Publick Offices.

Enacted for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS it is most just and reasonable that Persons employed in Offices and Places of Publick Trust should  
at all Times be accountable for any Misdemeanours therein and the Publick Justice of the Realm require a  
vigorous Prosecution of such Offenders To the End therefore that Your Majesties good Subjects may not lie  
under any Doubts or Discontentments whereby such Prosecutions might be prevented or delayed may it please  
Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by  
and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament  
assembled and by the Authority of the same That any Action or Suit shall it may be commenced and prosecuted  
in any of Her Majesties Courts at Westminster against any Officer or Person interested or employed in the Revenue  
of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors or any Part or Branch thereof or any other Office or Place of Publick  
Trust for any Felony or Misdemeanor or Breach of Trust of in or relating to such Office or Place of Trust or  
any Penalty imposed by Law to enforce the due Execution thereof and due to such Action Suit or any other  
Process Proceeding Judgment or Execution thereupon although such Officer or Person shall be a Peer of the  
Realm or Lord of Parliament or One of the Knights Knights or Barons of the House of Commons or  
otherwise intitled to the Privilege of Parliament shall be impeached stayed or delayed by or under Colour or  
Pretext of any Privilege of Parliament.

Actions, &c. may  
be commenced and  
prosecuted against  
Publick Officers for  
Breach of Trust,  
&c. and although  
against a Peer, &c.  
shall not be  
precluded, &c. under  
Colour of Privilege  
of Parliament.

II.  
Persons as to  
Arrest of Peers,  
and Members of  
the House of Commons.

Provided nevertheless and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act shall  
extend to subject the Person of such Officer being a Peer of this Realm or Lord of Parliament to be arrested  
or imprisoned but that [all] Process shall issue against such Officer or Person being a Peer of this Realm or Lord  
of Parliament as should have issued against him out of the Time of Privilege [now shall extend to subject the  
Person of such Officer being a Knight Knight or Baron of the House of Commons to be arrested or imprisoned  
during the Time of Privilege of Parliament] and due against such Officer or other Person being a Knight Knight  
and Baron of the House of Commons intitled to Privilege shall be issued Summons and Returnes of such Officer  
or Original Bill Summons Arrestment and Returnes intitled which the said respective Courts are hereby empowered to  
issue in such Case until the Party shall appear upon such Process according to the Course of such respective  
Court.

Distress intitled,  
&c.

\* Altered G.  
\* such G.

\* inserted on the Roll.

\* This is Chapter XVIII. in the Common Printed Edition.  
\* inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.



Such Account to be kept amongst the Records of the County, &c.

VII.  
In Action for  
Seduction &c.  
General Issue may  
be pleaded.

Double Costs.

VIII.  
Remedy for passing  
the Statute.

During the present  
War One Moiety  
of Masters in  
Ships may be  
Foreigners.

without Penalty or  
forfeiture Duties.

such Persons were brought and held and of the Names of the Officers to whom such Persons were delivered and of the Regiment & Company to which such Officers belonged and that such Accounts shall be kept by the Clerks of the Peace of such County, Riding City or Place among the Records thereof to which Accounts all Persons shall and may at all reasonable Times have free Access and Perusal without any Fee or Charge.\*]

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Plea Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what here or they shall do in pursuance or in Execution of this Act such Person or Persons as used in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue Not Guilty and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Prosecution shall become Nonsuit or forbear further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendants shall recover Double Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in any Case where Costs by Law are given to Defendants.

And whereas by the Laws now in force the carrying of Ships or Vessels in divers Cases is required to be the Master and Three fourth Parts of the Mariners at least being English under divers Penalties and Forfeitures therein contained. And whereas great Numbers of Seamen are employed in Her Majesty's Service for the increasing of the Royal Navy so that it is become necessary during this present War to dispense with the said Laws and to allow a greater Number of Foreigner Mariners for the carrying on of Trade and Commerce be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That during the present War and no longer the Number and Proportion of Masters to sail in such Ships or Vessels which by any Law now in force are limited to the Master and Three fourths of the Mariners to be English shall be enlarged to the Master and One Moiety of the Mariners at least to be English and that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Owner or Owners of any such Ship or Vessel to employ the same with such Masters wherever the Master and One Moiety of the Mariners at least shall be English without incurring any Penalty or Forfeiture for so doing and without subjecting the Goods or Merchandise laden on such Ship or Vessel to any other Custom Duties or Payments than should have been paid for the same in case the same Ship or Vessel had been navigated by a Master and Three fourths of the Mariners being English. Any former Law or Statute to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

ITEM quedam Petitiones privatae personarum concernentes In se forma Actuum consilientium exhibitis fuerunt prefate Domini Regis in Parlamento productas quarum Tituli subsequenter videntur

i. An Act for naturalizing Elizabeth Cholewenskey Wife of George Cholewenskey Esquire

ii. An Act to enable the Guardian of the Earl of Warwick and Holland during his Minority to make Leases of several Messuages in or near West Smithfield

iii. An Act for settling and confirming several Exchanges with Ralph Earl Montague of several Lands and Chances of Human Meets and others lying in Geddisen in the County of Northampton for several Lots of the said Earl's lying near to the same and for confirming several Agreements relating to the said Exchanges.

iv. An Act for confirming the Execution of a certain Agreement made between Ralph Lord Grey Baron of Wilton and Charles Lord Ouseburne and the Lady Mary his Wife touching certain Manors Lands and Tenements in the Countess of Northumberland Middlesex and City of London and also between Lawrence Esq<sup>r</sup> of Rocheston and the said Lord Grey concerning other Manors Lands and Tenements in the said County of Northumberland County Palatine of Durham and Town of Berwick upon Tweed

v. An Act for vesting several Estates in the Countess of Cornwall and Devon and several Leaseshold Estates in Trusts to be sold for raising Portion for the younger Children of George Lord Carteret deceased and for laying out the Overplus of the Money raised by such Sales in purchase of other Lands

vi. An Act for Sale of the Estate of Henry Lord Viscount Dillon in the Kingdom of Ireland for Payment of his Debts and for selling an Equivalent in other Part of his Estate to the Viscountess his Wife for her Jointure.

vii. An Act to enable Sir George Wheeler Knight and Doctor in Divinity to make Leases of some Houses and Ground in Chancery Row in Westminster

viii. An Act to enable Sir John Aubrey Bart<sup>r</sup> to make a Jointure upon his Marriage during his Minority and to enable him to buy in any Rent Charge or other Incumbence upon his Estate

ix. An Act for confirming and better Execution of Articles and the Agreements therein contained for the Disposition and Division of the Estate of the late Lord Jermyn among his Children

x. An Act for supplying the Defect of the Execution of a Power in Sir John Jermyn Knight deceased for settling Provision for his younger Children

\* inserted to the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

- xi. *An Act to enable Sir Thomas Tipping Baronet to sell the Manor of Ishford in the County of Bucks for Payment of a Debt charged thereon and tying out the Surplus Money in Purchase of other Lands to be settled to the same Use.*
- xii. *An Act to discharge the Governor and Company for making Hollow Wood Bladen in England the Sum of Eighteen thousand eight hundred and thirty five Shillings Seven Shillings and One Penny Half poy by mistake overcharged in the Purchase Money for several forfeited and other Estates and Successors in Ireland purchased by them.*
- xiii. *An Act for vesting several Estates of Sir Charles Bickernstaff Knight in Trustees to be sold for Payment of Debts and making Provision for his Wife and Daughters.*
- xiv. *An Act for Sale of certain Lands in Cheshire in the County of Northampton of William Adams Clerk for Payment of Debts and of Portions to his younger Brothers and Sisters and selling other Lands of greater Value upon his Wife and Children in Fee thereof.*
- xv. *An Act for vesting the Estate of Thomas Leigh late of Ridge in the County of Chester Esquire deceased in Trustees for the Payment of his Debts perfecting his Purchases and better effecting the Purposes in his Will.*
- xvi. *An Act for the making void certain Uses Estates and Trusts limited in the Marriage Settlements of Henry Audley Esq<sup>r</sup> of certain Messuages and Lands contained in that Settlement and selling other Messuages and Lands of better Value to and for the same Uses Estates and Trusts.*
- xvii. *An Act to enable Robert Cowdren Esquire to settle Part of his Estate (which he has improved) for raising Portions for his younger Children.*
- xviii. *An Act for vesting Lands in Essex devised by Sir Robert Knapp Knight deceased to the Children and Grand Children of Elizabeth Outlaw one of his Sisters and Coheirs in Trusts to be sold for the Benefit of the Debtors.*
- xix. *An Act for the vesting of Nine Messuages in the Parish of St Giles's in the Fields in the County of Middlesex being the Estate of William Jurens and Mary his Wife in Trusts to be sold and for selling in fee thereof a Messuage and certain Lands in Whippside Tottenham and Bradham in the County of Bedford.*
- xx. *An Act to enable John Jenkins Esquire to sell Lands in the Counties of Durham and Northumberland for Payment of Debts charged thereupon.*
- xxi. *An Act for vesting in Trustees Part of the Estate of Thomas Harlakenden Bowen Esquire for Payment of the Debts and Legacies whereof the said Estate is charged and for preserving the Receipts clear of Charges for the Benefit of Thomas Bowen an Infant.*
- xxii. *An Act to enable Arabella Foot to buy out Monies belonging to her Son Topham Foot in Purchase of Lands for his Benefit.*
- xxiii. *An Act to enable the Lord High Treasurer of England or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with John Farns Esquire for a Debt due from him as Surety for John Mason Gentleman late Receiver General for the County of Cambridge and Isle of Ely.*
- xxiv. *An Act for the vesting the Manor of Michell Church in the County of Rutland and other Lands in the County of Salop of Mary Bowdler and William Bowdler Gentleman in certain Trustees for Payment of the Debts and making Provision for the younger Children of the said William Bowdler.*
- xxv. *An Act for selling the Manor of Creuch in the County of Somerset in Trusts to enable them to renew Leases for the Maintenance of the younger Sons of William Keyt Esquire deceased during their Minority.*
- xxvi. *An Act for Sale of some Part of the Estate of John Holden Gentleman and Robert Holden his Son for Payment of Debt Debts and for disposing of younger Children Apprentices.*
- xxvii. *An Act for naturalizing Isaac Kops.*
- xxviii. *An Act for naturalizing Isaac Kops.*
- xxix. *An Act for naturalizing Isaac Kops.*
- xxx. *An Act for naturalizing Henry Beland de Saint Leger Petit de la Grange Lewis Wulden and others.*
- xxxi. *An Act to vest the Manor of Hunslop and Cuskegham and all other the Lands and Hereditaments of Sir Peter Tyrrell Baronet and Thomas Tyrrell Esquire his Son in the County of Bucks in Trusts to sell Part thereof for Payment of Debts and to settle other Lands and Hereditaments there being of an equal Value in Fee of Lands to be sold.*
- xxxii. *An Act to enable Sir John Cowper Knight and Anthony Hesly Esquire to make a Partition and grant Building Leases of several Messuages and Tenements in Lincoln his Fields in the Parishes of Saint Giles's in the Fields and Saint Clements Dunes in the County of Middlesex.*

xxxij An Act to sell Part of the Estate of Sir Christopher Phillips Knight in Trustees to be sold for Payment of Debts and for charging Part thereof with Maintenance for a Daughter who is a Lunatick

xxxij An Act for vesting the Manors of Yoxford in the County of Somerset and other Lands therein mentioned of Wilkes Carey Esquire in Trustees for discharging Incumbrances and making Provision for his younger Children and settling other Lands in the County of Devon in his Trustees

xxxij An Act for vesting divers Manors and Lands of Mathew Holworthy Esquire in Trustees to be sold and purchasing other Manors or Lands of equal Value and vesting the Manors or Lands to be purchased in the same Uses as the Lands to be sold are Directed

xxxij An Act for enabling Bernard Conon Esquire to sell some Part of his Estate for Payment of his Debts and for confirming several Conveyances already made of several other Parts of his Estate by himself and Trustees to several Purchasers thereof

xxxij An Act to charge the Estate of Ambrose Andrews Gent with Monies for Payment of Debts and for supplying some Defects in the Settlement of the said Estate for making a Jointure and Leases upon the said Estate.

xxxij An Act to establish and confirm a Partition and Agreement of and touching the Estate of Sir Thomas Style late of Waterbury in the County of Kent Baronet.

xxxij An Act for selling the Estate of Doctor Thomas Langbush deceased pursuant to his Marriage Article and Settlement prepared for that Purpose and for Provision for his younger Children

xxxix An Act for the better vending in Giles Frangson Esquire the Manor and Farm of Mauston the Manors and Hamlet in the County of Dorset in Possession and for the better securing the same and the other Manors Farms Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments late of William Frangson Esq<sup>r</sup> deceased to him the said Giles Frangson and such as are included in remainder after him upon the Death of Trograw Frangson Esquire.

xl An Act to enable George Evelyn Esquire to raise Portions for his Brothers and Sisters according to his Fathers Will.

xli An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of James Torr Gentleman deceased for Payment of his Debts and for vesting other Part thereof in the Uses therein mentioned.

xli An Act to subject the Estate of Robert Coke of Tinsley in the County of Derby Esquire and William Coke his Son and Heir Apparent to the Payment of the said Robert Cokes Debts and to make Provision for the Wife and younger Children of the said Robert Coke

xlii An Act for the settling aside a voluntary Settlement made by Mary Ferrer Widow and for rectifying a Partition made of the Manors of Meyham and Part and divers Lands in the Counties of Sussex between her and Bartholomew Wilmshay Esq<sup>r</sup> and others.

xlii An Act for the Improvement of the Estate of John Erison Esquire in the County of Cumberland.

xlii An Act for making good the Provision intended for Captain James Roch one of the fortified Bunkers in Ireland and for restoring to the Bishoprick of Cloyne in the said Kingdom the Manors and Lands of Donemore.

xlii An Act for setting aside voluntary Settlements made by John Howe Gent<sup>l</sup> of Etches in the Counties of Stafford and Warwick and setting some Part of his Estate upon the said John Howe and his Son and for making Provision for the Maintenance of his Son and Daughter and raising a Portion for each Daughter and selling the Residue for Payment of his Debts

xlii An Act for Sale of the Estate of John Digby Esquire deceased in the County of Buckingham and dividing the Money between Sir John Conway Baronet and Richard Monty Esquire and for settling the Estate of Sir John Conway in the County of Flint and making Provision for his Son and Daughter according to an Agreement to that Purpose.

xlii An Act for the further recompensing of John Baker Gentleman and his Family for the Services of Colonel Baker at Londonderry in Ireland and for making the Accounts of the late Receivers of the Rents and Profits of the fortified Estate in Ireland

xlii An Act that the Ships the Golden Bear and Bell being taken as Prize and confirmed may have Freedom of trading as English Ships

l An Act to naturalise Daniel Barber John Kemson de Chene and others

↳ An Act for naturalising Henry de Harz George Chabot and others.

## CHAPTER XIV.()

An Act for raising the Moulds for the Year One thousand seven hundred and four notwithstanding the Months Pay formerly advanced be not repaid

Ed. 1<sup>st</sup> 1813  
1813/1814 p. 3-4

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the [Eleventh<sup>th</sup>] and Fourteenth Years of the Reigne of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for ordering the Forces in the several Counties of the Kingdom it was amongst other Things enacted that in case of Insurrections or Rebellions whereby Disturbance should be to draw out the Soldiers mentioned and appointed in and by the said Act into actual Service the Persons charged by the said Act with Raising Horsemen and Arms should provide each their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Month's Pay as should be in that Behalf directed by the respective Lieutenants of the several Counties and in their Absence or otherwise by their Deputies or any Two or more of them for Repayment of which said Money and for Satisfaction of the Officers for their Pay during such Time not exceeding One Month as aforesaid as they should be with these Soldiers in (?) actual Service it was [therefore<sup>ly</sup>] declared that Provision should be made for the same by His said Majesty His Heirs and Successors out of His or Their Publick Treasury or Revenue Nevertheless it was thereby further provided and enacted that in case a Month's Pay should be provided and advanced as aforesaid that no Person who should have advanced [his<sup>er</sup>] Proportion thereof should be charged with any other like Month's Payment until he or they should be reimbursed the said Month's Pay and so from time to time the said Month's Pay by him or them last before provided and advanced as aforesaid

Record of text  
14 Car 11 c. 3  
p. 6

§ 6.

And whereas upon the Invasion of the Coasts of this Kingdom by the French it was found necessary for the Publick Defence and Safety to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to charge the said Persons to provide each their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand also the Month's Pay by several of them before that Time provided and advanced was not nor could be reimbursed

Ed.  
Reasons for passing  
the Act.

And whereas it may be necessary for the Publick Safety and Defence of this Realm to draw the said Forces into actual Service he it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the (?) Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if at any Time before the Twenty fourth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five it shall be found by Her Majesty to be necessary for the Defence and Safety of this Kingdom to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and the same shall be declared and signified in the respective Lieutenants or Deputy Lieutenants or the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two nearest Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants by Her Majesty it shall be lawful for the said Lieutenants or their Deputies or any Two or more of them as aforesaid and for the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two nearest Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants in pursuance of such Orders from Her Majesty notwithstanding One or more Month's Pay before that Time advanced be not reimbursed to raise and draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to cause the Persons charged as aforesaid to provide each their Soldier with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Month's Pay in such Manner as if all the Pay before that Time advanced and provided had been fully reimbursed and paid

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In what Case Lieutenants or Deputy Lieutenants of Counties may draw out Soldiers though former Pay not reimbursed.

## CHAPTER XV.()

An Act for prolonging the Time by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of Her Majesty's Reigne for importing Thrown Silk of the Growth of Sicily from Leghorn

Ed. 1<sup>st</sup> 1813  
1813/1814 p. 5-6

WHEREAS divers English Merchants trading to Sicily apprehending an approaching War were necessitated to remove their Thrown Silk (being the Produce of their Effects and Merchandises) from Messina and other Ports in Sicily aforesaid to the Port of Leghorn in Italy for want of English Shipping to transport the same directly from Sicily aforesaid according to the Direction of an Act of Parliament made in the Second Year of the Reigne of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the discouraging the Importation of Thrown Silks and the Act of Navigation and therefore an Act of Parliament was made and passed in the First Year of Her present Majesty's Reigne intitled An Act for importing into England Thrown Silks of the Growth of Sicily from the Port of Leghorn in Italy whereby it was enacted that it should and might be lawful to and for any English Merchant for and during the Term of Two Years first next ensuing to import into this Kingdom of England Diversions of Wines the Islands of Jersey and Guernsey or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed any Thrown Silk of the Growth of Sicily aforesaid or was or should be the Produce of the Effects and Merchandises of English Merchants trading to Sicily aforesaid in English Shipping from the Port of Leghorn aforesaid by Sea and not otherwise And whereas by reason of the short Stay of the Royal Navy the last Summer at Leghorn the said Merchants could not get their Shippes ready to sail with their Effects of Thrown Silk which by ready to be ship off so that they might have the Benefit of the said Convey for the

Reasons for passing  
the Act.

Stat. 1 W & M. c. 3.

1 Ann. c. 23.

Further Reasons for  
passing the Act.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XII. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> such O.

<sup>3</sup> thereby O.

<sup>4</sup> intitled in the Roll.

<sup>5</sup> This is Chapter XIII. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>6</sup> "Thousand" O. & King's Printer's Copy.

<sup>7</sup> "Advance and" O. & King's Printer's Copy.

The Time for  
reporting the  
Effects of Thrown  
Salt herein com-  
menced enlarged  
until 17th Sept.  
1709.

II.  
The Owners of  
such Thrown Salt  
to make Oath to  
be sworn to.

Salt bringing Home their said Effects of Thrown Salt may & please Your Majesty at the humble Suit of the said English Merchants that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Time for importing the said Effects of Thrown Salt be prolonged and enlarged until the Ninth and twentieth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five in such Manner and to such Place and Places only as by the said Act of the Year of Her [said] Majesty's Reigne was directed and permitted and not otherwise Any thing in the said Act of the Second Year of Thair and late Majesty's Reigne or any other Act Matter or Thing to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

Provided and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Owner or Owners of all such Thrown Salt as shall be imported by virtue of this Act shall before the landing thereof make Oath before the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs which Oath they or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered to administer and take) that he or they had Advice by Letter from his or their Correspondent or Correspondents before the Year and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and three that the Salt so imported really was the Produce of his or their Effects Duties and Merchandises which were imported into this before the Declaration of War with France and Spain: Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

#### CHAPTER XVI. (\*)

AN ACT for the better securing and regulating the Duties upon Salt

See Post  
enlargement, p. 305  
Enacted for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS great Sums of Money are paid out of Her Majesty's Duty upon Salt on Account of Delinquents for Salt shipped to be exported to Foreign Parts and it is found by Experience that great Part of the Salt for which such Delinquencies have been paid hath been fraudulently landed on the Coasts of England and Wales and not exported to any Foreign Parts or having been actually landed in Ireland or other Places out of England and Wales have been shipped off again from thence and fraudulently brought into England or Wales by which evil Practices Her Majesty's Duties are very much lessened in the Produce thereof and the Salt-owners who pay their full Duties are very much prejudiced and discouraged in their Trade by reason they cannot sell their Salt in Places which are supplied with Salt run so absurdly For Remedy whereof Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the [Lords] Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That no Salt whatsoever being of the Produce or Manufacture of England Wales Berwick upon Tweed Scotland or Ireland nor any other Salt coming from Ireland Scotland or the Isle of Man shall after the First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four be imported or brought into any Port or Place within England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed nor be taken out of any Shipp or Vessel nor put on Shore within any of the said Ports or Places upon Pain that all the Salt so imported or brought in taken out of any Shipp or Vessel or landed or put on Shore contrary to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act shall be forfeited and lost and that the Shipp or Vessel in which any such Salt shall be so imported or brought in or out of which any such Salt shall be taken or put on Shore together with all her Tackle and Appurtenances shall also be forfeited and lost and every Person that shall take any such Salt out of any such Shipp or Vessel or carry the same on Shore or convey the same from the Shore when landed or be aiding or assisting therein shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds for every such Offence or unless Six Months Imprisonment

Importing Salt  
herein described.

Forfeiture of the  
Salt and Shipp.

Conveying such  
Salt on Shore,  
Ferry, Cart,  
or any Manner  
Impediment.

III.  
Officers for Salt  
Duty may enter  
within Two Months  
from Importation or  
Landing.  
If Charge not made,  
and Inventory given  
within Twenty  
Days Salt and Shipp  
shall be sold.

And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for any of the Officers for the said Duties upon Salt at any Time within Two Months after the Importation or landing any such Salt and so afterwards to seize the Salt so imported or taken out of any Shipp or Vessel or landed or put on Shore or conveying from the Shore and also the Shipp or Vessel in which such Salt was imported together with all her Tackle and Appurtenances And in case the Owner of such Salt or Shipp shall not within Twenty Days after such seizure claim the Salt and Shipp so seized and also give sufficient Security to answer the Value thereof then and in every such Case the Salt and Shipp with all her Tackle and Appurtenances shall be sold to the best Advantage

III.  
Persons for Salt  
shipped Customs  
by Certificate.

Provided nevertheless That nothing in this Act shall extend or be construed to extend to any Salt which shall be shipped to be carried Coastwise by Certificate from One Port to another in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed according to the Directions of the former Acts relating to the said Duties

IV.  
Persons for whom  
any is shown of  
Wreckage, in case  
of Salt shipped  
for Exportation.

Provided also That in case where any Salt shall have been entered and shipped to be exported to Foreign Parts according to the Directions of the former Acts in that Behalf and the Shipp or Vessel laden with such Salt shall by Force of Weather Tempest or other unavoidable Necessities be forced into any Port or Place within England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed it shall and may be lawful to and for the Owner of such Salt or Master of such Shipp within Twenty Days after her coming into such Port to reland the said Salt so as due Entry be

1 G. c. 15.

\* This is Chapter XIV. in the Common printed Editions.

1 Little G.



made and the Duties again paid downe for the whole Quantity of Salt that was entered to be exported before any Part thereof shall be refunded and not otherwise Any thing in this Act or any other Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding.

To be made and Duty again paid

PROVIDED also That in case where any Fisherman shall have taken any Salt on board his Boat or Vessel from any Part of England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed for the salting of Fish at Sea it shall and may be lawfull for any such Fisherman to bring in and land any such Salt so taken on board so as Oath be made before the Landing thereof (which Oath the Officer of the said Duties hath lawfull Power and is lawfully directed to administer without Fee or Charge) that the particular Quantity of Salt so to be landed was taken on board from some Part of England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed and in what Place it was taken on board and that no Part thereof was taken out of any Shipp or Vessel at Sea Any thing in this Act or any other Statute to the contrary notwithstanding

V.  
Proviso for Salt taken on board by Fishermen for salting Fish at Sea. Oath of Quantity, thereof taking on board, &c.

PROVIDED also That in case where any Shipp or Vessel shall come into any Port of England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed from Ireland or any other Foreigne Part having on board any Quantity of Salt which was taken in any of the necessary Provisions of the Shipp for such Voyage or for curing of Fish it shall and may be lawfull so and for the Master of such Shipp or Vessel to land the said Salt so as Entry (") thereof within Six Daies after his first coming into such Port and the Duties paid downe or secured for the same before the same or any Part thereof (shall\*) be landed or taken out of any such Shipp or Vessel in the same Manner as the Duties of Foreigne Salt imported are to be paid or (") secured Any thing in this Act or any other Statute to the contrary notwithstanding.

VI.  
Proviso for Ship coming into Port from Ireland or Foreign Parts with Salt taken in for Provisions. Entry to be made and Duty paid.

AND he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four as Salt shall be brought out of Scotland by Land into any Part of England or Town of Berwick upon Tweed or Ports thereof on Pain of forfeiting the Salt so brought into any of the said Places and Twenty Shillings a Bushell and so proportionally for a greater or lesser Quantity and that it shall and may be lawfull to and for any of the Officers for the Duties upon Salt to seize any Salt so brought into any of the said Places and to apprehend the Person and Persons who shall bring in the same and to carry them here or thence before any of His Majesties Justices of the Peace near the Place where such Seizure shall be made and if upon full Proof of the Fact such Offender shall not pay downe the said Penalties by this Act imposed such Justice shall commit such Offender to the next Goal there to remaine for the Space of Six Months without Bail or Mainprize.

VII.  
Bringing Salt from Scotland by Land, Forfeiture and Penalty.

Salt may be seized, and Party apprehended as committed on their payment of Penalties.

AND whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Fifth Year of the Reigne of the late King William and Queen Mary entitled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain Rates and Duties upon Salt and upon Beer Ale and other Liquors for securing certain Revenues and Advantages in the said Act mentioned to such Persons as shall voluntarily advance the Sum of Ten hundred thousand Pounds towards carrying on the Warre against France it is amongst other Things enacted that no Salt shall be delivered from any Salt Works or Pans without Notice first given to the Officer appointed for that Purpose upon Pain of Forfeiture of the Salt so delivered and upon Pain of Twenty Pounds to be forfeited by the Owner or Owners of the Saltworks or Pans where such Salt shall be delivered. And whereas several Saltworkers have been and others may be subjected to the said Penalties of Twenty Pounds by the said Practices of Salt Carriers and others who convey Salt from the Saltworks without a Warrant or Permit for conveying the same For preventing whereof he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four every the Carrier or Person who shall carry or convey any Salt without a Warrant or Permit for carrying the same as the Proprietor of the Saltworks who shall deliver Salt without Notice first given shall forfeit the said Sum of Twenty Pounds

VIII.  
Recall of Stat. 3 W. & M. c. 7.

§ 18.

Carrier of Salt without Permit, as well as Proprietor, liable to Penalty of 20 lbs.

AND whereas in and by the said Act of Parliament made in the Fifth Year of the Reigne of the late King William and Queen Mary and by severall other Acts relating to the said Duties upon Salt it is amongst other Things provided that any Person who shall export beyond the Seas any Salt as well Foreign as English or any Rock Salt shall upon a Detestment made out according to the Direction of the said Acts be regard the Duties of such Salt to be exported And whereas some Doubts and Controversies have been made whether Salt shipped and exported to Scotland the Isle of Man or the Islands of Jersey and Guernsey be an Exportation of Salt within the Intent and Meaning of the said Acts so as to entitle the Exporter to a Drawback of the Duties of the Salt so exported For preventing of all such Controversies and Disputes he is enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That it was and is the Intent and Meaning of the said Acts that any Person exporting any Salt to Scotland the Isle of Man or the Islands of Jersey and Guernsey according to the Directions of the said Acts is and shall be entitled to a Drawback of the Duties of the Salt so exported and shall be repaid the same in such Manner and under such Conditions as are directed and required by the said Acts in case of the Exportation of Salt to any other Foreigne Parts Any thing in the said Acts or any other Law or Statute to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

IX.  
Recall of Stat. 3 W. & M. c. 7. § 18.

Exportation of Salt to Scotland, Isle of Man, Jersey, and Guernsey entitled to Drawback under the Salt Exportation Acts.

PROVIDED also That it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Salt or Rock Salt (the Duties whereof shall have been paid or secured to be paid according to the Direction of the former Laws

X.  
Proviso for Accidents by

\* To be made, &c. In King's Printer's Copy.

† Inserted in the Bill.

§ 18.

Import of Ship,  
in case of Salt  
being paid Duty,  
and Duty on board  
for Exportation

Upon Proof of  
Loss of Salt and  
Certification thereof,

Officer to present  
Expenses to pay  
the like Quantity  
without Duty

IX.  
In Actions for  
recovering Salt,  
General Issue may  
be pleaded.

Double Costs.

XII.  
How Penalties  
recovered.

and drawback.

XIII.  
Penalties for passing  
the Examiners.

Only to be made  
by Inspector of  
Herring, for the  
taking of the fish  
and in carrying, &c.

not that no  
Drawback had  
been allowed  
Penalties and  
Forfeiture.

XIV.  
Penalty for  
Importation of  
Salt, for three  
Drawbacks  
Out of carrying  
and carrying.

Fish to be treated  
to Officers.

who is to cut off  
Part of the Tail.

Fish landed before  
inspected to Officers,  
Forfeited, and  
Penalty.

relating to the said Duties on Salt) shall from and after the First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four be shipped or laid on board any Ship or Vessel in any Port River or Place within this Kingdom of England or the Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed in order to be exported to Parts beyond the Seas or be carried thither and the said Salt or Rock Salt so shipped or laid on board shall happen to perish by the sinking of the Ship or Vessel on which the same shall be shipped or laid on board before the said Ship or Vessel shall go out of such Port or Place and before the Exportation of such Salt shall be admitted to a Drawback or Allowance of the Duties thereof then and in such Case the Exporter or Proprietor of the said Salt or Rock Salt so perished shall upon Proof made before the Justice of the Peace at the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the County City Riding Division or Place next to the Place where the said Salt or Rock Salt shall so perish of the Loss of the Salt or Rock Salt as shipped receive from the said Justice a Certificate that such Proof was made before them and upon producing the said Certificate to any of Her Majesty's Collectors or Officers appointed to collect the said Duties on Salt the said Collectors and Officers are hereby required to let the said Exporter or Proprietor buy the like Quantity of Salt or Rock Salt as is expressed in the said Certificate to be so perished without paying to Her Majesty any Duty of Customs for the same in the same Manner as if such Salt or Rock Salt had so perished going Coastwise from One Port in England to another

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted That if any Person or Persons shall at any Time be sued or prosecuted for any thing by him or them done or executed in pursuance of this Act he or they shall or may plead the General Issue and give this Act in Evidence for his Defence and if upon a Trial a Verdict shall pass for the Defendant or Defendants or the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs he or she or they shall recover against such Plaintiff or Plaintiffs for which Costs he shall have such Remedy as in other Cases where Costs are by Law given to Defendants

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Penalties and Forfeitures hereby given and imposed shall be recovered and levied by the same Ways Means and Methods as any Penalties (or ) Forfeitures can or may be recovered and levied by any of the Laws of Excise as by Action of Debt Bill Pleas or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster whereas now Executions Protection or Writs of Law are any more than One Imprehensible shall be allowed and that the said Penalties and Forfeitures shall be distributed in Manner following (to wit) One Moiety thereof to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to him or them that will sue or enforce for the same.

Also whereas it is found by Experience that great Quantities of Fish which have been cured at Sea or in Ireland or other Parts out within England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed with Salt for which the Duties have not been steered and paid have been imported or brought into England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed by which Privilege Her Majesty and the English Fishery was very much prejudiced For Remedy whereof be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four no Herring Pilchard Stacks Codfish Ling Hake Salmon or Delad Red Sprats whatsoever or by whatsoever caught or cured shall be imported brought in or landed within England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed unless the Owner or Proprietor of such Fish or the Master of the Vessel shall make Oath before the Officers for the said Duties on Salt in the Port or Place where such Fish shall be imported brought in or landed (who shall administer the same without Fee or Charge) that all the Salt wherewith the said Fish was cured was laid or put on board from some Part of England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed and when and where the same was so put on board and that no Drawback or Allowance or Debitance for the same hath to his Knowledge or Belief been had or obtained upon the Exportation or Carrying out of the said Salt or any Part thereof as is intended to be had or obtained on account of such Exportation upon Pain of forfeiting each Fish that shall be imported brought in or landed contrary to the intent and Meaning hereof and Double the Value thereof to be recovered of the Importer or Proprietor thereof

Provided That nothing in this Act shall extend to prohibit the importing and landing any Codfish Ling or Hake which have been caught and cured at Newfoundland or [Ireland] so as Oath be first made before the Justice thereof by the Owner or Proprietor of such Fish or the Master of the Vessel before the Officers for the said Duties in the Port or Place where such Fish shall be imported brought in or landed (who shall administer the same without Fee or Charge) that all the Fish so imported came from Newfoundland or Ireland and were caught and cured there and so as the said Fish be at the landing thereof and before the same be removed from the Ships landed to the Officer of the Port for the said Duties to have Part of the Tail of every such Codfish Ling or Hake cut off that no Allowance for such Fish be obtained upon Exportation and the said Officer is hereby empowered and required to cut off Part of the Tail of all such Fish on the Importation thereof and in case any such Fish shall be landed before the same shall be tendered to the Officers to have Part of the Tail cut as aforesaid all the Fish so imported and landed shall be forfeited and Double the Value thereof be recovered of the Importer or Proprietor thereof to wit One Moiety thereof to the Queen and the other Moiety thereof to him or them who shall prosecute or sue for the same



Provis for using  
Rock Salt in  
Lanes Marsh.

the proper Use of the said Salt Work not being for the refining Rock Salt it hath been doubted whether Rock Salt might be there used For preventing such Doubts for the future be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That Rock Salt may be so used in the making Salt from Sea Water in the Salt Works at Llana Marsh aforesaid Any thing in the said Act or in any other Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding so as Her Majesties Duties for all the Salt proceeding as well from the said Rock Salt as from the Sea Water be duly charged answered and paid to Her Majesties Use

## CHAPTER XVII. (1)

For Penal  
18. 2. 1603, 4. 4. 4

An Act for punishing Mutiny Desertion and false Masters and for better paying of the Army and Quarters and for amending divers Articles and for a further Continuance of the Powers of the Five Commissioners for the examining and determining the Accounts of the Army

Reason for passing  
this Act

WHEREAS the raising or keeping a standing Army [within this Kingdom] in Time of Peace tends to be with Consent of Parliament is against Law And whereas it is judged necessary by Her Majesty and her present Parliament that severall of the Powers which are now on Foot should be continued and others added for the Safety of this Kingdom and for the common Defence of the Protestant Religion and for the Preservation of the Liberties of Europe And whereas no Man may be forsworn of Life or Limb or subjected in Time of Peace to any Kind of Punishment within this Realme by Martiall Law or in any other Manner than by the Judgement of his Peers and according to the knowne and established Lawes of this Realme yet nevertheless it being requisite for the maintaining such Forces in their Duty that an exact Discipline be observed and that Soldiers who shall Mutiny or stir up Soldiers or shall desert Her Majesties Service within this Realme or the Kingdoms of Ireland be brought to a more exemplary and speedy Punishment than the usual Forcives of the Law will allow: Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three every Person being in Her Majesties Service in the Army and being sentenced and he pay as an Officer or Soldier who shall at any Time before the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five within this Realme either cause or procure in any Mutiny or Sedition in the Army or desert Her Majesties Service in the Army shall suffer Death or any other Punishment as by a Court Martiall shall be inflicted or being a Soldier actually found in any Regiment Troop or Company shall put himselfe into any other Regiment Troop or Company without a Discharge produced (1) from the Captain or the Officer commanding the Troop or Company in which he last served as a listed Soldier shall suffer Death or such other Punishment as by a Court Martiall shall be inflicted

Soldier sentenced  
of mutiny, &c.

Punishment.

II.  
Her Majesty or  
General of the  
Army may grant  
Commissions to all  
a Court Martiall.

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That Her Majesty or the General of Her Army for the Time being may by virtue of this Act have full Power and Authority to grant Commissions to any General Lieutenant General or other Officer (not under the Degree of a Field Officer or Commander in Chief of a Garrison) from time to time to call and assemble Courts Martiall for punishing such Offenders as aforesaid

III.  
Whereas, &c. of  
the Court.

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That no Court Martiall which shall have Power to inflict any Punishment by virtue of this Act for the Offences aforesaid shall consist of fewer than Thirteen whereof none is to be under the Degree of a Commission Officer and the President of such Court Martiall not to be under the Degree of a Field Officer or the chiefe Commander in Chief of the Garrison where the Offender shall be tried

IV.  
Field Officers, by  
whom sent  
Court may give in  
Oath

Provided always That no Field Officer shall be tried by any Officer under the Degree of a Captain and that such Court Martiall shall have Power and Authority to administer an Oath to any Witness in order to fit Examination or Tryall of the Offences aforesaid

V.  
Persons for  
Process.

Provided alsoe That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to exempt any Officer or Soldier whatsoever from the ordinary Forcives of Law

VI.  
Persons for Military.

Provided alsoe That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend or be any way construed to extend to concerne any the Militia Forces of this Kingdom

VII.  
How the Trial shall  
be in Capital Court.

Provided alsoe and be it enacted That in all Tryalls of Offenders by Court Martiall to be held by virtue of this Act where the Offender may be punished by Death every Officer present at such Tryall before any Proceedings to be had thereupon shall take an Oath upon the Holy Evangelists before the Court and the next Justice of Peace Judge Advocate or his Deputy or one of them (who are hereby authorized to administer the same) in these Words (that is to say)

Oath by Officer

YOU shall well and truly try and determine according to your Evidence in the Matter now before you between our Sovereigne Lady the Queens Majesty and the Prisoner to be tried So help you GOD

(1) This is Chapter XX. in the Common printed Editions. \* inserted on the Roll \*\* as Witness" G. is King's Printer Opp

And on Sentence of Death shall be given against any Offender in such Case by any Court Martell under Note of Three Officers present shall concern them and if there be a greater Number of Officers present than the Judgment shall pass by the Concurrence of the greater Part of them so excepted which major Part shall not be less than Nine and not otherwise And so Proceeding Tryall or Sentence of Death shall be had or given against any Offender but between the Hours of Eight in the Morning and One in the Afternoon

And for preventing of Fraud and Deceit in mustering of Soldiers he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person shall make or give or procure to be made and given any false or untrue Certificate whereby to excuse any Soldier for his Absence from any Muster or other Service which he ought to attend or perform upon ("") Presence of Sick leave or any other Cause than such every such Person so making giving or procuring such Certificate shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Fifty Pounds and shall be forthwith cashiered and be displaced from such his Office and shall be thereby utterly disabled to have or hold any Military Office or Employment within this Realm or in Her Majesties Service

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Officer that shall make any false or untrue Muster of Man or Horse and every Commissary Muster Master and other Officer who shall willingly or willingly allow or sign the Muster Roll wherein such false Muster is contained or any Duplicate thereof upon Proof thereof upon Oath made by Two Witnesses before a Court Martell to be thereupon called (which is hereby authorized and required to administer such Oath) shall for each Offence be forthwith cashiered and displaced from such their Office and shall be thereby utterly disabled to have or hold any Civil or Military Office or Employment within the Kingdom or in Her Majesties Service and shall likewise forfeit One hundred Pounds

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Commissary or Muster Master upon any Muster to be made had or taken by him or them shall by a covenant Time before such Muster made give Notice to the Mayor or other Chief Magistrate or Officer of the Place where the Soldiers so to be mustered shall be quartered who is hereby required to be present at every such Muster and give his utmost Assistance for the discovering any false or untrue Muster there made or offered to be made and that every such Commissary or Muster Master making or taking such Muster that shall neglect to give such Notice as aforesaid or shall refuse to take the Aid and Assistance of such Mayor Chief Magistrate or Officer where the Soldiers so to be mustered shall be quartered shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds and be discharged from his Office and so Muster Roll shall be allowed unless the note be signed by the said Mayor or other Chief Magistrate or Officer respectively

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person shall be falsely mustered or offer himself falsely or deceitfully to be mustered every such Person upon Proof thereof made upon Oath by Two Witnesses before the next Justice of the Peace of the County where such Muster shall be made and every such Person so falsely mustered or offered to be falsely mustered upon Certificate thereof in Writing under the Hand of the Commissary of the Muster or Chief Magistrate as aforesaid made to such Justice of the Peace the said Justice is thereupon and is hereby authorized and required to commit such Offender to the House of Correction there to remain for the Space of Ten Days And such Offender from the Time of such false Muster shall to all intents and Purposes be taken to be a hired Soldier and shall not be discharged but by the Consent of the said Regiment by Writing under his Hand And if any Person shall wrongfully or willingly lend or furnish a Horse to be mustered which shall not truly belong to the Trooper or Troop so mustered the said Horse so falsely mustered shall be forfeited to the Informer if the same doth belong to the Person leading or furnishing the said Horse or otherwise the Person leading or furnishing the said Horse shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds upon Oath made by Two Witnesses before the next Justice of the Peace

And he is also further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Forfeiture shall be to such Person or Persons that shall inform immediately to be paid out of the Arrears of such Officer Pay as shall knowingly so offend upon Conviction before the Court Martell by order of the said Court to the Paymaster If such Officer so offending shall have any Arrears And if there shall be no Arrears the Court Martell shall immediately give order to seize the Goods of such Officer so offending and sell them for Payment of such Forfeiture to the Informer rendering the Overplus to the Owner And if such Officer so offending shall have no Goods then he shall be sent to the House of Correction there to remain without Bails or Mainprize for the Space of Six Months And the said Court Martell is hereby obliged to discharge such Informer if a Soldier from any further Service if he shall demand the same

And he is further enacted That if any Paymaster Agent or Clerk of any Regiment Troop or Company shall wilfully detain or withhold by the Space of One Month the Pay of any Officer or Soldier (Cloths and all other not Allowances being deducted) after such Pay shall be by him or them received or if any Officers having received their Soldiers Pay shall refuse to pay each respective Six Commission Officer and Soldier their respective Pay when it shall become due at the Rate of Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence a Week for each Corporall of Light Horse Fourteen Shillings a Week for each Trumpeter and Private Trooper Eight Shillings and Two Pence a Week for each Dragoon Seven Shillings a Week for each Sergeant Five Shillings a Week to each Corporall and Drummer and Four Shillings a Week to each Private Soldier of Her Majesties Two Regiments of Foot Guards and Six Shillings a Week to each Sergeant Four Shillings and Six Pence a Week to each Corporall and Drummer

VIII.  
Master of Officers  
to mustered  
Horse of Troop

IX.  
Making false  
Certificate to  
excuse Soldiers  
Absence from  
Muster,  
Penalty  
Cashiered, &c

X.  
Making false  
Muster, or  
Giving Muster  
Roll falsely,  
cashiered, &c.

Penalty &c

XI.  
Commissary, &c.  
to give Notice of  
Muster to Magistrate  
where it is to be mustered

Penalty &c

XII.  
Muster Roll  
drawn out  
by Mayor, &c.

Penalty &c

Certificate,

committed to  
House of  
Correction

Leading Horses  
to mustered  
belonging to Troop,

Penalty &c

XIII.  
Forfeiture here paid  
and distributed.

Goods of Officer,  
in whose Case seized

Soldier informing  
may be discharged

XIV.  
Paymaster, Agent,  
or Clerk, who  
detaining Pay or  
Allowances,  
Officer refusing to  
pay Soldier  
the several Rates  
here mentioned

and Three Shillings a Week to each Foot Soldier of the Army And also over and above the said Three Shillings by the Week at the End of every Two Months shall account for Six Pence [a] Week to each Foot Soldier of the said Army the said Six Pence per Week being the Remuneration of the Subsistence of each Foot Soldier the upon Proof thereof before a Court Martial as aforesaid every such Paymaster Agent Clerk and Officer not offending shall be discharged from his Employment and shall satisfy to the Informer upon Conviction before the said Court Martial One hundred Pounds to be levied as aforesaid and shall be thereby utterly disabled to have or hold any Civil Office or Employment within this Kingdom or in Her Majesty's Service and the Informer if a Soldier if he demand it shall be and is hereby discharged (\*) Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Penalty of Ten  
and Pounds.

Soldier following  
may be discharged.

XV.  
Commander to  
bring in Muster  
Certificates of  
Allottees.  
Saying false  
Certificates,  
Penalties.

And it is hereby enacted That the Commanding Officer of every Troop or Company at the Time of Muster shall bring a Certificate signed of the Names of such Persons as are sick or have leave to be absent upon Parkways and of such Persons as are dead and deceased since the last Muster with the Dates of their Deaths or Departures And if such Certificate prove false upon Conviction thereof before a Court Martial the Officer signing such Certificate shall suffer such Penalties and in such Manner as is directed and inflicted by this Act upon those that make false Musters.

XVI.  
Officer receiving  
Bounty, &c.

Penalties.

And it is hereby further enacted That if any Officer shall receive any Person that is a Soldier (other than the Soldiers allowed by Her Majesty) or shall receive any such Person in any of the Ranks or shall receive any Person by a wrong Name knowingly upon Conviction thereof before a Court Martial the said Officer or Comptroller shall suffer such Penalties and in such Manner as is inflicted and declared by this Act upon those that shall make false Musters.

XVII.  
Persons of Right  
of the Crown  
may be  
recruited.

And whereas by the Petition of Right in the Third Year of King Charles the First it is enacted and declared that the People of this Land are not [by the Laws] to be burdened with the supporting of Soldiers against their Wills and by a Clause in One Act of Parliament made in the One and twentieth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second for granting a Supply to His Majesty of Two hundred and six thousand four hundred sixty two Pounds Sevenpence Shillings and Three Pence for paying and disbursing the Forces it is declared and enacted that no Officer Military or Civil nor (\*) other Person whatsoever should from thenceforth presume to place or quarter or billet any Soldier or Soldiers upon any Subject or Inhabitant of this Realm of any Degree Quality or Profession whatsoever without his Consent And that it shall and may be lawful for any such Subject or Inhabitant to refuse to quarter any Soldier or Soldiers notwithstanding any Command or Warrant or bidding whatsoever but so far as at this Time and during the Continuance of this Act there is and may be Occasion for the marching and quartering many Regiments Troops and Companies in several Parts of the Kingdom it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for and during the Continuance of this Act and no longer it shall and may be lawful for the Constables Tythingmen Headboroughs and other Church Officers and Magistrates of Cities Towns and Villages and other Places in the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed and for no others to quarter and billet the Officers and Soldiers in Her Majesty's Service in their Living Houses Alehouses Taverns and other Places in the Houses sitting Brandy Strong Waters Cyder or Medeggin by retail to be drunk in their Houses other than and except the House or House of any Dissolute who keep Houses or Places of Selling Brandy and Strong Waters and the House of any Shopkeeper whose principal Dealings shall be made in other Goods and Merchandise than in Brandy or Strong Waters who do not permit or suffer tipping in his or their Houses and no other and in no Private House whatsoever nor shall any more Billets at any Time be ordered than there are effective Soldiers present to be quartered And if any Constable Tythingman or such like Officer or Magistrate as aforesaid shall presume to quarter or billet any such Officer or Soldier in any Private House without the Consent of the Owner or Occupier in such Case such Owner or Occupier shall have his or their Remedy at Law against such Magistrate or Officer for the Damage due such Owner or Occupier shall sustain thereby And if any Military Officer shall take upon him to quarter Soldiers otherwise than is directed and allowed by this Act or shall see or offer any Mistake or Compulsion to or upon any Major Constables or other Civil Officers beforeaforesaid tending to deter or discourage any of them from performing any Part of their Duty hereby required or appointed such Military Officer shall for every such Offence being thereof convicted before any Two or more Justices of the Peace not adjoining by the Oath of Two Credible Witnesses and the said Justices Certificate thereof to the Judge Advocate who is hereby obliged to [produce] the same to the next Court Martial upon such Certificate be deemed and shall be in law facts proved and shall be utterly disabled to have or hold any Military Employment within the Kingdom or in Her Majesty's Service

Convicted, he  
may during the  
War quarter  
Officers and Soldiers  
upon him, &c.

Not to be more  
Billets than Soldiers.

Billeting is proven  
House without  
Consent of Owner,  
Penalty.

Military Officer  
disobeying Major,  
Constable, &c.

Penalties.

XVIII.  
Justices of Peace  
to assess the Rates  
of Quarters.

Provision aforesaid and it is hereby enacted That the Officers and Soldiers so quartered and billeted as aforesaid shall pay such reasonable Prices as shall be appointed from time to time by the Justices of the Peace in their General or [Quarterly] Sessions of each County City Division or Place within their respective Jurisdictions and the Justices of Peace aforesaid are hereby empowered and required to set and appoint at their General or Quarter Sessions aforesaid such reasonable Rates for all necessary Provisions for such Officers and Soldiers for Out or more Nights in their marching through their Cities Towns Villages and other Places as shall be appointed for their Residence or Quarters

\* per G.  
\* say G.

\* of any further Service \* G. & King's Treasury Copy.  
\* article G.

\* mentioned in the Roll  
\* Quarter G.

Proviso always and be it enacted That if any Officer shall take or come to be taken or knowingly suffer to be taken any Money of any Person for causing the quartering of Officers or Soldiers or any of them in any House allowed by this Act every such Officer shall be captured and made incapable of serving in any military Employment whatsoever

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three no Paymaster General or Paymaster of the Army Secretary of War Comptroller or Master Master or their Under-Officers shall receive any Fee or make any Deductions whatsoever out of the Pay of any Officer or Soldier in Her Majesty's Army or from their Agents which shall grow due from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three other than the usual Deductions for Clothing and the Twelve Pence in the Pound to be deducted as Her Majesty shall think fit and the One Shilling per Annum for the Use of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea

And be it further enacted That this Act shall be ("") read at the Head of every Regiment Troop or Company in every respective Muster by the Comptroller or Master Master before such Muster shall be made that no Soldier may pretend Ignorance.

And [that] the Quarter both of Officers and Soldiers may hereafter be duly paid and satisfied and Her Majesty's Duty of Taxation be better answered be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three every Officer or Officers to whom it belongs to receive or ("") does actually receive the Pay or Subsidance Money either for a whole Regiment or particular Troops or Companies or otherwise shall immediately upon each Receipt of every periodical Sum which shall from date to date be paid returned as aforesaid to his or their Hands on account of Pay or Subsidance give Publick Notice thereof to all Persons keeping Inns or other Places where Officers and Soldiers are quartered by virtue of this Act and shall also appoint the said Innskeepers and others to receive to their Quarters at such Times as they shall appoint for the Distribution and Payment of the said Pay or Subsidance Money to the Officers or Soldiers which shall be within Four Days at the farthest after the Receipt of the same as aforesaid and the said Innskeepers and others shall then and there require such Officer or Officers with the Accounts or Debts if any shall be between them and the Officers and Soldiers as quartered in their respective Houses which Accounts the said Officer or Officers are hereby required to accept of and immediately pay the same before any Part of the said Pay or Subsidance be distributed other to the Officers or Soldiers

Provided the said Accounts entered not for a Commission Officer of Horse being under the Degree of a Captain for such Officers Drums and Small Boats per Diem Two Shillings Nor for One Commission Officer of Dragoons being under the Degree of a Captain for such Officers Drums and Small Boats per Diem and Hay and Straw for his Horse per Diem One Shilling Nor for One Commission Officer of Foot under the Degree of a Captain for such Officers Drums and Small Boats per Diem One Shilling and if such Officer shall have Horse or Horses for such each Horse or Horses per Diem Six Pence Nor for One Light Horseman Drums and Small Boats per Diem and Hay and Straw for his Horse per Diem One Shilling Nor for One Dragoon Drums and Small Boats per Diem and Hay and Straw for his Horse per Diem Nine Pence Nor for One Foot Soldier Drums and Small Boats per Diem Four Pence and if any Officer or Officers as aforesaid shall not give Notice as aforesaid and shall not immediately upon producing such Accounts send notice received and pay the same upon Complaint and Oath made thereof by any Two Witnesses at the next Quarter Sessions for the County or City where such Quarters were (which Oath the Justices of the Peace at such Sessions are hereby required and authorized to administer) the Paymaster or Paymasters of Her Majesty's Forces are hereby required and authorized (upon Certificate of the said Justices before whom such Oath was made of the Sums due upon such Accounts and the Persons to whom the same is owing) to satisfy and pay the said Sums out of the Accounts due to the said Officer or Officers upon Penalty that such Paymaster or Paymasters shall forfeit and loose their respective Place or Places as Paymaster or Paymasters and be disabled from holding the same for the future and in case there shall be no Account due to the said Officer or Officers then the said Paymaster or Paymasters are hereby required and authorized to deduct the Sums he or they shall pay pursuant to the Certificate of the said Justices out of the next Pay or Subsidance Money of the Regiment to which such Officer or Officers shall belong and such Officer or Officers shall for [such] their Offences or for neglecting to give Notice of the Receipt of such Pay or Subsidance Money as aforesaid be deemed and taken and are hereby declared ipso facto captured and where it shall happen that the Subsidance Money due to any Officer or Soldier shall (by reason of any Accident ("")) be paid to such Officer or Soldier or such Officer or Soldier shall neglect to pay the same so that the Quarters cannot be or are not paid so that the Act aforesaid And where any Horse Foot or Dragoon shall be upon their March so that no Subsidance can at present be realized upon them to make Payment as this Act directs or they shall neglect to pay the same in every such Case it is hereby further enacted That every such Officer shall before his or their Departure out of his or their Quarters where such Regiment Troop or Company shall remain for any Time whatsoever make up the Accounts to this Act directs with every Person with whom such Regiment Troop or Company shall have quartered before he leave that Quarter and give the said Certificate as by him signed to the Party to whom such Money is due with the Name of such Regiment Troop or Company in which he or they shall belong to the End the said Certificate may be forthwith transmitted to the Paymaster or Paymasters of Her Majesty's Army

XXX  
Officer taking  
Money for ac-  
commodating  
Quarters &  
Furniture.

XXV  
Paymaster, Sec-  
retary or War, &c.  
not to take Fee.

European

XXVI  
Act to be read at  
Muster.

XXVII  
Officers receiving  
Subsidance Money  
to give Notice  
aforesaid to In-  
nskeepers, &c.

Innskeepers to  
inform Officers of  
Accounts, &c.  
to be paid out of  
Subsidance Money.

XXVIII  
The Rates.

Readily against  
Officers not giving  
Notice, or not  
paying.

Where they have no  
Subsidance Money,  
the Officer to  
sign the Account  
and give Certificate,  
and the Paymaster  
of the Army to  
pay it.

<sup>1</sup> be O.

<sup>2</sup> inserted on the Roll.

<sup>3</sup> that O.

<sup>4</sup> not "O. S. King's Printer Copy.

- who is or are hereby required immediately to make Payment thereof to the Person or Persons to whom such Money shall be due to the End the same may be applied to such Regiment Troop or Company respectively under Pun as is before in this Act directed for the Nonpayment of the Quarters
- XXIV.**  
Masters in Wines  
within the said  
Wine, &c. trade,  
before Two Justices
- Also be it further enacted That no Constable shall manner any Forces within the City of Westminster and Borough of Southwark and Liberties thereof but in the Presence of Two Justices of the Peace not being Officers in the Army under the before mentioned Penalty
- XXV.**  
Army, &c. within  
the Act.
- Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall be construed to extend to the Islands of Jersey and Guernsey as to the Clauses therein for manning and paying and the Penalties therein belonging
- XXVI.**  
Chattel, &c. to be  
brought to England.
- PROVIDED always and be it further enacted That all Cattle Arms and Accoutrements of War belonging to the Horse Foot and Dragoons in Her Majesties Pay and Service who receive English Pay shall be brought to the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed and not elsewhere and every Officer or Person who shall offend herein upon Proof made in that Behalf shall be punished
- XXVII.**  
Master Master to  
secure a Roll of  
Muster in Every  
muster General.
- Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Comptroller General of the Musters or his Deputy shall upon every Muster taken by him or them respectively of any Regiment Troop or Company in Her Majesties Service cause the Muster Rolls of the said Regiment Troop or Company upon the Place the same Day the said Muster is taken and shall receive One of every of the said Rolls so taken in Parchment or the Paymaster General of Her Majesties Forces or to such Paymaster respectively under whose Care the Payment of such Forces shall be and One of the said Rolls so taken to the Comptroller or Comptrollers of the Accounts of the Army the next Day after the said Rolls shall be respectively closed [if in London or within Twenty Miles Distance of the same and if at further Distance by the next Post after the said Rolls shall be so respectively closed"] upon Pain of forfeiting their respective Implemanes and the Sum of Twenty Pounds to any Person that will sue for the same for every such Offence
- XXVIII.**  
Justices may order  
Constables to provide  
Carriages.
- Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid for the better and more regular Provision of Carriages for Her Majesties Forces in their Marches in the Kingdoms of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed That all Justices of the Peace within the several County Riding Divisions and Liberties being daily required thereto by an Order from Her Majesty shall as often as such Order is brought and shewn unto One or more of them by the Quarter Master Agent or other Officer of the Regiment Detachment Troop or Company then marching leave out his or their Warrants to the Constables or Petty Constables of the Division Riding Liberty or Hundred next adjacent requiring them to make such Provision of Carriages as is mentioned in the said Warrant allowing them sufficient Time to do the same that the neighbouring Parishes may not avoid but the Berthens And the aforesaid Officer or Officers who by virtue of the aforesaid Warrant from the Justice of the Peace are to demand the Carriages or Carriages therein mentioned of the Constable to whom the Warrant is directed to and are hereby required at the said Time to pay down in Hand to the said Constable the Sum of Eight Pence for every Mile any (\*) Wain with Six Oxen or Four Oxen and Two Horses shall travel And the Sum of Six Pence for every Mile any Cart with Four Horses shall travel and in Proportion for lesser Carriages And if any Military Officer or Officers for the Use of whose Troop or Company the Carriage was provided shall force and constrain any Waggon Wain Cart or Carriage to travel more than One Miles Journey or shall at discharge the same in due Time by their returne Horse or shall suffer or connive at his or their Soldiers or Servants (except such who are sick or wounded) or any Woman to ride in the Waggon Wain Cart or Carriage aforesaid or shall force any Constable or Petty Constable by threatening or menacing Words to provide Saddle Horses for themselves or Servants or shall force Horses from the Owners by themselves or Servants every such Officer shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds Proof thereof being made upon Oath before Two of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace of the same County or Riding who are to certify the same to the Paymaster General or other respective Paymaster of Her Majesties Forces who is hereby required to pay the aforesaid Sum of Five Pounds according to the Order and Appointment under the Hands and Seals of the aforesaid Justices of the Peace of the same County or Riding who are hereby empowered to deduct the same out of such Officers Pay.
- XXIX.**  
Officers quartering  
Wines, &c.
- And whereas great Abuses are frequently committed by the Liberty taken by some Officers and Soldiers to quarter their Wives Children and Maid Servants in their Quarters contrary to the Purport and Meaning of the Act be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Officer Military or Civil by this Act authorized to quarter Soldiers in any Houses hereby appointed for that Purpose shall at any Time during the Continuance of the Act quarter any of the Wives Children or Maid Servants of Officer or Soldier in any such Houses against the Consent of the Owners the Party offending if Officer or Soldier of the Army shall upon Complaint and Proof thereof made to the Commander in Chief of the Army or Judge Advocate be ipso facto punished And if a Constable Tithing man or other Civil Officer be shall forfeit to the Party grieved the Sum of Twenty Shillings upon Complaint and Proof thereof made to the next Justice of Peace of the Place to be levied by Warrant of such Justice by Distress and Sale of his Goods exceeding the Overplus to the Party after the Deduction of reasonable Charges in taking the same.
- XXX.**  
If Officer or  
Soldier offend  
If Constable, &c.  
Penalty 100

\* inserted in the Bill.

\* Waggon with Five Horses shall travel and the Sum of Eight Pence for every Mile any \* O is King's Printer's Copy





XXXIV  
Holding Correspondence with  
the Enemy, &c.

Also inasmuch as there is not any offencible Provision made for the Government of Her Majesty's Land Forces out of the Realm of England and Ireland, be it further enacted and declared, That if any Officer or Soldier in Her Majesty's Army shall either upon Land out of England or upon the Sea hold Correspondence with any Rebel or Enemy of Her Majesty or give them Advice or Intelligence either by Letters Men or Signs or Tokens or any Manner of [Way] whatsoever or shall meet with such Rebels or Enemies or enter into any Conjunction with them without Her Majesty's License or License of the General Lieutenant General or Chief Commanders then every such Person so offending shall be deemed and adjudged [to be] guilty of High Treason and suffer such Pains and Penalties as in case of High Treason.

XXXV  
Officer, &c. serving  
Mistake.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Officer or Soldier of His Majesty's Army either upon Land out of England or upon the Sea shall raise or cause to be raised any Mutiny or Sedition in the Army or shall refuse to obey his superior Officer or shall resist any Officer in the Execution of his Office or shall strike draw or offer to draw or lift up any Weapon against his superior Officer upon any Pretence whatsoever all and every the Persons and Persons so offending in any of the Matters before mentioned shall be adjudged and taken to be guilty of Felony (\*) and every of their said Officers shall be deemed to be Felony (†) and the Offenders being thereof convicted or being indicted or arraigned thereof or standing mute or challenging peremptorily above the Number of Twenty returned to be of the Jury shall suffer Death as in Case of Felony.

XXXVI  
where such  
Offences were.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Treasons and Felonies before mentioned that shall be committed perpetrated or done may be inquired of heard and determined in Her Majesty's Court commonly called the Queen's Bench by good and lawful Men of the same County where the said Court shall sit and be kept and before such Commissioners and in each County of this Realm as shall be assigned by the Queen's Majesty and by good and lawful Men of the same County in like Manner and Form to all Intents and Purposes as if the said Treasons and Felonies had been committed perpetrated and done within the said County.

XXXVII  
Queen may remit  
Courts Martial  
beyond the Seas,  
upon demanding  
this Act.

Provided always That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to strip Her Majesty's Power of remitting making and establishing Articles of War and creating and constituting Courts Martial and inflicting Penalties by Sentence or Judgment of the same in such Manner as might have been done by Her Majesty's Authority beyond the Seas in the Time of War before the making of this Act.

XXXVIII  
And given Com-  
mission for holding  
Courts Martial.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Her Majesty may from time to time grant a Commission to such General Lieutenant General or other Officers aforesaid for the holding a Court Martial within this Realm in which all Officers and Soldiers who shall at any Time hereafter during the Continuance of this Act commit any Crime or Offence out of this Realm against the Rules Articles or Laws of War and shall not be tried for the same by a Court Martial before their Return into this Realm shall and may be tried and proceeded against and punished according to the Rules and Articles of War aforesaid.

XXXIX  
Soldier beyond  
Sea during or  
England, &c.  
before tried by  
Court Martial,  
Justice upon Oath  
to send him to  
Court Martial,  
who may send him  
to his Regiment,  
&c.

Provided always That if any Officer or Soldier shall desert Her Majesty's Service in any Parts beyond the Seas and shall escape or come into this Realm or Ireland before he be tried by a Court Martial for such Offence then and so often as any such Case shall happen if it shall also happen that the Regiment Troop or Company to which such Officer or Soldier shall belong shall continue in Her Majesty's Service beyond the Seas it shall and may be lawful upon Oath thereof made to any One of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace where such Officer shall be taken for such Justices of the Peace to cause such Offender to be sent to the General Court Martial in England or Ireland who are hereby enabled if they think fit for Examples Sake to send such Offenders to the respective Regiment Troop or Company beyond the Seas to which the Offender shall belong there to be proceeded against according to the Directions of this Act.

XL  
Any Court a Bar to  
Indictment, &c.

Provided also That if any Person or Persons shall in a Court Martial conferred as aforesaid be tried and acquitted or convicted of any of the Crimes or Offences herein before mentioned such Acquittal or Conviction shall be a full Bar to any Proceedings or Indictments for the same Offence.

XLI  
No Corruption of  
Blood, &c.

Provided always That no Accusation for any Crime or Offence made Felony by this Act shall extend or be adjudged to make any Corruption of Blood in any Heir of such Offender or to disbar the Wife of such Offender of her Title of Dowry.

XLII  
Persons tried by  
Peers.

Provided also That if any Peer of this Realm shall commit any of the Offences aforesaid in any Part beyond the Seas and shall not have been there tried for the same by Martial Law and after his Return into this Realm shall be indicted of any Offence hereby declared or enacted to be Treason or Felony then and after such Indictment he shall have his Peers in such like Manner and Form as hath been accustomed.

\* inserted in the Bill.

† "and shall suffer as in Case of Felony" (A. & King's Printer Copy).

And be it enacted and [agreed] by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons who shall hereafter be accused indicted or prosecuted for any thing made or declared Treason by this Act shall be instituted to the Benefit of the Act of Parliament made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for regulating Troops in Cases of Treason and Misdemeanors of Treason.

XLII.  
Accused committed to  
Bench of Justs  
18 & 19, Ed. c. 2.

And whereas it may be otherwise doubted whether the Marine Regiments and the Officers and Persons employed in the Train of Artillery be within the Intent and Meaning of this Act for punishing Officers and Soldiers who shall mutiny or desert Her Majesty's Service and for punishing False Witnesses and for Payment of Quarters it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers and Soldiers of the Regiments called the Marine Regiments (while they shall be on Shore) and the Officers and Persons employed or that shall be employed in the several Trains of Artillery be at all Times subject to all the Penalties and Punishments mentioned in this Act during the Continuance of the same.

XLIII.  
Marines and  
Artillery subject  
to Acts.

And whereas it is just and reasonable that the respective Paymasters who have deducted or shall deduct from the Pay of Her Majesty's Forces or any of them any Sum or Sums for the Postage and One Days Pay in the Year before mentioned or for Provisions or any other Causes for which Deductions are or shall be directed to be made for the Service of the Publick be duly charged therewith and made accountable for the same By a Certificate enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Right Honourable Richard Earle of Rensdough of the Kingdom of Ireland late Paymaster of Her Majesty's Forces in England and the Dominions thereto belonging (Ireland excepted) and in the Low Countries and the Paymaster General and other Paymasters (hereof for the Time being who are or shall be accountable for the Monies by them severally received or to be received for the said Forces or any of them respectively shall deliver or cause to be delivered (as further Vouchers to him or their respective Accounts) to the Auditors or Auditors to whom it shall appear to be expedient to make up such Account or Accounts by particular Account for each Regiment Garrison or Independent Company whereby it may appear what Sums became due to each Regiment Garrison or Independent Company for the Time of every such Account and what Sums were discharged by actual Payments and how much was discharged by such Deductions as aforesaid and that the said Auditor or Auditors shall carefully examine such Regiments or other particular Accounts before mentioned and shall hereby have Power to examine the Accountant or any of his Agents upon his or their corporal Oaths (which the said Auditor or Auditors have hereby Power to administer) touching the several Articles contained in such Regiments or particular Accounts as aforesaid and reading any other Matters or Things whereunto such Accountant ought voluntarily to charge himself and to be accountable to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors ever and above the Sums which shall be contained in the Inquest Rolls made forth by the Auditor of the Receipt and Clerk of the Peils in the Exchequer and that no Account of any Monies received or to be received by any such Paymaster (not being yet accounted for in the Exchequer) shall hereafter be declared by the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury Chancellor Exchequer or Barons of the Exchequer for the Time being until such Auditor shall see order in Writing that he hath examined the said Regiments or other particular Accounts respectively any Causes or Urge to the contrary notwithstanding.

XLIV.

End of Receipts  
and other Pay-  
masters to deliver  
Vouchers to  
Auditors, &c.

Auditor to examine  
Accounts.

No Account  
declared till  
Auditor certify.

Provided always That all Monies saved or arising by Receipt may be applied as Levy Money for providing the several Regiments Troops and Companies in Her Majesty's Service in such Manner and in such Proportions as Her Majesty Her Royal Highness Generalissima of all Her Majesty's Forces The Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or the Captain General of Her Majesty's Forces and for the Marine Regiments the Lord High Admirall by Warrant under their Hands respectively shall from time to time direct as the whole Charge to the Publick for such Receipts except for Men or Horses killed or taken by the Enemy or lost at Sea.

XLV.  
Sums Money saved  
to be applied.

Provided always and it is hereby [declared] and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any of the Invalids from the Hospital of Chelsea or elsewhere are or shall be quartered in any Garrison of this Kingdom the Governor thereof having credited to the Paymaster of the Guards and Garrisons for the Time being that there are Debts owing in Quarters or for Subsistence of such Invalid Officers and Soldiers in the said Garrison the said Paymaster and Agent in whose Hands the Pay doth or shall assume are hereby respectively required from time to time to issue the Pay of such Invalid Officers and Soldiers in the said Governor or his Order and his Receipt thereof shall be a Discharge for the same to the said Paymaster and Agent respectively and the said Governor within the Space of Fifteen Days after his Receipt of the same shall in the Presence of the said Officers and Soldiers respectively or in the Presence of Two or more Justices of Peace pay or cause to be paid the respective Debts in the said Quarters and for the said Subsistence out of each respective Officers and Soldiers Pay and shall also then pay the Surplus remaining (if any be) to such Officer and Soldier or such as they shall appoint respectively and every such Governor upon producing to the Paymaster General the Certificate of the Clerk Magistrate or of Two or more Justices of the Peace of the Place for the Payment of the said Quarters and of the Captain or other Commission Officer of the Company of Invalids for Payment of the Receipt of the said Monies shall be discharged thereof without being returned or sent integer to the Exchequer for the Money so certified to be paid.

XLVI.  
Quartering of  
British Low  
Chelsea Hospital,  
&c.

## XLVIII.

Proviso for  
Deliverance of  
Prisoners captured  
on Continents.

AND whereas several Persons convicted or attainted of Capital Felonies and Offences are thought fit to be removed from Execution in order to obtain their Pardon as ('') fit to serve Her Majesty in Her Army or Navy and otherwise by in Prison for a long [Time] in Expectation of the passing, such Pardon under the Great Seal and the pleading and allowing thereof in the usual Form of Law to the great Charge and Burden of the Country where they have been so convicted and afterwards detained in Prison For Remedy whereof be it enacted That during the Continuance of this Act in View and Receipt of a Warrant under the Sign Manual of Her Majesty for preparing a Bill for passing a Pardon for such Offenders or Offenders or for insuring any such convicted Person in a Prison after he passed it shall or may be lawful to or for the Judge or Judges before whom any such Pardon if passed might be pleaded and allowed and they are hereby required upon such Warrant under the Sign Manual to direct his or their Warrant to the Sheriff and Sheriffs or Keeper of the Goals or Prison where such Prisoner or Prisoners are detained in Prison who are hereby required to yield Obedience to such Warrant thereby directing the immediate Delivery of such Prisoner or Prisoners out of Custody to such Officer or Officers under whom he or they shall be hired or entered in the Service of Her Majesty in Her Army or Navy and the Pardon when passed shall be ('') enrolled in due Form of Law and shall be to all Intents and Purposes of the same force and effect as if the same had been by such Prisoner pleaded and allowed after the passing thereof under the Great Seal Any Law or Usage to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

## XLIX.

Act to extend to  
Garrisons, as before  
mentioned.

Proviso always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no such of this Act as relates to the punishing of Mutineers and Deserters and such who shall receive such Deserters and to Persons holding Correspondence with Her Majesties Enemies and no more shall extend to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever to such Governors or other Officers in Garrisons and Forts as Her Majesty has now in Pay or shall have in Pay is limited during the Continuance of this Act.

## L.

In Act now brought  
before the House of  
Commons.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Bill Pleint or Suit shall be brought against any Person or Persons for any Act Matter or Thing to be acted or done pursuant to this Act or against any Officer or Officers of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors concerned in any Matter relating to the Army or Her Majesties Naval Forces or Ships or Vessels of War or the providing for the same or any their Deputy or Deputies or against any other Person or Persons acting by Authority from or in Aid or Assistance of or by the Commandment for or concerning any Matter Cause or Thing by them done by virtue or means of their [as we say of] their Office or Office that it shall and may be lawful to and for every Person and Persons aforesaid to plead thereto the General Issue that he or they are not guilty and to give such special Matter in Evidence to the Jury which shall try the Issue which special Matter being pleaded had been a good and sufficient Matter in Law to have discharged the said Defendant or Defendants of the Trespass or other Matter laid to him or his Charge and that if the Verdict shall pass with the said Defendant or Defendants in any such Action or the Plea of Not Guilty or the Verdict shall become Verdict or unless any Discontinuance thereof due in every such Case the Justice or Justices or such other Judge before whom the said Matter shall be tried shall by force and virtue of this Act allow the Defendant or Defendants his or their Double Costs which he or they shall have received by reason of their wrongful Verdict in Defence of the said Action or Suit for which the said Defendant or Defendants should have like Remedy as in other Cases where Costs by the Laws of this Realm are given to Defendants.

## LI.

Reason for passing  
the Statute.

AND whereas Part of the Ten thousand Soldiers formerly raised for Sea Service were lately employed in the West Indies and others of them on board Her Majesties Ships at Sea and by reason of the Death of the Commander of the Munition which went for the West Indies and the great Mortality of the Officers and Soldiers which were there and the Loss of many of the Men belonging to the other Regiments as well in the late great Storm as in several Voyages wherein they were employed and by reason of their frequent Superstitions it will be very difficult and in many [Cases] impossible to have complete Muster Rolls whereby the Pay of several of the Officers and Soldiers of the said Ten thousand Men might regularly be charged and the Officers are desired to make their Returns and some particular Companies in Her Majesties other Land Forces by reason of Loss in their Transportation or other Accidents (without their own Default) are desired to make Muster Rolls to justify their Pay until on before the Twenty fifth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and three Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for Her Majesty to issue out a Warrant or Warrants under Her Royal Sign Manual for paying to or for the Use of the several Regiments comprehended within the said Number of Ten thousand Men and their Officers or any of them and to and for the Use of such particular Companies as aforesaid or any of them such Sums and Sums of Money not exceeding the full established Pay of the said Regiments and Companies respectively as upon Examination before the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall be found reasonable for the clearing of the said Regiments and Companies respectively or any of them for any Time or Times before or until the said Twenty fifth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and three and see further so that the same may speedily be executed and that such Warrant or Warrants shall be to all Intents and Purposes a sufficient Voucher and Vouchers to the Auditors of the Imprests for passing the Accounts of the Paymaster General and all other the Paymasters in the Behalf Any Law or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Court may  
issue Warrants for  
paying to the several  
Regiments aforesaid, such  
Sums as upon  
Examination by  
Treasury shall  
appear to be

<sup>1</sup> Printed O

<sup>2</sup> continued on the Roll.

<sup>3</sup> inserted and<sup>4</sup> G. S. King's Printer Genl.

AND whereas William Galloway Clerk here Chaplain to the Regiment commanded by Sir John Hunter in Ireland during the late War was by His Majesty the Sum of One hundred and three Pounds in the Account given in to the Commissioners for taking examine and discharging the Debts due to the Army and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the late War Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall have full Power and are hereby required to certify to Richard Earle of Roselagh his Paymaster of the Army and the said his Paymaster is hereby directed and required to make out a Debitum for the said Sum of One hundred and three Pounds in such Manner and Form as Debitums have already been made out for the Army and that Interest shall be allowed upon the said Debitum from the same Time as is allowed upon other Debitums already made out for the Commission Officers of the Army

AND whereas there remains due to John Bingham and Katherine Dunbar the Sum of Nine hundred twenty (and) three Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Three Pence Half penny for providing Horses Carriages of Stores of War and other Materials for the Use and Service of the Train of Artillery during the several Sieges of Athlone Galway and Lymlick Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners for taking examine and discharging the Debts due to the Army or any Three or more of them be and are hereby authorized and required to issue Certificates of the said Debt amounting to Nine hundred twenty three Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Three Pence Half penny to the his Paymaster of Her Majesties Army in as full and ample Manner and to the like Issue and Purport as they or any of them might or could have done at any Time pursuant to any former Act or Acts of Parliament on which Certificates be the said his Paymaster of Her Majesties Army is required and directed forthwith to make out Debitums to the said John Bingham and Katherine Dunbar for the same with the Interest thereon in such Manner and Form and to the same End and Effect as he the said his Paymaster of Her Majesties Army might or could have done at any Time pursuant to any former Act or Acts of Parliament Any thing in this or any other Act of Parliament to the contrary notwithstanding

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners appointed to take examine and discharge the Debts due to the Army Navy and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the late War or any Three or more of them shall and may and are hereby empowered to examine the Accounts of the Officers and Attendants on the English and Dutch Troops of Artillery employed in the Reduction of the said Accounts shall appear unto the said Commissioners to be due to the said Officers and Attendants respectively to the Issue Debitums may be issued thereupon and Richard Earle of Roselagh his Paymaster General of Her Majesties Forces is hereby required and empowered to make out and issue Debitums to the said Officers and Attendants respectively pursuant to the Certificates or Certificates of the said Commissioners which Debitums shall and may be satisfied in like Manner with other aforesaid Debitums which were charged upon the Forfeited and other Estates in Ireland together with such Interest for the same as stands other Debitums made forth for the like Service Any thing in this or any former Act or Acts of Parliament to the contrary notwithstanding

AND whereas there are some Arrears of Pay due unto Richard Uthwate and Thomas Moore for their Service as Commissioners of the Munition in Flanders during the late War; Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners appointed to take examine and discharge the Debts due to the Army and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the late War or any Three of them shall have full Power and Authority to make out Certificates to the Earle of Roselagh his Paymaster General of Her Majesties Forces for the same of Those hundred forty four Pounds to the said Richard Uthwate and to the said Thomas Moore the same of One hundred twenty one Pounds and Three Shillings due to them for the said Service respectively and the said Paymaster is hereby directed and required to make out Debitums thereupon to the said Richard Uthwate and Thomas Moore in the same Form and Method as the other Debitums have already been made out by him for the late Army and that Interest shall be allowed on the said Debitums from the same Time as is allowed upon the Debitums already made out by the said Paymaster for the Commission Officers of the said Army

AND whereas the Pay of the Forces established to serve in the Province of New York in America has not hitherto been adjusted because the Rolls of several Members of the said Forces have been lost at Sea or otherwise destroyed or mislaid so that the Arrears due to the Officers and Soldiers between the First Day of January One thousand six hundred sixty one and the Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand six hundred sixty one could not be settled by the Commissioners appointed by several Acts of Parliament to take examine and discharge the Debts due to the Army and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the late War For Remedy whereof and that the Veterans and Children who have supplied the said Forces may be relieved be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Richard Earle of Roselagh his Paymaster General of the Army do and shall compute the Pay due to the said Forces at New York in America from the said First Day of January One thousand six hundred sixty one unto the Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand six hundred sixty one according to the Establishments of those Forces and according to such Muster Rolls taken of them as are in being and in the Custody of the said Paymaster General in which Computation he shall make Deductions

LII.  
Debitum to  
William Galloway,  
in Ireland, for  
A.D. 1703.

LIII.  
Debitum to  
John Bingham and  
Katherine Dunbar,  
for A.D. 1703-104  
and Interest.

LIV.  
Commissioners for  
examining Debts  
due to the Army  
to make out Cer-  
tificates of Arrears  
due to Officers and  
Attendants on the  
English and Dutch  
Troops of Artillery  
employed in the  
Reduction of  
Ireland.

LV.  
Debitum for  
Arrears of Pay  
due to Richard  
Uthwate and  
Thomas Moore.

LVI.  
Manner for paying  
the Arrears.

Earle of Roselagh  
to compute Pay due  
to Forces at New  
York, from 1st Jan.  
1661 to 25th March  
1662, and forward  
the same to Com-  
missioners.

who are to certify  
unto the said  
late Paymaster

Be Receipts pursuant to the Receipts appearing on the Muster Rolls precedent and subsequent to the Rolls which are lost and after such Computation made shall transmit the same to the Commissioners appointed to take examine and determine the Debt due to the Army and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the late War who or any Three or more of them are hereby authorized and required to receive and admit the said Account and from thence to examine and determine the Debt due to the said Forces according to the Establishments and Warrants relating thereto distinguishing what is due unto the Officers and Soldiers and what is due from them unto the several Vessels and Clothes of the said Forces and certify the same unto the said late Paymaster General in like Manner as they have done for the rest of the Army and that thenceforward Debitments shall and may be issued and made forth by the said late Paymaster General to the Persons intitled thereto according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament in that Behalf made and provided which Debitments shall and may be united together with such Allowance of Interest as amounts the Debitments of the Commission Officers of the Army and in like Manner as other unsatisfied Debitments are to be paid

## LVII.

Commissioners to  
make Debitments  
of Difference of 40s  
per Cent. hereby  
warranted out of  
Account of Pay to  
Persons at New  
York.

And whereas it doth appear That upon the paying of the Forces at New York there accrues a Surplusage of Thirty Pounds per [Annus] by the Difference in Value of Money current in the said Province from Great Money which Surplusage hath from time to time by several Warrants in that Behalf made and provided been directed and applied to the Pay of a Chaplain Surgeon Storehousekeeper Armourer Master Gunner and Two Musicians thereby appointed and added to the Establishments of the said Forces and the Surplusage to the Contingent Uses of the said Forces and for the Fortifications of the said Province of New York Be it therefore and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Commissioners do and shall deduct the said Difference of Thirty Pounds per Centum out of the Annus which upon the Computation abovementioned and their Examination thereof shall appear and be found due to the said Forces and after such Deduction made shall certify unto the late Paymaster General how much thereof is due unto the said Forces and the said Commissioners respectively and how much thereof remains in Surplus for the other Uses mentioned in the said Warrants for which Surplus Debitments in like Manner shall and may be issued unto such Person or Persons whom His Majesty shall adjudge to be duly intitled thereto and shall by Warrant direct and appoint to receive the same Any thing in this or any former Act or Acts to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

LVIII.  
Commissioners  
required to take  
the Accounts of  
Francis Robinson,  
Esquire.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners appointed to take examine and determine the Debt due to the Army and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the late War or any Three or more of them shall and they are hereby imposed to examine and state the Accounts of Francis Robinson Esquire Private Marshall General of His late Majesty's Forces and Contingent for exchanging Prisoners of War in the Years One thousand six hundred thirty four One thousand six hundred thirty five One thousand six hundred thirty six and One thousand six hundred thirty seven touching the Sum of Five thousand five hundred seventy nine Guilders and Eight Stivers due to him for substituting the French Prisoners of War in Flanders and [Jor] other Debitments relating to the said Service in the aforesaid Years And the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them are hereby required to make out a Certificate or Certificate for the Value of the said Debt of Five thousand five hundred seventy nine Guilders and Eight Stivers or so much thereof as shall appear to the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them to be due to him the said Francis Robinson as aforesaid whereupon Debitments shall and may be made out and issued by Richard Earle of Rutland late Paymaster General of the Army for the Value thereof after the Rate of Ten Guilders and Ten Stivers to a Pound Sterling and satisfied in like Manner as other unsatisfied Debitments on the said Forces are intitled are to be paid and have the same Allowance for Interest as the Debitments already made out for the Commission Officers of the Army Any thing in this Act or in any former Act or Acts of Parliament contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Debitments to be  
made out.

## LIX.

Commissioners to  
take the Accounts  
of General Wind-  
ham's Regiment of  
Horse.

And whereas the Pay and Accrues due to Major General Hugh Windham Regiment of Horse for their Service in the reducing of Ireland has not been examined and determined by the Commissioners appointed to take examine and determine the Debt due to the Army and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the late War Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them and they are hereby authorized and required to summon such Paymasters Colonels Captains Agents or any other Person whatsoever whom they shall think requisite to appear before them in order to the examining and determining the Accounts of the said Regiment And all Paymasters Colonels Captains Agents or any other Person whatsoever shall and are hereby required to obey and execute such Orders and Directions as the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall by Writing under their Hands direct and enforce relating to the examining and determining the Accounts of the said Regiment or any Part of the said Accounts pursuant to the Powers and Directions in the before related Act And the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall make and sign Debitments and Certificates for such Sum of Money respectively as shall be found adjusted and determined by them by virtue of this Act to be due or owing to any Person or Persons for their Service in the said Regiment

And it is hereby enacted That the Powers given by an Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reigne intitled An Act for providing and continuing the late Acts for appointing Commissioners to take entrance and descents of the Debt due to the Army and for Transport Service and also an Account of the Prizes taken during the late War to the Five Commissioners therein named or any Three or more of them as to the taking examining and descents of Accounts shall be continued from the Nine and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four until the Thirtieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four with the like Salaries and Allowances as were allowed them for the like Time by the said former Act to be paid out of any Money granted to Her Majesty in this Session of Parliament for the Publick Service And that the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall and may make their Certificates upon the said Accounts to the late Paymaster General of Her Majesty's Guards and Garrisons at any Time before the said Thirtieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four And the said late Paymaster is hereby required to make forth Debentures thereupon before the Thirtieth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and four

R. 2.  
Act 17. 2. W. III.  
c. 1. continued.

Commissioners may  
certify Accounts  
to the late Pay-  
master General of  
Guards and  
Garrisons

## CHAPTER XVIII. (C)

An Act for granting to Her Majesty an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage for Three Years and for laying a further Duty upon French Wines consigned as lawful Prize and for ascertaining the Values of unstamped Goods imported from the East Indies.

Act Pro-  
hib. Stamp, p. 3. 3.

MOST GRACIOUS Sovereign whereas by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Ninth Year of the Reigne of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty a further Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage towards raising the Yearly Sum of Seven hundred thousand Pounds for the Service of His Majesties Household and other Uses therein mentioned during the Majesties Life it was enacted that over and above all Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and over and above all additional Duties Impositions and other Duties whatsoever therein mentioned there should be raised and paid to His Majesty One other Subsidy called Tonnage for and upon all Wines which from and after the last Day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred thirty nine at any Time or Times during His Majesties Life should be imported or brought into the Kingdom of England, Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed And One further Subsidy called Poundage of all Manner of Goods and Merchandises imported or brought into this Realm or any His Majesties Dominions to the same belonging at any Time or Times after the said last Day of January One thousand six hundred thirty nine during His Majesties Life by way of Merchandise (except such Goods and Merchandises as are therein excepted) and with [such] Abstainers Regulations Directions for making Regiments or Allowances upon Exports and subject to such Rules and other Matters and Things touching the said several Subsidies as in the said Act are expressed which said further Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wines Goods and Merchandises granted by the Act above recited are to be raised and paid to Your Majesty during Your Life by virtue of another Act of Parliament made and passed in the First Year of Your Majesties Reigne intitled An Act for the better Support of Her Majesty's Household and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown as by the said Act (which being therein severally read) may more fully appear: Now was Your Majesty most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled for the better enabling Your Majesty to carry on the present War and to defray Your other necessary Expenses do cheerfully and unanimously give and grant unto Your most Excellent Majesty the additional Rates Duties and Sums of Money herein after mentioned and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That over and above the Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage above mentioned and over and above all other Subsidies whatsoever already due or payable or which ought to be paid to Her Majesty for or upon any Wines Goods or Merchandises whatsoever imported or to be imported there shall be raised levied collected paid and satisfied unto Her Majesty one other Subsidy called Tonnage for and upon all Wines which from and after the Eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three at any Time or Times within or during the Space of Three Years from thence next and immediately ensuing shall be imported or brought into the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed (that is to say) One Third Part of such or the like several and respective Duties as by the said recited Acts or either of them are imposed or payable for or upon any Kind of Wine or Wines respectively And one other Subsidy called Poundage of all Manner of Goods and Merchandises to be imported or brought into this Realm or any His Majesties Dominions to the same belonging at any Time or Times after the said Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three during the said Term of Three Years by way of Merchandise (that is to say) One Third Part of such or the like several and respective Duties as by the said recited Acts or either of them are imposed or payable for or upon the said Goods and Merchandises respectively (except such Goods and other Merchandises as by the said Acts or either of them are excepted from Payment of the Subsidies thereby granted)

Recall of the  
p. W. III. c. 17.

11.

Recall of the  
Act, c. 11.

One other Subsidy  
of Tonnage upon  
Wines imported  
after 8th March  
1703, for Three  
Years.

11. One Third  
Part of the Duties  
as by Stat  
2 W. III. c. 17.  
and Stat. 1. Ann.  
c. 1.

Poundage upon all  
Goods imported  
after 8th March  
1703, for Three  
Years.

11. One Third  
Part of the Duties  
as by the recited  
Acts.  
Exception.

\* This is Chapter IX. in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted in the Roll.

<p>II. Proviso for Drawbacks and Allowances as by the said Acts, Duties to be remitted, &amp;c. as under the said several Acts.</p>	<p>And it is hereby enacted, That in all Cases where by the said former Acts or either of them any Drawbacks or Allowances are to be made of the Whole or any Part of the Duties thereby imposed there shall be in the said Cases proportionable Drawbacks and Allowances made of the Whole or Part of the Duties by this Act granted respectively. And that the several Subsidies and Duties by this Act granted during the Continuance thereof shall be raised collected levied secured and paid by the same Ways Means and Methods and under such Provisions and Forfeitures and subject to such Rules and Directions as in and by the said Acts or either of them are prescribed or appointed touching or concerning the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage which were formerly granted as aforesaid and that every Article Rule and Clause contained in the said several Acts or either of them concerning the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage formerly granted as aforesaid and now in force are therewith as the same do or may relate to the Subsidies or Duties formerly granted as aforesaid shall be and exercised and put in practice for the raising levying collecting and receiving the Subsidies and Duties hereby before granted as fully and effectually as if the same Articles Rules and Clauses and every of them were again particularly and at large recited and re-enacted in the Body of this present Act except only as to each of the [said] Articles Rules and Clauses touching which other Provisions Allowances or Exemptions are made by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in being which other Provisions Allowances or Exemptions shall be observed with respect to the Duties hereby granted during the Continuance of this Act in the same Manner as they are to be observed with respect to the said Subsidies formerly granted as aforesaid.</p>	
<p>Evidence</p>	<p>And it is hereby further enacted and declared, That for every Hundred Weight of Sugar refined in England (and not in proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity) which shall be exported out of this Kingdom within or during the said Term of Three Years there shall be by this Act repaid at the Custom House to the Exporter within one Month after the Demand thereof (over and above the Sum of Three Shillings payable by the above recited Acts or one of them) the further Sum of One Shilling and six pence Out being first made by the Refiner that the said Sugar so exported was produced from Brown and Muscovado Sugar charged by this Act, and that as he verily believes the same was imported from Her Majesty's Plantations in America. And that who verily believes the Duty of the said Brown and Muscovado Sugar was duly paid at the Time of the Importation thereof and that the same was duly exported like Majesty's Sugar shall also verifying the Shipping thereof and all other Registers duly performed according to the Books of Rates.</p>	
<p>III. Sugar refined in England exported, Duties to be remitted, &amp;c. as under the said several Acts.</p>	<p>And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the Officers of Her Majesties [Customs] or any of them or any of their Clerks or Subalterns shall not directly or indirectly receive take or demand any Fee Gratuity or Reward whatsoever from any of Her Majesties Subjects or Aliens for any Entry Warrant Detainer Certificate Coquet or other Matter or Thing to be done or performed by them or any of them in relation only to the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage herein before granted on pain of forfeiting for every such Offence the Sum of Forty Pounds (to wit) One Third thereof to Her Majesty and the other Two Thirds thereof (besides Costs of Suit) to the Party grieved whose way may be for the same by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill (Sole) or Informaſſion in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereunto no Exorbitant Writ of Habeas Corpus shall be allowed.</p>	
<p>Proviso also.</p>	<p>And whereas all Wines of the Growth or Product of France or of any Dominions under the French King are by several Laws and Statutes of this Realm liable to the Payment of several Duties upon the Importation thereof and particularly by an Act of Parliament made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty an additional Duty upon all French Goods and Merchandises it was enacted (amongst other Things) that for every Ton of French Wine imported within the Time therein manifested there should be paid Five and twenty Pounds above the Duties before charged thereupon but by an other [Act] made in the Eighth Year of the same Kings Reign intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty a further Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage upon Merchandises imported by the Term of Two Years and Three Quarters and an additional Land Tax for One Year for carrying on the War against France it was provided that nothing in the said Act of the Seventh Year of His said late Majesty's Reign should charge any Merchandises of the Growth of France which should be bona fide sold or sold and condemned as Prize with any further or other Duties than what they were or ought to have been charged withal before the making of the Act last mentioned. And Her Majesty by Her Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Ninth Day of June in the First Year of Her Reign for the Encouragement of Her Subjects of War and Privateers hath been pleased to subject all French Wines (amongst other Things) taken and condemned as lawful Prize to the Payment of the Duties and Customs payable by Law other than the said Duty of Five and twenty Pounds per Ton. Now Her Majesties said dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to encourage the Trade to Portugal and above to raise Monies for carrying on the present War and other Her Majesties Occasions doe further grant to Her Majesty the additional Duty hereby after manifested upon all French Wines to be taken and condemned or adjudged as lawful Prize and doe hereby Trust Majesty that it may be enacted and be is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for every Ton of any Wine of the Growth or Product of France or of any Dominions under the French King seized or taken or to be seized or taken by any Her Majesties Ships or by any Privateers or otherwise and which at any Time or Times during the Term of Three Years above manifested shall be condemned or adjudged as lawful Prize</p>	
<p>Recall of Stat. 18 &amp; 19 W. III. c. 10.</p>	<p>(1)</p>	<p>and of Stat. 8 &amp; 9 W. III. c. 14.</p>
<p>(2)</p>	<p>Ware against France it was provided that nothing in the said Act of the Seventh Year of His said late Majesty's Reign should charge any Merchandises of the Growth of France which should be bona fide sold or sold and condemned as Prize with any further or other Duties than what they were or ought to have been charged withal before the making of the Act last mentioned. And Her Majesty by Her Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Ninth Day of June in the First Year of Her Reign for the Encouragement of Her Subjects of War and Privateers hath been pleased to subject all French Wines (amongst other Things) taken and condemned as lawful Prize to the Payment of the Duties and Customs payable by Law other than the said Duty of Five and twenty Pounds per Ton. Now Her Majesties said dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to encourage the Trade to Portugal and above to raise Monies for carrying on the present War and other Her Majesties Occasions doe further grant to Her Majesty the additional Duty hereby after manifested upon all French Wines to be taken and condemned or adjudged as lawful Prize and doe hereby Trust Majesty that it may be enacted and be is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for every Ton of any Wine of the Growth or Product of France or of any Dominions under the French King seized or taken or to be seized or taken by any Her Majesties Ships or by any Privateers or otherwise and which at any Time or Times during the Term of Three Years above manifested shall be condemned or adjudged as lawful Prize</p>	
<p>Recall of Statutes of 10 Ann. 1 Act.</p>	<p>(3)</p>	<p>and of Statutes of 10 Ann. 1 Act.</p>
<p>Statute for granting the Encouragement.</p>	<p>(4)</p>	<p>French Wine seized or taken, Duties to be remitted, &amp;c. as under the said several Acts.</p>



there shall be paid to Her Majesty the Sum of Fifteen Pounds of lawful English Money over and above the Duties already charged thereupon without Deduction and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity the same to be so much levied collected and paid to Her Majesty One by such Ways and Means and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and in such Manner and Form as the Schedule of Wines by this Act granted is to be so much levied collected and paid or by deducting the same out of the Proceeds of the respective Ports as the other Duties of the same Wines are directed by the said Proclamations to be deducted.

And whereas several Goods Wares and Merchandises of the Growth Produce or Manufacture of the East Indies or China or of other Parts within the Limits of the Customs granted to the Companies and other Traders who are allowed to trade to the East Indies are not particularly rated in the Books of Rates established by Law but are by several Laws and Statutes now in force charged upon the Importation thereof with several Duties to be paid according to the Values of the said Goods Wares and Merchandises respectively Now for the better securing such Duties and ascertaining the Values according to which such Duties shall be paid for the future it is hereby hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three upon the Importation of any such named Goods Wares and Merchandises of the Growth Produce or Manufacture of the East Indies China or other the Parts within the Limits aforesaid now liable to pay Duties as aforesaid by any Act or Acts of Parliament already made in that behalf during the Commission of the same Act and Acts of Parliament or any of them an Entry or Entries thereof shall be made in the Customs House where such Goods Wares or Merchandises shall be imported and before the landing thereof the Importer or Importers of the same shall give Security by Bond with Two or more sufficient Sureties (which the Commissioners or proper Officers of the Customs are hereby empowered to take) for Payment of the said Duties according to the said Values of the said Goods to be ascertained according to this Act (except Coffee the Duties whereof are to be regulated according to the former Acts concerning the same) as soon as the said Goods shall be sold and also for expending the Goods not imported to Sale openly and fairly by way of Auction or by such of Candle within the City of London within the Time of Twelve Months after the Importation thereof.

And it is hereby enacted and declared That the Value of such Goods according to which the said Duties are (to be) paid (except Coffee as aforesaid) shall be reckoned according to the gross Price at which such Goods shall be sold making such Allowances only out of the same as are herein after mentioned (that is to say) It is hereby enacted that out of the Value of the said Goods are to be accounted by the Price at the Candle as aforesaid there shall be [a] Deduction and Allowance made of so much as the said Duties payable to Her Majesty for the same Goods respectively do amount unto (except the Duty of Five Pence a Cwt<sup>l</sup> payable to the Queen for the Use [of the] and Computation) and so much as the respective Corporations or Traders aforesaid shall bona fide allow for prompt Payment to the Persons where at such Sales shall buy the said Goods at Time and also upon the whole Values of the said Goods are to be ascertained by the Price at the Candle there shall be deducted and allowed Six Pounds for every Hundred Pounds to the said Corporations and Traders respectively for their Charges in [loading] the said Goods from the Time such Goods are imported till the Sale by the Candle and in that Proportion for a greater or lesser Value.

And to be further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any such named Goods of the Growth Produce or Manufacture of the East Indies China or other the Parts within the Limits aforesaid shall be landed or put on Shore out of any Ship or Vessel before due Entry thereof be made at the Customs House in the Port or Place where the same shall be imported and the said Duties shall be secured as aforesaid or without a Warrant for the landing or delivering the same first signed by the Commissioners Collectors or other proper Officer or Officers of the Customs respectively that all such imported Goods as shall be so landed and put on Shore as taken out of any Ship or Vessel contrary to the true Meaning hereof or the Value of the same shall be forfeited and shall and may be seized or recovered of the Importer or Proprietor thereof (no part) Two Thirds of the same to the Use of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors (the other Third Part to the Use of such Persons or Persons as will sure Inform or sue for the same or the Value thereof by Action Bill Sale or Infuocallion wherein no Ensign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed nevertheless the said Duties are to be paid upon the Values so ascertained of the said named Goods Wares and Merchandises (except the necessary Charges of unloading collecting and ascertaining the same) shall be applied and disposed to the same Uses and Purposes to which the respective Duties upon the same Goods payable in any other Manner by any former Act or Acts were [appropriated] or applicable.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That in all Cases where by the said former Acts concerning the said Duties of named Goods or any of them any Drawbacks or Allowances were to be made of all or any Part of the Duties upon the Exportation thereof within the respective Time or Times thereby limited there shall be [the] like Drawbacks or Allowances made of or out of the Duties of the same Goods to be ascertained by this Act.

Provided also That nothing in this Act shall extend or be construed to extend to charge any Goods or Merchandise chargeable by the Act imported in [any] Port of the Kingdom before the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three.

Duty to be paid, for or by the Act.

VI. Reason for passing the Statute.

After the Month 1703, several Goods of East India or China, being all valued to be entered in the Customs House.

Importers, before landing, to give Security for paying Duties, &c.

(except Coffee)

and for expending them to Sale by Auction, &c. within Twelve Months.

VII. How such Goods to be valued.

and what Drawbacks and Allowances to be made in respect of Duties, &c.

VIII. Substantive Goods, including Entry, and Security for Duty.

or without Warrant.

forfeited, &c. How distributed.

Duties how to be applied.

IX. That the Drawbacks and Allowances as by the former Acts.

X. Proviso for Goods imported before 1st March 1703.

1. Imported on the Bill.

2. appropriated G.

**XII.**  
Nine Months given  
for paying the  
Duty on Tobacco  
of 8 p Cent.  
Duty on Import  
Payable.

Provided since and be it enacted That all Persons importing any Tobacco hereby charged with any the Duties aforesaid shall have Nine Months Time from the Entry of the Tobacco towards the Payment of the Duty hereby imposed upon the same passing Road with sufficient Securities to Her Majesty for Payment thereof at the End of the said Nine Months as in like Cases in usual and in case of prompt Payment, the Importer shall have a Discount after the Rate of Six Pence p Cent<sup>o</sup> p An<sup>o</sup>.

**XIII.**  
No Drawback,  
in Wine  
made of Foreign  
wrought Iron, &c.  
imported, and  
afterwards exported  
to America  
Plantations.

Also for the Encouragement of the Iron Manufacture of this Kingdom be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three there shall not be allowed any Drawback or Repayment of Customs or Duties charged in this or any former Act upon any Wine made of Wrought Iron or Steel in Foreign Parts which shall be imported into this Kingdom and afterwards exported to any of Her Majesty's Plantations in America Any Clause in this or any former Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

**XIII.**  
English Merchants  
to pay of Month  
from the Entry  
towards of all  
Tobacco, &c. to  
export the same.  
Proviso.

And whereas the Time for Exportation of Tobacco Sugar Ginger Pepper Bagles also Brads Cast and Bars Iron Dying Wood all Dying Wares and all Druggs by English Merchants in order to draw back is limited to Twelve Months which by Experience is found to be too short and very inconvenient to Trade be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all English Merchants shall from the said Eighth Day of March have Eighteen Months Time from the Entry towards of all Tobacco Sugar Ginger Pepper Bagles also Brads Cast and Bars Iron all Dying Wood Dying Wares and all Druggs to export the same and shall have the like Benefit and Drawback by such Exportation as if the same had been exported within Twelve Months according to the Second Rule in the Book of Rates the said Rule or any other Law or Customs now in force relating thereto notwithstanding provided Certificates be taken forth and Oath made and all other Requisites performed according to the Laws now in being.

**XIV.**  
The Oath of the  
Agent or Head  
of any Company,  
&c. in all Cases  
of Importation  
of Goods, of the  
Effect as if made  
by Merchants  
themselves.

And be it further enacted That in all Cases where the Oath of Merchants importing and exporting is by Law required to obtain any Drawback or Allowance upon the Exportation of any Foreign Goods the making of such Oath by the Agent or Head of any Corporation or Company trading by a Joint Stock affirming the Truth of the Officers Certificate of the Entry and due Payment of the Duties of such Foreign Goods by any and Company or Corporation and the making [of] such Oath by the known Servant of any Merchant usually employed in the making his Entries and paying his Customs for any Goods of a Merchant not to be exported shall be of the like Effect as if the said Oathes were made by any particular Merchant or Merchants themselves.

**XV.**  
Value of original  
Goods imported  
before 1<sup>st</sup> March  
1703, estimated  
by Oath of Two  
Deputies, &c.

[Act<sup>y</sup>] for ascertaining the Values of any wrened Goods imported before the said Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three from the East India's and China or any other Parts within the Limits aforesaid by the Two Companies law incorporated to trade thither or either of them fit or hereby further enacted That the Oath of Two Deputies or Members of the Officers of the said Companies shall be admitted to affirm the Value of such Goods not already imported according to which the Duties and values for the same are to be paid Any former Act or Acts of Parliament [or Usage] to the contrary notwithstanding.

**XVI.**  
Tonnage and  
Poundage and  
Duty of French  
Wine paid  
under Exchange-  
Exemption.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Moxies wining by the additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage hereby granted and by the said additional Duty either the Rate of Fifteen Pence p Ton upon all French Wines to be condemned as lawful Free or aforesaid (except the necessary Charges of raising and answering the said Subsidy and additional Duty respectively) shall from time to time be brought and paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer.

**XVII.**  
Clause of Loans for  
any Loan upon  
Credit thereof.

Also that it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person and Persons, Natives or Foreigners, Bodies Politic or Corporate to lend to Her Majesty at the said Receipt upon Credit of the said Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and the said additional Duty on French Wines condemned as Free any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Three hundred thousand Pounds and upon another Act of this present Session of Parliament (entitled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by contracting the Duties upon Malt Most Cylar and Perry for One Year) any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole Six hundred and fifty thousand Pounds including all Loans made thereupon and that all Persons whose shall have lent upon the said Credit or either of them shall have Interest for the Forbearance of their respective Loans by them lent or to be made after the Rate of Five Pence per Centum per Annum to be paid every Three Months from the making of such Loans until Satisfaction of the Principal Sums respectively and that such Moneys so lent or to be lent shall be rated or assessed to any Tax or Assessment whatsoever.

**XVIII.**  
Clause of Loans for  
any Loan upon  
Credit thereof.

Also that every such Lender shall immediately have a Tally of Loan struck for the Money by him lent or then lent and an Order of the same Date for Repayment thereof with such Interest as aforesaid and that all such Orders shall be registered in court according to their Dates to wit The Orders for Loans on the said Duties on Malt Most Cylar and Perry on a Register to be kept for that Act and the Orders for Loans on the said Subsidy and additional Duty by this Act granted on a distinct Register for such Loans and all Persons on the said respective Registers shall be paid in court as their Orders shall stand registered not as the Persons themselves.

**XVIII.**  
Tally of Loans to  
be struck, &c.  
Orders to be  
registered in court.

Also that every such Lender shall immediately have a Tally of Loan struck for the Money by him lent or then lent and an Order of the same Date for Repayment thereof with such Interest as aforesaid and that all such Orders shall be registered in court according to their Dates to wit The Orders for Loans on the said Duties on Malt Most Cylar and Perry on a Register to be kept for that Act and the Orders for Loans on the said Subsidy and additional Duty by this Act granted on a distinct Register for such Loans and all Persons on the said respective Registers shall be paid in court as their Orders shall stand registered not as the Persons themselves.

or Foreign by Execution Administrators or Assignees whose Order shall be first registered shall be accounted the Person to be first paid out of the Moneys to come in by the said respective Duties whereupon the said Loans shall be made accordingly and he or they whose shall have his or their Order or Orders next entered shall be taken to be the Second Person to be paid and so successively and in course.

And that the said Moneys to come in by the said respective Duties whereupon the said Loans shall be made respectively shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the said respective Persons their Executors Administrators or Assignees successively without undue Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or divisible to any other Use than the Purpose whatsoever.

XIX.  
Duties liable to  
such Loans.  
No undue  
Preference, &c.

And that no Fee Reward or Gratitude directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any His Majesties Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Vouchers or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of His Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party aggrieved by the Party offending with full Costs of Suit or if the Officer [himself] take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place also.

XX.  
No Fee for  
registering, &c.  
Penalty,  
by Party,  
by Officer.

And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party aggrieved and shall be fore-judged of his Place or Office. And if such Preference be unduly made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Direction or Power of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever after incapable of his Place or Office.

XXI.  
Undue Preference  
by Officers,  
Penalty and Loss  
of Office,  
by Deputy.

And in case the Auditor of the Receipts shall not direct or the Clerks of the Rolls record or the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as aforesaid then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit. And the respective Deputies and Clerks herein offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid all which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be incurred by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or [Indemnity] in any of His Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Foreign Protection Privilege Wages of Law Infirm or Order of Recusance shall be in any wise granted or allowed.

XXII.  
Auditor to make  
Payments according  
to due Place and  
Order,  
Penalty.  
Deputies offending,  
their Penalties  
recovered.

Providence always and he is hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies of Loan or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipts to be registered then it shall be inteposed no undue Preference which of these be entered first see as he enters them all the same Day.

XXIII.  
No undue Pre-  
ference if several  
Tallies bear the  
same Day.

Provided also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to have any Penalty in point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerks of the Rolls record and the [Tellers] due pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand their Moneys and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take their Moneys and bring their Orders in their Course see as there be no such Money reserved as will satisfy precedent Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them interest upon Loans being so come from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them.

XXIV.  
Not if subsequent  
Orders be paid  
before such as were  
not demanded in  
course, if sufficient  
Money reserved.

And he is further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans by virtue of this or the said former Act after Order entered in the Books of Registry for either of the said Acts as aforesaid his or their Executors Administrators or Assignees by Indorsement of his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being needed in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the proper Books of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall make such Assignee his Executors Administrators Successors and Assignees to the Benefits thereof and Payment thereon. And such Assignees may in like Manner assign again and so twice again and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons whose name or names made such Assignments to make void release or discharge the same or any the Moneys thereby due or any Part thereof.

XXV.  
Orders for Payment  
assignable  
Entry made  
without Fee  
Assignee may  
assign.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Moneys which shall be lent to Her Majesty on the Credit of the said Subsidy and additional Duty by this Act granted and all the Moneys which are or shall be lent contributed or advanced to Her Majesty upon every or any other Act or Acts of this Session of Parliament for granting any Act or Supply to Her Majesty for carrying on the present War and other Her Majesties necessary or important Occasions and so much of the several Taxes and Duties by this and the said other Acts or any of them granted as shall remaine (over and above such Charges as are to be allowed for the raising of the said Taxes and Duties respectively and over and above the Moneys thereof which are in the first Place to go and be applied in Repayment and Satisfaction of all the Loans made or to be made thereupon or

XXVI.  
Charge of a pro-  
portion.

upon any of them and the latest thereof respectively) shall be appropriated issued and applied and the same [are] lawfully appropriated for or towards the several Uses and Purposes herein after expressed (that is to say) for or towards the defraying the Charge of the Ordinary of Her Majesty's Navy and other Service of the Navy and the maintaining thereof and the Sea Service in the Office of the Ordinance performed and to be performed And for or towards the Land Service performed and to be performed by the said Office of the Ordinance And so and for Subsistence Off-allowances and Allowances for One Year from the Four and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and three to Her Majesty's Guards and Garisons in England and the Dominions thereto belonging (Ireland excepted) and the contingent Charges of the same And for or towards the defraying the Charge of Her Majesty's Army and such Forces as are or shall be added thereto in the Low Countries within or for One Year to be reckoned from the said Four and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and three and the contingent Charges thereof thereto belonging And for or towards the defraying Her Majesty's Port of the Charge of the Forces serving or to be in Conjunction with the Forces of the King of Portugal until the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four And for or towards the Payment of Her Majesty's Properties of the Salubrious due or to be due upon Treasuries made or to be made with Her Majesty's Allies and other Charges for the Service of the War until the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four And for and towards the Payment of any Sum not exceeding Five thousand Pounds for the Support of the Hospitals And for or towards [the] discharging of the Penalties and other Charges for circulating the Bills commonly called Exchequer Bills And for or towards the Satisfaction of the Sums not exceeding Eight hundred seventy five Pounds to be paid without Account and free of all Taxes arrear for the Sums of the Five Commissioners appointed by Act of Parliament for settling the Accounts of the Army Transports and Prizes during the last War as for Incident Charges in the Execution of their Trust for One Quarter ending the Nine and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four And for or towards the Satisfaction of the Sums of Three thousand five hundred Pounds for Salaries and any Sums not exceeding Two thousand five hundred Pounds for Incident Charges to be allowed without Account and free of all Taxes to the Seven Commissioners appointed by Act of Parliament for settling the Accounts of all public Monies and to some other Use intent or Purpose whatsoever

**XIV.**  
Out of Moneys for  
Guards and  
Garrisons and Sea  
Service, Moneys to  
be applied to pay  
of Soldiers raised  
for Sea Service.

**XV.**  
Recd. of Genl.  
1 Ann. c. 17.  
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Treasury to apply  
the Title, &c. for  
the Extraordinary  
Armed Forces sub-  
mitted to, or due  
the Debentures  
retained to the  
Paymaster General,  
for applying the  
Out Payments of  
Charges, not other  
public Debt  
incurred in the last  
War.

And whereas by an Act of the last Year of Her Majesty's Reign (intituled An Act for making good Deficiencies and for preserving the publick Credit) several Talles therein contained to amount to Five thousand seven hundred and seventeen Pounds Nine Shillings One Penny and the Orders thereupon for Revision of Accounts were directed to be used to discharge such Off-allowances for Clothing as were become due before the last Day of December One thousand seven hundred and three which Off-allowances being otherwise satisfied the said Talles and Orders do still remain in the Hands of the late Paymaster General of the Army And by the Act last mentioned it was provided that such Person or Persons as should receive such Debentures payable out of the said Talles in Ireland as are thereby directed for Moneys due to any Troop or Companies (over and above what was due for the Personal Pay of the said Companies) should give Security to the Paymaster General of Double the Value thereof and at the End of Twelve Months should reserve unto the said Paymaster General upon Oath of all the Debentures by him or them issued in pursuance of that Act and returning him to the Hands of the said Paymaster such Debentures as should remain not issued out to the End of the said Twelve Months in pursuance whereof several of the said Debentures have been returned and others of them ought to be returned to the Hands of the late Paymaster General of the Army or to the Paymaster General thereof for the Time being for the publick Use and Service Now it is hereby further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful so and for the Lord High Treasurer of England or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to cause as well the said Orders and Talles for the said extraordinary Arrears remaining undisposed as aforesaid as also all and every or any the said Debentures returned or to be returned to the said late Paymaster or to the Paymaster General of Her Majesty's Forces for the Time being pursuant to the said Securities or any of them given or to be given upon the Act last mentioned to be issued paid over or applied for or towards Satisfaction of all or any Part of the Moneys due in the Rights of His late Majesty King William the Third to the Out Payments of Chelsea Hospital and such other Publick Debt as were incurred during the last War as the said Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury shall direct and in such Proportion Manner and Form as to him or them shall seem meet.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> Soldiers &c.

## CHAPTER XII. (\*)

An Act to abridge the Time for [the<sup>1</sup>] Purchasers of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland to make the Payments *See Part*  
of their Purchase Money *1 & 2 Ann. p. 2. 26.*

WHEREAS in and by One Act made in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign intituled An Act for  
advancing the Sale of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland and for vending such as remain unsold by the  
present Trustees in Her Majesties Her Heirs and Successors for such Time as the same were before voted in the  
said Trustees and for the more effectual selling and setting the said Estates to Persons and for expediting several  
Acts relating to the Lord Boplin and Sir Richard Everard it is amongst other things enacted that for the  
Encouragement of Purchasers and facilitating the Sales of the said Estates the said Trustees or any Seven or  
more of them shall or may (if they think fit) accept from the several Purchasers thereof One Third Part  
only of their Purchase Money or any greater Proportion thereof to be paid at such Times before the Four and  
twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three as the said Trustees or any Seven or more of  
them shall direct and upon Payment of such Part or Proportion make Conveyance of the Land so purchased  
to the several Purchasers thereof under a Profane nevertheless for making void the same for Nonpayment of  
One Moiety of the Residue of the said Purchase Money on or before the Five and twentieth Day of December  
One thousand seven hundred and three and the other Moiety of the said Residue on or before the Four and  
twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four together with Interest for each of the said Moleins  
after the Rate of Eight Pounds p Cent p An<sup>o</sup> p An<sup>o</sup> in (") Money as the same is valued in England from the said  
Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three until the respective Times of Payment  
thereof the said several Payment to be made into the Receipt of the Exchequer in Ireland either in English Money  
as the same is valued in England or in any the Debentures Certificate Tallies Orders Tickets and Bills applicable  
to such Purchasers by the said Act or by One other Act made and passed in the Eleventh Year of the Reign  
of His late Majesty King William the Third intituled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by Sale of  
the Forfeited and other Estates and Interest in Ireland and by a Land Tax in England for the several Purposes  
therein mentioned and that all and every the Money so paid shall be reserved to be applied to the Uses Intents  
and Purposes in the said last mentioned Act directed and that in such Cases the Officers of Her Majesties Exchequer  
do take Care to cancel the same Debentures Certificate Tallies Orders Tickets and Bills so paid and transmit  
an Account thereof into Her Majesties Exchequer in England in the same Manner as the said Trustees are directed  
to do by the said last mentioned Act and for the better Security of Purchasers or such of them as shall comply  
with the Payments to be secured as aforesaid the proper Officers of the said Exchequer for the Time being shall  
sign Receipts for the same endorsed upon such Conveyances respectively the Transcripts of which said Receipts  
shall also be endorsed upon the Entry of the said Conveyance remaining with the Entries or Records of the  
said Trustees and also on the Instrument thereof to remain in the High Court of Chancery in Ireland And  
whenever after the making of the said first recited Act the present Part of the said Forfeited and other Estates  
has been sold by the said Trustees but by Reason of the present Scarcity of Money in Ireland all the Purchasers  
of the said Estates may not be able to comply with the Payment of their Purchase Money at the respective  
Times and Times by the said first recited Act limited for the Payment of the same Therefore for the further  
Ease of the said Purchasers Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and  
Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in this present Parliament assembled and by the  
Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful so and for all such Purchasers of any of the said  
Forfeited or other Estates who have paid One Third Part or any greater Proportion of their Purchase Money  
according as the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them have directed in that Behalf (other than the  
Corporation or Company for making Sewer Rades and other than the said Lord Boplin and his Trustees who  
are expressly excepted out of this present Act and debarred from having any Benefit thereby) to pay One Moiety  
of the Residue of their said Purchase Money on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand  
seven hundred and four and the other Moiety of the said Residue on or before the Five and twentieth Day of  
December One thousand seven hundred and four together with Interest for each of the said Moleins after the  
Rate of Eight Pounds p Cent p An<sup>o</sup> in English Money as the same is valued in England from the said Four and  
twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three until the respective Times of Payment thereof

Provided nevertheless That upon Non payment of either of the said Moleins or of the Interest due thereupon  
at the respective Times by this Act appointed for the Payment thereof the Conveyance made by the said Trustees  
to the Person or Persons so failing in Payment or by or under which such Person or Persons shall claim any  
of the said Forfeited or other Estates shall be utterly void and the same is hereby declared and adjudged void

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Payments to be made at the several Times  
hereby above limited shall be made in the same Manner and the same Rules and Directions shall be observed in  
canceling all Debentures Certificate Tallies Orders Tickets and Bills as are paid and transmitting an Account  
thereof and in signing and endorsing Receipts and Transcripts of Receipts and in all other respects except what

Record of Stat.  
1 Ann. Stat. 1. p. 26.

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and of Stat.  
11 W. III. c. 1.

Reason for passing  
the Act.

Purchasers of For-  
feited Estates, &c.  
who have paid Part  
of Purchase Money  
(Excepted)  
may pay Residue  
on interest &c.

31.  
On Nonpayment,  
Conveyance void

32.  
In such Payments  
canceling Debent-  
ures, &c. Rules of  
Stat. 1 Ann. Stat.  
c. 11 to be  
observed.

\* This is Chapter X. in the Common printed Editions.

† = English " O. & Eng's Printer Copy.

\* inserted in the Bill.

is allowed by this Act as to the Days of Payment shew'd to us and by the said first rec'd Act is and are expressed and appointed. Any thing in the said Act or in any other Act or in any Conveyance of any of the said Forfeited or other Estates to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

IV.  
Reason for paying  
the Interest.

And whereas it is manifest that the Forfeited Estates in Ireland do not extend to satisfy all the Debts which have been made forth by the late Paymaster of the Army and Commissioners of Treasures and by the Commissioners of Accounts in that Behalf authorized respectively and were intended to be discharged out of the said [Estate] but that many of the said Debtors amounting to a very considerable Sum will still remain unsatisfied and are to be made good by some other Ways and Means Now to the End that all Debtors which will so be made satisfied may be the better known and distinguished in order to the making a suitable Provision for paying off the same and for the better preserving the Publick Credit it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That within the Month after the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four all Persons then having the said unsatisfied Debtors or any of them in his her or their Custody shall or may produce and shew forth the same to such Person or Persons as shall be appointed by the High Treasurer or Commissioners of the [Treasury for the] Time being to register the said unsatisfied Debtors which said Person or Persons are to be appointed shall cause every such Debtor to be entered in a Books for that Purpose expressing the Date Names Service and Sums of Money contained in every such Debtor and shall cause every such Debtor to be delivered back to the Party bringing the same or sale in his case or they shall appoint without any Fee or Charge for any such Entry

Unsatisfied Debtors, specified  
the as having  
received, in the  
Register.

V.  
Interest thereon at  
six per Cent. from  
17th Dec 1703.

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Interest after the Rate of Five Pounds a Gall p Ann from the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and one shall be allowed upon each of the said unsatisfied Debtors as do not already bear Interest by virtue of any the former Act or Acts of Parliament in the Behalf for the Principal Sums only which are contained in the said Debtors which Interest are to be allowed shall stand the Principal contained in such Debtors and shall goe and be paid to the Owners and Beings thereof until the Satisfaction of the said Principal Sums respectively

VI.  
One Year's Interest  
thereon paid as  
before assigned.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon every one of the said unsatisfied Debtors which shall be registered as [aforesaid] as soon as the same respectively shall be so registered One Year's Interest shall be paid and satisfied by such Ways and Means as in this Act are expressed (but it is to say) the Interest thereof for the First Year due thereupon respectively and that towards the Payment of the said One Year's Interest the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall cause to be applied the Sums of Nine thousand seven hundred and sixscore Pounds Three Shillings now remaining in the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer in England of Money arisen from the Forfeited Estates in Ireland and since all such Moneys as are or shall be paid into the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer in Ireland or for the Sums of Five and twenty thousand Pounds raised and to be raised on the Estate of the Lord Daphin or of as for the Interest thereof in English Money pursuant to the seventh Act of Parliament in that Behalf and the Remainder of the said One Year's Interest to be made up out of such further Moneys as shall arise in Specie or in [any] of the said Forfeited Estates in Ireland whether the same be Real or Personal or of or for any Rent Arrears or other Profits or Produce of the same

VII.  
No Debtor  
applied to pay-  
ment and not  
remaining un-  
paid after 17th Dec  
1704 to have  
Interest.

Provided always That no Debtor that shall be actually applied to the purchasing of any of the said Forfeited Estates in Ireland pursuant to this or any of the said former Acts and no shall not remain unsatisfied as aforesaid after the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four shall be entitled to any Interest by virtue of this Act or any of the Charters therein contained Any thing in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding

VIII.  
Treasury to apply  
Money to Payment  
of the said One  
Year's Interest.

And it is hereby enacted That the said Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall have Power to have imploy pay and apply the said Money for discharging One Year's Interest as aforesaid so that the said one and other One Interest or Purpose whatsoever according to such Methods and in such Manner and Forms as to him or them in his or their Discretion shall seem meet

IX.  
Reason for paying  
the Interest.

And whereas several Days of Grace were given by the Act above recited and further Days of Grace are given by this Act for Payment of several Parts or Proportions of the Purchase Money (with Interest) for the said Forfeited Estates or some of them where such Payment was and is authorized to be made in Debtors Talibus Bills or Tickets bearing Interest thereupon and some Doubt hath been made whether the Interest upon such Debtors Talibus Bills or Tickets is applying the same to make good the said Purchase Money ought to be reckoned any farther than the Time of making the said Purchase for obtaining of which Doubt it is hereby further enacted That the Interest upon such Debtors Talibus Bills and Tickets as are or shall be so applied to make good the Proportions of any Purchase Money paid or to be paid by such Days of Grace as aforesaid after the Execution of the respective Conveyances of any such Estates and within the respective Times by this or any former Act limited for the Payment thereof shall be computed and reckoned until the several Days and Times when the Principal in the same Debtors Talibus Bills and Tickets shall be so actually applied to

How Interest upon  
Debtors, etc.  
applied to make  
good Proportions  
of Purchase Money  
paid by Days of  
Grace computed.

Payment as aforesaid and each Interest so computed shall be accepted and taken as Part of the said Purchase Money payable by Proportions and at limited Times as aforesaid or as Part of the Interest Money payable by the respective Purchasers for the Forbearance of the said Proportions of their Purchase Money Any thing in this or the said former Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Notwithstanding this Act shall not make void any Special Agreement made between the said Trustees and any of the Purchasers touching the computing or determining the Interest upon any Debentures applied or to be applied to the purchasing any the said Estates.

3.  
Proviso for Special Agreements touching such Interest.

## CHAPTER XL (\*)

As Act for the making more effectually Her Majesties Gracious Intention for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy by enabling Her Majesty to grant in Pseperality the Revenues of the First Fruits and Tenths and also for enabling any other Persons to make Grants for the same Purpose.

Act. Parl.  
25 July 1703. p. 4-7.

WHEREAS at a Parliament holden in the six and twentieth Years of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth the First Fruits Revenues and Profits for One Year upon every Nomination or Appointment to any Dignity Benefice Office or Promotion Spiritual within this Realm or elsewhere within the said Kings Dominions And also a perpetuall yearly Rent or Pension amounting to the Value of the Tenth Part of all the Revenues and Profits belonging to say Dignity Benefice or Promotion Spiritual whatsoever within any Diocese of this Realm or in Wales were granted to the said King Henry the Eighth His Heires and Successors and divers other Estates have since been made touching the First Fruits and annual Tenths of the Clergy and the ordering thereof And whereas a sufficient settled Provision for the Clergy in many Parts of this Realm have never yett been made by means wherof divers men and [superseded] Pvrechans are in many Places constrained to serve the Curis and officie there whose depending for (\*) necessary Maintenance upon the good will and liking of their Heires have bene and are thereby under Temptation of too much complying and selling their Doctrine and Teaching in the Hangers rather than the good of their Heires which hath bene a great Occasion of Faction and Schism and Contempt of the Ministry And whereas as Your Majesty taking into Your princely and serious Consideration the mean and insufficient Maintenance belonging to the Clergy in divers Parts of this Your Kingdom has bene most graciously pleased out of Your most religious and tender Concerns for the Church of England (whereof Your Majesty is the only Supreme Head on Earth) and for the poor Clergy thereof not only to remit the Arrears of Your Tenths due from Your Poor Clergy but also to devise unto Your most drifull and loyal Commons Your Royall Humane and pious desire that the whole Revenue arising from the First Fruits and Tenths of the Clergy might be settled for a perpetuall Augmentation of the Maintenance of the said Clergy in Places where the same is not already sufficiently provided for Woe Your Majesties most drifull and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled to the end that Your Majesties most gracious Intention may be made effectual and that the Church may receive see great and lasting an Advantage from Your Majesty puring with see great a Branch of Your Revenue towards the better Provision for the Clergy not sufficiently provided for and to the known Your Majesties singular Zeal for the Support of the Clergy and the Honour Interest and future Security of the Church as by Law established may be perpetuated to all Ages doe most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by [the] Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful for the Queens most Excellent Majesty by Her Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England to incorporate such Persons as Her Majesty shall therein nominate or appoint to be One Body Politick and Corporate to have a Common Seal and perpetuall Succession And also as Her Majesties Will and Pleasure by the same or any other Letter Patents to grant limits or unto to or upon the said Corporation and their Successors for ever all the Revenues of First Fruits [and] Yearly perpetuall Tenths of all Dignities Offices Benefices and Promotions Spiritual whatsoever to be applied and disposed of to and for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of such Parsons Vicars Curates and Ministers officiating in any Church or Chapel within the Kingdoms of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed where the Clergy and Bish of the Church of England as now by Law established are or shall be used [or] observed with such lawful Powers Authorities Discretions Limitations and Appointments and under such Rules and Restrictions and in such Manner and Form as shall be therein expressed the Statute made in the First Year of Her said Majesties Reigne intitled An Act for the better Support of Her Majesties Household and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown or any other Law to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

Revised Stat.  
25 JULY. c. 5  
(1).

Reason for passing the Statute.

The Queen by Letters Patent under the Great Seal may erect a Corporation and grant them.  
The Statute of First Fruits and Tenths to be applied for the Augmentation of Maintenance of Ministers of just Parishes, &c.

Stat. 1 Ann. c. 1.

Provided always and it is hereby declared That all and every the Statutes and Provisions touching [and] concerning the ordering levying and true receiving and Payment or Qualification of the said First Fruits and Tenths or touching the Charge Discharge or Alienation of them or any of them or any Manner or Thing relating thereto which were in Force at the Time of making this Act shall be remane and continue in their full Force

II.  
Further Statutes relating to the Statute, &c. of First Fruits and Tenths in force.

\* This is Chapter XL in the Common printed Edition.

\* Q. ann.

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and Effect and be observed and put in due Execution according to the Tenor and Purports of the same and every of them for such Intents and Purposes nevertheless as shall be contained or directed in or by the said Letters Patents

III.  
Persons having any  
Interest in Lands,  
Grants, &c. upon  
the said Reversion

Provided also That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to avoid or in any way [so] impede or affect any Great Exchange Alienation or Incumbency at any Time heretofore made of or upon the said Reversions of First Fruits and Tithes or any Part thereof but that the same shall during the Continuance of such Great Exchange Alienation or Incumbency respectively be and remain of and in such force and virtue and not otherwise to all Intents and Purposes as if this Act had not been made

IV.  
Persons having any  
Interest in Lands,  
&c. may by Deed  
conveyed under Stat.  
1711, VIII. c. 15  
or by Will grant  
such Estate, &c. to  
such Corporation  
in whose Interest  
mentioned.

And for the Encouragement of such well disposed Persons as shall by Her Majesty's Royal Example be moved to contribute to soe pious and charitable a Purpose and that such their Charity may be rightly applied by it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons having in his or their own Right any Estate or Interest in Possession Reversion or Contingency of or in any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or any Property of or in any Goods or Chattels shall have full Power License & Authority at his her and their Will and Pleasure by Deed enrolled in such Manner and within such Time as is directed by the Statute made in the Twenty seventh Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth for betterment of Burgin and Sales or by his her or their last Will or Testament in Writing duly executed according to Law to give and grant to and vest in the said Corporation and their Successors all such his her or their Estate Interest or Property in such Lands Tenements and Hereditaments Goods and Chattels or any Part or Parts thereof for and towards the Augmenting of the Maintenance of such Ministers as aforesaid officiating in such Church or Chappell where the Liturgy and Rites of the said Church are or shall be soe used or observed as aforesaid and having no settled competent Provision belonging to the same and to be for that Purpose applied according to the Will of the said Benefactors in and by such Deed enrolled or by such Will or Testament executed as aforesaid expressed And in default of such Direction Limitation or Appointment in such Manner as by Her Majesty's Letters Patents shall be directed or appointed as aforesaid

V.  
Corporations may  
purchase, &c.  
Lands, &c.

And such Corporation and their Successors shall have full Capacity & Ability to purchase receive take hold and enjoy for the Purposes aforesaid from such Persons as shall be soe charitably disposed to give to the same as from all other Persons as shall be willing to sell or alien to the said Corporation any Manners Lands Tenements Goods or Chattels without any License or Writ of Ad quod damnum the Statute of Mortmain or any other Statute or Law to the contrary notwithstanding

VI.  
Infants, &c. not  
enabled.

Provided always That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to enable any Person to Person being within Age or of Non sane Memory or Women Covert without their Husbonds to make any such Gift Grant or Alienation Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

VII.  
One Read only for  
Payment of First  
Fruits to be given  
and Payment made  
as herein mentioned.

And whereas Four Reads for Four Half yearly Payments of the First Fruits at the same are made and also a Fifth Read for a further Value or Payment in respect of the same First Fruits have been required and due from the Clergy to their great and unnecessary Burden and Grievance For Remedy thereof be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Twenty fifth Day of March in the Years of our Lord One thousand seven hundred & four One Read only shall in each Case be given or required for the First Payment of the said First Fruits which said First Fruits as well as the Tithes payable by the Clergy shall hereafter be assessed and paid by them according to such Rates & Proportions only as the same have heretofore been usually rated and paid And not such Fifth Read already given shall from and after the said Twenty fifth Day of March in the Years One thousand seven hundred and four be used or recovered.

## CHAPTER XXI.

From the Original Act in the Parliament Office, No. 20.

1713 Anno.

AN ACT to discharge the Governor and Company for making hollow Sword Blades in England of the Sum of Eighteen thousand eight hundred sixty four Pounds Seven Shillings One Penny Half penny by Misdemeanors overcharged in the Purchase Money for several Forbids and other Estates and Interests in Ireland purchased by them.

Reasons for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS upon Encouragement and in pursuance of the several Acts of Parliament relating to the Sale of the Forbids and other Estates and Interests in Ireland the Governor and Company for making hollow Sword Blades in England did become Purchasers of so many several Parts of the said Estates and Interests that the Purchase Money thereof amounted in the Whole to the Sum of Two hundred and eight thousand eight hundred sixty seven Pounds Ten Shillings and Ten Pence Farthing (over and above all Incumbrances) which Estates and Interests not purchased the Trustees appointed by the said Act of Parliament for Sale of the said Forbids and other Estates and Interests in Ireland did in pursuance of the said Act and of other subsequent Acts of Parliament convey unto the said Governor and Company their Successors and Assigns in and by Twenty eight



several Deeds or Conveyances by them the said Trustees or the Majority of them duly executed And whereas the Sums mentioned to be received by the several Provisions contained in the said Conveyances in them containing due and payable from the said Governor and Company into the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer in Ireland amount together to the Sum of Seventy five thousand nine hundred twenty one Pounds Twelve Shillings and Five Pence Three farthings although there was actually at the Time of executing the said Conveyances but the Sum of Fifty seven thousand one hundred twenty seven Pounds Five Shillings and Four Pence Farthing and no more of the said Purchase Money remaining due and unpaid and which the said Trustees who executed the said Conveyances have also declared and certified by an Indorsement under their Hands dated the Thirtieth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and three upon one of the said Conveyances and that there was and is an Overcharge upon the said Governor and Company of the Sum of Eighteen thousand eight hundred sixty four Pounds Seven Shillings and One Penny Half penny he is therefore enacted and declared by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if the said Governor and Company or their Successors have paid or shall pay the said Sum of Fifty seven thousand one hundred twenty seven Pounds Five Shillings and Four Pence Farthing into the Receipt of Her Majesties said Exchequer either in English Money or such Monies valued in England or in any of the Debentures Certificates Tickets Talleys Orders or Bills applicable by any Act or Acts of Parliament to the Purchase of the said forfeited and other Estates and Interests on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four together with Interest for the same at the Rate of Eight Pence per Centum per Annum from the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three until the respective Times of paying thereof that the same shall be and be deemed well taken (and so accepted and endorsed on the said Twenty eight respective Conveyances some or one of them by the proper Officer or Officers of His Majesties said Exchequer who ought to receive the same and make Indorsement of such Receipt) in full Payment and Satisfaction of and for the whole Purchase Money payable into the Receipt of Her Majesties said Exchequer for the said Estates and Interests as conveyed to the said Governor and Company as aforesaid In and by the said Twenty eight Conveyances and every of them And upon such Payment that they the said Governor and Company and their Successors shall be and are hereby acquitted and discharged of and from the said remaining Sum of Eighteen thousand eight hundred sixty four Pounds Seven Shillings One Penny Half penny overcharged And that the said Twenty eight Conveyances and every of them shall be and remain valid and effectual in the Law any Provision Condition Matter or Thing in the said Conveyances or any of them or in the said Act or Acts of Parliament contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Rec'd that  
£75,000 12s 5d  
was the Amount of  
Money received  
to be secured by  
the Conveyances  
before mentioned,  
although only  
£57,000 12s 5d  
was remaining due.

Upon Payment of  
the said Sum of  
£57,000 12s 5d,  
into the Exchequer  
by 25th June 1704,  
a Mortgage Interest  
was secured, with  
Interest at the  
Rate of 8% per  
Cent. per Annum  
Governor and  
Company dis-  
charged.



- For the rest of the County of Bucks the Sum of Forty six thousand six hundred eighty eight Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny
- For the University and Towne of Cambridge the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred forty six Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny
- For the Isle of Ely the Sum of Eight thousand and eight Pounds Five Shillings and Seven Pence Half
- For the rest of the County of Cambridge the Sum of Twenty one thousand nine hundred seventy one Pounds fourteen Shillings and Three Pence Half penny
- For the City and County of the City of Chester the Sum of Fifteen hundred eighty four Pounds and Seven Shillings
- For the County of Chester the Sum of Twenty seven thousand and fourteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny
- For the County of Cornwall the Sum of Thirty one thousand nine hundred seventy five Pounds and Six Shillings
- For the County of Cumberland the Sum of Three thousand seven hundred and thirteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Two Pence Half penny
- For the County of Derby the Sum of Twenty four thousand sixty three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny
- For the City and County of the City of Exeter the Sum of Four thousand seven hundred and eight Pounds and Five Pence Half penny
- For the County of Devon the Sum of Seventy seven thousand eight hundred seventy five Pounds Two Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny
- For the Towne and County of the Towne of Exeter the Sum of Three hundred twenty eight Pounds and Two Shillings
- For the County of Dorset the Sum of Thirty two thousand seven hundred eighty eight Pounds Five Shillings and Six Pence Half penny
- For the County of Durham the Sum of Ten thousand five hundred [sixty] seven Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Two Pence Half penny
- For the West Riding of the County of York the Sum of Thirty nine thousand three hundred sixty two Pounds One Shilling and One Penny
- For the North Riding of the County of York the Sum of Twenty six thousand four hundred and fifty Pounds Sixteen Shillings
- For the East Riding of the County of York the Sum of Nineteen thousand one hundred twenty seven Pounds Two Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the City of York and County of the same City the Sum of Four thousand six hundred thirty nine Pounds and Eight Shillings
- For the Towne and County of the Towne of Kingston upon Hull the Sum of Two thousand fifty three Pounds Two Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Towne of Malton in the County of Essex the Sum of Five hundred ninety six Pounds and Eighteen Shillings
- For the Towne of Colchester the Sum of Two thousand nine hundred Pounds Two Shillings and Three Pence
- For the Towne of Harwich and Dover Court the Sum of Forty hundred and three Pounds Thirteen Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Essex the Sum of Eighty seven thousand one hundred and six Pounds Eight Shillings and Ten Pence
- For the City and County of the City of Gloucester the Sum of Thirteen hundred thirty six Pounds Four Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the whole County of Gloucester the Sum of Forty six thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds Eight Shillings and Two Pence
- For the City of Hereford the Sum of Seven hundred sixty three [Pounds] Sixteen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Borough of Leominster the Sum of Three hundred thirty three Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the rest of the whole County of Hereford the Sum of Nineteen thousand three hundred and eleven Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the Borough of Saint Albans in the County of Hertford the Sum of Seven hundred seventy four Pounds and Two Shillings
- For the rest of the whole County of Hertford the Sum of Forty one thousand one hundred ninety nine Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Towne of Huntingdon the Sum of Four hundred thirty two Pounds Twelve Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the rest of the County of Huntingdon the Sum of Fifteen thousand sixty four Pounds Twelve Shillings and Four Pence

For the City and County of the City of Canterbury the Sum of Sixteen hundred sixty two Pounds Five Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Towne and Liberty of Dover the Sum of Nineteen hundred twenty three Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Nine Pence

For the Towne of Folkestone the Sum of One hundred sixty four Pounds and Nineteen Shillings

For the Towne of Sandwich the Sum of Sixty seven Pounds and Eight Shillings

For the Towne of Faversham the Sum of Five hundred and nineteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Three Pence

For the Towne of [Tenderon] the Sum of One thousand thirty two Pounds and Six Shillings

For the Towne and Liberty of Sandwich the Sum of Nine hundred ninety one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence

For the Towne and Port of New Romney the Sum of Two hundred forty nine Pounds and Sixteen Shillings

For the Towne of Rye the Sum of Seven hundred sixty one Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence

For the Towne and Port of Rye and Warf within the Liberty of the said Towne and Port the Sum of Two hundred forty six Pounds and Two Shillings

For the rest of the whole County of Kent the Sum of Seventy five thousand seven hundred twenty six Pounds Ten Shillings & Eight Pence

For the County of Lancaster the Sum of Twenty thousand nine hundred eighty nine Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six Pence Half pny

For the Borough of Leicester the Sum of Six hundred thirty nine Pounds Twelve Shillings

For the rest of the County of Leicester the Sum of Thirty four thousand two hundred thirty two Pounds Seven Shillings and One Penny Half pny

For the County of Lincoln with the City and County of the City of Lincoln the Sum of Seventy two thousand two hundred twenty six Pounds Two Shillings and Four Pence

For the City of London the Sum of One hundred twenty three thousand three hundred thirty four Pounds Two Shillings and Seven Pence

For Sarjants Inn in Fleetstreet the Sum of Sixty five Pounds Four Shillings

For Sarjants Inn in Chancery Lane the Sum of Thirty one Pounds and Four Shillings

For the latter Temple and Inn of Chancery the Sum of Four hundred Pounds

For the Middle Temple and Inn of Chancery the Sum of Two hundred seventy two Pounds and Sixteen Shillings

For the Society of Lincolns Inn and Inn of Chancery the Sum of Three hundred fifty one Pounds Seven Shillings and Six Pence

For Greys Inn and the Inn of Chancery the Sum of Two hundred fifty two Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Palace of Whitehall and St. James's the Sum of Thirty thousand seven hundred fifty four Pounds Six Shillings and Three Pence

For the City of Westminster and Liberties thereof and Office situated in Westminster Hall the Sum of Sixty three thousand four hundred fifty eight Pounds and Six Pence Half pny

For the rest of the County of Middlesex the Sum of One hundred and eighty thousand nine hundred and twelve Pounds Nine Shillings and Seven Pence

For the County of Monmouth the Sum of Nine thousand eight hundred and twelve Pounds Six Shillings and Five Pence Half pny

For the City and County of the City of Norwich the Sum of Eight thousand five hundred and eighty Pounds Eleven Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Borough of Great Yarmouth the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred and twenty Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny

For the Borough of Kings Lynn the Sum of Eighteen hundred and fourteen Pounds Fourteen Shillings

For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in the County of Norfolk the Sum of Two hundred and seven Pounds

For the rest of the whole County of Norfolk the Sum of Seventy one thousand two hundred sixty eight Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence

For the Towne of Northampton the Sum of Eight hundred and thirty Pounds Seven Shillings and Ten Pence

For the rest of the County of Northampton the Sum of Forty seven thousand two hundred seventy and Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Towne and County of the Towne of New Castle upon Tyne the Sum of Two thousand five hundred and eighty Pounds Sixteen Shillings & Four Pence

For the Towne of Berwick upon Tweed the Sum of One hundred forty five Pounds Three Shillings

For the County of Northumberland the Sum of Eleven thousand eight hundred twenty two Pounds and Eighteen Shillings

For the Towne and County of the Towne of Nottingham the Sum of Sixteen hundred and fourteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Seven Pence Half pny

- For the County of Nottingham the Sum of Twenty five thousand six hundred sixty two Pounds and Two Pence
- For the University of Oxon the Sum of One hundred and eleven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Two Pence
- For the City of Oxon the Sum of Three thousand six hundred twenty two Pounds Twelve Shillings and six Pence
- For the rest of the County of Oxon the Sum of Thirty five thousand four hundred forty eight Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Seven Pence
- For the County of Rutland the Sum of Five thousand five hundred twenty five Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny
- For the Town of Lough the Sum of Two hundred twenty six Pounds and Two Shillings
- For the County of Salop the Sum of Twenty eight thousand eight hundred thirty four Pounds Sixteen Shillings and One Penny Half penny
- For the City and County of the City of Bristol the Sum of Seven thousand three hundred ninety one Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the City of Bath the Sum of Four hundred forty nine Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the City of Wells the Sum of Four hundred eighty one Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Bridgwater with Heygrove Tything the Sum of Three hundred sixty six Pounds and Five Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Somerset the Sum of Sixty three thousand seven hundred and ninety Pounds Four Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Town and County of the Town of Southampton the Sum of Seven hundred thirty four Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny
- For the Isle of Wight the Sum of Six thousand two hundred seventy three Pounds Sixteen Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Southampton the Sum of Forty eight thousand one hundred and nineteen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Half penny
- For the City and County of the City of Litchfield the Sum of Four hundred and twenty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the County of Stafford the Sum of Twenty six thousand seven hundred Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence
- For the Town of Ipswich the Sum of Two thousand sixty one Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Bury St Edmunds the Sum of Two thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds and Eleven Shillings
- For the Borough of Darwich the Sum of Forty Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Eye the Sum of Five hundred and two Pounds
- For the Borough of Sudbury the Sum of Five hundred and six Pounds Eight Shillings and Eight Pence
- For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in Suffolke the Sum of Seventy nine Pounds and Four Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Suffolke the Sum of Sixty eight thousand five hundred and three Pounds Ten Shillings and Six Pence
- For the County of Surrey the Sum of Sixty seven thousand and fourteen Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny
- For the Town and Port of Hastings and Liberty thereof the Sum of Three hundred seventy eight Pounds and Six Shillings
- For the Liberty of Seaford the Sum of One hundred forty one Pounds and Eighteen Shillings
- For the Liberty of Penney the Sum of One thousand eighty eight Pounds and Ten Shillings
- For the Town and Parish of Rye the Sum of Four hundred seventy three Pounds and Eighteen Shillings
- For the Town of Winchester the Sum of Four hundred and five Pounds
- For the rest of the County of Sussex the Sum of Fifty eight thousand three hundred thirty two Pounds Nine Shillings and One Penny
- For the City and County of the City of Coventry the Sum of Two thousand four hundred sixty three Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Nine Pence
- For the County of Warwick the Sum of Thirty seven thousand four hundred Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the City and County of the City of Worcester the Sum of Two thousand two hundred thirty nine Pounds Nine Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the County of Worcester the Sum of Thirty one thousand four hundred fifty seven Pounds Eight Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the City of New Sarum the Close of the same and Clarendon Parke the Sum of Nineteen hundred thirty five Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the rest of the County of Wilt the Sum of Forty nine thousand seven hundred thirty six Pounds Eleven Shillings and Five Pence
- For the County of Wiltshire the Sum of Three thousand forty five Pounds Three Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny
- For the Isle of Angleson the Sum of Sixteen hundred thirty three Pounds Seven Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Borough of Brecon the Sum of One hundred seventy seven Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Eight Pence  
For the rest of the County of Brecon the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Cardigan the Sum of Thirteen hundred seventy two Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence

For the County Borough of Carmarthen the Sum of Two hundred twenty nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Four thousand One hundred and forty Pounds Three Shillings and Eleven Pence Half penny

For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Two thousand three hundred thirty seven Pounds Six Shillings and Seven Pence

For the County of Denbigh the Sum of Six thousand eight hundred Pounds

For the County of Flint the Sum of Two thousand three hundred and fourteen Pounds Seventeen Shillings

For the County of Glamorgan the Sum of Seven thousand nine hundred and Six Pounds Nine Shillings and Ten Pence

For the County of Merioneth the Sum of Two thousand four hundred thirty two Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Ten Pence

For the County of Montgomery the Sum of Five thousand eight hundred fifty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Pembroke the Sum of Two thousand nine hundred ninety seven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Eight Pence Half penny

For the County of Radnor the Sum of Two thousand six hundred ninety two Pounds and Six Shillings

And for the Towns and County of the Towns of Hereford and Worcester the Sum of One hundred seventy four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence

II.  
Particulars  
(Continued)  
to pay up in the  
Pound

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That towards the raising the said several and respective Sums of Money hereby charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns & other Places as aforesaid all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate Gilds and Franchises within the same respectively having any Estate in Ready Money or in any Debt whatsoever owing to them within this Realm or without or having any Estate in Goods Wares Merchandises or other Chattels or Personal Estates whatsoever within the Realm or without belonging to or in Trust for them (except and out of the Premises deducted such Sums as he or they do bona fide owe and such Debts owing to them as shall be adjudged due by the Commissioners appointed by this Act And also except such Loans or Debts as are or shall be owing [for] His Majesty to any Person or Persons) shall yield and pay unto His Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings in the Pound according to the true yearly Value thereof for One Year (that is to say) For every Hundred Pounds of such Ready Money and Debts and for every Hundred Pounds Worth of such Goods Wares Merchandises or other Chattels or Personal Estates the Sum of Twenty four Shillings and one after that Rate for every greater or lesser Sum or Quantity to be assessed levied and collected in Manner hereafter mentioned And that all and every Person and Persons and all and every Corporation and Corporations having using or exercising any Publick Office or Employment of Profit and all and every their Agents Clerks Secretaries Substitutes and other inferior Ministers whatsoever (such Military Officers whose are as shall be in Manner by the Master Muster General of His Majesties Army or in Pay in His Majesties Army or Navy in respect of such Offices only excepted) shall towards raising the said respective Sums before in this Act charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places as aforesaid yield and pay to His Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings which he or they are entitled to in One Year by virtue of any Salaries Grants Bounties Money Rewards Fines Profits Perquisites or Advantages whatsoever to him her or them according for or by Reason or Consensus of their several Offices or employments And that all and every Person and Persons Gilds Franchises Bodies Politick or Corporate having or out of any Branch of His Majesties Revenues or payable or secured to be paid by any Person or Persons whatsoever (not being issuing out of any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or charged upon the same touching which other Directions are given by this Act and not being Annuities or yearly Payments which by any Act of Acts of Parliament made or to be made are or shall be specially exempted from the Payment of Tithes or Aids) shall towards raising the said respective Sums before in this Act charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places as aforesaid yield and pay to His Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for every such Person Annually Stipend or yearly Payment respectively and after that Rate for One whole Year the said several Sums and Sums of Money hereby granted to be assessed imposed levied and collected in such Manner as hereafter is mentioned

Employment of  
Profit except  
Military or Naval  
Officers to pay  
up in the Pound

Persons and  
Annuities out of  
the Endowments, &c.  
not issuing out of  
or charged upon  
Lands, &c. and not  
specially exempted  
by Act of Parlia-  
ment, &c. in the  
Pound

III.  
Mines, Lands,  
Quarries, Mines,  
Tithes, Follies,  
Ac. Annuities,  
Rent Charges, &c.

And to the End the full and entire Sum by this Act charged upon the several Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively as aforesaid may be fully and completely raised and paid to His Majesties (he be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Ministers Messengers Lands and Tenements and also all Quarries Mines of Coal Tithes and Lead Copper Mines Iron and [other] Mines Iron Work Salt Springs

<sup>a</sup> Item G.

<sup>b</sup> mentioned on the Roll.

and Salt Works all Allots Mines or Workes all Parks Chase Warrens Woods Underwoods Coppices and all Fishings Tythes Tithes Annuities and all other yearly Profits and all Hereditaments of what Nature or Kind soever they be situate lying and being happening or arising within the severall and respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or Places aforesaid respectively or within any [any] Parts of the same as well within ancient Demesnes and other Liberties and privileged Places as without and all and every Persons and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate Guilds Mysteries Franchises and Brotherhoods whether Corporate or not Corporate having or holding any such Mannors Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises in respect thereof shall be charged with as much Equality and Indifference as is possible by a Pound-Rate for or towards the said severall and respective Sums by this Act set and imposed or intended to be imposed for or upon all and every such Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or other Places lawfully charged therewith as aforesaid use that by the said Rates are to be used or assessed for or upon the said Ready Money Debt Goods Wares Merchandises Chattells or Personall Estates and for or upon the said Offices or Employments of Profit and for and upon the Pension Annuities Sumpends or yearly Payments aforesaid and for and upon the said Mannors Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments and other the Premises according to the Purport and true Meaning of this present Act the full and entire Sums lawfully appointed to be raised as aforesaid shall be completely and effectually taxed assessed levied and collected and shall be paid into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer by Four quarterly Payments the first Payment thereof to be made upon or before the Fourth and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Years of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five

as well within ancient Demesnes as without, to be charged with a Pound Rate.

to be charged with as much Equality as possible

To be paid into Exchequer by quarterly Payments.  
First Payment  
twelfth of June 1704

And whereas many of the Mannors Messuages Lands Tenements Tythes Hereditaments and Premises intended by this Act to be charged with the Pound Rate is aforesaid stand incumbered with or are subject and liable to the Payment of severall Rent Charges or Annuities or other annual Payments issuing out of the same or to the Payment of Gross Fee Farm Rent Rates Service or other Rents thereupon reserved or charged by Reason whereof the said Owners and Proprietors of such Mannors Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments do not in Truth receive to their own Use the true yearly Value of the same for which nevertheless they are by this Act chargeable with a certain Pound Rate it is therefore declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lordships Owners and Proprietors of such Mannors Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments and Premises being charged with a Pound Rate as aforesaid to abate and deduct and to retaine and keep in his or their Hands out of every such Fee Farm Rent or other annual Rent or Payment so much of the said Pound Rate which shall be taxed or assessed upon the said Mannors Messuages Lands and Premises as a like Rate for every such Fee Farm Rent or other annual Rent or Payment respectively shall by a just Proportion amount unto use to such Fee Farm Rent or other annual Rent or Payment respectively due amount to Two Shillings p Ann<sup>o</sup> or more and all and every Person and Persons who are or shall be any way entitled to such Rents or annual Payments their respective Auditors Receivers and their Deputy and Deputies are hereby required to allow such Deductions and Payments according to such Rates upon Receipts of the Residue of such Rents as shall be due and payable to them for such Rates or annual Payments reserved or charged as aforesaid without any Fee or Charge for such Allowance

37.  
Enacted that any  
Mannors, &c. are  
liable to Incum-  
brances

Enacted, that  
of such Mannors, &c.  
to retain the Rent  
and Incumbrances  
to allow it

And it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the better assessing ordering levying and collecting of the severall Sums of Money use as aforesaid limited and appointed to be paid and for the more effectually putting of this present Act in Execution all and every the Persons who are appointed to be Commissioners for putting in Execution the Act of Parliament made and passed in Westminster in the Second Years of Her Majesties Reigne lastly An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and five within the severall Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Cinque-Ports Towns and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed (being duly qualified according to this Act) shall be Commissioners for putting in Execution this present Act and the Powers therein contained within and for the said Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Cinque-Ports Towns and Places respectively

V.  
Commissioners  
under Stat. 2. c. 3.  
Ann. 4. 5. to be  
Commissioners  
under this Act.

And it is further enacted and declared That the severall Commissioners aforesaid shall meet together at the most small and common Place of Meeting within each of the said Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively for which they are lawfully appointed Commissioners on or before the Sixth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and five and shall meet afterwards in the like Manner as often as it shall be necessary for the putting this Act in Execution and the said Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present at such General Meeting as Meetings at the major Part of them are lawfully authorized and required to put this present Act in Execution and shall execute and set down in Writing the severall Propositions which ought to be charged upon every Hundred Little Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division respectively for and towards the raising and making up the whole Sums before by this Act charged upon the whole County City or other Place for which they are lawfully appointed Commissioners according to the Propositions which were assessed on the same Hundreds or Divisions respectively by virtue of the Act of Parliament made and passed in the Fourth Year of the Reigne of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary of blessed Memory entitled An Act for granting to Their Majesties an Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound for One Year for carrying on a vigorous War against France and shall also if they are Cause so to do divide and distribute themselves and the other Commissioners not then present into three Numbers not at Three or more or of the said Commissioners may be appointed for the Service of each

VI.  
The said Commis-  
sioners to meet on  
or before the fifth  
of April 1705. to  
put this Act in  
Execution.

Commissioners at  
each Meeting to  
set down in Writing  
Propositions to be  
paid by every Di-  
vision, according to  
Stat. 4. W. 3. c. 3.  
and divide  
themselves.

Persons.	Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and as may best conduce to the carrying on Her Majesty's Service lawfully acquired nevertheless not thereby to restrain the said Commissioners or any of them from acting in Commissioners in any other Part of the County or Place for which they are appointed.
VII. Commissioners at each Meeting to sit down in Writing what Division shall act in each Division.	AND for the more effectual Performance thereof be it enacted and declared That the Commissioners at such General Meeting or the major Part of them then present shall also agree and set down in Writing when and what Member of the said Commissioners shall act in each of the said Divisions and shall deliver true Copies of such Writings to the Receiver-General to be appointed by Her Majesty or in pursuance of Her Direction to the End there may be no Failure [in any Part of the due Execution] of the Service by this Act required and the Commissioners within the several Hundred Lath Wapentakes Rapes Wards or other Divisions or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the several Proportions charged on the respective Hundred Lath Wapentakes Rapes Wards or other Divisions for or towards the Aid lawfully granted to be equally assessed and taxed within every such Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and within every Parish and Place therein according to the best of their Judgment, and Discretion and for that End and Purpose to direct their several or joint Precept or Precepts to such Inhabitants High-Commissioners Petty Constables Bailiffs and other Officers or Ministers and such Number of them as they in their Discretion shall think most convenient to be Presentees and Assessors requiring them to appear before the said Commissioners at such Place and Time not exceeding Six Days as they shall appoint and at such their Appearance the said Commissioners or such of them as shall be then present shall openly read or cause to be read unto them the several Rates Duties and Charges in this Act mentioned and also openly declare the Effect of their Charge to them and how and in what Manner they should and ought to make their Assessments and how they ought to proceed in the Execution of this Act according to the true Meaning of the same and if any such Constable Petty-Constable Bailiff Officer or Minister or other Inhabitants to whom any Precept shall be directed shall absent themselves without lawful Excuse to be made out by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses (which Oaths the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered to administer) or if any Officer or Person appearing shall refuse to serve then every such Officer or Person so making Default or [refusing to serve shall for every such Default or] Refusal [forfeit] and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many as shall be present or the major Part of them being present shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Five Pounds nor less than Forty Shillings and as and after such Charge given as aforesaid the said Commissioners shall take Care that Writings be read forth and directed to Two at least of the most able and sufficient Inhabitants of each Parish Township or Place within the respective Divisions thereby [appointing] and requiring them to be Assessors of all and every the Rates and Sums of Money by this Act imposed and shall thence also appoint and prefix a certain Day and Place for the said Assessors to appear before them and to bring in their Assessments in Writing which said Assessors are hereby entirely enjoined and required with all Care and Diligence to serve the full Sum given them in Charge respectively upon all Ready Money Debt Personal Estates Offices Employments [Annuity] [and] Pensions according to this Act and by an equal Need-Rise upon all Messuages Lands Tenements Rents Hereditaments and other the Possessions within the Limits Circums and Bounds of the respective Parishes or Places for which they shall be appointed Assessors as aforesaid and shall bring with them at the Time and Place so as aforesaid fixed for their Appearance a Certificate in Writing of the said Assessments and shall then deliver the Names of Two or more able and sufficient Persons living within the Limits and Bounds of the said Parishes Townships Constablenicks or Places where they shall be chargeable respectively to be Collectors of the Money which shall be assessed as aforesaid and to be paid to Her Majesty by this Act for whose paying it is the Receiver-General or his Deputy in Manner hereafter mentioned such Money as they shall be chargeable withal the Parish or Place wherein they are so employed shall be answerable and if any Assessor so appointed or to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to serve or shall make Default at the Time appointed for his Appearance not having a lawful Excuse to be witnessed by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses (which Oaths the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them have Power to administer) or shall not perform his Duty every such Assessor shall for every such Neglect Default or Refusal forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present or the major Part of them shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Forty Pounds to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels as for Manner as by this Act is appointed for the levying of the several Rates and Assessments herein mentioned in case of Neglect or Default of Payment and to be charged upon the respective Receiver-General together with the said Rates and Assessments and for the completing the whole Sum charged as aforesaid and to the End the aforesaid Sums charged upon the several and respective Counties Bailiages Cities Boroughs Towns and Places may be duly collected and true Accounts thereof made the said Assessors are hereby required to deliver One Copy of their respective Assessments fully written and subscribed by them unto the said Commissioners within the Time so to be prefixed as aforesaid and the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them are hereby authorized and required to sign and seal Two Duplicates of the said Assessments and the one of them [to] deliver or cause to be delivered to Two or more honest and reputable Persons to be Collectors which the said Commissioners are hereby authorized to nominate and appoint for each Parish or Place with Writings to the said Collectors to collect the same Assessments payable as aforesaid soe as the said several Sums may be paid to the Receiver-General at the respective Times hereby limited and the said Commissioners are hereby required to deliver or cause to be delivered a Schedule or Duplicate in Possession under their Hands and Seals fully written containing the whole Sum assessed upon each Parish or Place unto the Receiver-General of each County Riding City Borough Town
The Proportions to be equally assessed.	
Commissioners in order Comptrols, for to attend, and then read to them their Charge.	
Comptrols, for attending themselves, or appointing refusing to serve, Penalty not more than 5 <i>l</i> . nor less than 4 <i>0s</i> .	
Commissioners to send Writings to Assessors and requiring them to appear and certify Names of Inhabitants liable to Rates, to Assessors leaving assessment.	
Assessors to bring with them a Certificate and Return of Persons to be Collectors.	
Parish, for, persons for Collectors paying collection levied.	
Assessors neglecting or refusing to serve, for.	
Penalty	
Assessors to deliver Copy of Assessments to Commissioners, who are to sign and seal Two Duplicates.	
One to be delivered to Collectors, the other to Receiver-General	

1. inserted in the Roll.

2. deliver to.

3. appointed to.

4. Assessors to.

5. to, with-



or Place respectively or his Deputy and shall transmit or cause to be transmitted a like Schedule or Duplicates [inter] the Queen's Remembrances Office of the Exchequer and that the said Commissioners shall cause to be done upon or before the English Day of August One thousand seven hundred and five or within Twenty Days after (all Appeals to them made being first determined) for which Duplicates or Remembrances or his Deputy shall give to the Person that brings the same a Receipt in Writing given under the Penalty of Ten Pounds to be accounted to the Queen's Use in other Penalties as by this Act is provided.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Persons so appointed to be Collectors as aforesaid shall levy and collect all and every the Rates or Taxes so assessed and charged according to the Intent and Direction of this Act which said Collectors are hereby required to demand all and every Shilling and Pence of Money which shall be so taxed and assessed of the Parties themselves at the same shall become due if they can be found or else at the Place of their last Abode or upon the Premises charged with the Assessment and the said several Collectors shall collect and levy the said Money as charged for Her Majesty's Use and not hereby received and enjoyed to pay unto the respective Receiver General or their Deputy all and every the said Rates and Assessments by them respectively collected or noted at such Time or Times Place or Places as the Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall appoint and see in the whole Shilling due for each quarterly Payment shall be paid or answered by the said Collectors to the Receiver General or their Deputy respectively upon the Days and at the Times by this Act appointed for the Payment thereof.

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Money received by the said Collectors within the respective Divisions or Hundreds as aforesaid shall from time to time be duly paid to the Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies to be appointed under his Hand and Seal whereas Notice under the Hand and Seal of the respective Receiver General shall be given to the Commissioners or any Two or more of them within the respective Divisions or Hundreds within Ten Days after the next General Meeting and not from time to time within Ten Days after every Death or Removal of any Deputy (if any such shall happen) and the Receipt of such Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies or any of them (which Receipt or Acquittance shall be given gratis to the Collectors for the same paid) shall be a sufficient Discharge to every such Collector and the said several Collectors are hereby required to pay in all and every the Shillings so received by them unto the said Receiver General or their Deputy or Deputies for the Payment whereas the said Collectors shall not be obliged to travel above Ten Miles from the Place or Places of their Habitations.

And be it further enacted That the Sum of Five hundred thousand Pounds for the First quarterly Payment shall be collected levied and paid unto the Receiver General of the said several Counties or other Places where shall be appointed as aforesaid on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and five and the Sum of Five hundred thousand Pounds for the Second Payment of the said quarterly Payments on or before the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and five and the Sum of Five hundred thousand Pounds for the Third of the said quarterly Payments on or before the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five and the Sum of Five hundred thousand Pounds for the Fourth and last of the said quarterly Payments on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six in full of the said Sum of Two millions.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Receiver General from time to time within the Space of One Month next after he shall have received the full Summe that shall be charged on any Hundred or Division for each particular Payment that is to be made to such Receiver General by virtue of this Act shall give to each Christianized as shall set in each Hundred or Division a Receipt under his Hand and Seal acknowledging the Receipt of the full Summe charged upon such Hundred or Division for such particular Payment which Receipt shall be a full Discharge to such Hundred or Division for such particular Payment against Her Majesty (Her) Heirs and Successors which said Receiver General are hereby required forthwith or at farthest within Twenty Days after the Receipt of any Money of the Taxes or Duties by this Act granted to transmit or cause to be paid the Money by them received unto the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer and the Lord High Treasurer or Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury for the Time being are hereby authorized to allow the said Receiver General of each County Riding City and Town respectively a Salary for his Pains not exceeding Two Pence in the Pound for so much as he shall pay into the Exchequer upon the clearing of his Accounts.

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Collectors of the Rates and Assessments hereby granted for gathering the said several Taxes charged upon the Parish or Place for which they shall be appointed Collectors by virtue of this Act shall upon Collection of the whole Summe appointed to be collected by them and Payment thereof as is hereby before appointed have and receive for their Pains in collecting and paying the Money Three Pence in the Pound which the said Collectors are empowered to deduct out of the last Payment of the Money of their several and respective quarterly Payments: And the said Receiver General upon the Receipt of the whole Assessments of the County Riding City or Town for which he is appointed Receiver General in case he shall have received the several Duplicates of each Parish or Place therein and that Duplicates shall be returned to the Office of Her Majesty's Remembrances of the Exchequer as aforesaid and not

All the Duplicates  
received in  
Remembrances  
Office:  
Appeals first  
determined  
Receipts for  
Duplicates given.  
Penalty 10<sup>li</sup>.

VIII.  
Collectors to  
demand the Rates  
of Taxes, or  
at last Place of  
Abode.

Collectors to pay  
to Receiver  
General or such  
Time and Place as  
Commissioners  
shall appoint.

IX.  
Money received by  
Collectors paid to  
Receiver General  
or his Deputy.  
Notes by Receiver  
General in Com-  
missioners of each  
Payment.  
Receipt of Receiver  
General Discharge  
to Collectors.  
Penalty Col-  
lectors to pay to  
Receiver General.

X.  
Time appointed for  
the four quarterly  
Payments.

XI.  
Receiver General  
to give Christian-  
ized a Receipt  
for Money received  
by them.

Each Receipt Dis-  
charge in Tenness,  
for  
Receiver General  
to transmit Money  
to the Exchequer.  
Salary to Receiver  
General.

XII.  
Allowance to  
Collectors.

Advances to Count  
winners Cliffs.

otherwise shall allow and pay according to such Warrant as shall be in that behalf given by the sd Commissioners or any Two or more of them Three Halfpence in the Pound and not more for the Commissioners' Charges for their Pains in fair writing the Assessments Duplicates and Copies herein before directed (\*) for all Warrants Orders and Instructions relating thereto.

XIII.  
Persons charged  
withholding, &c. to  
pay, Sums  
herein said Pro-  
ceedings thereon.

Rate not paid in  
Four Days, ap-  
proved and sold for  
Payment, and  
Charges thereon.

Houses, &c. may  
be broken open,  
unless on Com-  
mission, &c.

Questions upon  
Duties decreed  
by Commissioners.

Persons charged  
any Goods, &c.

Commissioners may  
impress (except  
Print).

Tenants to pay  
Rate, and may  
distress.

Landlords to allow  
such Distresses.

XIV.  
Tenants paying  
assessed.

Commissioners may  
arbitrate Differences  
between Landlords  
and Tenants in  
their  
Persons approved  
they may give to  
Commissioners.

Appeals shall,  
if Proportions of  
Rate not fully  
assessed, or assessed  
upon Persons not  
of Ability, or upon  
any House, &c.  
as if Assessment  
not paid to Re-  
ceiver General,  
Commissioners,  
Assessors, &c.  
are to receive.

Such new Assess-  
ments to be made,  
&c. as last  
Assessments.

Also be it enacted and declared That if any Person shall refuse or neglect to pay any Sum of Money whereas he shall be rated and assessed by this Act upon Demand by the said Collectors of that Place according to the Precept or Warrants to him or them delivered by the said Commissioners that then and in all and every such Case and Cases it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collectors as any of them and they are lawfully authorized and required to levy the same amount by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of such Person not refusing or neglecting to pay or (\*) detain upon the Messuages Lands Tenements and Premises not charged with any such Sums or Sums of Money and the Goods and Chattels then and there found and the Distress not taken to keep by the Space of Four Days at the Costs and Charges of the Owners And if the said Owners do not pay the Sums or Sums of Money so rated or assessed within the said Space of Four Days then the said Distress to be applied by Two or more of the Inhabitants where the same shall be taken or other sufficient Persons and to be sold by the Collectors for the Payment of the said Money and the Charges ensuing by such Sale (if any be) over and above the Tax and Charges of taking and keeping the said Distress to be immediately returned to the Owners thereof And moreover it shall be lawful to break open in the Day time any House and upon Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners any Chest Trunk Box or other Things where any such Goods are lying to their Assistance the Constables [Tythesmen] or Headboroughs within the Counties Riding Cities Towns and Places where any Refusal Neglect or Resistance shall be made which said Officers are lawfully required to be applying and assisting in the Persons as they will answer the contrary at their Perils And if any Question or Difference happen upon taking such Distress the same shall be ended and determined by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them and if any Person or Persons assessed by this Act shall neglect or refuse to pay his or their Assessment by the Space of Ten Days after Demand is made or convey any his or their Goods or other Personal Estate whereby the Sums of Money so assessed cannot be levied according to this Act in every such Case any Two or more of the Commissioners aforesaid for any City County or Place are lawfully authorized by Warrants under their Hands and Seals to distress such Person or Persons except a Peer or Persons of this Realm) to the Common Goal there to remain without Bail or Mainprise until Payment be made of the Money assessed and the Charges for keeping in of the same be paid and not longer And the several and respective Tenants and Tenants of all Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments which shall be rated by virtue of this Act are lawfully required and authorized to pay such Sums and Sums of Money so shall be rated upon such Houses Lands Tenements & Hereditaments and to deduct out of the Rent so much of the said Rate as is in respect of the said Rents of any such Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments the Landlords should and ought to pay and bear and the said Landlords both under and immediate according to their respective Rents are lawfully required to allow such Deductions and Payment upon Receipt of the Rent of their Rents

Also be it enacted and declared That every Tenant paying the said Assessment last mentioned shall be acquitted and discharged for so much Money as the said Assessment shall amount unto as if the same had been actually paid unto such Person or Persons unto whose his Rent should have been due and payable and if any Difference shall arise between Landlord and Tenant or any other concerning the said Rate the said several Commissioners or any Two or more of them in their several Divisions shall and have lawfully Power to settle the same as they shall think fit And if any Person or Persons shall find him or themselves aggrieved in that the Assessment be contrary him or them and in Six Days after the Demand made of the Sums of Money assessed on him or them due by him or themselves or by his or their Stewards or Bayliffs complain to Three or more of the Commissioners (whereof Two of the Commissioners whose signed or allowed his her or their Assessments to be of that Number) the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall have and have lawfully Power within Six Days after the Demand of the Assessment is aforesaid to relieve such Person or Persons and to charge the same on such other Person or Persons to they shall see Cause and Appeals once heard and determined to be still without any further Appeal upon any Petition whatsoever And in case the Proportions set by this Act upon it and every the respective Counties Riding Cities Towns and Places shall not be fully assessed levied and paid according to the true Meaning thereof or if any of the said Assessments shall be rated and imposed upon any Person not being of Ability to pay the same or upon any empty or void House or Land where the same cannot be collected and levied or that through any Willfulness Negligence Mistake or Accident the said Assessment charged on such County Riding City Towns or Place by virtue of this Act happens not to be paid in the Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies as in this Act is directed that then in all and every such Case and Case the several and respective Commissioners Assessors and Collectors aforesaid and every of them respectively are lawfully authorized and required to assess or reassess or cause to be assessed or reassessed levied and paid all and every such Sums and Sums of Money upon the respective Divisions and Hundreds wherein such Defaulters shall happen or failings therein as to the said Commissioners or such Number of them as by this Act are authorized to cause the First Assessment lawfully required to be made shall seem most agreeable to Equity and Justice the said new Assessment to be made collected and paid in such Manner and by such Means as in this Act for this Assessment is directed and directed

\* 12d D.

\* 12d D.

\* attached on the Roll

\* Tythesmen &amp;c.

And it is further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That if any Assessor Collector or other Person or Persons shall wilfully neglect or refuse to perform his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this present Act the said respective Commissioners or any Three or more of them have hereby Power to impose on such Person or Persons a fine not exceeding or neglecting his or their Duties such Fine or Fines to be taken shall be thought fit not as the same exceed not the Sum of Forty Pounds which said Fine shall not be taken off or discharged but by the Consent of the Majority of the Commissioners whose assent shall be levied by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chittels of the Offenders and in Default of Goods and Chittels the Offender to be committed by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them to Prison there to remain till Payment of the said Fine. And that all Fines to be imposed by virtue of this Act shall be paid to the respective Resident General and by them into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer and shall be entered in the Duplicates in Parchment fairly written to be transmitted to the Office of the Queens Remembrancer as aforesaid that the same may thereby be knowne and charged in this Account

And be it further enacted and declared That if any Collector that shall be by virtue of this Act appointed for the Receipt of any Stone or Stone of Money thereby to be assessed neglect or refuse to pay any Stone or Stone of Money which shall by them be received as aforesaid and to pay the same as in this Act is directed or shall become in his or their Hands any Money received by them or any of them and not pay the same as by this Act is directed the Commissioners of each County Riding City or Towne respectively or any Two or more of them in their respective Divisions are hereby authorized and empowered to imprison the Person and seize and sequestrate the Estate as well Freehold as Copyhold and all other Estates both Real and Personal of such Collector to him belonging as which shall descend or come into the Hands or Possession of His Majesties Executors or Administrators where ever the same can be discovered and found and the said Commissioners whose shall see cause and move the Estate of any Collector or Collectors shall be and are hereby empowered to appoint a Time for the General Meeting of the said Commissioners for each County Riding City Towne and Place and there to cause Publick Notice to be given of the Place where such Meeting shall be appointed Six Days at least before such General Meeting And the Commissioners present at such General Meeting or the major Part of them in case the Motion desired by any such Collector or Collectors be not paid and satisfied as it ought to be according to the Directions of this Act shall and are hereby empowered and required to sell and dispose of all such Estates which shall be for the Cause aforesaid seized and sequestrated or any Part of them and to send and pay into the Hands of the Receiver General or his Deputy for each County Riding or Place the Stone which shall be detained in the Hands of such Collector or Collectors their Heirs Executors & Administrators respectively

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That at the Expiration of the respective Times in this Act prescribed for the full Payment of the said Year quarterly Assessments the several and respective Commissioners or any Two or more of them within their Divisions or Hundred shall and are hereby required to call before them the Collectors within each respective Division or Hundred Parish and Place and to examine and assure themselves of the full and whole Payment of the particular Stone and Stone of Money charged upon the same Houses or Hundred and every Parish and Place therein and of the due Returne of the same into the Hands of the respective Receivers General their Deputy or Deputies of the said County Riding City Towne and Place respectively and by such Receivers General into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer to the End there may be due Notice in the Payment of any Part of the Assessments by virtue of this Act to be assessed and paid not any Assessor committing chargeable upon any of the said Counties Ridings Cities Townes and Places respectively And in case of any Failure in the Payment of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the same to be forthwith levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

And it is hereby enacted and declared That in case any Controversie arise concerning the said Assessments or the levying appoynting or Payment thereof which concerns any the Commissioners by this Act appointed that the Commissioners are concerned in the said Controversie shall have not Voice but shall withdraw at the Time of the Debate of any such Controversie until it be determined by the rest of the Commissioners and in Default thereof that the Commissioners then present shall have Power and are hereby required to impose such Fine or Fines as to them shall be thought fit upon such Commissioners who refusing to withdraw not exceeding the Sum of Twenty Pounds and to cause the same to be levied and paid as other Fines to be imposed by virtue of this Act are to be levied and paid And all Questions and Differences which shall arise touching any the said Rates Duties or Assessments or the levying thereof shall be heard and finally determined by the Commissioners in such Manner as by this Act is directed upon Complaint thereof made to them by any Person or Persons thereby aggrieved without further Trouble or Suit in Law

And be it further enacted and declared That no privileged Place or Person Body Politick or Corporate within the Counties Ridings Cities and Townes aforesaid shall be exempted from the said Assessments and Taxes and that they and every of them and also all Free Farms Rents and all other Rents Payments Stone and Stone of Money or Assesses issuing out of or payable for any Lands shall be liable towards the Payment of every Stone by this Act to be assessed and levied and all the Tenants are hereby directed and authorized to pay them proportionably according to the Rates and Assessments by this Act appointed and directed and all such Tenants

XV.  
Persons not  
executing Act  
Commissioners  
may fine.

levied by Distress

Fines paid to  
Receiver General,  
and by them into  
Exchequer

XVI.  
Collectors neglecting  
to pay or  
detaining Money.

Proceedings by  
Commissioners.

Commissioners are  
authorized to  
appoint a General  
Meeting

Notice thereof  
Collectors not  
present

Proceedings by  
Commissioners

XVII.  
At Expiration of  
Time the quarterly  
Payments, Com-  
missioners are to  
call Collectors  
before them, &c.

and in case of  
Failure to cause  
the same to be  
levied

XVIII.  
On Questions  
concerning Assess-  
ments to which  
Commissioners  
are not to  
withdraw.

Questions as to  
Rates to be  
determined by  
Commissioners

XIX.  
Privileged Places,  
Persons, &c. not  
exempt

Freehold and other  
Rents, &c. assess-  
able, &c. liable

Tenants to pay  
regularly—  
Indemnified.

shall be lawfully seized and kept harmless by the Authority of this Act from any further Payment of any such Proportion of any such Rent Rates Sums of Money or Annuities to any Person or Persons to whom any such Rent Rates Sums of Money or Annuities as aforesaid should or ought to be paid to all Tenants and Persons whatsoever in fully and amply as if they had paid the same to any Person or Persons to whom the same is or are reserved or become due.

XX.  
Proviso for  
College as  
the University,  
College of  
London, Eton,  
Winchester, and  
Worcester, and  
for Hospitals in  
respect of Sums of  
College, and  
Charity Hospital,  
&c.

Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to charge any College or Hall or either of the Two Universities or the Colleges of Windsor Eaton Winton or Westminster or the Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the Poor Widows and Children of Clergy Men or the College of Brasenose or any Hospital for or in respect of the Sites of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any of the Buildings within the Walls or Limits of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any Master Fellow Scholar or Exhibitions of any College or Hall or any Rector Officer or Minister of the said University Colleges or Halls or any Masters or Masters of any Schools for or in respect of any Stipends Wages Profits or Exhibitions whatsoever arising or growing due to them in respect of the said several Places and Employments in the said Universities Colleges or Schools or to charge any of the Houses or Lands which on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred ninety and three did belong to the Sites of any College or Hall or to Christ Hospital & Northdoone Bridewell & Thomas and Becket's Hospital in the City of London and Borough of Southwark or any of them or the said Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the Poor Widows and Children of Clergymen or the College of Brasenose or shall extend to charge any other Hospital or Almshouse for or in respect only of any Rents or Rents which on or before the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred ninety and three were payable to the said Hospitals or Almshouses being to be received and disbursed for the immediate Use and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Almshouses only.

XXI.  
Lands, &c. held  
by Lease from  
Hospitals, &c. to  
be treated as their  
own Lands.

Provided That no Tenants that hold and enjoy any Lands or Houses by Lease or other Grant from the said Corporation or any of the said Hospitals or Almshouses do claim or enjoy any Freedom Exemption or Advantage by this Act but that all the Houses and Lands which they now hold shall be rated and assessed for so much as they are yearly worth over and above the Rates reserved and payable to the said Corporation or to the said Hospitals or Almshouses to be received and disbursed for the immediate Support and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Almshouses.

XXII.  
Tenants of said  
Hospitals, Colleges,  
&c. are to be  
treated as their  
own Tenants.

Provided always That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed or taken to discharge any Tenant of any the Houses or Lands belonging to the said Colleges Halls Hospitals Almshouses or Schools or any of them whose by their Leases or other Contracts are and do stand obliged to pay & discharge all Rates Taxes and Impositions whatsoever but that they and every of them shall be rated and pay all such Rates Taxes and Impositions Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XXIII.  
Commissioners  
to determine how far  
Lands, &c. belong-  
ing to Hospitals,  
&c. are exempted  
from being  
assessed.

And in case any Question hath been or shall be made how far any Lands or Tenements belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse not exempted by Name out of this Act ought to be assessed and charged with the Land Tax by this Act but that all the Houses and Lands which they now hold shall be rated and assessed for so much as they are yearly worth over and above the Rates reserved and payable to the said Corporation or to the said Hospitals or Almshouses to be received and disbursed for the immediate Support and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Almshouses.

XXIV.  
All Lands, &c.  
belonging to  
Hospitals, &c.  
are to be  
rated & assessed by  
the same Officers  
as other Lands, &c.  
belonging to the  
said Corporation  
&c.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That all [such] Lands Revenues or Rents belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse as were assessed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary shall be and are hereby adjudged to be liable to be charged towards the Payment of this present Land Tax and no other Lands Tenements Hereditaments Revenues or Rents whatsoever belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse as aforesaid shall be charged taxed or assessed by virtue of this present Act Any thing hereto contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

XXV.  
Auditors, &c. who  
are to be  
appointed.

And it is hereby further enacted That if any Auditors or any of them belonging to His Majesty or to Her Majesty Catherine the Queen Dowager or any Deputy or other Person acting for or on the Behalf of any such Auditors shall in the Account of any Revenues or otherwise set misapp any Tenant or other Person or make any such Tenant or other Person or his or their Estate liable to any Taxes Profits or Vexation whatsoever for any Sums or Sums of Money which by the true Intent and Meaning of this Act ought to be allowed after the Rate assessed or shall refuse neglect or delay to allow and finally discharge the same in the proper Accounts wherein the same ought to be allowed or discharged that then and for every or any such Offence every such Auditor or Deputy or Person acting for such Auditor shall forfeit the Sum of Two hundred Pounds to the Party grieved to be recovered as aforesaid and shall be also liable to pay to the Office or Place or any other Office or Place of Trust or Profit under His Majesty or the said Queen Dowager.

Proceedings.

Penalty of non-  
compliance and  
forfeiture.

AND be it enacted That the Officers of the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer and in other the Publick Offices upon Request to shew made by the respective Assessors shall deliver graine true Lists or Accounts of all Persons Annuall Soulders or other annuall Payments and of all Fees Salaries and other Allowances payable at the said Receipt or in the said Publick Offices to any Commissioner or Commissioners Officer or Officers for the said Receipt of this Act for the better Guidance of the said Assessors in the charging of the same And that in all Cases where any Persons Annuall Soulders or other annuall Payments or the Fees Salaries Wages or other Allowances or Profits charged by this Act shall be payable at the Receipt of Exchequer or by the Collector of the Majesties Household or out of any other Publick Office or by any Her Majesties Receivers or Paymasters the Tax or Payment which in pursuance of this Act shall be charged for or in respect of such Annuall Soulders Soulders Fees Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits shall and may in case of Nonpayment thereof be deducted and kept out of the same or out of any Money which shall be paid upon such Person Annuall Soulders Fees Salary Wages Allowances or Profits or for Arrears thereof and be applied to the Satisfaction of the Rates and Duties not otherwise paid as aforesaid And the proper Officers in the said Exchequer and other the Publick Offices shall keep true Accounts of all Monies raised and (upon Request) shall give Copie of such Accounts to the proper Collectors of such Monies for the respective Parishes or Places where the said Monies are assessed by this Act

XXVI.  
Officers of the  
Exchequer to  
deliver Lists of  
Persons, Soulders,  
&c. to the  
Assessors, graine  
and may keep the  
Tax, if unpaid, out  
of the same

Officers of the  
Exchequer, &c. to  
keep true Accounts  
of Monies so  
received

PROVIDED That where any Person inhabiting within the City of London or any other City or Town Corporate hath his Dwelling House in one of the Parishes or Wards therein and hath any Goods Ware or Merchandize in one or more of the other Parishes or Wards within the same that such Person shall be charged taxed and assessed for such [his] Goods or Merchandize in the Parish or Ward where he dwelleth and not elsewhere within the said City or Town Corporate

XXVII.  
Persons dwelling in  
one Parish, &c. and  
Goods as aforesaid  
to be assessed  
where they dwell

PROVIDED nevertheless That no Clause or Privilege in this Act shall extend to the Levying or Abatement of the full Rate applied by this Act to be taxed [levied] collected and paid but that the same be fully assessed levied collected and paid in the several and respective Common Clauses and Towns aforesaid in such Manner and Forme and to such Uses as herein is before mentioned and declared

XXVIII.  
No Clause in this  
Act to extend to  
lessen the Rates

PROVIDED That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to alter charge diminish or make void any Contracts Covenants or Agreements whatsoever between Landlord and Tenant or any other Person touching the Payment of Taxes and Assessments Any thing hereto before contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXIX.  
Persons for Con-  
tracts, &c. between  
Landlord and  
Tenant as to  
Payment of Taxes

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That for avoiding all Obstructions and Delays in assessing and collecting the Rates by this Act to be rated and assessed upon any Minors Lands Tenements Rents Tythes or other Hereditaments, all Places Constabularies Divisions and Allotments which have been used to be taxed and assessed shall pay and be assessed in such County Hundred Rape Wapentake Constabulary Division Place and Allotment as the same have heretofore been usually assessed in and not elsewhere

XXX.  
Places used to be  
assessed to pay as  
heretofore

PROVIDED nevertheless That the Hundred of West Borefield formerly rated and assessed in the Lathes of Alford in the County of Kent may for the future if the Constabularies therein be rated and assessed in the Lathes of Bury in the County aforesaid And the Hundred of Little [sic] Luton in the Hundred of Rickheth in the County of Kent as likewise may the Tything of Northwell in the County of Oxon be assessed in the Hundred of Banbury in the said County And the Tythings of Chalkley Folke and Peasack in the Hundred of Chaldington in the said County as also the whole Town and Parish of Leeds in the County of Yorke in the Hundred of Skyrack in the said County And the Parish of Chate shall be assessed and pay what the same was assessed for the Feet Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound granted to their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary

XXXI.  
West Borefield,  
Luton, Northwell,  
Chalkley, Folke,  
Peasack, Leeds,  
&c. Parishes to  
be assessed

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Plaint Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what has or they shall do in pursuance or Execution of this Act such Person or Persons may sue in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue (not Guilty) and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence And if the Plaintiff or Prosecutor shall become Nonsuit or further further Proceedings or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defor shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in and where Cases by the Law are given to Defor

XXXII.  
In Action for  
existing Act,  
General Issue,  
Verdict Costs

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted That in case any Lands or Houses in any Parish Place or Constabulary shall be unoccupied and no Distress can be found on the same by reason whereof the said Parish Place and Constabulary are forced to pay and make good the Tax assessed upon such Land lying unoccupied that then it shall and may be lawful at any Time after for the Collectors Constables or Tythingmen of the said Parish Place or Constabulary for the Time being to enter and distrain upon the said Land or Houses when there shall be any Distress thereupon to be found And the Distress and Distresses if not redressed within Four Days by Payment of the Tax and Charge of the Distress to all rendering the Complaint to the Owner or Owners of

XXXIII.  
Where Lands, &c.  
unoccupied, and no  
Distress found  
Distress may after-  
wards be made by  
the Collectors, &c.  
Proceedings when  
Distress not  
redressed

such Detriment And the said Collector Comptroller or Tythingman is hereby enjoined to distribute the Money raised by the said Duties and Sale proportionably to the Persons whose contributions to the Tax of the unenclosed Lands and Houses

XXXIV.  
Where Wood Lands  
unenclosed, and as  
Detriment caused,  
Wood may be cut  
and sold.

(Timber Trees  
excepted)

Buyers may not  
sell away

Provided always and be it enacted That where any Wood Lands shall be assessed and not Detriment can be had that in such Case it shall and may be lawful to and for any Collector Comptroller Headborough or Tythingman by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of Two or more of the Commissioners of the Hundred or Division at reasonable Times of the Year to cut and sell to any Person or Persons so much of the Wood growing in the Wood Lands so assessed (Timber Trees excepted) as will pay the Assessment or Assessments now behind and unpaid and the Charge incident thereunto And that it shall and may be lawful for the Person or Persons so cut and their Assigns to whom such Wood shall be sold to fell cut down dispose and carry away the same to his own Use rendering the Overplus if any be to the Owner Any Law to the contrary notwithstanding

XXXV.  
Where Rates are  
Tything, &c. not  
paid, Officers may  
distress, &c.

Provided always and be it further enacted That where any Tax or Assessment shall be charged or laid upon any Tything Tolls Profits [or] Mailmen Fines or Pilgrims or other small Profits not distributable in case the same shall not be paid within Six Days after such Assessment is so charged or laid and demanded that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Collector Comptroller or other Officer thereunto appointed by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the Commissioners authorized by this Act to seize take and sell so much of the said Tything Tolls and other Profits so charged as shall be sufficient for the laying of the said Tax or Assessment and all Charges occasioned by such Nonpayment thereof rendering the Overplus to the Owner [if any be]

XXXVI.  
Receivers General  
and other Officers  
to be who the  
same hereinafter

And for the better preserving such unjust Vexations as might be occasioned by such Persons as shall be appointed Receivers General of any the Sums of Money granted by this Act and to the intent ['] the said Receivers General may surmise a true Account into His Majesties Court of Exchequer of any Sums of Money as shall be received by them and every of them their and every of their Deputy and Deputies Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any such Receivers General shall return or certify into the said Court any Sums or Sums of Money to be in Arrear and unpaid after the same have been received either by such Receivers General or his Deputy or Deputies or any of them or shall cause any Person or Persons or Places to be set against the said Court for any Sums or Sums of Money that hath been so received that then every such Receivers General shall be liable to pay to every Person or Persons that shall be molested vexed or damaged by means of such unjust Certificate Return or setting away Twofold the Damages that shall be thereby occasioned to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information as which are known Process or Wager of Law shall be allowed or any other then One Imparance and shall also forfeit to His Majesty His Heirs and Successors Double the Sums that shall be so unjustly certified as returned or caused to be so made

Penalty to Entry.

Penalty to Her  
Majesty.

XXXVII.  
Commissioners  
within their  
Division to pay  
such other duties  
Personal Estate  
and others

Commissioners  
to assess the  
Assessment

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners that shall be within any County City or Place within the respective Limits or larger Part of them shall tax and assess every other Conditioner joynt with them for and in respect of their Ready Money Debts and Personal Estate as also for and in respect of the Offices and employments of Profits due shall then be held and enjoyed by such Commissioners as in the Residence and small Dwelling Place of such Commissioners are to be taxed be within the Division of such Commissioners by whom he is taxed and use as the Office or Employment held or enjoyed by such Commissioners are to be taxed be Within exercised within the Divisions or Limits of such Commissioners by whom he is taxed And the Commissioners within their Divisions shall also assess every Assessment within their Divisions first and singular the Matters and Things for which by this Act be ought to be rated and assessed and as well all Sums assessed upon every the said Commissioners and Assessors as the Assessments made and set by the Assessors aforesaid shall be written entered beyond and gathered as the same should and ought to have been if such Commissioners had not been such Commissioners

XXXVIII.  
Inhabitants in  
Cities, &c. not  
responsible to be  
Assessed out of  
Limits.

Provided also That any Person inhabiting in any City Borough or Town Corporate shall be compellable to be any Assessment or Collector of or for any Part of the Rates and Assessments lawfully granted in any Place or Place out of the Limits of the said City Borough or Town Corporate

XXXIX.  
Landlords to pay  
on Houses where  
Foreigners Messes  
made.

Provided always and be it enacted That every Rate Tax or Assessment which shall be made or imposed by virtue of this Act in respect of any House or Tenement which an Ambassador Resident or Agent or other Publick Minister of any Foreign Prince or State now doth or hereafter shall inhabit or occupy shall be paid by the Landlord or Owner of the said Houses or Tenements respectively

XL.  
Persons propounding  
Revisions of  
Assessments and  
Objections in Return  
personal and  
privileged Privileges

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all privileged and other Places being exemptable or not within the Comestibleds or Parishes of the respective Assessments to be appointed by virtue of this Act (although in any monthly or other Tax they have not been rated heretofore) the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall and are hereby required to nominate and appoint Two Six Persons living in or out the said privileged [or] other Places as aforesaid to be Assessors for the said Places and to make and return the

aid Assessments in like Manner as by this Act is appointed in any Parish Tything or Place and also to appoint Two or more Collectors whose are hereby required to collect and pay the same in the Manner appointed by this Act for collecting and paying all Sums of Money chargeable by this Act.

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Commissioner Assessor or Collector whose shall be employed in the Execution of this Act shall be liable for or by reason of such Execution in any of the Penalties mentioned in an Act made in the First and twentieth Years of the Reign of King Charles the Second For preventing Damages which may happen from Peish Recusants or in One other Act made in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for [the] abrogating the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy and appointing other Oaths or in One other Act made in the Parliament holden in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Years of the Reign of the late King William the Third intitled An Act for the better Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for the subverting the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors.

Provided always and be it enacted That no Person shall be capable of sitting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or executing any of the Powers therein contained (unless it be the Power hereby given of administering Oaths) until such Time as he shall have taken the Oaths appointed by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the abrogating the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths which Oaths it shall and may be lawful for any Two or more Commissioners to administer and are hereby required to administer the same to any other Commissioners.

Provided always and be it enacted That if any Person hereby appointed a Commissioner shall please to act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act before he shall have taken the Oaths which by this Act he is required to take and in the Manner hereby prescribed he shall forfeit to His Majesty the Sums of Two hundred Pounds.

Provided also That every Person rated or assessed for his Office or Employment shall be rated and pay for his said Office or Employment in the County City or Place where the same shall be executed although the Revenue or Profits arising by such Office or Employment are payable elsewhere.

Provided always That the Right Honorable the Master of the Rolls the Master in Chancery Six Clerks Clerks of the Post-Bag Examiners Rogators Clerks of the Enrollments Clerks of the Affidavit and Subpoena Office and all other the Officers of the Court of Chancery that execute their Offices within the Liberty of the Rolls shall be there assessed for their respective [Offices] Salaries and other Profits and not elsewhere And that all Assessors Sepends and Penalties payable to any Officers in respect of their Offices shall be rated and assessed where such Officers are rated and assessed for their Offices and not elsewhere And that all other Persons Sepends and Assessors not charged upon Lands shall be charged and assessed in the Parishes or Places where they are payable And every Person whose is or shall be rated for or in respect of any Personal Estate to him any Ways belonging shall be rated at such Place where he or (s) shall be resident at the Time of the Execution of this Act And all Persons not being Householdiers nor having a certain Place of Residence shall be rated at the Place where they shall be resident at the Execution of this Act And if any Person whose ought to be rated by virtue of this Act be or is in respect of his Personal Estate shall at the Time of this Assessment be out of the Realm: such Person shall be rated therefore in such County City or Place where he was last abiding within the Realm.

Provided That where any Person shall have any Goods Wares and Merchandises in any County or Counties other than the County where he shall be resident or had his last Residence it shall be lawful to rate and assess such Person for such Goods Wares or Merchandises in the County or Counties where the same shall be And every Person whose shall be rated or assessed for or in respect of any Manors Messuages Lands or Tenements or other the Premises [according to this Act shall be rated & assessed in the Place where such Manors Messuages Lands & Tenements] [and] other the Premises] respectively do lie and not elsewhere.

Provided always That if any Person or Persons by reason of his her or their having several Mansion Houses or Places of Residence or otherwise shall be doubly charged for any Personal Estate Office or otherwise by Operation of this Act then upon Certificate made by any Two or more of the Commissioners for the County Riding City or Place of his her or their last Personal Residence under their Hands and Seals of the Sums or Sums charged upon him her or them (which Certificate the said Commissioners are required to give without Delay Fee or Reward) and upon Oath made of such Certificate before any Justice of the Peace of the County or Place where the said Certificate shall be made (which Oath the said Justice of the Peace is hereby authorized and required to administer) then the Person or Persons so doubly charged shall for so much as shall be so certified be discharged in every other County City or Place.

XLII.  
Commissioners not  
liable to Penalties  
in Sect. 15 Car. II.  
c. 4.

XLIII.  
2 W. & M. c. 8  
or 15 & 14 W. III.  
c. 6.

XLIV.  
Commissioners to  
take the Oaths of  
Qual. 1 W. & M.  
c. 5. § 13.

which Commissioners  
may administer.

XLV.  
Commissioners  
may exclude  
taking the Oaths,  
Provided always.

XLVI.  
Persons in Office  
rated where Office  
executed.

XLVII.  
Where Chancery  
Officers within the  
Liberty of the Rolls  
to be assessed  
Assessors, &c.  
reside in any  
Office  
Other Assessors,  
&c. not charged  
upon Land  
Other Persons in  
respect of Personal  
Estate  
Persons not House-  
holders, &c.  
Assessors.

XLVIII.  
Persons as to  
Premises having  
Goods, her or  
County other than  
where resident  
Persons having  
Land, where  
to be rated.

XLIX.  
Persons having  
several Mansions  
Houses doubly  
charged in respect  
of Personal Estate  
whereas  
Certificates of  
Commissioners  
granted without  
Fee,  
and so Oath before  
Justice of Peace.

**XLVIII.**  
Persons for Scotland, Ireland, Jersey or Guernsey.  
Persons escaping from Taxation charged as Triple Value.

Provided also That this Act shall not extend to the Inhabitants of Scotland Ireland Jersey or Guernsey for assessing any such Personal Estate which they or any to their Use have within the said Kingdoms and Islands And if any Persons that ought to be taxed by virtue of this Act for or in respect of his Personal Estate shall by changing his Place of Residence or by any other Fraud or Contrivance escape from the Taxation and not be taxed and the same be proved before the Commissioners or any Two of them or before One or more Justices or Justices of the Peace of the County where such Person dwelleth or resideth at any Time within One Year next after such Tax made every Person that shall so escape from the Taxation and Payment shall be charged (upon Proof thereof) at the Triple Value of so much as he should or ought to have been charged at by this Act the said Triple Value upon Certificate thereof made unto the Exchequer by the Commissioners Justices or Justices (before whom such Proof shall be made) to be levied of the Goods Lands and Tenements of such Person.

**XLIX.**  
Householders to give an Account of Land and Tenements.  
Penalty sixpence.

And for the better discovery of Personal Estates intended to be charged by this Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Householder shall upon Demand of the Assessors of the respective Parishes or Places give an Account of the Nature and Qualities of such Persons as shall sojourn or lodge in their respective Houses under the Penalty of forfeiting to Her Majesty the Sum of Five Pence to be levied and recovered in such Manner as any other Penalties in this Act mentioned shall and may be levied and recovered.

**L.**  
Shops in the New River, Thames, Marybone or Bloomsbury Water.  
Office of Assessment from Five.  
Crown or other Lights.  
Interest in the Queen's Printing House.  
To pay sixpence in the Pound.  
The said Shops, and all Companies of Merchants in London, here and by whom used, and by whom used, to whom the Rates or such Cases paid.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Shares or Interests in any fresh Stream or running Water brought to the North Parts of London commonly called the New River or in the Thames Water Works or in Marybone or Bloomsbury Water or any Room or Profit arising thereby and all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Interest in any Office or Stock for issuing of Shutes in Cases of Fire or in the Convex or other Lights or in the Stock or Stocks for printing of Books in or holding [ing] in the House commonly called the Queens Printing House shall pay for the same the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the full yearly Value thereof towards the said Assessments And they and all Companies of Merchants in London and the Bank of England and all Solicitors and Persons (residing in London) arising and payable at the General Post Office and Excise Office charged by this Act shall be assessed by the Commissioners nominated and appointed for the said City or any Two or more of them for their respective Shares and Interests aforesaid and the aforesaid Joint Stock or Stocks and for said Salaries and Pensions and the same shall be paid by the Governors and respective Treasurers or Receivers of the said River Works and Water Works and of the said Office and Stocks respectively and be deducted at and out of their next Dividend And every Person having any Salary in respect of any Office or Employment exercised in the Ward of London where the Post Office is situate shall be assessed and pay for the same in the said Ward the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound towards the said Sum by this Act granted.

**LII.**  
Papists, but of all Taxes of Age, not having taken the Oaths to pay Double.  
Sum of 10<sup>s</sup> & 4<sup>d</sup>.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Papist or reputed Papist being of the Age of Eighteen Years and upwards who shall not have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for the shortening the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sines and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned and continued be or she should or ought to pay or be charged with to be assessed levied collected assessed and paid in such Manner by such Wages and Mutes and according to such Rules and Direction and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are before in this Act expressed or appointed for and concerning the above mentioned Rates and Sines.

**LIII.**  
Persons who within Ten Days after First Meeting of Commissioners Papers shall take the Oaths.

Provided nevertheless That if any such Papist or reputed Papist within Ten Days after [their] First Meeting of the said Commissioners in the respective Counties or Places where he or she ought to be taxed or assessed according to the intent of this present Act shall take the said Oaths before Two or more of the said Commissioners (which Oaths the said Two or more Commissioners are empowered to administer) in that Case he or she shall not be liable to be doubly assessed as aforesaid.

**LIV.**  
Every Town of all Taxes of Age, not having taken the Oaths, to pay Double.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person being of the Age of Eighteen Years and upwards and being within this Realm at the Time of the Execution of this Act whose shall not before said Time have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by the said last mentioned Act and upon Summons by Warrant under the Great Seal of any Two or more of the said Commissioners shall refuse to take the said Oaths at the Time appointed in the said Warrant or shall neglect to appear at such Time before the Commissioners in order to take the said Oaths (which the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered and required to administer) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sines and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned and continued be or she should or ought to pay or be charged with in Manner as is before in this present Act appointed touching Papists or reputed Papists.



And be it further enacted That any Two or more of the Clergymen appointed by this Act upon Information given or upon any Cause of Suspicion in that Behalf shall and are hereby required and empowered to cause every Person suspected or against whose such Information shall be given to be summoned to appear to take the said Oaths as aforesaid

Provided nevertheless That whereas certain Persons Dissenters from the Church of England commonly called Quakers and now known to be such do scruple the taking of any Oaths it shall be sufficient for any such Person to make and subscribe the Declaration of Fidelity contained in an Act made in the Parliament held in the First Year [of the Reiga<sup>n</sup>] of Their said late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for exempting Their Majesties Protestant Subjects dissenting from the Church of England from the Penalties of certain Laws which Declaration say Two or more of the Clergymen appointed for causing this Act are hereby empowered and required to administer and every such Person not doing shall not be liable to chargeable with any of the Double Rates aforesaid

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where any [Answer or'] Answerers who by this Act are required to make a Double Assessment upon Papists or reputed Papists or other Persons for not taking the Oaths aforesaid shall neglect to do his or their Duty therein the respective Clergymen of the County Riding Hundred or Division or Place where such Double Assessment ought to have been made or any Two or more of them shall take Care and are hereby authorized and required to cause such Papist or other Person to be doubly charged according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

Provided always and be it enacted That where the Owners of any Lands Tenants<sup>h</sup> and Hereditaments are liable to be doubly charged as Papists or reputed Papists by reason of their not having taken the Oaths according to the Intent of this Act in every such Case such Owners only shall be charged with and shall pay the said Double Rates and the respective Tenants of such Lands Tenements and Hereditaments are hereby discharged of and from the same Any Covenant for Payment of Taxes or other Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided always and be it further enacted by and with the Authority aforesaid That the Prison of the Queens Bench Prison House Lands Gardens and Close and all the Rents Offices Profits and Perquisites of the Marshall and all other Officers of the said Queens Bench Prison and also the Prison House Lands and Gardens of the Prison of the Marshall and of the Marshalsea Prison and all Office Perquisites and Profits of ['] Marshalsea Court and Prison lying and being in the Parish of Saint George the Martyr in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey and Judges of the said Court and all Counselors and Attorneys practicing or having a Right to practise in the said Marshalsea Court and all Profits and Fees accruing to them or any of them respectively shall be charged and assessed to the Assessment in the Parish of Saint George aforesaid and not elsewhere it and after the Rate [of'] Four Shillings in the Pound Any thing to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

Provided alsoe That the Prison of the Fleet Prison House Lands Gardens and the Common Side and all the Rents Profits and Perquisites of the Office of the Warden of the Fleet lying and being in the Parish of Saint Botolph alias Boken London shall be charged and assessed to the Assessment in the said Parish of Saint Botolph alias S. Botolph London and not elsewhere Any thing in this Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers of Her Majesties Dock Yard now at Spoke Durnal near Plymouth shall be assessed upon this Act for the Salaries and other Profits of their Places within the Town and Parish of Plymouth where the Salaries of the Old Dock Yard at Plymouth in the Years One thousand six hundred ninety three were assessed and not elsewhere nor as the full Proportion which was assessed upon the said Town and Parish of Plymouth in the said Year One thousand six hundred ninety three be again assessed thereon by virtue of this Act and not as the said Parish of Spoke Durnal be not charged with a greater Proportion in respect of the said Salaries and Profits than they were in the said Year One thousand six hundred ninety three Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Waterworks in the Borough of Southwark shall be rated and assessed towards the Sine by this Act gra[n]ted by the Clergymen and Answerers of the County of Surrey and not by the Clergymen or Answerers of the City of London Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided always and be it enacted That the Waterworks in the City or Liberty of Westminster shall be rated and assessed by the Clergymen & Answerers of the said City and Liberty of Westminster towards the said Sine by this Act granted and not by the Clergymen [and'] Answerers of the City of London Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And all Clergymen Collectors Head Collectors and Receivers are hereby required and enjoined to apply themselves with all Diligence to the [steward's] speedy and effectual Execution of their several and respective Duties and to use their utmost Endeavour that all Estates and other Things herein charged may fully and duly pay the Rates and Assessments according to the Direction of this Act and see so Her Majesties [Service'] herein may not be delayed or hindered through any of their wilful Neglect or Default

LIV.  
Clergymen to assess within their parishes, to take the Oaths.

LIV.  
Quakers to subscribe the Declaration.  
Stat. a. W. & M.  
10. 11. 12.

LVI.  
Clergymen to cause the Double Assessment to be made for not taking the Oaths, if the Answerers omit the same.

LVII.  
Where Owners liable, Tenants discharged from Double Rates, notwithstanding Covenants for Payment of Taxes.

LVIII.  
Queens Bench Prison, the Marshalsea Prison, &c. to be assessed in the Parish of St. George, Southwark.

LIX.  
Fleet Prison, &c. to be assessed in the Parish of St. Botolph, London.

LX.  
Officers of the Dock-yard at Spoke Durnal to be assessed as Plymouth in the same Proportion as in 1693.  
Proviso.

LXI.  
Water-works in Southwark to be assessed in Surrey.

LXII.  
Water-works of Westminster to be assessed in Westminster.

LXIII.  
All Persons assessed to the Duty-grant in the Execution of the Act.

<sup>a</sup> attached on the Roll

<sup>b</sup> the O.

<sup>c</sup> or O.

<sup>d</sup> mean O.

**LVII.**  
Persons in Person  
whose Lands are  
not worth six per  
Annum.

PROVIDED That the poor Person shall be charged with or liable to the Pound Rate imposed by this Act upon Lands Tenements and Hereditaments whose Lands Tenements or Hereditaments are not of the full yearly Value of Twenty Shillings in the whole.

**LVIII.**  
Collector keeping  
Money in Hand,  
or paying in to  
other than Receiver  
General, &c.  
Penalty &c.

AND be it further enacted That if any Collector of any Parish or Place shall keep in his Hands any Part of the Money by him collected for any longer Time than is by this Act directed (other than the Allowance made unto him by this Act) or shall pay any Part thereof to any Person or Persons other than to the Receiver General of such County or Place or his respective Deputy that every such Collector shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Forty Pounds.

**LVIII.**  
Receiver General,  
in paying  
whereinto than into  
the Exchequer;  
or paying upon  
Tally of Pro, &c.  
Penalty &c.

AND in case any Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the Moneys paid to him or them by any Collector by virtue of this Act to any Person or Persons whatsoever other than the Receipts of His Majesty's Exchequer and at or within the respective Times limited by this Act or in Case such Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the said Money by any Warrant of the Lord Treasurer Commissioners of the Treasury or Under Treasurer for the Time being or upon any Tally of Pro or Tally of Anticipation or other Way or Device whatsoever whereby to direct or hinder the said [said] Payment thereof into the Receipts of Exchequer as aforesaid that then such Receiver General shall for every such Offence of himself or his Deputy forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pounds to him or them that shall sue for the same in any Court of Record by Bill Plea or Information wherein no Ensign Protection or Wager of Law is to be allowed.

**LVIII.**  
Treasury not to  
direct the Payment  
of the Money after  
this into the  
Exchequer.

AND be it hereby further enacted That the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury or Under Treasurer for the Time being or any of them do not direct any Warrant to any of the Collectors or Receivers General or their Deputies for the Payment of any Part of the Moneys hereby given to any Person or Persons other than into the Receipts of Exchequer as aforesaid nor shall they nor any of them direct any Warrant to the Officers of the Exchequer for making any Tally of Pro or Tally of Anticipation nor due any other Matter or Thing whereby to direct the actual Payment of the said Moneys into the Receipts of Exchequer.

**LVIII.**  
Officers of Ex-  
chequer not to  
direct any Tally  
of Pro.

NOR shall the Officers of the [Exchequer] write or direct or record the writing of any Tally of Pro or Tally of Anticipation upon any of the said Moneys upon any Account or Warrant whatsoever nor shall any Teller thereof deliver any Bill whereby to charge himself with any of the said Money until he shall actually have received the same.

**LX.**  
No Bill Pleas  
in any Court for  
Offences against  
this Act.

PREVIOUS since and be it enacted That no Stay of Prosecution upon any Criminal Warrant Motion or Order or Direction by Non vult shewes Process shall be had made obtained received or allowed by any Court whatsoever in any Suit or Proceeding by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information or otherwise for the Recovery of all or any the Pound Penalties or Forfeitures upon any Person by this Act inflicted or therein mentioned or for or in Order to the Conviction or Disability of any Person offending against this Act.

**LXI.**  
Commissioners to  
show, in Proof  
that Lands, &c. are  
overcharged.

PROVIDED always That if any Person or Persons who shall be charged or assessed by this Act to or with a Pound Rate upon his or their Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises shall upon Complaint made to the Commissioners in such Manner and within such Times as are herein directed in Cases of Appeal make it appear to the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Proof upon Oath that such Assessment doth exceed Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the full yearly Value in such Case upon every such Poole and due [Taxation] thereof the Commissioners of the Hundred Leath Wapentake or other Division where such Overcharge doth happen or any Three or more of them are lawfully empowered to show and prove the said Assessment due such as the same shall exceed Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the true yearly Value and not more. And shall cause the Money so shown to be returned surcharged and paid in such Manner as they or any Three or more of them in their Judgments and Discretions shall judge most equal just and reasonable within the whole Hundred Leath Wapentake or other Division where such Overcharge or Charges doth happen although the Pound Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound be thereby exceeded or if any particular Part or Parts of the same or any Person therein shall appear to them to be undercharged then the Money so shown shall and may be added upon such particular Part or Person not undercharged and that the whole Sum payable to His Majesty for such Hundred Leath Wapentake or other Division shall be fully and truly answered and paid without being diminished by reason of any such particular Assessment: Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

**LXII.**  
Receiver General  
answerable for his  
Deputies.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Receiver General of each County shall nominate nominate and appoint fit and proper Persons for whom he shall be answerable to be his Deputy or Deputies to receive from the said Subcollectors all and every the Rates Duties and Assessments by them respectively collected or received. And the said Receiver General is hereby required to nominate and appoint one every of such Deputies in their respective Counties that are Subcollectors may be forced to travel above the [Sum] of Ten Miles from the worst Place of his Abode for the Payment of the said Moneys that shall be by him collected or received. And if any Receiver General shall neglect or refuse to nominate and appoint such Deputies in Manner aforesaid or shall wilfully neglect to attend by himself or Deputy at the Time and Place by law

and in appoint to  
every that Sub-  
collector he is  
forced to travel  
above Ten Miles to  
pay his Collectors.

\* inserted in the Bill.

<sup>1</sup> Exchequer G.

<sup>2</sup> "Extremities" G. & King's Printer Copy

appointed for his respective Receipts such Receiver General shall for every such Office furnish the Stamp of One hundred Pounds the one Moiety to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to him or them that shall sue for the same by Means of Debt Bill Plea, or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster in which Action or Suit nor Enough Protection Privilege or Wager of Law shall be allowed

Ready money

PROVIDED nevertheless That in case there shall not be a sufficient Number of Commissioners for any City Borough Towne Cinque Port or Place (for which by this Act Commissioners are particularly appointed) capable of sitting according to the Qualifications required by this Act for putting this Act in Execution then in every such Case any the Commissioners appointed for the County at large within which such City Borough Towne Cinque Port or Place doth stand or which is next adjoining thereto may act as Commissioners in the Execution of this Act within such City Borough Towne Cinque Port or Place

XXXII.  
If not a sufficient Number of Commissioners qualified to act for City, Borough, Towne, or Place, any one or more of the Commissioners for the County at large may act, &c.

And whereas several Members of Parliament by reason of their Attendance in Parliament have by the Assents of London Westminster and Middlesex and the Suburbs of the same been used for their Personal Estates and to the Payment of the Poll Money and have been put to unreasonable Vexation and Charge be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Members of Parliament whose in the Execution of this Act during the Session of Parliament shall abide within the said Cities of London and Westminster and the Suburbs of the same or within the County of Middlesex shall for or in respect of their Ready Money or Debts or any other Tax which may be laid on their Persons or Personal Estates during this Session of Parliament be assessed only in the Places where such Members have their Manors Houses or other Places where they most usually reside during the Interval of Parliament Any thing hereto contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXXIII.

Members of Parliament to be assessed for Personal Estates, where their Manors Houses, &c. usually are, or sit of Parliament.

PROVIDED also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the West Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Pontefract and the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the North Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Thirsk and the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the East-Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Beverly Any thing in this Act hereto mentioned to the contrary notwithstanding

XXXIV.

First General Meeting for the Riding of York County to be at Pontefract, Thirsk, and Beverly.

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be provided and kept in Her Majesties Exchequer that is to say in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts one Book or Register in which all the Monies that shall be paid into the Exchequer for the Poll Rates and Duties hereby granted shall be entered and registered a part and distinct from all other Monies paid and payable to Her Majesty

XXXV.

A Register to be kept by the Auditor of Receipts of Monies arising by this Act.

PROVIDED also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person shall be capable of sitting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or of any the Powers therein contained as or for any County at large within the said Kingdoms of England Scotland or Wales (the Counties of Angles Merioneth Cardigan Glamorgan Carmarthen Montgomery and Connaught excepted) as or for any of the Ridings in the County of York unless such Person by himself or his Executors or Trustees was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding for the Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more of his own Estate by virtue of this Act and so paid in the Second Year of Her Majesties Reigne intirely (An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Tenth Year thousand seven hundred and four) or unless such Person was appointed to be a Commissioner shall at the Time of the Execution of this Act be by himself or Trustees liable to be taxed by virtue of this Act for an Estate in Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of the said Value of One hundred Pounds p Annum or more within the said County or Riding and which was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding by virtue of the Act last recited

XXXVI.

Qualifications for Commissioners to sit for County at large.  
Persons for Angles, &c.

Stat. 13. Geo. 2. c. 1.  
Persons for Connaught taxed under this Act.

PROVIDED nevertheless and it is also hereby enacted That no Person whose it is appointed to be a Commissioner for executing this Act shall be disabled from sitting as a Commissioner within and for any City Borough Cinque Port or Corporate Town only whereof hee shall be an Inhabitant at the Time of the Execution of this Act nor from acting as a Commissioner within any the Inns of Court or Inns of Chancery and that no Attorney as Solicitor or Person practicing as such or any Receiver General or Collector of any Aids granted to Her Majesty shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this present Act Any thing hereto contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXXVII.

Commissioners may not be City, &c. where it is allowed, or for the Inns of Court, &c.  
Attorney, &c. not to be Commissioner.

And it is hereby further enacted That if any Person intended by this Act to be disabled for any the Causes aforesaid shall nevertheless promise to act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or any the Powers therein contained every such Person for such Offence shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons that will inform or sue for the same to be recovered in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Plea or Information wherein no Ensign Protection Wager of Law or more than one Inquestance shall be allowed

XXXVIII.

Persons disabled sitting.  
Penalty fifty.

LXXX.  
Revenues of the  
Aldermen Duty and  
New Water Works  
in London charged  
with Assessments  
of this Act.

afforded it on their  
Assessments by  
Proprietors.

LXXXI.  
Provision for  
Assessments in  
Queen Dower,  
and Prince George  
of Denmark.

And be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the respective Persons who have assessed or collected or shall receive or collect the yearly Profits of the Aakings Dues and new Water Works respectively with in the City and County of Essex for the Dues being shall and are hereby charged and chargeable with the Payment of the Tax that shall be assessed on the said Profits respectively by this Act to be levied in such Manner as other Aids and Assessments in and by this Act are directed And the respective Persons so charged as aforesaid and paying the same shall be allowed the same on their respective Accounts by their respective Employers or Proprietors for the Time being Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act or any thing herein contained shall not charge or be construed to charge Her Majesty the Queen Dowager or Her Treasurer or Her Treasurers with the above mentioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of the yearly Stone of Ten thousand six hundred seventy two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Three Pence and One far and seventh Part of a Penny and One thousand two hundred thirty six Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Three Pence granted to Her Majesty by Two several Letters [Patents] under the Great Seal of England One bearing Date on or about the Twentieth Day of December One thousand six hundred seventy two and the other bearing Date on or about the Ninth Day of October One thousand six hundred seventy four or to charge His Royal Highness Prince [George] Hereditary of Denmark or His Treasurers with the above mentioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of any Annuity or Pension that are or shall be granted from the Crown or in Trust for His said Royal Highness but that the said Annuitants or yearly Stone and Her Majesty the said Queen Dowager and His Royal Highness and their respective Treasurers Treasurers and Receivers General in respect of the same shall by virtue thereof be acquitted and discharged of them and against the said several Duties for every Twenty Shillings by the Year and all Payments whatsoever which might be charged by this Act for or in respect of the said yearly Stone as if this Act had never been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

LXXXII.  
Provision for  
Supporters of  
the Officers, &c.  
Revenues of the  
Crown, and Poor  
English of  
Wales.

Provided always That this Act or any of the several Clauses therein contained shall not extend to charge the Persons of any incorporated Corporation or Warrent Sea Officers or the Persons of Widows of Sea Officers slain in the Service of the Crown or the Revenue of the Most Noble Order of the Garter or the Persons of the Four Knights of Windsor payable out of the Exchequer only but the same shall not extend to lessen the Same provided by this Act.

LXXXIII.  
Provision for  
Supporters of  
the Officers, &c.  
Revenues of the  
Crown, and Poor  
English of  
Wales.

And whereas the Rents and Revenues belonging to the Ecclesiastical of the Cathedral Churches are chargeable to the Land Tax granted by this present Act and in some Cases the Overplus of the said Rents and Revenues above such Tax Repaid and other Charges is to go in Shares for the Maintenance of the said Ecclesiastical which Shares are diminished by the said Land Tax It is hereby provided and enacted That in such Cases the said Ecclesiastical shall not by this Act or any of the Clauses therein contained be further chargeable to any Office of Profit out of the said Rents and Revenues Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

LXXXIV.  
Provision for  
Supporters of  
the Officers, &c.  
Revenues of the  
Crown, and Poor  
English of  
Wales.

Provided That this Act or any of the several Clauses therein contained shall not extend to charge a certain Person of One hundred Pounds per Annum granted by the late King Charles the Second to the poor Clergy of the Isle of Man.

LXXXV.  
Provision for  
Supporters of  
the Officers, &c.  
Revenues of the  
Crown, and Poor  
English of  
Wales.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to lay any Charge or Duty upon the Persons or Salaries of Her Majesties Maids of Honour Pages of Honour and Women of Her Majesties Bedchamber commonly called Treasurers.

LXXXVI.  
Provision for  
Supporters of  
the Officers, &c.  
Revenues of the  
Crown, and Poor  
English of  
Wales.

And whereas the Sums which were assessed by virtue of the Act for the former Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound which was made and passed in the Fourth Year of Their late Majesties Reigns do not only govern the Proportions set upon every County City Riding Town or other Place hereby charged with a certain Sum by this Act set down and expressed but are also to regulate the Proportions thereof in every Hundred and Division respectively towards the said Sum of Two Millions And whereas in the Assessments which were made by virtue of the said Act of the Fourth [Year] of Their late Majesties Reign several Lands Townships Rents and other Hereditaments of Papists and other Persons for refusing or neglecting or to take the Oaths therein manifested were assessed to pay Double the Rates therein expressed and since the making of these Assessments several of the said Papists and other Persons which were so doubly taxed have taken the said Oaths whereby their Rates will be chargeable upon this Act only to such an equal Pound Rate as is to be born by their Protestant Neighbours and several of the said Papists and other Persons formerly doubly taxed as aforesaid are since dead and the Rates which belonged to the Persons so deceased do now belong to Persons not liable to the said Double Assessment and by Occasion of the said former Double Rates which were on the said Papists or Persons who have since taken the Oaths or are deceased as aforesaid some Parishes Townships or other Places may be overburdened or charged with more than Four Shillings in the Pound (including by the said Rates and other improved Values of their Estates) towards the said Sum of Two Millions if a suitable Remedy

be not provided Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where the Lands Tenements Rents or Hereditaments of a whole Parish Town or Place which shall have a Proposition to make in pursuance of this Act shall be charged with more than Four Shillings in the Pound upon the yearly Value (reckoning by the Rack Rent and highest Improvement made) of such Lands Tenements or Hereditaments towards the said Sine upon this Act granted because the Estates of Papers and other Persons severally [double<sup>a</sup>] taxed as aforesaid are by their making the said Oaths or since their Deaths liable only to a single Assessment in all and every such Case and Case it shall and may be lawful to and for the Commissioners of the Hundred Laths Wapentake Ripe Ward or other Division in which such Parish Town or Place doth lie or any Two or more of them and [in<sup>b</sup>] like Manner to and for the Commissioners of any City Borough Port or Town for which Commissioners are by this Act appointed or any Two or more of them upon Complaint thereof to them made for and on the Behalf of the Owners or Occupiers of the Lands Tenements Rents and Hereditaments in any such City Borough Port Parish Town or Place respectively to examine into the Matter of such Complaint and if they are satisfied in the Truth thereof the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered and required at any Time before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and five (and not afterwards) to certify in the Barons of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer the True being the Names of the Persons formerly doubly taxed as aforesaid which have since taken the Oaths or are dead as aforesaid and how much their double Tax did amount to and how much the Sine charged by virtue of this Act upon the Lands Tenements Rents or Hereditaments in any such City Borough Port Parish Town or Place by the Occasion of their Lands being now liable to a single Assessment [in<sup>c</sup>] aforesaid doth exceed Four Shillings in the Pound of the full and true yearly Value thereof And the said Barons of the Exchequer or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to inquire and inform themselves by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses at the least concerning the Truth of the said Certificates and in all Cases where they shall be satisfied (<sup>d</sup>) the said Barons or any Two or more of them have hereby Power by their Decretions at any Time before the last Day of Michaelmas Next One thousand seven hundred and five to discharge and cause to be discharged the Complaint or one tenth of the Sine by this Act charged or chargeable upon such City Borough Town Parish or Place towards the said Sine of Two millions in shall by the Occasion aforesaid exceed the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound and the said Complaint shall or may be discharged upon the Duplicate to be returned for such City Borough Town Port Parish or Place respectively and shall be allowed upon the Account of the respective Receivers General And the Inhabitants of every such City Borough Town Port Parish or Place shall be acquitted against Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and touching the Payment of any such Overplus Money so discharged or ordered to be discharged by the Barons of the Exchequer or any Two or more of them as aforesaid any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding And no Officer or any Deputy or Clerk whatsoever shall take any Fee Reward or Gratuity for or upon account of such Discharge

And whereas some Doubts may arise whether Mayors Bailiffs and other Chief Magistrates of Cities Boroughs Towns Corporates and Clays Ports for which Commissioners are specially appointed by virtue of this Act can act as Commissioners for executing this Act in the said Cities Boroughs Towns Corporates and Clays Ports be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Mayors Bailiffs and other Chief Magistrates whose are appointed Commissioners for executing this Act shall be and have Power to act as Commissioners for executing this Act within and for any City Borough Town Corporate or Clays [Port] wherein they inhabit at the Time of executing this Act so well where Commissioners are specially appointed by this Act as where they are not

Provided always That all Offices and Places which have been rated and assessed within the Palace of Whitehall and Saint James's in or for the Years One thousand seven hundred and three and One thousand seven hundred and four or either of them (except such as are exempted by this Act) shall be rated and assessed within the said [Palace<sup>e</sup>] and in noe other Place whatsoever

Provided also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigner Bodies Politick or Corporate to advance and lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer upon the Credit of the said several Rates Assessments and Sines of Money by this Act granted as aforesaid any Sine which shall not exceed in the whole the Sine of One million eight hundred and fifty thousand Pounds and to have and receive for the Performance thereof Interest after the Rate of Five Pence per Cent per Annum and moreover that [no<sup>f</sup>] Money to be lent upon the Security of this Act shall be rated or assessed by virtue of this Act or any other Act of Parliament whatsoever

And it is hereby further enacted That all and every Person or Persons who shall lend any Money upon the Credit of this Act and pay the same into the said Receipt of Exchequer shall immediately have a Talley of Loan struck for the same and an Order for his use or that Repayment bearing the same Date with his use or their Talley in or upon which Order shall be also contained a Warrant for Payment of Interest for the Performance thereof at the Rate aforesaid to be paid every Three Months until the Repayment of the Principall and that all such Orders for Repayment of Money to be lent shall be registered in course according to the Dates respectively without other Preference of one before another And that all and every Person and Persons shall be paid in money according as their Orders shall stand registered in the said Register Books see in the said Proviso before or

Where Lands, &c. charged with more than 4s. per Pound on the yearly Value, &c. shall be liable only to a single Assessment.

Commissioners of the Hundred, &c. as Complaint, to examine the Matter, and certify to the Barons of the Exchequer the Particulars herein mentioned

The Barons may discharge the Complaint, &c.

Overplus allowed upon Receipts General, and Inhabitants freed from Payments, &c.

No Fee for Discharge.

LXXXV. Mayors, Bailiffs, &c. being Commissioners, may act where they inhabit.

LXXXVI. Offices, &c. in Whitehall and St. James's (Exempted) shall be assessed.

LXXXVII. Loans to be lent on City Port Clays.

Money lent on this Act not to be taxed.

LXXXVIII. Talley of Loan to be struck, and an Order for Repayment.

Orders to be registered in course.

All Persons to be paid in money.

<sup>a</sup> double G.

<sup>b</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>c</sup> therein D.

<sup>d</sup> Part G.

<sup>e</sup> Palace G.

Foreign his Executors Administrators or Assigns who shall have his Order or Orders first entered in the said respective Books of Register shall be taken and accounted the first Person to be paid out of the Monies to come in by virtue of this Act and he or they whose shall have his or their Order or Orders next entered shall be taken and accounted to be the Second Person to be paid and so successively and in course. And that the Monies to come in by this Act of or for the said several Rates and Assessments as aforesaid shall be in the same Order Table to the Satisfaction of the Monies to be just as aforesaid to the respective Parties their Executors Administrators Executors or Assigns respectively without undue Preference of one before another and otherwise and shall not be directed or diverted to any other Use Issue or Purpose whatsoever. And that no Fee Reward or Gratuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any of His Majesties Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search as or for Payment of Money loan or as the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of His Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party aggrieved by the Party offending with Treble Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place above. And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party aggrieved and shall be forsworn of his Place or Office. And if such Preference be entirely made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Direction or Privity of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk must shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever incapable of his Place or Office. And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct the Order at the Clerks of the Peils record or the Tellers make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as before directed then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and Clerks herein offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs as such Master or aforesaid all which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be incurred by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of His Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Assign Protection Privilege Wager of Law Liquidation or Order of Rataction shall be in any wise granted or allowed.

PROVIDED always and be it hereby declared That if it happen that several Tables of Loans or Orders be Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditors of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted not unless Preference which of those be entered first not to be others than all the same Day.

PROVIDED also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to issue any Penalty in Point of Payment if the Auditor direct & the Clerks of the Peils record & the Tellers do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come & demand their Monies and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take their Monies & bring their Orders in their Course not in those he nor much Money reserved as well as those previous Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them Interest upon Loans being to cease from the Time the Money is so reserved & kept in Bank for them.

And be it further enacted That all & every Person & Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans to be registered by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Books of Register as aforesaid his Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Words of Assignment to be endorsed & written upon his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest & Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being written in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid & an Entry or Memoriall thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly [make] shall enable such Assignee his Executors Administrators and Assigns to the Benefit thereof & Payment thereon. And such Assignee may in like Manner assign again & so twice again & afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignment, to make void release & discharge the same or any the Monies thereby due or any Part thereof.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

Money to come in by this Act liable to satisfy the Land-tax, and not as heretofore.  
No Fee to be taken for register- ing, &c.

No undue Preference in Payment, &c.

Officers in the Exchequer to make Payments according to such Persons as due Place and Order.

EC.  
No undue Preference where Tellers or Clerks bear Date the same Day.

NCL  
Not if subsequent Orders be paid before such as were not demanded in course, if sufficient Money reserved.

NCL  
Orders for Payment assignable.

## CHAPTER II.

AN ACT for raising Monies by Sale of several Annuities for carrying on the present War.

**M**OST gracious Sovereign Whereas by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Second Year of Your Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty for carrying on the War and other the Majesty's Occasions by selling Annuities at several Rates and for such respective Terms or Estates as are therein mentioned and by several other Acts therein recited Provision is made that from and after the Five and twentieth Day of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five the full close and entire weekly Sum of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds out of all the Monies arising by the Hereditary Duties of Excise and by other Duties of Excise therein mentioned payable during Her Majesty's Life and from and after [Her<sup>ty</sup>] Majesty's Decease then the like full close and entire weekly Sum of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds out of all the Monies to arise by the said Hereditary Duties of Excise from time to time for ever shall be brought and paid into the Receipt of Exchequer every Week in the Manner and Form and under such Penalties as are thereby prescribed And it is [hereby<sup>ty</sup>] further enacted That out of the Money of the said Hereditary Duties of Excise arising in or by such weekly Payments at the Exchequer as aforesaid certain annual Sums after the Rate of Three Pounds p Centum p Annam therein mentioned shall be satisfied and paid and that out of the Monies of the said several Branches of Excise arising in or by the said weekly Payments the several Annuities to be purchased in pursuance of the said Act of the Second Year of Your Majesty's Reign shall also be paid and satisfied And that all the Rent and Revenues of the Monies arising by the said weekly Payments and which at the End of every Year reckoning the first Year to begin from the said Five and twentieth Day of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five should remain after satisfying or converting sufficient to satisfy all the Payments which should be then incurred or become due as well for and upon the said annual Sums after the Rate of Three Pounds p Cent<sup>um</sup> p Ann<sup>um</sup> as also for and upon all the said Annuities to be purchased upon the Act last mentioned should be applied and disposed of to and for the Publick Use and Service and not otherwise And whereas the said annual Sums after the Rate of Three Pounds p Centum p Annam doe amount in the whole to the yearly Sum of Thirty nine thousand eight hundred fifty five Pounds Sixteen Shillings and One Half penny and the Annuities purchased on the said Act of the Second Year of Your Majesty's Reigne for the said Term of Ninety nine Years doe amount in the whole to Sixty seven thousand nine hundred twenty five Pounds Two Shillings and Six Pence Half pny And the Annuities purchased severally on the same Act for Single Lives doe amount in the whole to Twenty two thousand three hundred and thirtyn Pounds Six Shillings and Eight Pence And the Annuities severally purchased on the same Act for the Lives of Two Persons and the Survivors of them doe amount in the whole to Ten thousand five hundred and twenty eight Pounds And the several Annuities purchased on the same Act for the Lives of Three Persons and the Survivors and Survivors of them doe amount in the whole to Three thousand nine hundred seventy nine Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence And the Charges of paying the said Annuities doe amount to the yearly Sum of Twelve hundred Pounds so that there doth remain at this Time undisposed of the Money of the said weekly Payments to be applied to the Publick Use and Service the yearly Sum of Forty six thousand five hundred sixty eight Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Five Pence or thereabouts besides the Expectancies after the Determination of the said respective Lives for One Two and Three Lives Nine new Year Majesties most dearth and loyal Subjects the Citizens of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to raise the Money necessary for carrying on the present War and other Your Majesty's most pressing Occasions by such Ways and Means as are most due to Your Majesty's Subjects doe cheerfully and unanimously grant unto Your Majesty a further Aid to arise by Contributions for Annuities to be purchased in the Manner and Form herein after mentioned And doe humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spirituall and Temporall and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Estates or Forfeitures to contribute advance and pay into the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer for Her Majesty's Use at or before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in that Behalfe any Sums or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sums of Eight hundred seventy seven thousand nine hundred and thirty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Three Pence Half pny for purchasing such annual and respective Annuities as we herein after mentioned (that is to say) Any Sums and Sums of Money not exceeding Six hundred and sixty thousand Pounds (Part of the said whole Sums not exceeding Eight hundred seventy seven thousand nine hundred and thirty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Three Pence Half pny) for any Annuity or Annuities to be paid during the full Term of Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the said Five and twentieth Day of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five at the Rate of Fifteen Years Purchase which Rate doe amount to the Sums of One hundred and fifty Pounds for every such Annuity of Ten Pounds per An<sup>num</sup> and proportionably for any greater Annuity and the same Rate or Considerable Money for the said full Term of Ninety nine Years is hereby appointed to be paid into the said Receipt at or before the respective Days and Times herein after mentioned (that is to say) One Third Part thereof on or before the First Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five One other Third Part thereof on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five and the remaining Third Part thereof on or before the Nine and twentieth Day of September in the same Year of our

See Act  
3 & 4 Ann. p. 1  
c. 2.Recall of Stat.  
2 & 3 Ann. c. 3.

s. 1.

s. 4.

out of the Annuitie  
of the Annuitie Sums  
at 63 per Cent.  
See.Grant of  
Exchequer for  
the Exchequer  
Annuitie.(See) Application  
(Part of the)  
for any Annuity  
for 99 Years, from  
1704 Dec. 25, to  
1713 Dec. 25, at  
15 Years Purchase.to be paid into the  
Exchequer  
One Third on May  
1704.  
One other Third  
14th June 1705  
and the other Third  
19th Sept. 1705.

\* purchased on the Book.

\* hereby G.

Articles as  
purchased not to  
exceed the Sum of  
sixty pence per Ann.  
payable quarterly.

The First Payment  
19th March 1705.

II.  
Reason for passing  
the Statute.

Lord One thousand seven hundred and five all which Annuities are to be purchased for the said full Term of Ninety nine Years shall not exceed in the whole the Sum of Forty six thousand Pounds per Annum and shall be paid and payable at the Four most usual Fairs in the Years (that is to say) the Feast of the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary the Nativity of Saint John Baptist Saint Michael the Archangel and the Feast of our Lord Christ by even and equal Portions the First Payment to be made at or upon the Feast of the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six

For making a further  
Sum of all 1700  
1701 1702 1703

Original Certificate  
has, as, within  
the One Life, &c.  
may advance as  
much Money, &c.  
as every Annuity  
amount to, com-  
puted for Six Years,  
for converting that  
Sum for the One  
Life into a Term  
of 99 Years,  
to be computed  
from 1703 March  
25th.  
The like also  
Determination of  
One Life, during  
the Residue of  
99 Years, &c.

It is to be noted for  
Two Lives.

The like also for  
Determination for  
Two Lives, &c.

It is to be noted for  
Three Lives.

The like also for  
Determination for  
Three Lives, &c.

III.  
Consideration  
Money, &c. to be  
paid into the  
Exchequer.  
One Third the last  
Day of March  
1705.  
One other Third  
19th June 1705.

And whereas the Persons who are or may be entitled to the respective Estates for Life or Lives purchased upon the said Act of the Second Year of Your Majesties Reigns or some of them are or may be willing and desirous (for each respective Person or Consideration as are herein after mentioned) to have such their respective Estates for Life or Lives changed or converted into a certain Term or Terms for Ninety nine Years to be computed from the said Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four of and in each or the like Annuities as they have for Life or Lives as aforesaid or that they or such as they shall nominate his her or their Executors Administrators and Assigns respectively (for the like respective Prices or Considerations) shall or may be entitled to have votes and enjoy the like Annuity from and after the Determination of his her or their Estate for Life or Lives as aforesaid for and during the Residue which shall be then to come and unexpired of the said Term of Ninety nine Years last mentioned And in Cases where the present Owner of any such Annuity for Life or Lives is or may be unwilling (if any such be) to purchase a further or more certain Estate or Estates therein in it being that some other Person or Persons is or may be desirous to be admitted to purchase a future Estate or Estates in such or the like Annuity or Annuities in his effect from and after the Determination of the respective Estate for One Two or Three Lives in being and to continue for and during the then Residue and Remainder of the said Term of Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four which shall be then to come and unexpired Now for the making any further Sums and Sums of Money not exceeding One hundred eighty seven thousand nine hundred and thirty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Three Pence Halfpenny (or) other Part of the said Sums not exceeding Eight hundred seventy seven thousand nine hundred and thirty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Three Pence Halfpenny for the Purposes aforesaid it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons as aforesaid or Foreigners being as Original Contributors as by these Assignments or by other lawful Ways and Means entitled to any Estate for One Life in being or in any Annuity purchased or obtained upon the said Act of the Second Year of Your Majesties Reign to advance and pay into the Receipts of Your Majesties Exchequer at or before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in that Behalf so much Money as every or any such Annuity being computed for Six Years doth or shall amount unto either for changing or converting the said Estate for a single Life into a certain Term for the said Ninety nine Years to be computed from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four or for the like Annuity to be paid to him her or their Executors Administrators and Assigns from and immediately after the Determination of the said Estate for One Life during the then Residue of the said Ninety nine Years last mentioned at the Election of the Purchasers respectively And that it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons being as aforesaid entitled to any Estate for Two Lives now in being or in any Annuity purchased or obtained upon the said Act of the Second Year of Your Majesties Reign to advance and pay into the Receipts of Your Majesties Exchequer at or before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in that Behalf for Your Majesties Use so much Money as every or any such Annuity being computed for Four Years doth or shall amount unto either for changing or converting the same Estate for Two Lives into a certain Term for the said Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four or for the like Annuity to be paid to him her or their Executors Administrators and Assigns from and immediately after the Determination of the said Estate for Two Lives during the then Residue of the Term of Ninety nine Years last mentioned at the Election of the Purchasers respectively And that it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons being as aforesaid entitled to any Estate for Three Lives now in being or in any Annuity purchased or obtained upon the said Act of the Second Year of Your Majesties Reign to advance and pay into the said Receipts of Your Majesties Exchequer for Your Majesties Use at or before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in that Behalf so much Money as every or any such Annuity being computed for Three Years doth or shall amount unto either for changing or converting the same Estate for Three Lives into a certain Term for Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four or for the like Annuity to be paid to him her or their Executors Administrators and Assigns from and immediately after the Determination of the said Estate for Three Lives during the then Residue of the Term of Ninety nine Years last mentioned at the Election of the Purchasers respectively

And it is hereby declared and appointed That all the Consideration Money to be paid after the respective Rates of Six Years Purchase Four Years Purchase and Three Years Purchase in the several and respective Cases before mentioned shall be paid into the said Receipts of Your Majesties Use at or before the respective Days and Times herein after limited (that is to say) One Third Part thereof on or before the last Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five One other Third Part thereof on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five And



the remaining Third Part thereof on or before the Nine and twentieth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five And the said Annuities for which the said Consideration Money shall be so paid after the said Rate of Six Years Four Years and Three Years Purchase as aforesaid shall be also paid and payable at the Four most usual Feasts before mentioned by even and equal Portion the First Payment thereof to begin and to be made at each of the said Feasts as shall next happen after the respective Times on which they are to take effect as aforesaid Nevertheless in all Cases where any Estate for Life or Lives shall be in possession of this Act changed into a certain Term for Ninety nine Years as aforesaid for avoiding any Double Payments thereupon the Quarterly Payments which shall have been made on the said Estate for Life or Lives shall be deemed and taken to discharge one moiety of the Quarterly Payments which might otherwise be reckoned for the same Time upon the said certain Term of Ninety nine Years and then such payment [Estate] for Life or Lives shall be understood to be merged or extinguished in the said Term of Years respectively

And it is hereby further enacted That if any Person or Persons being entitled to any Estate for One Two or Three Lives in being at any such present Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid shall not on or before the said last Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five advance and pay into the said Exchequer One Third Part at the least of such respective Rate or Consideration Money as is before mentioned for charging his her or their Estate for One Two or Three Lives with a Term certain or for a term forever as aforesaid that then and in every such Case it shall and may be lawful so and for any Person or Persons whatsoever Natives or Foreigners (standing or not having any Property or Interest in such Estate for Life or Lives) at any Time or Times after the said last Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five and within the respective Days and Years by this Act limited in this Behalf to contribute advance and pay into the said Receipt of Exchequer for the Purpose aforesaid such respective Rate or Consideration Money as is here limits after appointed for purchasing of such Annuities to commence after the Determination of the said Estate for One Two or Three Lives respectively as are herein after expressed (that is to say) In every or any Case where any Annuity was purchased upon the said former Act for One Life only still in being and the present Owner shall have made no further Payment for a future Interest or certain Term therein according to this Act any Person or Persons as aforesaid may contribute and pay the Consideration Money after the Rate of Six Years Purchase for such or the like Annuity to be paid and payable to him her or them his her or their Executors Administrators and Assigns from and immediately after the Determination of every such Estate for a single Life (which is to be named in every Talley for such Purchase Money and in the Order thereupon) and to continue from thenceforth for and during all the Rent and Residue which shall be then to come and unexpired of and in the said Term of Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four and in every or any Case where any Annuity was purchased upon the said former Act for Two Lives still in being and the present Owner shall have made no further Payment for a future Interest or a certain Term therein according to this Act any Person or Persons as aforesaid may contribute and pay the Consideration Money after the Rate of Four Years Purchase for such or the like Annuity to be paid and payable to him her or them his her or their Executors Administrators (or) Assigns from and immediately after the Determination of every such Estate for Two Lives (which are to be named in every Talley for such Purchase Money and in the Order thereupon) and to continue from thenceforth for and during all the Rent and Residue which shall be then to come and unexpired of and in the said Term of Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four and in every or any Case where any Annuity was purchased upon the said former Act for Three Lives still in being and the present Owner thereof shall have made no further Payment for a future Interest or a certain Term therein according to this Act any Person or Persons as aforesaid may contribute and pay the Consideration Money after the Rate of Three Years Purchase for such or the like Annuity to be paid and payable to him her or them his her or their Executors Administrators and Assigns from and after the Determination of every such Estate for Three Lives (which are to be named in every Talley for such Purchase Money and in the Order thereupon) and to continue from thenceforth for and during all the Rent and Residue which shall be then to come and unexpired of and in the said Term of Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four and it is hereby declared and appointed that all the Consideration Money to be paid by the said Persons who may purchase in Defect of those who have the present Estates for Life and Lives as aforesaid shall be paid in the said Receipt of Exchequer for Your Majesties Use after the said last Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five and at or before the respective Days and Times herein after limited (that is to say) One third Part thereof on or before the First Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five one other Third Part thereof on or before the First and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and five and the remaining Third Part thereof on or before the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and five and the said Annuities are to be purchased by any Persons (in Defect of those who have the present Estates for Life or Lives as aforesaid) shall also be paid and payable at the Four most usual Feasts in the Year before mentioned by even and equal Portion the First Payment thereof to begin and to be made at each of the said Feasts as shall next happen after the respective Times from which such Annuities are to commence or take Effect as aforesaid

Remaining Third  
17th Sept. 1704.  
Annuities payable  
Quarterly.

Persons for Estates  
for Lives and  
Annuities.

Quarterly Payments  
on Life Estates, &c.  
to discharge Quarterly  
Payments on  
Term of 99 Years.  
Estates for Life,  
&c. comprehended

IV.  
Persons not paying  
One Third of the  
Consideration  
Money, for before  
last of March 1704.  
&c.

any other Persons,  
no-way purchase,  
&c.

Annuity for One  
Life, &c.  
Present Owner  
making no further  
Payment, &c.  
other Persons may  
contribute at Six  
Years Purchase, &c.

to continue the  
Rent and the Term  
of 99 Years, from  
24th March 1704.  
The Use as to  
Annuity for Two  
Lives, &c. at Four  
Years Purchase.

The Use as to  
Annuity for Three  
Lives, &c. at Three  
Years Purchase.

Consideration paid  
into Exchequer  
after the last of  
March 1704, by  
the Three several  
Payments, as  
before mentioned

Annuities payable  
quarterly.

Whichever payment  
shall be.

V.  
Contributors  
Shew, the amount  
in Office of  
Auditors Receipts,  
and Clerk of the  
Pells.

Books expected  
without Fee.

VI.  
Annuities, Ac.  
to be paid out of  
the weekly Pay-  
ments, Ac.

Overplus to  
discharge the  
Annuities, and  
applied from  
any Use.

VII.  
Contributors  
paying the Pur-  
chase Money, to  
have and enjoy the  
Annuities so  
purchased.

and to have the  
Interest, Ac. free  
in all Times.

VIII.  
Contributors to  
have Tallys for  
the same, and  
Orders for Pay-  
ment signed by  
the Treasurer.

Treasury not to  
revolve the same.

IX.  
Contributors pay-  
ing on their Pur-  
chase Money before  
the last of March  
1705, allowed any  
per Cent for prompt  
Payment, until the  
last of March 1706  
Contributors pay-  
ing on their Pur-  
chase Money before  
the first of May  
1706, to be paid  
any per Cent, for  
prompt Payment,  
until the first of  
May 1707.

AND it is hereby enacted That in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts and Clerks of the Pells in the Exchequer severally there shall be provided and kept a Books or Books in which shall be fairly entered the Names of all whose shall be Contributors and of all Persons by whose Hands the said Contributors shall pay in any of the said Sums upon this Act and also the several Sums so paid and the Times when the same are respectively paid to which Book it shall be lawful for the respective Contributors their Executors Administrators and Assignees from time to time and at all reasonable Times to have Recourse and to inspect the same without Fee or Reward.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Annals whatsoever which shall be any way purchased upon or in pursuance of this present Act shall be and are hereby charged upon and shall be paid and payable out of the Overplus of the Moneys arising from time to time by the weekly Payments of Excise Money aforesaid (that is to say) the Money which shall remain from time to time over and above the [said] shall be sufficient to pay and satisfy the Moneys which shall from time to time be interest and grow due as well for and upon the said annual Sums after the Rate of Three Pence per Cent per Annum as for and upon all the said Annals for Lives or Years purchased upon the said Act of the second Year of Your Majesty's Reign. And the whole of the said Overplus Moneys are and shall be sufficient to satisfy and discharge all the Annals to be purchased upon this Act according to the Purport and true Meaning of the same are and shall be appropriated and applied to and for the satisfying and discharging of the same accordingly and shall be lawfully disposed or applied to that Use and to no other Use Issue or Purpose whatsoever.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Contributor and Contributor upon this Act duly paying the Consideration or Purchase Money after the respective Rates aforesaid at or before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in that Behalf for any Annuity or Annuities whatsoever shall not be purchased by this Act according to the true Meaning of the same Act or such as he she or they shall appoint his her or their respective Executors Administrators & Assignes shall have receive and enjoy and be entitled by virtue of this Act to have receive and enjoy the respective Annuity and Annuities are to be purchased out of the Overplus Moneys arising and to arise as aforesaid from the respective Times on which such Annuities are respectively to commence for and during such respective Terms of Years or continuing Terms of Years as are also mentioned and that all and every such Purchasers their Executors Administrators and Assignes respectively shall be good [and] true Tenants and Interest in the several Annals are by them to be purchased according to the Name of their respective Purchasers and the Tenor and true Meaning of this Act and that all Annuities are to be purchased on this Act for any Term Years or Interest whatsoever shall be free from all Taxes Charges and Impositions whatsoever.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Contributor upon any Part of this Act in any of the Annuities aforesaid his her or their Executors Administrators or Assignes upon Payment of the Consideration or Purchase Money for the same at the respective Rates in this Act before appointed or any Part or Proportion thereof within the Time or Times by this Act limited in that Behalf shall immediately have One or more Tally or Tallys issued impowering the Receipt of so much Consideration Money as shall be so paid for in Part of the said respective Sums to be raised as aforesaid and according to the Nature of his her or the Payments respectively And upon Payment of all the Purchase Money for any such Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid at the Rate by the Act appointed every such Contributor respectively his or her respective Executors Administrators or Assignes shall [have] an Order for Payment of such Annuity and Annuities for and during such respective Terms Years or Interest as he she or they shall or ought to have therein as aforesaid which Order shall be signed by the Treasurer and Under-Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being And after the signing thereof the same shall be first put into and effectual in the Law according to the Purport and true Meaning thereof and of this Act and shall not be determinable by or upon the Death or Removal of any Treasurer or Under-Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioner or Commissioners of the Treasury or by or upon the Determination of the Power Office or Office of them or any of them nor shall any Lord High Treasurer of England Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioners of the Treasury now or for the Time being have Power to revoke command or make void null Orders so signed as aforesaid or any of them.

AND for the Encouragement of the Contributors to advance and pay forthwith into the Receipts of Exchequer the Sums by them intended to be advanced upon any of the Terms aforesaid it is provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Contributor whose being to pay his or her Purchase Money or any Part thereof on or before the said last Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five shall pay the same or any Part thereof sooner than the [said] last Day of March shall be paid out of the Contribution Money arising by this Act after the Rate of Five Pence p Cent p Annum for prompt Payment of the Money so advanced from the Time of actual paying the same until the said last Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five And every Contributor on this Act whose being to pay his or her Purchase Money or any Part thereof on or before the said last Day of [March] One thousand seven hundred and five shall pay the same or any Part thereof sooner than the first Day of May shall be paid out of the said Contribution Money the like Rate of Five Pence p Cent p Annum for such prompt Payment of the Money so advanced from the Time of the actual paying the same until the said first Day of May One thousand seven hundred and five.

And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful for any Contributor his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns at any Time or Times having any present or future Term Estate or Interest or any present Estate to take effect in future of and in any Annuity to be purchased upon this Act or of or in any Part of such Annuity by any Writing under Hand and Seal or by his or her last Will in Writing to assign or devise such Annuity and Accrues or any Part thereof or any Interest therein to any Person or Persons whomsoever and [so"] such Assigns to be revocable as to an Entry or Memorandum of such Assignment or Will be made in Book to be kept for this Purpose in the said Office of the Auditor of such Annuity within the Space of Two Months after such Assignment or Death of the Devisee And that upon the producing such Assignment or Will or Probate thereof in the said Office of Receipt to be entered as aforesaid the Party so producing the same shall bring therewith an Affidavit taken before some Person authorized to take Affidavits in Cause depending in any the Courts at Westminster of the due Execution of the said Assigns or Will which Affidavits shall be severally filed in the said Office which said Entry or Memorandum the proper Officers in the said Receipt of the Exchequer are hereby required to make accordingly & to file the said Affidavits And in Default of such Assignment or Devise by Death or Will the Interest of such Contributor shall go to his or her Executors or Administrators

And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful for any Guardian or Trustee having the Disposal of the Money of any Infant under the Age of One and twenty Years for the Use and Benefit of such Infant to advance and pay the Sums of One hundred and fifty Pounds of the Money of such Infant to purchase any Annuity upon this Act for the Benefit of such Infant And the said Guardian and Trustee as to the said Sums of One hundred and fifty Pounds are advanced is hereby discharged

And be it further enacted for the better encouraging Private to advance the said several Sums on this Act That all Receipts and Issues and all other Things directed by this Act to be performed in the Exchequer shall be done and performed by the Officers there without demanding or receiving directly or indirectly any Fee Cost or Reward for the same And in case any of the Officers of the Exchequer shall take or demand any such Fee or Reward or shall desert or negligently any of the said weekly Sums to be paid into the Receipt of Exchequer or any Part of the Money which should make good the Payment of the said Annuity or shall pay or issue out [of] the same otherwise than according to the Intent of this Act or shall not keep Books and Registers and make Entries and doe and perform all other Things which by this Act they are required to perform every such Officer shall forfeit his Office and be for the future incapable of any Office or Place of Trust and shall answer and pay Triple Damages with Costs of Suit to every Contributor or Person whose shall be prejudiced thereby to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster wherein are Equity Protection Privilege of Parliament or other Privilege Wages of Law Injunction or Order of Restraint or such that One Impediment shall be granted or allowed And in the said Action the Plaintiff upon Recovery shall have his full Costs One Third Part of which Sums [so"] to be recovered for Damages shall be to the Use of Your Majesty Your Heirs and Successors and the other Two Third Parts with the Costs shall be to the Use of the Prosecutor And in case there shall be any Controversy or False Prosecution between the Plaintiff and Defendant in such Action it shall be lawful for any other Contributor his or her Executors Assigns or Assigns to bring another Action wherein he shall recover as aforesaid to the like Uses as aforesaid

PROVIDED always That no Person or Persons whomsoever shall or may purchase or obtain any Annuity upon this Act for which the Purchase Money or any Part thereof is hereby appointed to be paid on or before the said last Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five unless the Whole or One Third Part of the Consideration Money for the same at such respective Rates as aforesaid be advanced and paid into the said Receipt of Exchequer on or before the said last Day of March in the Years of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five And that no Person or Persons whomsoever shall or may purchase or obtain or be admitted to purchase or obtain any Annuity upon this Act for which the Purchase Money or any Part thereof is hereby appointed to be paid on or before the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and five unless the Whole or One Third Part of the Consideration Money for the same at such respective Rates as aforesaid be advanced and paid into the [said] Receipt of Exchequer on or before the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and five

PROVIDED also That in case any such Contributor as aforesaid who shall on or before the respective Days by this Act appointed for his or her first Payment have advanced One Third Part of his or her Purchase Money his or her Executors Assigns or Assigns do not advance and pay into the Receipt of Exchequer one other Third Part of his or her Consideration Money soe to be paid for such respective Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid on or before the said Year and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and five and the remaining Third Part thereof on or before the said Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and five then and in every such Case respectively one Order shall be drawn or signed for such respective Annuity for which the Consideration Money shall not be fully paid as aforesaid but so much of the Consideration Money as shall have been actually paid into the Exchequer for such respective Annuity shall be satisfied and lost to Your Majesty Your Heirs and Successors and be applied together with other the Monies to be raised by this Act for the Purposes aforesaid Any thing to this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

X.  
Contributors, his  
executors, assigns,  
or devise Assigns,  
and so forth  
qualifies.

Entry of such  
Assignments, &c.  
to be made in the  
Auditor's Office  
on Affidavit.

Affidavits to be  
filed.  
In Default of  
Devise, &c. to go  
to Executors, &c.

XI.  
Guardians may  
purchase for Infants,  
and be discharged  
for so much.

XII.  
Receipts, &c. in  
the Exchequer  
without Fee.

Officers taking Fee  
or negligently  
weekly Sums.

several Courts, &c.  
Protection of Office,  
Injunction,  
and Triple  
Damages.

Full Costs.

If False Prosecution  
brought, the  
may bring  
Action.

XIII.  
No purchase  
unless One Third  
paid in by 1<sup>st</sup>  
March 1704.

or on May 1705.

XIV.  
Contributors  
advancing One  
Third Part, and  
not paying the Two  
other Parts of the  
Consideration  
Money, within the  
Time limited.

such Money as paid  
in to be returned,  
and applied as  
before mentioned.

\* Inserted in the Roll.

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Treasury out of  
weekly Payments  
to make Allowances  
to Officers  
and Gentlemen  
payable by

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lord Treasurers or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being out of any of the Monies of the said weekly Payments to award the Officers and Clerks in the Exchequer to be employed in the Payment of the said Allowances or any of them for their Labour Pains and Service therein respectively in such Proportions as to the said Lord Treasurers or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall seem most and reasonable in that Behalf Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

## CHAPTER III. (\*)

An Act for granting to Her Majesty a farther Subsidy on Wines and Merchandises imported

En. Parl.  
16 June, 7. 2. 22.  
Record of Stat.  
5 W. III. cap. 15.

end of Stat.  
1 Ann. c. 2.

end of Stat.  
28 J. Ann. c. 18.

Additional Duties  
of Tonnage for  
Four Years upon  
Wines imported.

and Duty of  
Poundage upon  
other Goods  
imported.

MOST gracious Sovereign whereas by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of Your Majesty late Royal Brother King William the Third of glorious Memory intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty a farther Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage towards making the yearly Summe of seven hundred thousand Pounds for the Service of His Majesties Household and other Uses therein mentioned during His Majesty's Life it was enacted that ever and above all Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and ever and above all additional Duties Impositions and other Duties whatsoever therein mentioned there should be raised and paid to His Majesty one other Subsidy called Tonnage for and upon all Wines which from and after the last Day of January in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred ninety nine at any Time or Times during His Majesty's Life should be imported or brought into the Kingdoms of England Dominions of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed and one farther Subsidy called Poundage of all Manner of Goods & Merchandises imported or brought into His Majesty's Realm or any His Majesty's Dominions to the same belonging at any Time or Times after the said last Day of January One thousand six hundred ninety nine during His Majesty's Life by Way of Merchandise except such Goods and Merchandises as are therein excepted and with such Abatement Regulations Directions for making Remissions or Allowances upon Exportation and subject to such Rules and other Matters and Things touching the said several Subsidies as in the said Act are expressed which said farther Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wine Goods and Merchandises granted by the Act above recited are to be raised and paid to Your Majesty during Your Life by virtue of another Act of Parliament made and passed in the First Year of Your Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for the better Support of Her Majesty's Household and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown and by another Act made and passed in the Second Year of Your Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for granting to Her Majesty an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage for Three Years and for laying a farther Duty upon French Wines condemned as lawful Brandy and for increasing the Values of several Goods imported from the East Indies a farther Subsidy of Tonnage upon all Wines which were to be imported during the Term therein mentioned that is to say One Third Part of such or the like Duties as by the said recited Acts or either of them were imposed upon Wines and one other Subsidy of Poundage of Goods and Merchandises which were to be imported during the Term therein mentioned (that is to say) One Third Part of such or the like several Duties as by the said recited Acts or either of them are imposed upon the same Goods and Merchandises respectively (except as therein is excepted) are already granted to Your Majesty in the Manner therein expressed as by the said several Acts relation being thereunto severally had may more fully appear Now we Your Majesty most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled for the better enabling Your Majesty to carry on the present War and to defray Your other necessary Expenses do cheerfully and unanimously give and grant unto Your most Excellent Majesty six additional Rates Duties and Sums of Money herein after mentioned and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That over and above the Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage above-mentioned and ever and above all other Subsidies additional Duties Impositions and Payments whatsoever by any other Act or Acts of Parliament or otherwise however already due or payable or which ought to be paid to Her Majesty for or upon any Wine Goods or Merchandises whatsoever imported or to be imported there shall be raised levied collected paid and added unto Her Majesty one other Subsidy called Tonnage for and upon all Wines which from and after the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four at any Time or Times within or during the Space of Four Years from thence next and lawfully coming shall be imported or brought into the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed (that is to say) Two Third Parts of such or the like several and respective Duties as by the said Act of the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign were granted and by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign are confirmed and payable for or upon any Kind of Wine or Wines respectively and one other Subsidy called Poundage of all Manner of Goods and Merchandises to be imported or brought into His Majesty's Realm or any His Majesty's Dominions to the same belonging at any Time or Times after the said Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four during the said Term of Four Years by Way of Merchandise (that is to say) Two Third Parts of the like several and respective Duties as by the said Act of the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign were granted and by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign are confirmed and payable for or upon

\* This is Chapter V. in the Common printed Editions.

the same Goods and Merchandises respectively except Tobacco and such Customs as shall be imported in English built Shipping registered according to the Laws now in force and Supra from the English Plantations and such Goods and other Merchandises as by the Two Acts last mentioned or either of them are exempted from Payment of the Subsidies thereby granted

And it is hereby enacted That in all Cases where by the said Two Acts last mentioned or either of them any Drawbacks or Allowances are to be made of the Whole or any Part of the Duties thereby imposed there shall be in the like Cases proportionable Drawbacks and Allowances made of the Whole or Part of the Duties by this Act granted respectively And that the several Subsidies and Duties by this Act granted during the Continuance thereof shall be raised collected levied secured and paid by the same Ways Means and Methods and under such Provisions and Regulations and subject to such Rules and Directions as in and by the said former Acts or any of them are prescribed or appointed touching or concerning the Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage which were thereby granted as aforesaid And that every Article Rule and Clause contained in the said recited Acts or any of them concerning the said Subsidies of Tonnage & Poundage formerly granted as aforesaid and now in force so far forth as the same do or may relate to the Subsidies or Duties formerly granted as aforesaid shall be used executed and put in Practice for the raising levying collecting and answering the Subsidies and Duties hereby before granted as fully and effectually as if the same Articles Rules and Clauses and every of them were again particularly and at large recited and contained in the Body of this present Act except only so much of the said Articles Rules and Clauses touching which other Provisions Alterations or Exceptions are made by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in being which other Provisions Alterations or Exceptions shall be observed with respect to the Duties hereby granted during the Continuance of this Act in the same Manner as they are to be observed with respect to the said Subsidies formerly granted as aforesaid

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers of Her Majesty's Customs or any of them or any of their Clerks or [Subsides] shall not directly or indirectly receive take or demand any Fee Quota or Reward whatsoever from any Her Majesty's Subjects or Aliens for any Entry Warrant Detestation Certificate Consignment or other Matter or Thing to be done or performed by them or any of them in relation only to the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage hereby granted on Pain of forfeiting for every such Offence the Sum of Forty Pounds to wit One Third [aforesaid] to Her Majesty and the other Two Thirds thereof (besides Costs of Suit) to the Party grieved who may sue for the same by Action of Debt or on the Case Bill Bill of Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Ensigne Provision Wager of Law or more than One Imparance shall be allowed

Provided That nothing in this Act shall extend or be construed to extend to charge any Goods or Merchandises chargeable by this Act imported in any Port of England or Wales before the said Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four

Provided nevertheless and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the new or additional Duties imposed by this Act shall not extend to affect such Foreigner Stores as have been sold to the Use of Her Majesty's Navy by Contract with the Navy Board before [the] Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four as a Certificate be given from the Commissioners of the Navy that such Foreigner Stores have been so contracted for by them for Her Majesty's Service as aforesaid and so as the Importer of the same do make Oath before the Commissioners appointed to manage the Customs which Oath they are hereby empowered to administer to the Truth of the said Contract and that he will deliver the said Goods into Her Majesty's Stores pursuant to the Contract so certified by the Commissioners of the Navy

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies arising by the said Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and other the Duties hereby granted as aforesaid (except the necessary Charges of raising and answering the same) shall from time to time be brought and paid into the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer

And that it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person and Persons Native or Foreigner British Subject or Corporation to lend to Her Majesty at the said Receipt upon Credit thereof any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the Whole the Sum of Six hundred thirty six thousand nine hundred fifty seven Pounds Four Shillings and a Half penny And to have and receive for the Performance thereof Interest after the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum to be paid every Three Months from the making of such Loans until Satisfaction of the Principal Sums respectively And that the Monies so to be lent shall not be used or applied to any Tax or Assessment whatsoever

And that every such Lender shall immediately have a Tally of Loans struck for the Money by him lent or then lent and an Order of the same Date for Repayment thereof with such Interest as aforesaid And that all such Orders shall be registered in Course according to their Dates in a Register to be kept by the Auditor of the said Receipt for that Purpose And all Persons on the said Register shall be paid in Course as their Orders shall stand registered so as the Person Native or Foreigner his Executors Administrators or Assignes whose Orders

Except Tobacco and Customs.

II.  
Drawbacks as by the said former Acts,  
and the said Duties to be made as by the said former Acts.

Exemption

III.  
Officers of the Customs, &c. not to take Fees.

Penalty also

IV.  
Proviso for Goods imported before the 8th March 1704.

V.  
Proviso for Foreign Stores sold to the Navy Board, and certified as herein contained.

oath by Importer

VI.  
Duties (excepted) paid into the Exchequer.

VII.  
Clause of Loan for 36,365,700 s. 4d. or Interest at 6% per Cent. per An.

The fee.

VIII.  
Tally of Loans to London.  
Orders for Repayment registered according to Date of Tally and paid in Course

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\* Subsides G.

\* Inserted in the Bill.

Money to come in  
by this Act liable  
to satisfy

No Fee for pro-  
viding Books, &c.  
or for Payment of  
Money lent.

Penalty.  
Forfeiture.  
Trespass by Officer.

Penalty.  
by Deputy.

Penalty.  
Auditor, &c.  
not receiving Pay-  
ment in due Order.

Penalty.  
How Penalties  
recovered.

XX.  
Persons whose  
several Tallies or  
Orders shall be  
made the same Day

X.  
Paying subsequent  
Orders if first  
demanded, in what  
Case no such  
Preference.

XX.  
Orders for Payment  
of Money lent may  
be assigned by  
Indorsement.

Morocco thereof  
without Fee.

Assigning may  
assign.

XXI.  
Appropriation of  
Money lent.

used and applied.

shall be [first registered shall be:] amongst the Person to be first paid out of the Money to come in by this Act And hee or they who shall have his or their Order or Orders sent out shall be taken to be the Second Person to be paid and so in Course And that the Money to come in by the said Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and where the Duties heretofore granted shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the said respective Persons their Executors Administrators or Assignes successively without undue Preference of One before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or divertible to any other Use Intend or Purpose whatsoever And that no Fee Reward or Gracuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesty's [?] for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesty's Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party aggrieved by the [Party?] offending with Treble Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to loose his Place and shall if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either at Point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party grieved and shall be for ever incapable of his Place or Office And if such Preference be unduly made by any his Deputy or Clerks without Direction or Privity of his Master then such Deputy or Clerks only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever after incapable of his Place or Office And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct or the Clerk of the Peils record or the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as above directed then hee or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and Clerks besides offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs as such Master as aforesaid All which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Exorbitant Protection Privilege Wager of Law Injunction or Order of Respite shall be in any wise granted or allowed.

Provided always and be it hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies of Loan or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted as undue Preference which of those hee enter due so as hee enters them all the same Day

PAIDVED also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to incur any Penalty in Point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerks of the Peils record and the Tellers do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand their Monies and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take their Monies and bring their Orders in their Course so as there be no such Money reserved as will suffice previous Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for their Interest upon Loans being to come from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them

AND be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Registry as aforesaid his or their Executors Administrators or Assignes by Indorsement of his Order may assigne or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and an Entry or Memoriall thereof made [made:] in the said Book of Registry which the Officer shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall entitle such Assignee his Executors Administrators Successors and Assignes to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereon And such Assignee may in like Manner assigne againe and so some quotes and afterwards it shall not be as the Power of such Person or Persons who shall make such Assignments to make void release or discharge the same or say the Monies thereby due or any Part thereof

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies which shall be lent to Her Majesty on the Credit of the said Subsidies and Duties by this Act granted and all the Monies which are or shall be lent contracted or advanced to His Majesty upon every or any [other:] Act or Acts of this Session of Parliament for granting any Aid or Supply to His Majesty for carrying on the present Wars and other His Majesties necessary and important Occurrences And so much of the several Taxes and Duties granted in this Session of Parliament for the Purposes aforesaid and charged or chargeable with Loans made or to be made thereupon as shall remain over and above the Monies thereof which are in the first Place to goe and be applied in Repayment and Satisfaction of all the said Loans made or to be made thereupon or upon any of them and the Interest thereof respectively and over and above the Charges to be allowed for raising the said Taxes and Duties respectively shall be appropriated issued and applied and the same are hereby appropriated [for or:] towards the several Uses and Purposes herein after expressed (that is to say)

For or towards the defraying the Charges of the Ordinary of Her Majesties Navy and for Victuals [Vigil?] Wear Tear and other Services of the Navy and the victualing thereof performed and to be performed And for the Sea Service in the Office [of the Ordnance:] performed and to be performed and for or towards the supplying of Ordnance Stores for Sea Service

\* Inserted in the Bill.

\* \* Subjoin, "O & King's Printer Care."

And for and towards the making of a Wharf and Storehouse at Portsmouth.  
 And for paying the Bounty or Reward which Her Majesty shall be pleased to bestow in Consideration of the good Service of those who were on board Her Majesty's Fleet or at Gibraltar or the Time of the late Engagement in the Mediterranean Sea.

And for or towards the Land Services performed and to be performed by the said Office of the Ordnance.  
 And [we'] and for Subsidies Officekeeping and Clerking for One Year from the Three and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four to Her Majesty's Guards and Gentlemen in England and the Dominions thereto belonging (Ireland excepted) and the contingent Charges of the same.  
 And for Payment of Invalids for the said Year beginning from the said Three and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four.

And for or towards the defraying the Charge of Her Majesty's Army and such Forces as are or shall be added thereto in the Low Countries or Germany within or for One Year to be reckoned from the said Three and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four and the contingent Charges thereto belonging.

And for paying the Bounty or Reward which Her Majesty shall be pleased to bestow in Consideration of the good Service performed by Her Land Forces in Germany during the last Summer.

And for or towards the defraying Her Majesty's Part of the Charge of the Forces acting or to act in Conjunction with the [Forces of the'] King of Portugal until or at any Time before the Two and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five and for defraying extraordinary Expenses of the War in the Year One thousand seven hundred and three pursuant to the late Treaty with Portugal.

And for or towards the Payment of Her Majesty's Proportion of the Subsidies due upon Treaties made or to be made with Her Majesty's Allies and other Charges for the Service of the War for any Time before or until the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and [five].

And ['] for or towards the securing the Horses of the [English'] Horse and Dragoons lost at the Battle of Schellenburg and Berchtein.

And for or towards Her Majesty's Proportion of the Levy Money to recruit the Men and Horses of the Footmen in the Pay of Her Majesty and of the States General of the United Provinces of the Netherlands which was lost in the same Battle.

[And'] for or towards discharging of the Penalties and other Charges for circulating the Bills commonly called Exchange Bills.

And for or towards the Charge of Transportation of the Land Forces performed and to be performed.

And for or towards the Charge of raising and maintaining Five thousand additional Forces to enable Her Majesty to supply the like Number of Men to act in Conjunction with the Forces of Her Majesty's [Allies'] to serve with the Fleet.

And for Payment of another Year's Interest after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum for the unsatisfied Debentures charged on the Irish Forfeitures.

And for or towards the Sums to be paid by Her Majesty to the King of France pursuant to the late Treaty made with him for the Support of the Duke of Savoy and to some other Use Intent or Purpose whatsoever.

Provided always That out of the Monies to be used in the Guards or Garrisons as aforesaid there shall and may be taken and applied any Sum not exceeding Eighty seven thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings towards the Charge of maintaining the Soldiers raised and to be raised for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges thereto belonging And out of the Monies to be issued for the Service of the Navy and Sea Services as aforesaid there shall be taken and applied such Sums as together with the said Sum not exceeding Eighty seven thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds and Tens Shillings shall be necessary for the Charge of maintaining the said Soldiers for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges thereto belonging Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

And whereas by the Acts made in ['] Twelfth and Five and twentieth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King Charles the Second the former Intended An Act for the encouraging and increasing of Shipping and Navigation and the latter entitled An Act for the Encouragement of the Greenland and Eastland Trade and for the better securing the Plantation Trade certain Commodities therein enumerated of the Growth Production or Manufacture of any of the English Plantations in America Asia or Africa [we'] obliged to be imported into this Kingdom of England Duration of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed or to some other of the said Plantations under the Securities and Penalties in the said Acts severally mentioned to the End this Kingdom might be made a Staple not only of the Commodities of those Plantations but also of the Commodities of other Countries for supplying there above the making of which Laws several Commodities which are not in the said Acts particularly enumerated such as Rice and Molasses are produced and made in the said Plantations and carried to diverse Foreign Markets in Europe without being first brought into this Kingdoms Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed contrary to the true Intent and Meaning of the aforesaid Laws to the great prejudice of the Trade of this Kingdom and the lowering the Correspondence and Relation between this Kingdom and the aforesaid Plantations For the Prevention whereof for the future be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and five all Rice

XXII.  
 Proviso for  
 Application of  
 205,115 12s.  
 out of Monies  
 for Guards and  
 Gentry, and  
 Navy and Sea  
 Services.

XIV.  
 Recall of the  
 14 Geo. II. c. 24  
 and Stat. 1 Geo. II.  
 c. 7.

Reason for passing  
 this Statute.

Reason why Molasses  
 to be imported is  
 under several Acts.

<sup>1</sup> Inserted on the Roll.

<sup>2</sup> the 2<sup>d</sup>

<sup>3</sup> see 0

and Measures shall be under the Statutes and Provisions enacted to be imposed into the Kingdoms of Wales and Towns of Berwick sheweth as by the foresaid Acts or either of them is provided for the Goods therein particularly mentioned

XV.  
Proviso for Cargo  
imported to the  
West Indies

Provided [always and be it enacted That] nothing in this Act contained or any other Act of Parliament passed this Session shall extend or be construed to extend to charge the Cargo or any of the Goods or Merchandises in the Ships called the *Horn Frigate Willem Morris Maier* thereof (which came from the [West<sup>1</sup>] Indies and was chased into Limerick in Ireland by a French Privateer in the Month of July last and was forced to lie there till lately for want of a Convooy so that she could not arrive at Plymouth until the Sixth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four) with any of the new Duties laid upon any of the said Goods and Merchandises to commence from the First Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four Any thing in this or in any other Act of Parliament [passed this Session] contrary to the contrary thereof in any way notwithstanding

XVI.  
Proviso for  
Raymond Roodey  
and his Executors,  
in respect of certain  
Duties due to the  
Crown.

And whereas Raymond Roodey late of the City of Chester Merchant became indebted to His late Majesty King William of glorious Memory in several Sums of Money for Customs Impositions and other Duties upon Goods imported and carried into several Bonds to His said Majesty with Sureties for Payment of the same And whereas the said Raymond Roodey is since Dead and his Effects not visible in England and his [Sureties<sup>2</sup>] have failed in their Credit and are not able to pay the full Sums for which they were bound respectively engaged last day by the Auditors of Forts to pay some Part of the said Duties to Her Majesty in case a Composition be made with them for the same be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury for the Time being or any Three or more of them at any Time [being<sup>3</sup>] before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six to make such Composition or Agreement as to him or them shall seem reasonable with the respective Surveyors of the said Raymond Roodey their Heirs Executors or Administrators for such Duties as aforesaid And upon Payment of the Money so compounded for to cause the said Surveyors their Heirs Executors and Administrators respectively to be discharged of and from the said Bonds but that the said Raymond Roodey his Heirs Executors and Administrators and every of them shall stand charged and be liable to the Payment of the Money due upon the said Bonds Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any way notwithstanding

#### CHAPTER IV. (\*)

Act for  
the better enabling  
Her Majesty to grant  
the Honour and Manor  
of Woodstock with the  
Shire of Woodstock  
to the Duke of Marlborough  
and his Heirs in Consideration  
of the eminent Services by him  
performed to Her Majesty and the Publick

AN ACT for the better enabling Her Majesty to grant the Honour and Manor of Woodstock with the Shire of Woodstock to the Duke of Marlborough and his Heirs in Consideration of the eminent Services by him performed to Her Majesty and the Publick

Reason for passing  
the Act.

**M**OST gracious Sovereigns Whereas the eminent and unspeakable Services performed to Your Majesty and the Crown of England by the most Noble John Duke of Marlborough are well known not only to Your Majesty and all Your Subjects but to all Europe who will always remember that the Alliance which Your Majesty's Royal Brother King William the Third of glorious Memory had in a little Time before His Death contracted by the Ministry of the said Duke of Marlborough to His (\*) Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the States General of the United Provinces for procuring the Liberties of Europe against the Ambition of France were immediately after Your Majesty's happy Accession to the Throne by the said Duke then employed by Your Majesty in the same Character confirmed and improved and others were contracted whereby the Confederacy which had been dissolved at the End of the last War was reunited in a sister and firmer League And that in the First Year of Your Majesty's Reign the said Duke of Marlborough did so well execute the Command and Orders which he received from Your Majesty as Captain General and Commander in Chief of Your Majesty's Forces that he not only secured and extended the Frontier of Holland by taking the Towns and Fortresses of Venlo Burenmond Steynoven and Liege but was obliged [the Enemy<sup>4</sup>] (who had been at the Gate of Nuremberg) to seek shelter behind their Lines and the next Campaign by taking Ron Hoy and Linchenag added all the Country between the Rhine and the Meuse to the Conquests of the preceding Year And that in the memorable Year One thousand seven hundred and four when Your Majesty was generously pleased to take the Resolution of restoring the Empire from that inhuman Ruine to which by the Defection of the Elector of Bavaria it was exposed the Measures which by Your Majesty's Wisdom and Goodness had been devised and concerted were pursued by the said Duke with the utmost Diligence Secrecy and good Conduct in leading the Forces of Your Majesty and Your Allies by a long and difficult March to the Banks of the Danube where the said Duke immediately upon his Arrival did attack and force the Bavarians (assisted by the French) in their strong Intrenchment at Schlenberg passed the Danube dispossessed the Country of Bavaria and a Second Time sought the Russians who had been reinforced by a Royal Army of the French Kings best Troops commanded by a Marshall of France and on the Second Day of August One thousand seven hundred and four after a bloody Battle at or near Blenheim (although the Enemies had the Advantage of Number and Situation) did gain so absolute and glorious a Victory as is recorded in the History of any Age by which Bavaria being entirely reduced

\* mentioned in the Act.

† See Note D. in King's Printer's Copy.

‡ This is Chapter VI. in the Common printed Edition.

§ Sureties D.

¶ Majesty D.



Barbottan Aubrey, John Moringham and other Imperiall Towns received the Liberty of the Dyne and the Peace of the Empire was restored and London Treves and Trerbach being taken the Warre is carried into the Dominions of France And forasmuch as the happy Archbishops of the said Duke having apparently tended not only to the Honour and Safety of Your Majesty and Your Subjects and of their Possessory but also towards the better Tranquillity of Europe Your Majesties most dutifull and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled [doughtly] themselves obliged in an humble Address to Your Majesty not only to express their great Sense of the most glorious Victories but also humbly to desire Your Majesty that you would be graciously pleased to consider of some proper Means to perpetuate the Memory of such signal Services And Your Majesty having been thereupon pleased to signify Your Intention to grant the Inherent of the Crowne in the Honor and Manors of Woodstock and the Hundred of Wootton to the said Duke and [his] Heires Your Majesty said dutifull and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled duly considering the good and prudent Provisions made by Your Majesty by an Act of Parliament in the First Year of Your Rightie for preserving the Inheritance of severall Revenues of the Crowne and believing that the Settlement of the said Honor Manors and Hundred on the said Duke and his Heires can make no precedent for Cases where there is or shall be less Honor do most humbly cheerfully and unanimously beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent [Majesty] by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spirituall and Temporall and Commons in that present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawfull to and for the Queens most Excellent Majesty by any Letters Patents under the Great Seale of England hereafter to be made to give and grant unto the said John Duke of Marlborough and his Heires and Assignes for ever or to any other Person or Persons to the Use of or in Trust for the said Duke his Heires and Assignes for ever All that the Honor and Manor of Woodstock with the Rightes Members and Appurtenances thereof situate lying and being in the County of Oxon And also that the Hundred of Wootton with the Rightes Members and Appurtenances thereof in the said County of Oxon And all those the Manors or reputed Manors of Hardley Wootton Old Woodstock Harborough Stonesfield Combe and Bladen with the Advowsons of the Rectories Vicarages or Churches of Bladen or Stonesfield and all the Rightes Members and Appurtenances to them or any of them belonging in the County of Oxon aforesaid And all Quain Rents Rents of Ashle Childe Rents Old Rents Two Rents Coppold and Contemary Rents Rent Wodes and all other Rents and yearly Issues and Stows of Money whatsoever to the said Honor Hundred and Manors or reputed Manors every or any of them belonging or in any wise appertaining And alsoe all that denominated Messuage Court-House or Tith with the Appurtenances together with the Sites thereof now or formerly called Woodstock Manor House situate lying and being in the said County of Oxon within the Parish bounds after mentioned And all Houses [Dorchester] Builders Strangers Buildings Barres Stables Out-houses Ouldways Gardens Yards Backsides Courtyards and Cartilages to the same belonging or appertaining consisting by Estimation Three Acres One Rood and Fifteen Perches more or less And alsoe all that Piece or Parcell of Ground with the Appurtenances commonly called or knowne by the Name of Woodstock Park lying and being in the said County of Oxon shewing upon Woodstock Towne on the East upon Bladen Parish towards the South Combe Parish on the West and upon Wootton Parish towards the North containing in the Whole by Estimation One thousand seven hundred thirty three Acres and Two Roods more or less And alsoe all that Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Poldhill containing by Estimation Three Acres and One Rood more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Little Mill Mead containing by Estimation Two Acres and One Rood more or less And alsoe all that Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground now or lately called or knowne by the Name of the Great Mill Mead containing by Estimation Four Acres Two Roods and Thirty seven Perches more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground now or lately called or knowne by the Name of the Middle Mead containing by Estimation Three Acres and Two Roods more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Little Park Mead containing by Estimation Nine Acres and Thirty three Perches more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Yemas Court Mead containing by Estimation Three Acres Three Roods and Nine Perches be the same more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of the Ship-yard containing by Estimation One Acre Two Roods and Three Perches more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Flagstone Mead containing by Estimation Six Acres Three Roods and Twenty four Perches more or less And alsoe all that Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called Marc Moor Mead containing by Estimation Nine Acres more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Strangers Cusome containing by Estimation Twelve Acres and One Rood more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Scottley Cusome containing by Estimation Five Acres and Two Roods more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances to the hundred Mead adjoining and now or lately called or knowne by the Name of the Mill Ground containing by Estimation One Rood more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Combe Cusome containing by Estimation Four Acres more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcell of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Bladen Cusome containing by

The Manors  
granted by Letters  
Patent to grant the  
Honor and Manor  
of Woodstock to  
the Duke of  
Marlborough and  
his Heires.

Descriptions of the  
Premises

<sup>1</sup> inserted on the Roll.

Extention One Acre and Three Rods more or less And all that other Piece or Parcel of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Eight Acres containing by Extention Eleven Acres Two Rods and Twenty four Perches more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcel of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Hetherborough Containing by Extention Five Acres and Two Rods more or less And all that other Piece or Parcel of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of the Fox Wood consisting by Extention Four Acres and Five Perches be the same more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcel of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Rother Wood consisting by Extention Eleven Acres One Rod and Thirty Perches more or less And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcel of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Thielsham consisting by Extention Four Acres Three Rods and Four Perches more or less And alsoe all that Piece and Parcel of Pasture Ground with the Appurtenances to the inclosed Meadow adjoining now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Bayliffe Turrett consisting by Extention Two Rods and Twenty Perches more or less And all that other Piece or Parcel of Pasture Ground with the Appurtenances adjoining to the East Side of the inclosed Piece of Pasture Ground now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Bilbills Hook consisting by Extention One Rod and Ten Perches more or less And alsoe all that Piece or Parcel of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of Rook Wood consisting by Extention Seventeen Acres One Rod and Eight Perches more or less And alsoe all that Piece or Parcel of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of the White Mead containing by Extention Two Acres Three Rods and Nine Perches more or less All which several Pieces and Parcels of Meadow and Pasture Ground before mentioned are situate lying and being within the Walls of the said Parke in the said County of Oxen And alsoe all that other Piece or Parcel of Meadow Ground with the Appurtenances now or lately called or knowne by the Name of the Long Acre lying and being without the said Parke within the Parish of Haden aforesaid consisting by Extention Twenty four Acres One Rod and Thirty Perches more or less And all that Parcel of Land lying in the Parish of Combe in the said County of Oxen called by the Name of Combe [Rye] which were purchased by the late Majesty King Charles the Second from several Persons and do consist in the Whole by Extention Threescore Acres be the same more or less And alsoe all that Messuage Tenement or Lodge with the Appurtenances now or lately called Hengrove Lodge situate and being in the South East Part of the said Parke And alsoe all that other Messuage Tenement or Lodge with the Appurtenances now or lately called Straight Lodge situate and being on the Southwest Part of the said Parke And alsoe all that other Messuage Tenement or Lodge with the Appurtenances now or lately called New Lodge situate and being on the West Part of the said Parke And alsoe all that other Messuage Tenement or Lodge with the Appurtenances now or lately called Correll Lodge situate and being on the North [Side] of the said Parke and all those several Woods and Coppices and the Soyle and Ground of the same commonly called the Kings Woods within the said Honor and Manors of Woodstock hitherto after mentioned (that is to say) all that Wood and Coppice commonly called or knowne by the Name of Mill Wood lying and being in the Parish of Hetherborough in the said County of Oxen consisting by Extention Seventeen Acres and Two Rods more or less And all that Wood and Coppice commonly called or knowne by the Name of Plesley Wood situate lying and being in the Parish of Hetherborough aforesaid consisting by Extention Fourscore and one Acres and Two Rods more or less And all that Wood and Coppice commonly called or knowne by the Name of Woolf Coppice lying and being in the said Parish of Hetherborough consisting by Extention Sixteen Acres more or less And all that Wood and Coppice commonly called or knowne by the Name of Wootton Wood lying and being in the Parish of Wootton in the said County of Oxen containing by Extention Fifty four Acres and Twenty Perches more or less And all that Wood and Coppice called or knowne by the Name of Fensley Wood lying and being within the said Parish of Wootton consisting by Extention Seventeen Acres and Two Rods more or less And all that Wood and Coppice called [and] knowne by the Name of Ambrose Coppice lying and being in the Parish of Stratfield in the said County of Oxen consisting by Extention One hundred thirty one Acres more or less And all the Her Majesties Timber and Tree Wood and Underwood whatsoever now standing growing or being or hereafter to stand or grow severall within or upon the several Woods Coppices and Wood-grounds before mentioned and every or any of them as within or upon the said Parke called Woodstock Parke and within or upon any of the West Grounds belonging to the said Honor and Mannors or within or upon any other of the Premises as to be granted and every or any of them respectively And all singular Her Ma<sup>ties</sup> Messuages Tenements Lands Woods Pastures Meads Fields and Hereditaments whatsoever situate lying being or meeting within the said Parke called Woodstock Parke and in the Towns Villages Hamlets Parishes Precincts or Territories of Old Woodstock Hardley Wootton Haden Hetherborough Combe and Stratfield and every or any of them or within the said Hamlet of Wootton in the said County of Oxen And alsoe all and singular Houses Edifices Buildings Barns Stables Orchards Gardens Yards Ricksheds Cottages And alsoe all Courts Last Courts Bann Hundred Courts and other Courts whatsoever Services Franchises Customes Customs Works Forfeitures Escheats Reliefs Herrens Fines Issues Accretions Perquisites and Profits of the said Courts and Lands and every of them Goods and Chattels of Peasants and Fugitives Persons of themselves Outlawed Persons and of Persons put in Exigent Writs Estrees Docketts Herrens Motes Motes Wides Purgings Lights Tonnages Customs Ground used for Common Waies Waies Ground Rivers Streams Waies Watercourses Waies Dams Stacks Milpokes Hawking Hunting Fallowing Right Royalties Jurisdictions Liberties Priviledges Immunities Profits Commodities Advantages Emoluments Possessions and Possessions whatsoever with these and every of their Appurtenances of what Nature or Quality soever to the said Honor

Honor Park Woods or other the Premises belonging or appertaining or accepted reputed or taken in Part Parcel or Member thereof or which have been usually held exercised or enjoyed therewith or within the same or any Part thereof and such other Franchises as Her Majesty shall think fit to grant by such Letters Patents as are or shall be the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders of all and singular the Premises and as of every or any Part or Parcel thereof dependent or appertaining upon any former Grants Demises or Lease Grants Demises or Leases made of the Premises or of any of them and all the Rents Issues and Profits of the said Honor Manser Parks and other the Premises and of every Part and Parcel thereof and all the Estate Right Title Interest Properties Claims and Demands whatsoever of Her Majesty of into or out of the same To have and to hold the said Honor Hundred Manser Park Woods and other the Premises so to be granted with their and every of their Appertinements to the said John Duke of Marlborough or such Person or Persons as he shall nominate as aforesaid his and their Heirs and Assigns for ever to the only Use and Behoofe or in Trust for the said John Duke of Marlborough his Heirs and Assigns for ever and to no other Use Intent or Purpose whatsoever to be holden of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors as of Her Castle of Windsor in Free and Common Socage by Fealty and rendering to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors on the Second Day of August in every Year for ever at the Castle of Windsor One hundred or Colours with Three Flowers de Luzes painted thereupon for all Manner of Rents Services Executions and Demands whatsoever

Bleedings

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Grants and Clauses to be contained in such Letters Patents as aforesaid for the better conveying and securing of the said Honor Hundred Manser Park Woods and other the Premises to or for the Use or Benefits of the said Duke His Heirs or Assigns as aforesaid shall be and are hereby enacted to be good and effectual in the Law according to the Tenor and Purport thereof in the said Letters Patents to be expressed notwithstanding any Restriction or other Matter or Thing contained in the Act of Parliament made in the First Year of Her Majesty King Charles the Second for the better Support of Her Majesty's Household and of the Honor and Dignity of the Crown and any other Law or Statute or any Manner of Notwithstanding or other Defect in the said Letters Patents hereafter to be made in any wise notwithstanding

II.  
The said Letters  
Patents good in  
Law.

Save to all and every Person and Persons their Heirs Executors and Administrators and to all Bodies Politick and Corporate and their Successors (other than to the Queen Majesty Her Heirs and Successors) all such Right Title Interest Right of Common Office Fees Privileges Properties Profits and Demands whatsoever which they or any of them have or are entitled to have of into within or out of the said Honor Hundred Manser Park Woods and other the Premises or any of them or any Part thereof before the making of this Act as fully and effectually to all Intents and Purposes as if this Act had not been made this Act or any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

III.  
General Saving.

## CHAPTER V. (1)

An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and False Musters and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters

See Part.  
3 Reg. Anne, p. 404.

WHEREAS the raising or keeping a Standing Army within this Kingdom in Time of Peace tends to be with Consent of Parliament is against Law And whereas it is judged necessary by Her Majesty and this present Parliament that the Forces which are now on Foot should be continued and others raised for the Safety of this Kingdom and for the common Defence of the Protestant Religion and for the Preservation of the Liberties of Europe. And whereas no Man may be forsworn of Life or Limb or subjected in Time of Peace to any Kind of Punishment without the Rules by Martial Law or in any other Manner than by the Judgment of his Peers and according to the known and established Laws of this Realm yet nevertheless it being requisite for the raising such Forces in their Duty that an exact Discipline be observed and that Soldiers who shall mutiny or stir up Sedition or shall desert Her Majesty's Service within the Realm or the Kingdoms of Ireland be brought to a more exemplary and speedy Punishment than the usual Forms of the Law will allow be it therefore enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Four and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four every Person being in Her Majesty's Service in the Army and being mustered and to Pay as an Officer or Souldier and to Pay as a Soldier according to the Directions of an Act passed in this Session of Parliament intituled An Act for the better regulating His Majesty's Land Forces and the Marines for the Year One thousand seven hundred and five who shall at any Time before the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six within this Realm either cause or procure in any Mutiny or Sedition in the Army or desert Her Majesty's Service in the Army shall suffer Death or such other Punishment as by a Court Martial shall be inflicted or being a Soldier actually sent in any Regiment Troop or Company shall be himself into any other Regiment Troop or Company without a Discharge produced in Writing from the Captain or the Officer commanding the Troop or Company in which he has served as a Souldier shall suffer Death or such other Punishment as by a Court Martial shall be inflicted

Enjoining on keeping  
a standing Army  
in Peace, without  
Consent of Parlia-  
ment, against Law,  
Penalty for passing  
this Act.Stat. 4 & 5 Ann  
c. 19Officer or Soldier  
mutinying,  
stirring Sedition,  
or deserting  
Penalties.

1 This is Chapter XVI. in the Common printed Editions.

- III.** *Persons to assemble Courts Martial.* And it is hereby further enacted and declared That Her Majesties by Warrants under Her [Royal<sup>ty</sup>] Sign Manual or the General of Her Army for the Time being by Warrants under his Hand and Seals may by virtue of this Act have full Power and Authority to grant Commissions to any General Lieutenant General or other Officer (not under the Degree of a Field Officer\*) or Commander in Chief of a Garrison from time to time to call and assemble Courts Martial for punishing such Offenders as aforesaid.
- III.** *Number of Officers composing Courts Martial.* And it is hereby further enacted and declared That no Court Martial which shall have Power to inflict any Punishment by virtue of this Act for the Offences aforesaid shall consist of fewer than Thirteen whereof none to be under the Degree of a Colonel Officer and the President of such Court Martial not to be under the Degree of a Field Officer or the then Commander in Chief of the Garrison where the Offender shall be tried.
- IV.** *Field Officers to be tried only by Field Officers.* *Court may examine on Oath.* *Persons for military Process. See a Right, c. 1 p.* PROVIDED (\*) That no Field Officer shall be tried by any Officer under the Degree of a Captain and that such Court Martial shall have Power and Authority to administer an Oath to any Witness in order to the Examination or Tryall of the Offences aforesaid.
- V.** *Persons for military Process. See a Right, c. 1 p.* PROVIDED also That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to exempt any Officer or Soldier whatsoever from the ordinary Process of Law except in such Cases as are particularly provided for in an Act of this present Session of Parliament intitled An Act for the better securing His Majesties Land Forces and the Marines for the Year One thousand seven hundred and five.
- VI.** *Persons for Military.* PROVIDED likewise That this Act or any therein contained shall not extend or be any waies construed to extend to condemn any of the Militia Forces of this Kingdom.
- VII.** *On Trial of Offences punishable with Death, Mortality to take an Oath.* PROVIDED always and be it enacted That in all Tryalls of Offenders by [Court<sup>ty</sup>] Martial to be held by virtue of this Act where the Offence may be punished by Death every Officer present at such Tryall before any Proceeding to be had thereupon shall take an Oath upon the Holy Evangelists before the Court and the next Asses of the Peace Judge Advocate or his Deputie or One of them (who are hereby authorized to administer the same) in these Words that is to say
- Y**OU shall well and truly try and determine according to your Evidence in the Matter now before you between our Sovereign Lady the Queen Ma<sup>ty</sup> and the Prisoner to be tried. So help you GOD
- VIII.** *What Number of Witnesses to be given when Sentence of Death pronounced.* And now Sentence of Death shall be given against any Offender in such Case by any Court Martial save Nine Officers present shall concern therein and if there be a greater Number of Officers present then the Judgement shall pass by the Consensus of the greater Part of them so sworn which major Part shall not be less than Nine and not otherwise And now Proceeding Tryall or Sentence of Death shall be had or given against any Offender but between the House of Eagle in the Morning and One in the Afternoon.
- IX.** *Giving false Certificates for Absence of Soldiers.* *Penalty eight, and Punishment.* *Condemnation of Masters in cases on Roll Reasons of Absence of Men.* And for preventing of Fraud and Deceit in mustering of Soldiers be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person shall make or give or procure to be made or given any false or untrue Certificate whereby to excuse any Soldier for his Absence from any Muster or other Service which has ought to attend or perform upon a Presence of Sicknes or being implead as Recruits or upon Parties that then every such Person so making giving or procuring such Certificate shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Fifty Pounds and shall be forthwith captured and be displaced from such his Office and shall be [forfeited<sup>ly</sup>] utterly disabled to have or hold any Military Office or Employment within this Realm or in His Majesties Service and not Confined shall excuse the Absence of any Soldier but for the Reasons above mentioned or one of them And the Clerks of the Musters in hereby directed to set down on the Roll at the Time of taking the Muster the Reasons of the Absence of each Soldier respectively.
- X.** *Making false Muster or allowing Muster Roll thereof.* *Challenged, Doubtful, and Penalty affixed.* And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Officer that shall make any false or untrue Muster of Men or Horse and every Constable Master Muster [or<sup>ly</sup>] other Officer who shall wilfully or willingly allow or sign the Muster Roll wherein such false Muster is contained or any Duplicate thereof upon [Fraud thereof upon<sup>ly</sup>] Oath made by Two Witnesses before a Court Martial to be thereupon called (which is hereby authorized and required to administer such Oath) shall for such Offence be forthwith captured and displaced from such chief Office and shall be thereby utterly disabled to have or hold any Civil or Military Office or Employment within the Kingdom or in His Ma<sup>ty</sup> Service and shall likewise forfeit One hundred Pounds.
- XI.** *Condemnation, Acc. to give Notice of Muster to Mayors, who is to be given.* *Decharged, and Penalty affixed. No Muster Roll allowed not signed by Mayor.* And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Constable or Master Muster upon any Muster to be made had or taken by him or them shall by a convenient Time before such Muster made give Notice to the Mayor or other Chief Magistrate or Officer of the Place where the Soldiers so to be mustered shall be quartered who is hereby required to be present at every such Muster and give his utmost Assistance for the discovering any false or untrue Muster there made or offered to be made and that every such Constable or Master Muster making or taking such Muster shall neglect to give such Notice as aforesaid or shall refuse to take the Aid and Assistance of such Mayor Chief Magistrate or Officer where the Soldier so to be mustered shall be quartered shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds and be discharged from his Office and no Muster Roll shall be allowed unless the same be signed by the said Mayor other Chief Magistrate or Officer respectively.

\* mentioned on the Roll.

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\* Courts O.

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And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person shall be falsely mustered or offer Mustered falsely or deceitfully to be mustered every such Person upon Proof thereof made upon Oath by Two Witnesses before the next Justice of the Peace of the County where such Muster shall be made and every such Person so falsely mustered or offered to be falsely mustered upon Certificate thereof in Writing under the Hand of the Commandant of the Marches or Chief Magistrate as aforesaid made to such Justice of the Peace the said Justice is thereupon and is lawfully authorized and required to commit such Offender to the House of Correction there to remain for the Space of Three Months And such Offender from the Time of such false Muster shall to all Intents and Purposes be taken to be a hired Soldier and shall not be discharged but by the Consent of the said Regiment by Writing under his Hand And if any Person shall wilfully or willingly lend or furnish a Horse or mares which shall not truly belong to the Trooper or Troop so mustered the said Horse so falsely mustered shall be forfeited to the interest of the same debt being to the Person lending or furnishing the said Horse or otherwise the Person lending or furnishing the said Horse shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds upon Oath made by Two Witnesses before the next Justice of the Peace

And be it also further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Forfeiture shall be so such Person or Persons that shall inform immediately to be paid out of the Assets of such Officers pay as shall knowingly so offend upon Conviction before the Court Martial by Order of the said Court to the Paymaster if such Officer so offending shall have any Arrears And if there shall be no Arrears the Court Martial shall immediately give Orders to seize the Goods of such Officer so offending and sell them for Payment of such Forfeiture to the Informer sending the Overplus to the Owner And if such Officer so offending shall have no Goods then he shall be sent to the Common Gaols there to remain without Bail or Mainprize for the Space of Six Months And the said Court Martial is lawfully obliged to discharge such Informer if a Soldier from any further Service if he shall demand the same

And be it further enacted That if any Paymaster Agent or Clerk of any Regiment Troop or Company shall wilfully detain or withhold by the Space of One Month the Pay of any Officer or Soldier (Clothes and all other pay Allowances being deducted) after such Pay shall be by him or them received or if any Officers having received their Soldiers Pay shall refuse to pay each respective Non Commissioned Officer and Soldier their respective Pay when it shall become due at the Rate of Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence a Week for each Corporal of Light Horse Fourteen Shillings a Week for each Troopmaster and Private Trooper Eight Shillings and Two Pence a Week for each Dragoon Seven Shillings a Week for each Sergeant Five Shillings a Week to each Corporal and Drummer and Four Shillings a Week to each Private Soldier of Her Majesty's ("Two") Regiments of Foot Guards and Six Shillings a Week to each Sergeant Four Shillings and Six Pence a Week to each Corporal and Drummer and Three Shillings a Week to each Foot Soldier of the Army And also one and above the said Six Shillings a Week to each Sergeant and Four Shillings and Six Pence to each Corporal and Drummer and Three Shillings a Week to each Foot Soldier at the End of every Two Months shall account for One Shilling a Week to each Sergeant and Two Pence a Week to each Corporal and Drummer and Six Pence a Week to each Foot Soldier of the said Army the said One Shilling per Week Two Pence per Week and Six Pence per Week being the Remainder of the Subsidance of each Sergeant Corporal Drummer and Foot Soldier that upon Proof thereof before a Court Martial is aforesaid every such Paymaster Agent Clerk and Officer so offending shall be discharged from his Employment and shall further to the Informer upon Conviction before the said Court Martial One hundred Pounds to be levied as aforesaid and shall be strictly disabled to have or hold any Civil Office or Employment within this Kingdom or in Her Majesty's Service And the Informer if a Soldier if he demand it shall be and is lawfully discharged any further Service Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And for the better Execution hereof and that true and regular Accounts may be kept and rendered by the Agents of the several Regiments and independent Troops and Companies in all Things relating to the Accounts of the said Regiments Troops and Companies the said Agents are hereby directed and required to observe such Orders and Directions as shall from time to time be given by Her Majesty under Her Signet Manual or by the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being And if any Agent shall refuse or neglect to observe and comply with such Orders & Directions he shall be discharged from his Office and thereby be strictly disabled of being employed in Her Majesty's Service

And it is hereby enacted That the Commanding Officers of every Troop or Company at the Time of Muster shall bring a Certificate signed of the Names of such Persons as are sick or employed in raising or recruiting or upon Parole And if such Certificate passes false upon Conviction thereof before a Court Martial the Officer signing such Certificate shall suffer such Penalties and in such Manner as is declared and inflicted by this Act upon those that shall make false Masters And the Commandant of the Muster is lawfully directed to insert in the Muster roll as to the Muster Roll the Place where and precise Day when every Muster Roll is taken

And it is hereby further enacted That if any Officer shall muster any Person that is [a Servant] allowed by Her Majesty in any of the Ranks or shall muster any Person by a wrong Name knowingly upon Conviction thereof before a Court Martial the said Officer or Commandant shall suffer such Penalties and in such Manner as is declared and inflicted by this Act upon those that [shall] make false Masters

XII.  
Person offering to be falsely mustered.

Condemned.

committed to House of Correction.

Leading Horses to muster are belonging to Troop.

Penalty £20.

XIII.  
Prisoners here paid and distributed.  
Goods of Officer, to what Court must be.

Employment.  
Soldier informing may be discharged.

XIV.  
Paymaster, Agent, or Clerk, detaining Pay or Allowance.  
Officer refusing to pay Soldier the several Ranks become necessary.

Penalty of fine and Imprisonment.

Soldier informing may be discharged.

XV.  
Agents to observe Orders under the Sign Manual, or from the Treasury.

Loss of Office and Employment.

XVI.  
Commander to bring in Muster Certificate of Absence.  
Serving false Certificate.  
Penalties.

XVII.  
Officer mustering Servants, &c.  
Penalties.

\* inserted in the Roll

\* Cl. 1704.

**XVIII.**  
Recital of Petition  
of Right, 1 Car. 1  
and of Stat.  
21 Geo. II. c. 1.

Contraband, by  
any Person or Persons  
quartermasters and  
soldiers, &c.

Not to be more  
than one  
Soldier  
Quartermaster or  
Soldier in Private  
Houses without  
Consent of Owner,  
Breadly,  
Military Officer  
(Quartermaster,  
&c.).

Provision.

**XIX.**  
Justices of Peace  
to assess the Rates  
of Quarters.

**XX.**  
Officers taking  
Money for quartering  
Persons, &c.  
Provision.

**XXI.**  
Paymaster,  
Secretary of War,  
&c. not to take  
Money or deduct  
from Pay,  
Exception.

**XXII.**  
Treasury may  
pay Two Months  
and Money for  
Clothing, and  
Paymaster to pay  
the same in three  
months.

And whereas by the Petition of Right in [the'] Third Year of King Charles the First it is enacted and declared That the People of this Land are not by the Laws to be burthened with the quartering of Soldiers against their Wills And by a Clause in One Act of Parliament made in the One and thirtieth Year of the Reigne of King Charles the Second for granting a Supply to His Majestie of Two hundred and six thousand four hundred and sixty two Pounds Sevenpence Shillings and Three Pence for paying and disbursing the Forces it is declared and enacted That no Officer Civil or Military nor other Person whatsoever should from thenceforth presume to place quarter or billet any Soldier or Soldiers upon any Subject or Inhabitant of this Realme of any Degree Quality or Profession whatsoever without his Consent And that it shall and may be lawfull for any [such'] Subject to refuse to quarter any Soldier or Soldiers notwithstanding any Command or Warrant or Bidding whatsoever But inasmuch as at this Time and during the Continuance of this Act there is and may be Occasion for the marching and quartering many Regiments Troops and Companies in several Parts of this Kingdom be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for and during the Continuance of this Act and soe long as it shall and may be lawfull for the Constables Tythingmen Headboroughs and other Chief Officers and Magistrates of Cities Townes and Villages and other Places in the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Townes of Berwick upon Tweed and for soe others to quarter and billet the Officers and Soldiers in Her Majesties Service in Inns Livery Stables Alehouses Victualling Houses and all Houses selling Brandy Strong Waters Cyder or Mebeggin by Retail to be drunk in their Houses other than and except the House or Houses of any Drapiers who keep Houses or Places of distilling Brandy or strong Waters and the House of any Shopkeeper whose Principall Dealings shall be made in other Goods and Merchandises than in Brandy and Strong Waters who do not permit or suffer Tying in his or their Houses and no other and in no Private House whatsoever nor shall any more Billots at any Time be collected than there are effective Soldiers present to be quartered And if any Constable Tythingman or such like Officer or Magistrate or aforesaid shall presume to quarter or billet any such Officer or Soldier in any Private House without the Consent of the Owner or Occupier in such Case such Owner or Occupier shall have his or their Remedy at Law against such Magistrate or Officer for the Damage that such Owner or Occupier shall sustain thereby And if any Military Officer shall take upon him to quarter Soldiers otherwise than is provided and allowed by this Act or shall see or offer any Member or Compulsion to or upon any Mayor Constable or other Civil Officers before mentioned tending to deter or discourage any of them from performing any Part of their Duty lawfully required or appointed such Military Officer shall for every such Offence being thereof convicted before any Two or more Justices of the Peace now adjourning by the Oath of Two credible Witnesses and the said Justices Certificate thereof to the Judge Advocate who is lawfully obliged to certify the same to the next Court Martial upon each Certificate be deemed and taken to be *quo facto* confirmed and shall be lawfully disabled to have or hold any Military Employment within this Kingdom or in Her Majesties Service

Provided notwithstanding and it is hereby enacted That the Officers and Soldiers soe quartered and billeted as aforesaid shall pay such reasonable Prices as shall be appointed from time to time by the Justices of the Peace in their General or Quarter Sessions of each County City Division or Place within their respective Jurisdictions And the Justices of the Peace aforesaid are hereby empowered and required to act and appoint in their General or Quarter Sessions aforesaid such reasonable Rates for all necessary Provisions for such Officers and Soldiers for One or more Nights in their marching through their Cities Townes Villages and other Places as shall be appointed for their Residence or Quarters

Provided always and be it enacted That if any Officer shall take or cause to be taken or knowingly suffer to be taken any Money of any Person for causing the quartering of Officers or Soldiers or any of them in any House allowed by this Act every such Officer shall be punished and made incapable of serving in any Military Employment whatsoever

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four no Paymaster General or Paymaster of the Army Secretary at War Comptroller or Master Manner or any other Officer whatsoever or their Under Officers shall receive any fine or make any Deduction whatsoever out of the Pay of any Officer or Soldier in Her Majesties Army or their Agents which shall grow due from and after the said Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four other than the usual Deductions for Clothing and the Twelve Pence in the Pound to be disposed as Her Majestie shall think fit and the One Dime Pay in the Year for the Use of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea

And for the Encouragement of the due and well Clothing of the Army be it hereby further enacted That the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being may if he or they see convenient at the End of every Two Months issue the Money due for Clothing to the several Regiments Troops and Companies notwithstanding the Master Rolls have not been duly returned And the respective Paymasters are hereby directed to make Deductions [of] all the Offallowings and to pay the same to such Person or Persons only as have a regular Assignment for Cloths by him or them delivered to the said Regiment Troop or Company and the Receipt of such Person or Persons having or being lawfully entrusted to such Assignments to be from time to time taken

for the same And when such Assignments appear the Officers/Clarks to return in the Hands of the said Paymasters respectively for the Use of the Regiment Troop or Company until a new Contract for Clothing and Assignment is made

And to the End the Publick may be secured of such Deductions as are to be made for Arrears or other Stores or Accommodations delivered out of the Ordnance as for victualling and Transportation be it hereby further enacted That at the Time of delivering such Arrears Stores or Accommodations or providing and furnishing such Provisions and Transportation or in Three Days after there shall be delivered unto the Officer then commanding in Chief a Charge of such Arrears Stores Accommodations Provisions Transportation and other Deductions and the same Charge shall be transmitted in One Month to such Pay Master under whose Care the Payment of those Forces are and also to the Comptrolers of the Accounts of the Army in order that timely Deductions be made for the same

And that the Quarters both of Officers and Soldiers may hereafter be duly paid and satisfied Her Majesties Duty of Exchequer be better answered be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four every Officer to whom it belongs to receive or that does actually receive the Pay or Subsistence Money either for a whole Regiment or particular Troops or Companies or otherwise shall immediately upon such Receipt of every particular Sum which shall from time to time be paid returned or come to his or their Hands on account of Pay or Subsistence give Publick Notice thereof to all Persons keeping Inns or other Places where Officers and Soldiers are quartered by virtue of this Act and shall also apprise the said Innkeepers and others to repair to their Quarters at such Times as they shall appoint for the Distribution and [Payment] of the said Pay or Subsistence Money to the Officers or Soldiers which shall be within Four Days in the farthest after the Receipt of the same as aforesaid And the said Innkeepers and others shall then and there acquaint such Officer or Officers with the Accounts or Debts (if any shall be) between them and the Officers and Soldiers so quartered as their respective Houses which Accounts the said Officer or Officers are lawfully required to accept of and immediately pay the same before any Part of the said Pay or Subsistence be distributed either to the Officers or Soldiers Provided that such Accounts exceed not for a Commission Officer (of Horse) being under the Degree of a Captain for such Officers Drums and Small Boats per Diem Two Shillings Nor for One Commission Officer of Dragoons being under the Degree of a Captain for such Officers Drums and Small Boats per Diem One Shilling Nor for One Commission Officer of Foot under the Degree of a Captain for such Officers Drums and Small Boats per Diem One Shilling And if such Officer shall have Horse or Horses for such each Horse or Horses per Diem Six Pence Nor for One Light Horseman Drums and Small Boats per Diem One Shilling Nor for One Dragoon Drums and Small Boats per Diem Six Pence Nor for One Foot Soldier Drums and Small Boats per Diem Four Pence And if any Officer or Officers as aforesaid shall not give Notice as aforesaid and shall not immediately upon producing such Accounts attend suitable consent and pay the same upon Complaints and Oaths made thereof by any Two Witnesses at the next Quarter Sessions for the County or City where such Quarters were (which Oath the Justices of the Peace at such Sessions are hereby required and authorized to administer) the Pay Master or Pay Masters of Her Majesties Forces are hereby required and authorized (upon Certificate of the said Justices before whom such Oath was made of the Sums due upon such Accounts and the Persons to whom the same is owing) to satisfy and pay the said Sums out of the Arrears due to the said Officer or Officers upon Penalty that such Pay-Masters or Paymasters shall forfeit & lose their respective Places or Places of Pay-Master or Pay-Masters and be disabled from holding the same for the future And in case there shall be no Arrears due to the said Officer or Officers then the said Pay-Master or Pay-Masters are hereby required and authorized to deduct the Sums he or they shall pay pursuant to the Certificate of the said Justices out of the next Pay or Subsistence Money of the Regiment to which such Officer or Officers shall belong And such Officer or Officers shall for each their Offences or for neglecting to give Notice of the Receipt of such Pay or Subsistence Money as aforesaid be deemed and taken and are hereby declared ipso facto cashiered

And when it shall happen that the Subsistence Money due to any Officer or Soldier shall (by reason of any Accident) not be paid to such Officer or Soldier or such Officer or Soldier shall neglect to pay the same so that the Quarters cannot be or are not paid as this Act directs And where any Horse Foot or Dragoons shall be upon their March so that no Subsistence can at present be credited unto them to make Payment as this Act directs as they shall neglect to pay the same in every such Case it is hereby further enacted that every such Officer shall before his or their Departure out of his or their Quarters where such Regiment Troop or Company shall remain for any Time whatsoever make up the Accounts as this Act directs with every Person with whom such Regiment Troop or Company shall have quartered before he leave that Quarter and give the said Certificate so by him signed to the Party to whom such Money is due with the Name of such Regiment Troop or Company to which he or they shall belong to the End the said Certificate may be forthwith transmitted to the Pay Master or Paymasters of Her Majesties Army who is or are hereby required immediately to make Payment thereof to the Person or Persons to whom such Money shall be due to the End the same may be applied to such Regiment Troop or Company respectively under pain as is before in this Act directed for the Nonpayment of Quarters

XXIII.  
Oath-taking.  
In a Charge  
General to be  
delivered to Officer  
commanding in  
Chief, as he  
is presented to  
Paymaster.

XXIV.  
Officer receiving  
Pay in part Notice  
thereof to Inn-  
keepers, and  
appoint them to  
attend.

Inchepier Com-  
mission to inspect  
such Officer with  
the Account of  
Debts, &c.

Amount of  
Account allowed.

Officer not giving  
Notice, and so  
paying Account.

Paymaster, upon  
Certificate, to pay  
into usual Account.

Penalty.

If in Arrears, then  
Paymaster to  
deduct out of next  
Pay.

Cashiered.

XXV.  
In what Case  
Officer before  
Departure to pay  
his Quarters, and  
attend.

Certificate  
transmitted to  
Paymaster of the  
Army, who are  
to pay accordingly.

XXV.  
Master is Warrant-  
master, &c. in  
Presence of Justice.

Also be it further enacted That no Constable shall execute any Process within the City of Westminster and Borough of Southwark and Liberties thereof but in the Presence of Two Justices of the Peace not being Officers of the Army under the before mentioned Penalty

XXVI.  
Army, for which the Act, is to  
satisfy and  
paying.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall be construed to extend to the Militia of Jersey and Guernsey as to the Clauses therein for muzzling and piping and the Penalties therein

XXVIII.  
Clashes, &c. to  
be brought in  
England.  
Parliament.

Parliament doles and be it further enacted That all Clashes Armes and Accoutrements of Warre belonging to the Horse Foot and Dragoon in Her Majesties Pay and Service who receive English Pay shall be bought in the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed and not elsewhere and every Officer or Person who shall offend herein upon Proof made in this Behalf shall be punished.

XXIX.  
Master Master is  
return a Roll of  
Master to Pay  
Master General.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Comptroller General of the Munition or his Deputy shall upon every Muster taken by him or them respectively of any Regiment Troop or Company in Her Majesties Service close the Muster Rolls of the said Regiment Troop or Company upon the Place the same Day the said Muster is taken and shall remove One of every of the said Rolls so taken in Parchment to the Pay Master General of Her Majesties Forces or to such Pay Master respectively under whose Care the Payment of the Army shall be and One of the said Rolls so taken to the Comptroller or Comptrollers of the Accounts of the Army the next Day after the said Rolls shall be respectively closed if in London or within Twenty Miles distant from the same and if at [s<sup>t</sup>] further Distance by the next Post after the said Rolls shall be so respectively closed and no Abatement or Indemnity shall be made in or upon the said Muster Rolls other than in case of Orders of Leave or Dates of Commission upon Petre of fulfilling their respective Employments and the same of Twenty Pounds to any Person that will sue for the same for every such Officer

Penalty also

XXX.  
Journals may order  
Constables to give  
into Carriages.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid for the better and more regular Provision of Carriage for Her Majesties Forces in their Marches in this Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed That all Justices of the Peace within their several Countys Ridings Divisions and Liberties being duly required thereunto by an Order from Her Majesty or His Royal Highness Prince George Hanoverian of Denmark shall as often as such Order is brought and sheweth unto One or more of them (by the Quartermaster Agent or other Officer of the Regiment Detachment Troop or Company then marching) leave out his or their Warrants to the Constables or Petty Constables of the Division Riding Liberty or Hundred next adjacent requiring them to make such Provision of Carriages as is mentioned in the said Warrant allowing them sufficient Time [Time] to do the same that the neighbouring Fairs may not thereby lose the Business And the aforesaid Officer or Officers who by virtue of the aforesaid Warrant from the Justices of the Peace are to demand the Carriage or Carriages therein mentioned of the Constable to whom the Warrant is directed is and are hereby required as the said Time to pay down in Hand to the said Constable the Sum of Eight Pence for every Mile any Waggon with Five Horses shall travel and the Sum of Six Pence for every Mile any Cart with Four Horses shall travel and so in Proportion for lesser Carriages And if any Military Officer or Officers for the Use of whose Troop or Company the Carriage was provided shall force and contraine any Waggon Wain Cart or Carriage to travel more than One Days Journey or shall not discharge the same in due Time for their returne Home or shall sell or commit to hire or their Soldiers or Servants (except such who are sick or wounded) or any Woman to ride in the Waggon Wain Cart or Carriage aforesaid or shall force any Constable or Petty Constable by threatening or menacing Words to provide Saddle Horses for themselves or Servants or shall force Horses from the Owners by themselves Servants or Soldiers every such Officer shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds Proof thereof being made upon Oath before Two of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace of the same County or Riding who are to certify the same to the Pay-master General or other respective Paymaster of Her Majesties Forces who is hereby required to pay the aforesaid Sum of Five Pounds according to the Order and Appointment under the Hands and Seals of the aforesaid Justice of the Peace of the same County or Riding who are hereby empowered to deduct the same out of such Officers Pay

Rates of Carriage  
to be paid down.

Officer being  
Carriage so travel  
any far, or riding  
Soldiers, &c. to  
sell, or forcing  
Persons to provide  
Saddle Horses, &c.

Penalty &c.

Certified by  
Justices.

XXXI.  
Officers quartering  
Wives, &c.

Also whereas great Abuses are frequently committed by the Liberty taken by some Officers and Soldiers to quarter their Wives Children and Maid Servants in their Quarters contrary to the Purport & Meaning of this Act be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Officer Military or Civil by this Act authorized to quarter Soldiers in any Houses hereby appointed for that Purpose shall at any Time during the Continuance of this Act quarter any of the Wives Children or Maid Servants of Officer or Soldier in any such Houses against the Consent of the Owners the Party offending if Officer or Soldier of the Army shall upon Complaint and Proof thereof made to the Commander in Chief of the Army or Judge Advocate be upon Oath punished And if a Constable Tythingman or other Civil Officer be upon Oath proved the Party against the same of Twenty Shillings upon Complaint and Proof thereof made to the next Justice of Peace of the Place to be levied by Warrant of [justi<sup>c</sup>] Justice by Distress and Sale of his Goods meeting the Overplus to the Party after the Deduction of reasonable Charges in making the same

If Officer or Soldier  
quarterd,  
If Constable, &c.  
Penalty too



Also inasmuch as the Game has of late Years been very much destroyed by the Officers and Soldiers in or near such Places as they have been granted to be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if from and after the said Year and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four any Officer or Soldier shall without Leave of the Lord of the Manors under his Hand and Seale first had and shewn take kill and carry away any Hare Coney Pheasant Partridge Pilgosa or any other Sort of Fowl Poultry or Fish or His Majesties Jewels any Hare Coney Pheasant Partridge Pilgosa or any other Sort of Fowl Poultry or Fish or His Majesties Jewels within the Kingdom of England and Dominion of Wales and Towne of Bererick upon Towed and upon Coast thereof shall be upon Oath of One or more Witnesses convicted before any Justice or Justices of the Peace who is and are lawfully empowered and authorized to hear and determine the same (that is to say) every Officer so offending shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds to be distributed among the Poor of the Place where such Offence shall be committed And every Officer commanding in Chiefe amongst the said Places for every such Offence committed by any Soldier under his Command shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Shillings to be paid and distributed in the Manner aforesaid And if upon such Conviction made by the Justices of the Peace and Demand thereof also made by the Constable or Overseer of the Poor such Officer shall refuse or neglect and not within Two Days pay the said respective Penalties such Officer so refusing or neglecting shall forfeit and is hereby declared to have forfeited his Commission and his Commission is hereby declared null and void

Also be it enacted That there shall be an exact Account of all Moneys due according to the Muster Rolls to every Regiment in Her Majesties Service made between the Paymaster General or other respective Paymaster of the Army for the Time being and the Colliell of every such Regiment or the Agent by such Colliell respectively appointed & authorized to receive the Pay thereof from time to time (that is to say) when Four Months become due an Account shall be made as aforesaid for the Two preceding Months And after the said Account shall be made up and perfected it shall be registered in a Book to be kept for that Purpose in the Pay Office and there subscribed by such Paymaster General or other respective Paymaster as his Deputy and the Colliell or Agent of the Regiment who together with the said Paymaster made up the same and a Discharge thereof by them respectively signed shall be given to the said Colliell or Agent without any Fee or Reward to be paid for the same which Colliell or Agent shall deliver to such Captain of the Regiment as Account of so much thereof as respectively appertaineth to him and be Troops or Company and the respective Officers and Soldiers thereof and the Balance which shall remain upon making up of every such Account as aforesaid and show all other Moneys [so shall then become due to every such Regiment] shall be by the said Paymaster General or other respective Paymaster paid to the said Colliell or Agent respectively at such Time in Her Majesties shall direct And the Paymaster General or other respective Paymaster for the Time being offending herein shall lose and forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of One hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons who shall sue for the same in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record And if any Deputy of the said Paymaster or any Agent of a Regiment shall offend in the Premises upon Proof thereof made such Deputy or Agent shall forfeit lose his Place and be incapable of that or any other Office for the future and [shall] be liable to pay the Sum of Two hundred Pounds to any Person who [shall] inform or sue for the same by Action Bill Suit or Information in any Court of Record at Westminster wherein no Ensigne Prisoner Wage of Law or more than one Imparance shall be allowed And if any Colliell of a Regiment shall offend therein such Colliell shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of One hundred Pounds to any Person or Persons who will sue for the same to be recovered as aforesaid

Provision also that if any Person shall harbour contrive or assist any Deserter from Her Majesties Service knowing him to be such or shall knowingly buy or exchange or otherwise receive any Armes Cloths Caps or other Furniture belonging to the Queen from any Deserter upon any Account or Pretence whatsoever or cause the Colours of such Cloths to be changed the Person so offending shall forfeit for every such Offence Five Pounds and being convicted thereof in the General or Quarter Sessions the same shall be levied by Distress by Warrant under the Hands of Two or more Justices of the Peace upon the Goods and Chattels of such Offender the one Moiety thereof to be paid to the Informer by whose Means such Deserter shall be apprehended and the other [Moiety] to the Officer to whom such Deserter did belong And if any Person so prosecuted for harbouring or concealing or assisting a Deserter or for buying exchanging exchanging or receiving Armes Cloths Caps or other Furniture shall be found Not Guilty he shall recover Treble Costs to be recovered in such Manner as Costs in any other Case where by the Law Costs are given to Defendants

Provided and it is hereby declared That no Person or Persons inhabiting or that shall inhabit in Eleutheria in the County of Surrey or in any other Place where any Moholam Women are shall be liable by virtue of this Act to have any Soldier or Soldiers billeted or quartered on him her or them for or by reason of his her or their lodging or receiving such Persons only who shall resort to such respective Places for the Benefit of the said Women or the Ale or keeping their Houses as Ale or selling Beer or Ale or Victuals in their Houses to such Persons only

Also inasmuch as there is not any officiali Burthen made for the Government of Her Majesties Land Forces out of the Revenue of England and Ireland be it further enacted and declared That if any Officer or Soldier in Her Majesties Army shall either upon Land out of England or upon the Sea hold Correspondence

XXXII.  
Officer or Soldier  
disobeying the  
Queen

Penalty on Officer  
£10  
and on Corresponding  
Officer, for every  
Soldier ten.

Penalty on paid,  
Finesman

XXXIII.  
How Accounts are  
to be kept between  
Paymaster of the  
Army and Colliell  
of every Regiment.  
See

Penalty on  
offending, Penalty on  
Army

Colliell offending,  
Penalty on  
Army

XXXIV.  
Harbouring, &c.  
Deserter, &c.

Penalty on  
Army

How distributed.

XXXV.  
Persons to be  
billeted on Soldiers  
for Expense, and  
other Places where  
Moholam Women  
are.

XXXVI.  
Officers or Soldiers  
out of England, or  
upon the Sea,  
corresponding with  
the Enemy, &c.

High Treason.

with any Rebellion or Enmity of Her Majesty or give them Advice or Intelligence either by Letters Messages Signs or Tokens or any manner of Way whatsoever or shall trait with such Rebels or Enmities or enter into any Condition with them without Her Majesty's Licence or Licence of the General Lieutenant General or Clerk Consider then every such Person so offending shall be deemed and adjudged to be guilty of High Treason and suffer such Pain and Penalties as in case of High Treason

XXXVII.  
Such Officers or  
Soldiers using  
Blasphemy, or failing  
to obey Orders, &c.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Officer or Soldier of Her Majesty's [Army] either upon Land out of England or upon the Sea shall raise or cause to be raised any Mutiny or Sedition in the Army or shall refuse to obey his superior Officer or shall resist any Officer in the Execution of his Office or shall write down or offer to draw or lift up any Weapon against his superior Officer upon any Pretence whatsoever all and every the Person or Persons so offending in any of the Matters before mentioned shall be adjudged and taken to be guilty of Felony and shall suffer as in Cases of Felony and every of the said Offences shall be deemed to be Felony And the Offenders being thereof convicted or being indicted or assigned thereof and awaiting assize or challengeing peremptorily above the Number of Twenty returned to be of the Jury shall suffer Death as in case of Felony

Felony.  
Shooting Blows, &c.  
upon Troop,  
Dish.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Treasons and Felonies beforementioned that shall be committed perpetrated or done may be enquired of heard and determined in Her Majesty's Courts commonly called the Queens Bench by good and lawful Men of the same County where the said Court shall sit and be kept or before such Commissioners and in such County of this Realm as shall be assigned by the Queens Majesty and by good and lawful Men of the same County in like Manner and Form to all Treasons and Felonies as if the said Treasons and Felonies had been committed perpetrated and done within the same County

XXXVIII.  
Where the said  
Treasons and  
Felonies may be  
determined

XXXIX.  
Proviso for Her  
Majesty's Power to  
make Articles of  
War, &c.

Proviso sheweth That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to abridge Her Majesty's Power of forming making and establishing Articles of War and creating and constituting Courts Martial and inflicting Penalties by Sentence or Judgment of the same in such Manner as might have been done by Her Majesty's Authority beyond the Seas in the Time of War before the making of this Act

XL.  
Her Majesty may  
grant Commissions  
for holding Courts  
Martial, &c.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Her Majesty may from time to time grant a Commission under Her Royal Signe Manual to such General Lieutenant General or other Officers as aforesaid for the holding a Court Martial within this Realm in which all Officers and Soldiers who shall at any Time hereafter during the Continuance of this Act consent any Crime or Offence out of this Realm against the Rules Articles or Laws of War and shall not be tried for the same by a Court Martial before their Return into this Realm shall and may be tried and proceeded against and punished according to the Rules and Articles [of War] aforesaid

XLI.  
Proceedings when  
Officers or Soldiers  
desert in Parts  
beyond the Seas,  
and come into this  
Realm, or into  
Ireland, and the  
Regiment, &c.  
come back beyond  
Sea.

Provided also That if any Officer or Soldier shall desert Her Majesty's Service in any Part beyond the Seas and shall escape or come into this Realm or Ireland before he be tried before a Court Martial for such Offence then and as often as any such Case shall happen if it shall also happen that the Regiment Troop or Company in which such Officer or Soldier [doth] belong shall continue in Her Majesty's Service beyond the Seas it shall not any be lawful upon Oath thereof made before any One of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace where such Offender shall be taken for such Justices of the Peace to cause such Offender to be sent to the General Court Martial in England or Ireland who are hereby enabled if they think fit for Example sake to send such Offender to the respective Regiment Troop or Company beyond the Seas to which the Offender shall belong there to be proceeded against according to the Directions of this Act

XLII.  
Aspirant in Court  
Martial a Bar to  
Indictment, &c.

Provided also That if any Person or Persons shall in a Court Martial constituted as aforesaid be tried and acquitted or convicted of any of the Crimes or Offences herein before mentioned such Aspirant or Convicted shall be a full Bar to any Indictments or Proceedings for the same Offences

XLIII.  
No Corruption of  
Blood, &c.

Provided also That no Attainder for any Crime or Offence made Felony by this Act shall extend or be adjudged to make any Corruption of Blood to any Heir of such Offender or to debar the Wife of such Offender of her Title of Dowry

XLIV.  
Proviso for Trials of  
Peers offending  
beyond Sea, and  
not paid there, and  
coming into the  
Realm.

Provided also That if any Peer of this Realm shall commit any of the Offences aforesaid in any Part beyond the Seas and shall not have been there tried for the same by Martial Law and allow his Return into this Realm shall be indicted of any Offence hereby declared and enacted to be Treason or Felony that doth and after such Indictment he shall have his Trial by the Peers in each like Manner and Form as hath been accustomed

XLV.  
Proviso for Peers  
offending, &c.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons who shall hereafter be accused indicted or proceeded for any thing made or declared Treason by this Act shall be

enrolled to the Benefit of the Act of Parliament made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for regulating Tryalls in Cases of Treason and Murther of Treason.

And whereas it may be otherwise doubted whether the Marine Regiments and the Officers and Persons employed in the Troops of Artillery be within the Intent and Meaning of this Act for punishing Officers and Soldiers who shall [mutiny] or desert Her Majesty's Service and for punishing false Munitions and for Payment of Quarters it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers and Soldiers of the Regiments called the Marine Regiments while they shall be on Shore and the Officers and Persons employed or that shall be employed in the Troops of Artillery be at all Times subject to all the Penalties and Punishments mentioned in this Act during the Continuance of the same.

Provided always That all Monies used or owing by Regiments may be applied as Levy Money for recruiting the several Regiments Troops and Companies in Her Majesty's Service in such Manner and in such Proportions as Her Majesty His Royal Highness Generalissimo of all Her Majesty's Forces the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or the Captain General of Her Majesty's Forces and for the Marine Regiments the Lord High Admiral by Warrant under their Hands respectively shall from time to time direct in the whole Charge to the Publick for such Recruits except for Men or Horses killed or taken by the Enemy or lost at Sea.

Provided also and it is hereby declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any of the Invalids from the Hospital at Chelsea or elsewhere are or shall be quartered in any Garrison of this Kingdom the Governor thereof having certified to the Paymaster of the Grenade and Guards for the Time being that there are Debts owing in Quarters or for Subsistence of such Invalid Officers and Soldiers in the said Garrison the said Paymaster and Agent in whose Hands the Pay duty or shall remain are hereby respectively required from time to time to issue the ("") Pay of such Invalid Officers and Soldiers to the said Governor or his Order and his Receipt thereof shall be a Discharge for the same to the said Pay Master and Agent respectively And the said Governor within the Space of Fifteen Days after his Receipt of the same shall in the Presence of the said Officers and Soldiers respectively or in the Presence of Two or more Justices of the Peace pay or cause to be paid the respective Debts to the said Quarters and for the said Subsistence out of each respective Officers and Soldiers Pay and shall also then pay the Surplus remaining (if any be) to such Officer and Soldier or such as they shall appoint respectively And every such Governor upon producing to the Paymaster General the Certificate of the Chief Magistrate or of Two or more Justices of the Peace of the Place for the Payment of the Residue of the said Money shall be discharged thereof without being returned or set longer in the Exchequer for the Money so certified to be paid.

And whereas several Persons confined or detained of Capital Felonies and Offences are thought fit to be reprieved from Execution in order to obtain their Pardon as Persons fit to serve Her Majesty in Her Army or Navy and otherwise in Prison for a long Time in Expectation of the passing such Pardon under the Great Seal and ("") pleading and allowing thereof in the usual Form of Law to the great Charge and Burthen of the County where they have been so confined and otherwise detained in Prison For Remedy whereof he it enacted That during the Continuance of this Act on View and Receipt of a Warrant under the Sign Manual of Her Majesty for preparing a Bill for passing a Pardon for such Offender or Offenders or for inserting any such convicted Person in a Pardon after to be passed it shall and may be lawful to and for the Judge or Judges before whom any such Pardon if passed might be pleaded and allowed and they are hereby required upon such Warrant under the Sign Manual to direct his or their Warrant to the Sheriff or Sheriffs or Keeper of the Goal or Prison where such Prisoner or Prisoners are detained in Prison who are hereby required to yield Obedience to such Warrant thereby directing the immediate Delivery of such Prisoner or Prisoners out of Custody to such Officer or Officers under whose hue or they shall be listed or entered in the Service of Her Majesty in Her Army or Navy And the Pardon when passed shall be entered and enrolled in due Form of Law and shall be to all Intents and Purposes of the same Force and Effect as if the same had been by such Prisoner pleaded and allowed after the passing thereof under the Great Seal Any Law or Usage to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Provided also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no writ of this Act as relates to the punishing of Mutinies and Desertions and such who shall receive such Desertions and to Persons holding Correspondence with Her Majesty's Enemies and no more shall extend to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever to such Governors or other Officers in Garrisons and Forts as Her Majesty has now in Pay or shall here in Pay in Ireland during the Continuance of this Act.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Bill Pleint or Suit shall be brought against any Person or Persons for any Act Manner or Thing to be done or done pursuant to this Act or against

XLVI  
Mutiny subject to the Act while on Shore.

XLVII  
Recruits subject to the Act while on Shore.

XLVIII  
Paymaster for Invalids from Chelsea Hospital.

Governor to pay Debts to Quarters, &c.

Discharge.

XLIX  
Persons fit to serve Her Majesty.

Persons for delivering of Prisoners purchased upon Execution.

L  
Act as to Money for extended to Ireland.

LI  
In Action for executing Act.

General Issue may  
be pleaded.

Double Costs.

any Officer or Officers of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors concerned in any Matter relating to the Army or Her Majesties Naval Forces or Ships of War as the providing for the same or any their Deputy or Deputies or against any other Person or Persons acting by Authority from or in Aid or Assistance of or by their Consent: but as concerning any Matter Cause or Thing by them done by virtue or reason of this or any of their Office as Officers that it shall be lawful to and for all and any Person or Persons allowed to plead thereto the General Issue that he or they are Not Guilty and to give such Special Matter in Evidence to the Jury which shall try the Issue which Special Matter being pleaded had been a good and sufficient Matter in Law to have discharged the said Defendant or Defendants of the Troopage or other Matter laid to him or their Charge and that if the Verdict shall pass with the said Defendant or Defendants in any such Action or the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs therein become Nonsuit or suffer any Discontinuance thereof that in every such Case the Justice or Justices or such other Judge before whom the said Matter shall be tried shall by force and virtue of this Act allow unto the Defendant or Defendants his or their Double Costs which hee or they shall have sustained by reason of their wrongful Vexation in Defence of the said Action or Suits for which the said Defendant or Defendants shall have like Remedy as in other Cases where Costs by the Laws of this Nation are given to the Defendants.

LII.  
Officers against  
But 3 A. 2 Ann.  
6. 17. and one tried  
before 15th March  
1704. may be tried.  
See.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Person or Persons who since the First Day of September One thousand seven hundred and four hath committed or who before the Twenty fourth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four shall commit any of the Offences mentioned in an Act passed the last Session of Parliament intituled An Act for punishing Money Debauchers and false Moneys and for better paying of the Army and Quarters and for settling down Accounts and for a farther Continuance of the Powers of the Five Commissioners for examining and determining the Accounts of the Army and who before the said Twenty fourth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four shall not be tried for the said Offences it shall and may be lawful for a Court Marshall to be appointed in pursuance of this Act to try and punish such Person and Persons for the said Offences Any thing herein contained to the contrary in any law notwithstanding.

LIII.  
Revised of Stat.  
17 W III c. 8. and  
15 A 14 W III  
c. 1.

Officers or Agents  
whose Debentures  
delivered, to state  
and sign Accounts,  
not necessary.

Penalty above.

And whereas by an Act made in the Eleventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King WILLIAM (of our blessed Memory) intituled An Act for the appointing Commissioners to take care and determine the Debts due to the Army and Navy and for Transport Services and also an Account of the Forces taken during the late War and by virtue of One other Act of the Thirteenth Year of His late Majesty RIGGS for revising and confirming the Act aforesaid the several Debts and Arrears due to the Army have been taken examined and stated by the Commissioners in the said Acts mentioned and the Balance thereof certified to the Paymaster General of Her Majesties Guards and Garisons who in pursuance of the said Acts hath made out several Debentures and delivered the same to the Officers or Agents of these respective Regiments And whereas several Officers and Agents having received such Debentures ought to pay the same to the several Officers and Private Men to whom the same are due Be it enacted That every Officer or Agent to whose such Debentures have been delivered shall and is hereby required to state and sign the Accounts of every such Officer or Private Man demanding the same and to pay the Balance thereof accordingly in such Debentures so received And if any such Officer or Agent shall refuse or neglect to give a just and true Account to such Officer or Private Man as shall demand the same and shall deliver the Debentures that shall be due thereupon such Officer or Officers Agent or Agents shall forfeit One hundred Pounds One Moneys thereof to be due thereupon such Officer or Successors and the other Moneys to him or them that [shall] sue for the same in Her Majesties High Court of Record at Westminster where the said Ensign Provision or Wages of Law shall be allowed or more than One Imparance.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> to G.

## CHAPTER VI. (\*)

An Act for the effectual securing the Kingdom of England from the apparent Dangers that may arise from several Acts lately passed in the Parliament of Scotland.

*See Post.  
p. 414. Chapter 8. c.*

FOR preventing the many Inconveniences which may speedily happen to the Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland if a nearer and more complete Union be not made between the said Kingdoms Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and of the Commons of this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That such Persons as shall be nominated by Her Majesty under Her Great Seal of England or such and so many of them as shall in the Behalf be appointed by Her Majesty to be of the Quorum shall by force of this Act have full Power Commission and Authority at such Time and Times and in such Place or Places as Her Majesty shall please to appoint to assemble and meet and thereupon to treat and consult according to the Tenor or Purport of their Authority or Commission in that Behalf with certain Commissioners as shall be authorized by Authority of the Parliament of Scotland and concerning such an Union of the said Kingdoms of England and Scotland and of and concerning such other Matters Chances and Things as upon mature Deliberation of the greater Part of the said Commissioners assembled as aforesaid and the Commissioners to be authorized by the Parliament of Scotland according to the Tenor or Purport of their Commissions in that Behalf shall in [their] Wisdoms think convenient and necessary for the Honour of Her Majesty and the common Good of both the said Kingdoms for ever which Commissioners of both the said Kingdoms shall according to the Tenor or Purport of their said Authorities or Commissions in that Behalf release their Writings and Proceedings therein into Writings or Instruments Quodlibet every Part to be subscribed and sealed by them so the End that One Part thereof may in all Handlings be presented to the Queens most Excellent Majesty Two other Parts thereof to be offered to the Consideration of the Parliament for the Realm of England and another Part, to be offered to the Consideration of the Parliament for the Realm of Scotland at their next Session which shall be held in each Kingdom respectively after such Writings or Instruments shall be subscribed and sealed by the said Commissioners that thereupon such further Proceedings may be had as by Her Majesty and both the said Parliaments shall be thought fit and necessary for the said and common Good of both the said Kingdoms to whom the more mature Consideration of the Whole and the shewing or shewing the Whole or any Part thereof as they shall think fit is wholly reserved

*Persons for passing the Act.*

*Persons to be nominated by the Queen as to be Commissioners to treat with Commissioners to be authorized by the Parliament of Scotland concerning the Union, &c.*

*The Commissioners of both Kingdoms to release their Proceedings into Writings Quodlibet, which are to be deposited at a certain place, and thereupon the further Proceedings to be had.*

*and thereupon the further Proceedings to be had.*

Provided always and be it enacted and declared That no such Commission or Authority as aforesaid shall be granted until an Act of Parliament shall be made in the Kingdom of Scotland empowering Her Majesty to give a Commission under the Great Seal of that Kingdom appointing Commissioners to treat concerning the Union of the Two Kingdoms

*II.  
No Commission until an Act is passed in that Purpose.*

Provided also and be it further enacted and declared That no Matter or Thing to be treated of agreed or proposed by the said Commissioners by virtue of this Act shall have any force or effect to be put in Execution until it be confirmed and established by Act of Parliament of England

*III.  
No Matter shall be treated of by Parliament of England.*

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five no Person or Persons being a Native or Natives of the Kingdom of Scotland (except such as are now settled Inhabitant within the Kingdom of England or the Dominions thereunto belonging and shall continue Inhabitants thereof and such as are now in Service in Her Majesties Fleet or Army) shall be capable to inherit any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within this Kingdom of England or the Dominions thereunto belonging or to enjoy any Benefit or Advantage of a Natural born Subject of England but every such Person shall be from thenceforth adjudged and taken as an Alien born out of the Allegiance of the Queen of England until such Time as the Succession to the Crown of Scotland be declared and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland in the same Manner the Succession to the Crown of England is now settled by an Act of Parliament in England in case of Her Majesties Decease without Issue of Her Body

*IV.  
Natives of Scotland (except such as are now settled Inhabitants within the Kingdom of England or the Dominions thereunto belonging) shall be taken as Aliens until Succession to the Crown of Scotland be declared and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland.*

*to be considered as Aliens until Succession to the Crown of Scotland be declared and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland.*

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons whatsoever shall at any Time from and after the Twentieth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four until such Time as the Succession to the Crown of Scotland be declared and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland in like Manner as aforesaid convey or send or cause to be conveyed or sent from any Port or Place in England or Ireland any Liken Arms or Ammunition into the Kingdom of Scotland every such Person or Persons shall forfeit the Sum of [One] hundred Pounds and Treble the Value of such Liken Arms or Ammunition One Third Part thereof to the Queens most Excellent Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Third Part thereof to him or them who will sue for the same in any of Her Majesties Courts at Westminster by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information wherein no Escoign Protection or Wager of Law shall lie

*V.  
Persons, with the Licences last mentioned, sending Arms, &c. from England or Ireland to Scotland, shall be liable to the Penalty of the Statute in that behalf made.*

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four until such Time as the Succession to the Crown of Scotland be declared and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland in like Manner as aforesaid no Great Carls or Ships shall be brought out of or from the Kingdom of Scotland into the Kingdom of England or Ireland Dominion of

*VI.  
No Great Carls or Ships shall be brought out of Scotland into England or Ireland.*

\* This is Chapter VIII in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted in the Bill.

- Penalty.** Wines or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed under the Penalty of forfeiting all such Great Cattle or Sheep as him or them who will adul or sue for the same and also the full Value of such Great Cattle or Sheep One Third Part to the Queens most Excellent Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Two Third Parts thereof to him or them who will sue for the same to be recovered as aforesaid.
- VII.** Any Person may sue and distress with Great Cattle and Sheep, and distress the same and Press to sale by Courts as before mentioned.
- And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person and Persons whatsoever to take and seize in any Place or Places whatsoever the Great Cattle or Sheep brought contrary to the Act into this Kingdom of England or Ireland Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed and detain the same during the Space of Four Days in some publick or convenient Place where such Seizure shall be made within which Time if the Owner or Owners or any on his or their behalf shall make it appear unto some Justice of the Peace of the same County where the same shall be so seized by the Oath of Two credible Witnesses (which Oath the said Justice of the Peace is hereby required and empowered to administer) that the same were not brought from Scotland after the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five then the same upon the Warrant of such Justice shall be forthwith released.
- VIII.** English Cattle driven such with Great Cattle desired Great Cattle.
- And be it further enacted That if any English or other Cattle or Sheep shall be with the Privy or Knowledge of the Owner or any Person employed by him driven or introduced or caused to be driven or introduced with Great Cattle or Sheep brought out of or from Scotland and shall be seized with them such Cattle and Sheep as imported and seized shall be deemed Scotch Cattle and shall be subject to the like Forfeiture and ordered and disposed of in all respects as if they were brought out of or from Scotland contrary to this Act.
- IX.** Compounding to receive Berwick, &c.
- And if any Person or Persons shall wilfully or fraudulently conspire confederate or agree together to bribe or evade the Seizure or Forfeiture upon the bringing in of Cattle in this Act particularly specified and the same shall put in Execution then every such Person and Persons being thereof indicted or presented within One Year next after such Offence by him or them committed and being thereof lawfully convicted or adjudged at any Time hereafter shall forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds to be recovered and distributed as aforesaid.
- X.** In Action for executing Act.
- And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Bill Pleat (Suit\*) or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for any Seizure or other Thing made or done in pursuance or Execution of this Act such Person or Persons shall not be obliged to give any more than a close Appearance and may plead the General Issue and give the Special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Prosecutor shall become Nonsumt or default Presentation or suffer Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him in any such Action Bill Pleat Suit or Information as aforesaid the Defendants shall have Triple Costs for which they shall have the like Kennedy as in any Case where Costs by Law are given to the Defendants.
- XI.** No Scotch Cattle to be imported until Satisfaction is made.
- And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five until such Time as the Satisfaction to the Crown of Scotland be declared and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland in like Manner as aforesaid no Scotch Cattle shall be imported out of the Kingdom of Scotland into the Kingdom of England or Ireland Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed under the Penalty of forfeiting the Cattle so imported One Half to the Queens most Excellent Majesty the other Half to such Person as shall seize or sue for the same.
- XII.** The like Provisions as to the Satisfaction of British Laws.
- And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five until such Time as the Satisfaction to the Crown of Scotland be declared and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland in like Manner as aforesaid no Scotch Livestock shall be imported or brought out of Scotland into the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales Town of Berwick upon Tweed or Ireland under the Penalty of forfeiting the said Livestock and Double the Value thereof to be recovered with Costs of Suit in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record One Moiety thereof to the Queens Majesty the other Moiety to such Person as shall seize inform or sue for the same.
- XIII.** Commissioners not to be concerned in any action concerning Rights of the Church.
- Provided always and be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners to be named in pursuance of this Act shall not by virtue of such Commission treat of or concerning any Alteration of the Liturgy Rights Ceremonies Discipline or Government of the Church as by Law established within the Rules.

\* inserted in the Bill.

## CHAPTER VII. (\*)

An Act to prevent the Exportation of Irish Linnen Cloth to the Plantations and to prohibit the Importation of Scotch Linnen into Ireland.

Act. Parl.  
1704. Chap. 5. n. 1.

WHEREAS in and by an Act made in the Fifth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King Charles the Second entitled An Act for the Encouragement of Trade it is amongst other Things enacted that the Commodity of the Growth Production or Manufacture of Europe shall be exported into any Land Island Plantation Colony Territory or Place to His Majesty belonging or which shall hereafter being unto or be in the Possession of His Majesty His Heirs and Successors in Asia Africa or America (except as is therein excepted) but what shall be here sold and without Freight laden and shipped in England Wales or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed under the Seal of the said Act contained yet forasmuch as the Protestant Interest in His Majesty's Kingdom of Ireland ought to be supported by giving the utmost Encouragement to the Linnen Manufacture of that Kingdom His Majesty is graciously pleased in order to His good Protestant Subjects of His said Kingdom and for the further Encouragement of the Linnen Manufacture thereof that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That from and after the First and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and five it shall and may be lawful to and for any Native or Natives of England or Ireland to lade and ship in any Port of the said Kingdom of Ireland in English built Shipping whosoever the Master and One Half of the Mariners during the present War and afterwards the Master and Three Quarters of the Mariners at least to be English or Irish any White or Brown Linnen Cloth which shall be of the Manufacture of the said Kingdom of [England] and no other and the same to transport in such Ships and so navigated into any of the said Lands Islands Plantations Colonies Territories or Places and there freely to sell with and vend the same Any thing in the said Act or in any other Act to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Recall of Stat.  
1704. c. 5. p.  
54.

Reasons for passing  
this Act.

White and Brown  
English Linnen may  
be shipped for the  
Plantations and  
there sold.

Provided nevertheless That no Ship or Vessel coming to any of the said Lands Islands Plantations Colonies Territories or Places from the said Kingdom of Ireland shall unlade or break Bulk until the Master or Commander of such Ship or Vessel shall first have made known to the Governor of such Land Island Plantation Colony Territory or Place or to such Person or Officer as shall be by him thereto appointed and appointed the Arrival of the said Ship or Vessel with her Name and the Name and Surname of the Master or Commander and shall have delivered to such Governor or Officer a true and perfect Inventory or Receipt of the Lading of such Ship or Vessel together with a Certificate from the Chief Officer of the Port in Ireland where such Ship or Vessel shall be laden expressing the Particulars of such Lading with the Names and Aliases of the Exporters and of Two Persons at the least who shall have made Oath before such Chief Officer that the said Goods and Linnen are bona fide of the Manufacture of the said Kingdom of Ireland and until the Master or Commander of such Ship or Vessel shall have made Oath before such Governor or Officer that the said Goods and every Parcel thereof are the same Goods that be the said Master or Commander took on board by virtue of such Certificate as is allowed for until such Ship or Vessel shall have been visited and searched by an Officer or Officers And in case the Commander of any such Ship or Vessel shall unlade or break Bulk before such Notice given and such Certificate produced and such Oath made by such Commander or before such Search made as aforesaid or if upon such Search any Goods whatsoever of Woollen Manufacture not laden in England (necessary Apparel of the Commander and Mariners only excepted) or any Linnen Goods not laden in England nor of the Manufacture of Ireland shall be found in such Ship or Vessel in all or any of the said Cases such Ship or Vessel shall be and is hereby adjudged laden with all her Gear Tackle Ammunition and Furniture together with all such Goods and Commodities of what Kind soever as shall be imported or found in such Ship One Third Part to His Majesty His Heirs and Successors One Third Part to the Governor of such Land Island Plantation Colony Territory or Place two which such Goods shall be imported if the said Ship Vessel or Goods be there seized informed against or used for (or otherwise that Third Part also to His Majesty His Heirs and Successors) and the other Third Part to him or them who shall sue for the same in His Majesty's Court or such of the said Lands Islands Colonies Plantations Territories or Places where the Offence shall be committed or in any of His Majesty's Courts at Westminster by Bill Plea Information or other Action wherein no Ensign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed.

II.  
Master of Ship to  
make Oath to  
Governor, and  
deliver Inventory of  
lading, Certificate,  
An affidavit, &c.

Ship to be visited,  
by an Officer  
before landing  
Bills, &c.

Unlading or  
breaking Bulk  
before Notice, or  
Goods found  
unlawfully laden, the  
same, together with  
the Ship, to be  
forfeited.

AND be it further enacted That all Ships coming from Ireland to any such Land Island Colony Plantation Territory or Place shall be subject to the same Rules Visitation Searches Penalties and Forfeitures to which Ships coming from England to any of the said Colonies Plantations or Places are subject or liable to by any Law now in force.

III.  
Irish Ships subject  
to the same Rules  
as English Ships.

AND for the preventing of Frauds that may be committed by exporting from Ireland Linnen of the Manufacture of the Kingdom of Scotland and for the effectual restraining the Importation of all such Linnen into Ireland be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons who shall from and after the First

IV.  
Importing Scotch  
Linnen into Ireland.

\* This is Chapter VIII. in the Common printed Editions.

• Ireland" G. & King's Printer's Office.

## Penalty.

and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five import or come to be imported into the Kingdom of Ireland any Linnen whatsoever of the Manufacture of Scotland shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Shillings for every Yard of Scotch Linnen so imported together with the said Linnen.

V.  
Prohibited Linnen  
found in Ireland  
shall be sold and  
the Importers  
thereof prosecuted.

AND be it further enacted That in case any such Linnen as is prohibited to be imported into Ireland shall after the said Five and twentieth Day of March be found any where within the said Kingdom the same or any Part thereof shall and may be seized and the Importers thereof prosecuted by any Person whatsoever and that all Linnen of the Manufacture of Scotland which shall be seized by virtue of this Act shall be carried to the nearest Customs House in the Kingdom of Ireland and shall not thence be delivered unless in order to be produced in a Tryall or unless the same be otherwise discharged by due Course of Law and in case the Goods so seized to any Part thereof shall be condemned the same shall be sold publicly by Auction of Candle wherof Notice in Writing by a Paper affixed at the Door of such Customs House shall be given at least Twenty Days before the said Sale and the Goods so sold shall not be delivered to the Buyer or Buyers thereof until he or they have earned into Bonds with Two sufficient Sureties to the Queens Majesty Her Heirs and Successors in Double the Value of the said Goods with Condition to export the same and every Part thereof within Three Months after the Date of the said Obligation out of the Kingdom of Ireland and not to import the same or any Part thereof into any of Her Majesties Colonies Plantations or Dominions in Asia Africa or America which said Obligation shall be received upon Certificate of the Chief Officer of the Port from whence the said Goods shall be exported of the Exportation thereof and upon Oath made by the Exporter that all and every Part of the said Goods were exported pursuant to this Act and that no Part thereof hath been landed in any of Her Majesties Colonies Plantations or Dominions in Asia Africa or America. And in case the said Goods shall not be exported accordingly the Person or Persons in whose Custody the said Goods or any Part thereof shall be found shall be again liable to all the Penalties and Forfeitures by this Act imposed so if the same had never been seized.

## Notice of Sale.

Purchasers of  
condemned Goods  
to give Security  
for Exportation or  
to be returned  
before Delivery.  
Security received.

## Oath by Exporter.

If Goods not  
exported.

## Penalty.

AND be it further enacted That all Officers belonging to the Customs in the said Kingdom of Ireland shall be aiding and assisting in the execution of this Act and that if any such Officer shall knowingly contrive or be the Importation of any Scotch Linnen contrary to the true Meaning of this Act such Officer shall forfeit and lose the Sum of One hundred Pounds and be for ever incapable of serving Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors in any Office whatsoever.

VI.  
Officers of Irish  
Customs to assist  
in executing this  
Act. Offending,  
Penalty of Fifty  
and Incapacity.

VII.  
How Penalties for  
importing Scotch  
Linnen into Ireland  
may be recovered and  
discharged.

AND be it further enacted That all and every the Penalties and Forfeitures imposed by this Act for importing Scotch Linnen into the Kingdom of Ireland shall and may be read for and recovered in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster or Dublin by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information wherein to Enquire Penalties Forfeitures or Wages of Law shall be allowed not any more than One Imparance One Moiety of the said Penalties and Forfeitures to be to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to him who or them that will sue for the same.

VIII.  
In Actions for  
Seizures,  
General Issues may  
be pleaded.  
Double Costs.

AND it is hereby further enacted That if any Person or Persons be sued molested or prosecuted for or by reason of any Seizure made in pursuance of this Act such Person and Persons may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence and if afterwards a Verdict shall pass for the Defendant or Defendants or if the Plaintiff shall discontinue his Action or be nonsuited or if Judgment be given against him then such Defendant or Defendants shall have Double Costs.

IX.  
Limitation of  
Actions, &c.

Provided always That all Informations Actions and Suits to be brought for any Offence against this Act shall be brought and commenced within Twelve Months after the Discovery of such Offence.

X.  
Ships laden with  
Goods for Plantations  
may pass into  
Ireland, not taking  
Scotch Linnen on  
board, the like  
Oaths and Conditions  
to be taken as  
before, and Ship  
liable to the same  
and Rules, &c.

Provided also and be it enacted That if any Ship or Vessel being laden with Goods in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed for any of the Plantations aforesaid shall put into any Port or Place in Ireland and shall there take in any White or Beaten Irish Linnen Cloth in that Case the like Certificate and Oaths shall be made that the said Linnen Cloth is of the Manufacture of Ireland as is before directed by this Act and if upon the Arrival of such Ship or Vessel in any of the said Plantations such Certificate be produced and Oaths made as aforesaid such Ship or Vessel her Master or Commander and Lading shall be subject and liable to such Rules Violations Searches Penalties and Forfeitures as they respectively were subject and liable to by virtue of the Laws which were in force before the passing of this Act and no other Any thing in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

XI.  
Continuance of Act.

Provided That this Act shall continue only for the Term of Eleven Years.



## CHAPTER VIII. (C)

An Act for giving like Remedy upon Promissory Notes as is now used upon Bills of Exchange and for the better Payment of Inland Bills of Exchange

Re. Post.  
154. done, p. 3-4

WHEREAS it hath been held this Notes in Writing signed by the Party who makes the same whereby such Party promises to pay unto any other Person or his Order any Sum of Money therein mentioned are not assignable or indorsible over within the Custom of Merchants as any other Person and that such Person to whom the Sum of Money mentioned in such Note is payable cannot maintain an Action by the Custom of Merchants against the Person who first made and signed the same and that any Person to whom such Note should be assigned indorsed or made payable could not within the said Custom of Merchants maintain any Action upon such Note against the Person who first drew [and signed] the same therefore in the House to encourage Trade and Clearance which will be much advanced if such Notes shall have the same Effect as Inland Bills of Exchange and shall be regulated in like Manner be enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all Notes in Writing due after the First Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five shall be made and signed by any Person or Persons Body Politick or Corporate or by the Servant or Agent of any Corporation Barker Goldsmith Merchant or Trader who is usually entrusted by him her or them to sign such Promissory Notes for him her or them whereby such Person or Persons Body Politick or Corporate his her or their Servant or Agent as aforesaid doth or shall promise to pay to any other Person or Persons Body Politick and Corporate his her or their Order or unto Bearer any Sum of Money mentioned in such Note shall be taken and construed to be by vertue thereof due and payable to any such Person or Persons Body Politick and Corporate to whom the same is made payable and also every such Note payable to any Person or Persons Body Politick and Corporate his her or their Order shall be assignable or indorsible once in the same Manner as Inland Bills of Exchange are or may be according to the Custom of Merchants

Reason for passing  
this Act

Promissory Notes  
to be signed.

not indorsible

And that the Person or Persons Body Politick and Corporate to whom such Sum of Money is or shall be by such Note made payable shall and may maintain an Action for the same in such Manner as he she or they might do upon any Inland Bill of Exchange made or drawn according to the Custom of Merchants against the Person or Persons Body Politick and Corporate who or whose Servant or Agent as aforesaid signed the same

II.  
Payee may maintain  
Action

And that any Person or Persons Body Politick and Corporate to whom such Note due is payable to any Person or Persons Body Politick and Corporate his her or their Order is indorsed or assigned or the Money therein mentioned ordered to be paid by Indorsement thereon shall and may maintain his her or their Action for such Sum of Money either against the Person or Persons Body Politick and Corporate who or whose Servant or Agent as aforesaid signed such Note or against any of the Persons that indorsed the same in like Manner as in Cases of Inland Bills of Exchange and in every such Action the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs shall recover his her or their Damages and Costs of Suit And if such Plaintiff or Plaintiffs shall be nonsuited or a Verdict be given against him her or them the Defendant or Defendants shall recover his her or their Costs against the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs and every such Plaintiff or Plaintiffs Defendant or Defendants respectively recovering may sue out Execution for such Damages and Costs by Capias Per Facias or Eligit

III.  
The like Process  
as to Indorsement.

Damages and Costs  
in such Actions.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such Actions [shall be commenced] and brought within such Time as is appointed for commencing or suing Actions upon the Case by the Statute made in the One and twentieth Year of the Reign of King James the First intituled An Act for Limitation of Actions and for avoiding of Suits in Law

IV.  
Limitation of  
Actions.

Provided That no Body Politick or Corporate shall have Power by vertue of this Act to sue or give out any Notes by themselves or their Servants other than such as they might have issued if this Act had never been made

V.  
Notes not to be  
issued otherwise  
than as aforesaid.

And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intituled An Act for the better Payment of Inland Bills of Exchange it is among other Things enacted that from and after Presentation and Acceptance of the said Bill or Bills of Exchange (which Acceptance shall be by the underwriting the same under the Parties Hand so accepting) and after the Expiration of Three Days after the said Bill or Bills shall become due the Party to whom the said Bill or Bills are made payable his Servant Agent or Assignee may and shall cause the same Bill or Bills to be protested in Manner as in the said Act is enacted And whereas by three being no Provision made therein for protesting such Bill or Bills in case the Party on whom the same are or shall be drawn refuse to accept the same by underwriting the same under his Hand all Merchants and others do refuse to underwrite such Bill or Bills or make any other than a Promissory Acceptance by which Means the Effect and good Intent of the said Act in that Behalf is wholly evaded and no Bill or Bills can be presented before or for Want of such Acceptance by underwriting the same as aforesaid For Remedy whereof be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First Day of May which shall

VI.  
Record of Bill.  
9 W III c. 12.  
1.

Reason for passing  
this Act.

\* That is Chapter IX. in the Common printed Editions.

\* mentioned in the Bill

Protest of Bills, &c.  
for Non-acceptance  
may be made in  
case of Foreign  
Bills of Exchange.

be in the Year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five in case upon presenting of any such Bill or Bills of Exchange the Party or Parties on whom the same shall be drawn shall refuse to accept the same by underwriting the same as aforesaid the Party to whom the said Bill or Bills are made payable his Several Agents or Attorneys may and shall cause the said Bill or Bills to be presented for Non-acceptance as in case of Foreign Bills of Exchange Any Thing in the said Act or any other Law to the contrary notwithstanding for which Proviso there shall be paid Two Shillings and no more.

VII.  
No Acceptance in  
writing except in  
Writing.

(\*) PROVIDED always That soon and after the said First Day of May no Acceptance of any such Inland Bill of Exchange shall be sufficient to charge any Person whatsoever unless the same be underwritten or endorsed in Writing thereupon and if such Bill be not accepted by such Underwriting or Endorsment in Writing no Drawer of any such Inland Bill shall be liable to pay any Costs Damages or Interest thereupon unless such Proviso be made for Non-Acceptance thereof and within Fourteen Days after such Proviso the same be sent or otherwise Notice thereof be given to the Party from whom such Bill was received or left in Writing at the Place of his or her usual Abode.

VIII.  
Not Drawn liable  
to Costs, &c. unless  
Proviso made and  
Notice given thereof.

And if such Bill be accepted and not paid before the Expiration of Three Days after the said [Bill] shall become due and payable then the Drawer of such Bill shall be compellable to pay any Costs Damages or Interest thereupon unless a Proviso be made and sent or Notice thereof be given as aforesaid and Form aforementioned Nevertheless every Drawer of such Bill shall be liable to make Payment of Costs Damages and Interest upon such Inland Bill if any One Proviso be made for Non-Acceptance or Non-Payment thereof and Notice thereof be sent given or left as aforesaid.

IX.  
In what Cases  
Proviso not  
necessary  
By whom Proviso  
to be made.

PROVIDED That no such Proviso shall be necessary either for Non-Acceptance or Non-Payment of any Inland Bill of Exchange unless the Value be acknowledged and expressed in such Bill to be received and when such Bill be drawn for the Payment of Twenty Pounds Sterling or upwards and that the Proviso hereby required for Non-Acceptance shall be made by such Persons as are appointed by the said recited Act to present Inland Bills of Exchange for Non-Payment thereof.

X.  
Bill of Exchange  
received here [Bills,  
accounted good,  
Payment though  
not paid, if not  
presented upon.

AND be it further enacted That from and after the said First Day of May if any Person doth accept any such Bill of Exchange for and in Satisfaction of any former Debt or Sum of Money formerly due unto him the same shall be accounted and esteemed a full and complete Payment of such Debt if such Person accepting of any such Bill for his Debt doth not take his due Course to obtain Payment thereof by endorsing a proviso the same accepted and paid and make his Protest as aforesaid either for Non-acceptance or Non-payment thereof.

XI.  
Proviso for Remedy  
against Drawer, &c.

PROVIDED That nothing herein contained shall extend to discharge any Remedy that any Person may have against the Drawer Acceptor or Indorser of such Bill.

XII.  
Continuance of  
Act.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall continue and be in force for the Space of Three Years from the said First Day of May and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament and no longer.

## CHAPTER II. (\*)

An Act for encouraging the Importation of Naval Stores from Her Majesties Plantations in America.

Act. Paul.  
§ 4. c. 8. p. 3 & 4.  
Reasons for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS the Royal Navy and the Navigation of England wherein under God the Wealth Safety and Strength of this Kingdom is so much concerned depends on the due Supply of Stores necessary for the same which being now brought in mostly from Foreign Parts in Foreign Shipping at exorbitant and unjust Rates to the great Prejudice and Disadvantage of the Trade and Navigation of this Kingdom and which in a more certain and beneficial Manner from Her Majesties own Dominions And whereas Her Majesties Colonies and Plantations in America were at first settled and are still maintained and protected at a great Expence of the Treasure of this Kingdom with a Design to render them as useful as may be to England and the Labor and Industry of the People there profitable to themselves And in regard the said Colonies and Plantations by the vast Tracts of Land therein lying near the Sea and upon Neighbourable Rivers may commodiously afford great Quantities of all Sorts of Naval Stores if due Encouragement be given for carrying on so great and advantageous an Undertaking which will likewise tend not only to the further Employment and Increase of English Shipping and Seamen but also to the enlarging in a great Measure the Trade and Vein of the Woollen (and other) Manufactures and Commodities of this Kingdom and of other Her Majesties Dominions in Exchange for such Naval Stores which are now purchased from Foreign Countries with Money or Bullion And for enabling Her Majesties Subjects in the said Colonies and Plantations so commodious to continue to make due and sufficient Returns in the Course of their Trade Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the

\* The following Clauses are inserted in the Original Act in Four separate Schedules.

\* inserted in the Bill.

\* This is Chapter X. in the Common printed Editions.

Leads Spirit and Turpentine and Comasses in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That every Person or Persons that shall within the Time appointed by this Act import or cause to be imported into this Kingdom directly from any of Her Majesties English Colonies or Plantations in America in any Ship or Ships (not any lawfully trade to Her Majesties Plantations except as by Law is required any of the said Ships hereafter mentioned shall have and enjoy as a Reward or Premium for such Importation alive and according to the several Rates for such Naval Stores as follows viz<sup>t</sup>

For good and merchantable Tar per Ton containing Eight Barrels and each Barrel to give Thirty One Ton Gallons and no Half Four Pounds

For good and merchantable Pitch per Ton each Ton containing Twenty Gross Hundreds (Not Pitch) to be Paid brought in Eight Barrels Four Pounds

For good and merchantable Rosin or Turpentine per Ton each Ton containing Twenty Gross Hundreds (Not Rosin or Turpentine) to be brought in Eight Barrels Three Pounds

For Hemp Water round bight and clean per Ton each Ton containing Twenty Gross Hundreds Six Pounds

For all Masts Yards [and] Riggers per Ton allowing Forty Foot to each Ton Six Masts according to the customary Way of measuring round Rods One Pound

Which several Rewards or Premiums for such Species aforementioned shall be paid and answered by the Commissioners or Principal Officers of Her Majesties Navy who are hereby required and empowered to make out Bill as Bills to be paid in Course for the same upon Certificate of the respective Chief Officers or Officers of the Customs in any Port of this Kingdom where such Naval Stores shall be imported as aforesaid such Bill or Bills to be made out and given to the Person or Persons importing the same as aforesaid within Twenty Days after the Discharge or unloading of the Ship or Vessel Ships or Vessels in which such Stores shall be imported upon a Certificate or Certificates to be produced to the Chief Officer or Officers of the Customs which Certificate or Certificates shall be under the Hand and Seal of the Governor Lieutenant Governor Collector of Her Majesties Customs and Naval Officer or any Two of them residing and being within any of Her Majesties said Colonies or Plantations that before the Departure of such Ship or Vessel Ships or Vessels the Person or Persons Merchant Trader or Factor loading the same had made Oath before them that the said Naval Stores so shipped on Board were truly and bona fide of the Growth and Produce of Her Majesties said Colonies and Plantations (which Oath the said Governor Lieutenant Governor Collector of Her Majesties Customs and Naval Officer or any Two of them are hereby authorised to administer) so likewise upon Oath to be made within any Port in England by the Master or Masters of such Ship or Vessel Ships or Vessels importing such Naval Stores that the same were truly laden on Board such Ship or Vessel Ships or Vessels within some of Her Majesties Colonies and Plantations in America and that he or they knew or believe that the said Naval Stores were the Produce of the said Colonies and Plantations

Provided always That the Reward or Premiums hereby granted shall not be allowed or paid for the Importation of such Masts Yards Riggers or other Naval Stores as are already contracted for by the Commissioners of Her Majesties Navy

And to the End a particular Benefit may accrue hereby to Her Majesties Royal Navy and for the better Supply of the same with Naval Stores be it further enacted That upon the Importing of any Naval Stores from Her Majesties said Colonies and Plantations for which a Reward or Premium is hereby granted the Presentation or Relief of such Naval Stores shall be allowed and granted to the Commissioners of Her Majesties Navy upon loading the same And if within the Term of Twenty Days after such Tender the said Commissioners shall not contract or bargain for the same it shall and may be lawful for the Importer or Importers Owner or Owners of the said Naval Stores otherwise to dispose of the same for his or their best Profit and Advantage

And for the better Preservation of all Timber fit for the Uses aforesaid be it further enacted and ordained by the Authority aforesaid That no Person or Persons within Her Majesties Colonies of New Hampshire the Massachusetts Bay Rhode Island and Providence Plantations the Marquette Country or Kings Province and Connecticut in New England and New York and New Jersey do or shall presume to cut fell or destroy any Pitch Pine or Fir or Tamar not being within any Fence or around Inclosure under the Growth of Twelve Inches Diameter at Three Feet from the Earth on the Penalty or Forfeiture of Five Pounds for each Offence on Proof thereof to be made by One or more credible Witnesses on Oath before One or more Justice or Justices of the Peace within or nearest to such Place where such Offence shall be committed One Moiety of such Penalty or Forfeiture to be to Her Majesty Her Heirs [or] Successors the other Moiety to the Informer or Informers

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person or Persons within the said Colonies of New Hampshire the [Massachusetts] Bay Rhode Island and Providence Plantations the Marquette Country or Kings Province Connecticut in New England and New York and New Jersey shall willingly or willingly set fire to any Woods or Forest in which there are any Pitch Pines or Tamar prepared for the making of Pitch or Tar without first giving Notice to the Person or Persons Owner or Owners of the said Trees who had prepared or

Respectively  
Importers of  
Naval Stores.

Kind of  
Turpentine,  
Hemp Water  
round,  
Masts, Yards,  
and Riggers.

By whom, where,  
and in what Manner  
Receipts paid.

Certificate by  
Governor, Lieut. Gov.  
or Chief of Growth  
not been made.

Oath of Loading.

II.  
Contracts already  
made.

III.  
Presentation of  
Naval Stores  
imported in Com-  
mission of the  
Navy.

IV.  
Cutting, falling, or  
destroying Pitch  
Trees, &c. in the  
Colonies.

Penalty dip.

V.  
Setting Fire to  
Woods in which  
Pitch Trees, &c.  
are prepared.

\* Included on the Roll.

\* and G.

\* Massachusetts G.

*Twenty shillings.*

ordered the paying of such Taxes as to One of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace there on Pain of forfeiture of Ten Pounds for each Offence to be recovered in such Manner and on such Proof and to be distributed as aforesaid the said Poundage and Forfeiture to be levied by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of such Justice or Justices of the Peace

*VI.  
Such Importations  
subject to the  
same Regulations  
as imported Sugar,  
Tobacco, &c.*

Provided always That the Importations of [all] such Mined Stuffs for which a Reward or Premium is granted by this Act be subject to the same Regulations Restrictions and Limitations in reference to the shipping and unshipping thereof and such Security shall be given for importing the same into England and subject to such Penalties and Forfeitures as the Importation of Sugar Tobacco Corns Wool Indico Ginger Pepper and other Dying Wood from Her Majesty's Colonies and Plantations in America are subject [to]

*VII.  
Commencement  
and Continuance  
of Act*

Provided also That the several Directions and Provisions in this Act shall commence and take Effect from the First Day of January which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five and shall continue and be in force from thenceforward for the Space of Nine Years and no longer.

#### CHAPTER X. (1)

*Act, Part -  
§ 1. (Ante, p. 349.)*

AN ACT for the better recruiting Her Majesty's Land Forces and the Marines for the Year One thousand seven hundred and five.

*Reason for passing  
this Act.*

WHEREAS for a Supply of Men to recruit Her Majesty's Land Forces and Marines it is judged necessary that Soldiers should be forthwith raised throughout the several Counties Ridings Cities Towns and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales [ &c. ] Town of Berwick upon Tweed by Common Consent and Consent of Parliament be is therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Peace of every County and Riding within this Realm or any Three or more of them as also the Mayor or Head Officer or Officers of every City or Town Corporate within this Realm having Jurisdiction of the Peace together with any Two or more Justices of the Peace of the same City or Town Corporate respectively or in Default of such Justices then with Two or more Justices of the Peace of the County wherein the said City or Town is at any Time or Times between the last Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four and the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five within their several and respective Limits and Jurisdictions to raise and levy [such] able bodied Men as have not any lawful Calling or Employment or civilian Means for their Maintenance [and Livelihood] to serve as Soldiers for the Purpose aforesaid And to require and command all and every the High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs and [Tythingmen] or any of them within their respective Jurisdictions to be aiding and assisting in putting this present Act in Execution and for that Purpose to issue out their Warrants under the Hands and Seals of any Three or more such Justices or Magistrates as are hereby authorized to levy and raise such Soldiers thereby requiring and commanding such High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs Tythingmen and other Parish Officers as aforesaid every or any of them to make search or cause to be made search within their respective Parishes Townships Constabliedoms or other Places for all such Persons as they do find who are within the Description of this Act and to bring before such Justices and Magistrates as aforesaid or any Three or more Justices or Magistrates who have Power to execute this Act in each County Riding City or Town Corporate respectively any such Person or Persons described as aforesaid at such Time and Place as shall be pointed in the said Warrants respectively

*and require  
Constables, &c.  
to assist.*

*and to issue  
Warrants for the  
above Purpose,  
and to search for  
them.*

*II.  
How Justices are  
to proceed when  
they find the  
Men to be proper.*

And in case the Justices and Magistrates hereby authorized to put this Act in Execution upon the Examination of the Persons brought before them in pursuance of this Act shall find them to be such as are hereby intended to be enlisted as Soldiers in Her Majesty's Service they shall cause such Persons to be delivered over by the said High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs Tythingmen or other Parish Officers unto such Officer or Officers belonging to Her Majesty's Forces as shall be appointed to raise and receive such Men within every County Riding City or Place respectively

*III.  
Officers to pay Men  
and Constables, &c.  
and cause such to  
be paid to them  
in Presence of  
Justices, who are  
to issue Warrant*

And the respective Officers who shall receive such new raised Men shall out of the Levy Money pay to every Person so raised Twenty Shillings and to the Constable or other Officer employed in the raising of them any Sum not exceeding Ten Shillings a Man to be ascertained by the Justices and Magistrates authorized to put this Act in Execution and shall then cause the Fourteenth and Thirtieth and thirtieth Articles of War against Mutiny and Desertion to be read to them in the Presence of such Justices or Magistrates within Article Fourteenth No Man shall presume so far as to raise or cause the least Mutiny or Sedition in the Army upon Pain of Death And if any Number of Soldiers shall presume to assemble to take Counsel amongst themselves for the deserting

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> 1705 G.

<sup>3</sup> This is Chapter XI in the Commons printed Edition.

<sup>4</sup> Tythingmen G.

of their Pay or shall at any Time demand their Pay in a malicious Manner any inferior Officers army or otherwise shall suffer Death for it in the Heads and Engagements of such Malicious and Sedition Meetings And the Soldiers shall be punished with Death And if any Captain being Privy thereto shall not suppress the same or compel it he shall likewise be punished with Death Article Twenty Third All Officers [and] Soldiers that shall desert either in the Field upon a March to Quarters or in Garrison shall dye for it And all Soldiers shall be reputed and suffer as Deserters who shall be found a Mile from their Garrison or Camp without Leave from the Officer commanding in Chief Which said Justices or Magistrates shall cause an Enquiry or Memorial thereof to be made together with the Names of the Persons raised and a Certificate thereof in Writing under the Hands and Seals of such Justice or Magistrates to be delivered to the Officer appointed to receive them And from and about Payment of the said Twenty Shillings or Tender and Refusal thereof and reading the said Articles of War every Person so raised shall be deemed a listed Soldier in all Intents and Purposes and shall be subject to the Discipline of War and in case of Desertion shall be proceeded against tried and punished by Death or otherwise as a Deserter by any Law now in Force or by any Act to be made this Session of Parliament as to be proceeded against tried and punished

and Certificate thereof to be made.

From Time of Payment or Tender of m. in each Mth. they are to be deemed listed Soldiers.

Also for the Encouragement of fit and able Persons voluntarily to enter themselves in Her Majesties Service as is hereby further enacted and declared That the Officer who is to raise such Recruits shall out of the Levy Money heretofore pay to every Person who shall so voluntarily enter himself in Her Majesties Service the Sum of Forty Shillings and such Officer shall take a Discharge under the Hand of such Volunteer signed in the Presence of One or more Witnesses testifying his Payment of the said Forty Shillings And no Person so listed under the Hands and Seals of Those or more Justices of the Peace according to the true Meaning of this Act as aforesaid shall be liable to be taken out of Her Majesties Service by any Process other than for some Criminal Matter

IV. Officers to pay to Volunteers sum who are liable to meet for Criminal Process.

Further always and it is hereby declared That no Justice of the Peace or Magistrate which now hath or at any Time during the Continuance of this Act shall have any Military Office or Employment other than in the City of this Kingdom shall exercise any Power or Authority by this Act given to Justices of Peace or Magistrates as aforesaid

V. Justices being Military Employed, shall not be act.

Further also That this Act shall not extend to the taking or levying any Person to serve as a Soldier who hath any Vote in the Election of any Member or Members to serve in Parliament in any County City Borough Town Port or Place within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed

VI. Persons being levied, shall not be taken into Parliament.

Also be it further enacted That the Justices of Peace and Magistrates of every respective County Riding City or Place before whom any Persons shall be listed in pursuance of this Act do and shall at every General Quarter Sessions for such County Riding City or Place exhibit an Account under their Hands and Seals of the Names of the several Persons by them so listed at any Time preceding such respective General Quarter Sessions together with the Names of the Parishes from whence and [the] Parish Officers by whom and Times when such Persons were brought and listed and of the Names of the Officers to whom such Persons were delivered and of the Regiments and Companies to which such Officers belonged And that such Account shall be kept by the Clerk of the Peace of such County Riding City or Place among the Records thereof in which Accounts all Persons shall and may at all reasonable Times have free Access and Perusal without any Fee or Charge And the Clerk of the Peace for every such County Riding City or Place is hereby required from time to time within Twenty Days after such General Quarter Sessions to transmit true Copies and Duplicates thereof attested by himself into the Office of Her Majesties Secretary at War for the Time being to be compared with the Muster Rolls

VII. Persons exhibiting Mth. to give Account to Quarter Sessions, to be taken account of.

to be kept by Clerk of the Peace, and returned without Fee, who is to transmit Copy to Secretary of War

[Provided and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if One Justice or Two Justices of the Peace shall without the full Number of the Justices by this Act empowered levy any Man and deliver him over to any Officer under Colour of this Act such Justice or Justices offending thereby shall forfeit One hundred Pounds to the Party grieved.]

VIII. Justices without the full Number levying Men, to be fined.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Pleint Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance or in Execution of this Act such Person or Persons so sued in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue Not Guilty and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence And if the Plaintiff or Prosecutors shall become Nonsuit or forbear [further] Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendants shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in any Case where Costs by Law are given to Defendants

IX. In Actions for executing Act, General Issue may be pleaded.

Treble Costs

Also inasmuch as great Numbers of Harvest Labourers have [been] impert during the Time of Harvest and many others being under [an] Apprehension of being impert have absconded themselves whereby the Harvest hath been got in with great Difficulty and Charge and such few Harvest Men that did Work did

X. Persons for getting the Harvest.

<sup>1</sup> or G.

<sup>2</sup> inserted on the Roll.

<sup>3</sup> inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

Harvest Labourers  
except in towns  
inclosed.

provided they have  
a Certificate.

want encouraging Prices from their Masters for such their Work for the Provision thereof be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and five [until the Fire] and twentieth Day of September all Harvest Labourers and all Persons working in Hay Harvest and Corn Harvest Work in the Time aforesaid within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed shall not be arrested by virtue of this Act but shall be free and exempted from the same during the Time aforesaid provided they have a Certificate under the Hands and Seals of the Minister and Churchwardens of the Parish where they live allowed under the Hands and Seals of Two Justices of the Peace of the same County Riding City or Place.

## CHAPTER XL (\*)

For Part.  
§ 4. § 5. § 6. § 7. § 8.

AN ACT for the Relief of Thomas Pkinn a Bankrupt and for the apprehending of him and the Discovery of the Effects of the said Thomas Pkinn and his Accomplishes

Reasons for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS Thomas Pkinn late of London Linen Draper within Nine Months last past hath with the Aid and Assistance of divers Persons his Accomplishes obtained and gotten into his Possession from sundry Merchants Traders Clothiers and other his Creditors great Quantities of Woollen Cloth Linnen Cloth and diverse other Sorts of Goods Wares and Merchandises to the Value of Seventy thousand Pounds and upwards with leave to detain and detain all his said Creditors And whereas a Commission of Bankrupts under the Great Seal of England hath been awarded and issued out against the said Thomas Pkinn but he to prevent the Effect and Execution thereof hath withdrawn himself and fraudulently conveyed all his Goods and Effects into the Hands of his said Accomplishes who conceal the same which Practices are to [the] great undoing and ruin of many Families and the great Disconcoment of Trade for Remedies whereof and to discover and detect the said evil and fraudulent Practices Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if the said Thomas Pkinn shall sue on or before the Tenth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five surrender himself to the Commissioners named in the said Commission or some of them and submit to be examined from time to time upon Oath by and before the said Commissioners or the major Part of the Commissioners by the said Commission aforesaid and in all Things conform to the several Statutes already made concerning Bankrupts And also upon such Examination fully and truly declare and discover how and [in] what Manner and to whom and upon what Consideration he hath disposed sold or transferred any of his Goods Wares Merchandises Money or other Effects or Estate and all Books Papers and Writings relating thereto of which he the said Thomas Pkinn was possessed or in or to which he was any way interested or intitled or which any Person or Persons had or hath or here had in Trust for him or for his Use on the Ninth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four or at any Time since And also deliver up to the said Commissioners or the major Part of the Commissioners by the said Commission authorized all such Part of his the said Thomas Pkinn Goods Wares Merchandises Effects and Estate and all Books Papers and Writings relating thereto as at the Time of such Examination shall be in his Possession Custody or Power then he the said Thomas Pkinn in case of any Default or wilful Omittance therein and being thereof lawfully convicted by Indictment or Information shall suffer Imprisonment during the Term of his natural Life and shall be There Thence in every Year set in the Pillory for each Term and in such Places as the Court before whom such Conviction shall be shall adjudge fit and reasonable

Thomas Pkinn late  
of London Draper  
with fifty fifty  
and sundry other  
every honest  
Merchant.

Imprisonment for  
Life and Pillory.

II.  
Parties to grant  
Warrants for the  
Apprehension and  
Commitment of the  
said Thomas Pkinn.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for all and every the Justices of the Peace within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed and they are hereby required upon Application to them for that Purpose made to grant their Warrants under their Hands and Seals as well for the taking and apprehending the said Thomas Pkinn and him so often to commit to the Common Goal of the County where he shall be so taken and apprehended there to remain till he shall from thence be removed by Order of the said Commissioners or the major Part of the Commissioners by the said [Commissioners] authorized by Warrant under their Hands and Seals And the Goaler or Keeper to whose Custody the said Thomas Pkinn shall be committed is hereby required forthwith to give Notice unto the Master of the Inner Temple London Esquire one of the Commissioners in the said Commission named or some other of the said Commissioners of his the said Thomas Pkinn being in his Custody to the Intent the said Commissioners may send their Warrant to the said Goaler or Keeper (which they are hereby [required] forthwith to send) for the removing the said Thomas Pkinn to such Place as they shall think fit in order to such Examination and Discovery as aforesaid as also to take and seize any the Wares Goods Merchandises or Effects of the said Thomas Pkinn or any his Books Papers or Writings belonging to the same or any other his Real or Personal Estate

III.  
Persons by virtue  
of such Warrants  
may seize and  
search Houses, &c.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for all and every Person and Persons by virtue of such Warrants or of any Warrants under the Hands and Seals of the major Part of the said Commissioners in and by the said Commission authorized to demand to be admitted in

\* inserted in the Bill.

\* This is Chapter XL. in the Common Printed Editions.

\* Commission G.

the Day close into any House and Room where they or any of them shall have reason to believe or shall be informed the said Thomas Pitkin or any of his Goods Wares Merchandises Effects or his Books Papers or his Writings are And upon Refusal to be admitted into such House or Room in the Company of a Constable or other Peace Officer in the Day time to break or come to be broken upon the Doors or Locks of any such House or Room And the said Thomas Pitkin and all such Part of his Goods Chattels and Personal Estate Books Papers or Writings as shall be there found to seize take and carry away and the same to deliver to such Person or Persons as shall be by the said Commissioners authorized and empowered to receive the same And all and every Person and Persons who shall hinder or obstruct any of the Persons empowered by such Warrants as aforesaid in the due Execution thereof and being thereof lawfully convicted shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds for the Use of the said Creditors to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster by any [Person or Persons] who shall be appointed by the said Commissioners or the major Part of them to sue for the same whereas no Privilege Protection or Wager of Law or more than One Imparsonage shall be allowed

in the Discharge  
for the said Thomas  
Pitkin and his  
Books, &c. to  
meet the same.

Charging such  
Persons,  
Twenty Shill.

And for the better Discovery and detecting of the said evil and fraudulent Practices it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons who have been Accomplishers or had any Dealings with or have been privy to any the Dealings of the said Thomas Pitkin since the said Ninth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four or that know of or conceal any Hidden Goods Wares Merchandises Effects or Effects of the said Thomas Pitkin or wherein or whereunto he is interested or involved or any Books Papers or Writings relating to the same do and shall on or before the said Tenth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five discover the same to the said Commissioners or some of them and do and shall submit themselves to be examined upon Oath by and before the said Commissioners or the major Part of the Commissioners by the said Commissioners authorized And upon such Examination or Examination shall produce and lay before the said Commissioners or the major Part of them all the Books of Accounts Deeds Writings and Papers which they or any of them or any Person or Persons in Trust for them then have or on the said Ninth Day of May in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four or at any Time since had in his or their Hands Custody or Power relating to or concerning any Goods Wares Merchandises Money or other Effects or Effects or Effects bought of or had or received from or paid said assigned or delivered to the said Thomas Pitkin or any other Person or Persons by the Order or on the Account of or in Trust for the said Thomas Pitkin to be perused and examined by the said Commissioners or the major Part of the Commissioners authorized by the said Commission as far as the same relate to or concern the said Thomas Pitkin or his Effects or Effects or Effects or any of their Dealings or Transactions with him And also upon such Examination shall fully and truly declare and discover all such Dealings and Transactions as have been between them and the said Thomas Pitkin since the said Ninth Day of May touching or concerning the buying selling paying receiving assigning transferring or disposing of any Part of the Goods Wares Merchandises Money or other Effects or Effects or Effects or Effects belonging to the said Thomas Pitkin or of the Books Papers or Writings relating to the same And all and every such Person and Persons who shall refuse or neglect to be examined or make such Discovery and to produce and lay their said Books of Accounts Papers and Writings before the said Commissioners or the major Part of them to be perused and examined in order to such Discovery at such Time or Times as shall be appointed by the said Commissioners or the major Part of them shall or may be convicted by the said Commissioners or the major Part of them by Warrant under their Hands and Seals to the Gaol of that County where such Person or Persons shall inhabit there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until he she or they shall submit to such Examination and produce their said Books Papers and Writings as aforesaid And if any Person or Persons at any Time aforesaid within the Space of Two Years from the said Tenth Day of June by Inducement or Information be lawfully convicted of being privy and aiding to the said Thomas Pitkin in his said fraudulent Dealings and Practices or of concealing any Part of the Estate of the said Thomas Pitkin or any Books Papers or Writings belonging to the same every such Person and Persons shall forfeit and pay to the Use of the Creditors of the said Thomas Pitkin the Sum of Two hundred Pounds and also Double the Value of all such Wares Merchandises Money or other Effects or Effects which shall be recovered or concealed by them to be recovered in Manner aforesaid and to be distributed in like Manner as any Part of the Estate of the said Thomas Pitkin is by the Laws now in being to be distributed and divided

IV.  
Accomplices, &c.  
aforesaid.

and including  
Dealings, &c.  
between them and  
the said Thomas  
Pitkin.

Persons refusing to  
be examined or con-  
cealing to County  
Gaol.

Persons convicted  
of aiding the said  
Thomas Pitkin.

Penalty.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall be deemed and taken to be and is hereby declared to be a Publick Act of Parliament of which all Judges Justices and other Persons are to take Notice

V.  
Public Act.

And in case any Action shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person for what he shall do in pursuance of the Powers hereby granted such Person shall and may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence and the Defendant shall in case the Plaintiff be entitled or discontinues his Action or a Verdict pass against the Plaintiff recover his Double Costs of Suit

VI.  
In Action for  
conveying Act,  
General Issue,  
Double Costs

## CHAPTER XI. (1)

AN ACT for prohibiting all Trade and Commerce with France

See Part.  
244. An Act c. 7.  
Enacted the passing  
the Act.

Commodities  
being mentioned

(Exception)  
not to be insisted  
during the present  
War

Proviso

II.  
Proviso that  
trading vessels, &c.  
any Ship, &c.  
Registration  
defunct and  
Proviso, &c.  
continued

III.  
Proviso for Goods  
being the purchase  
before 1704

IV.  
Proviso for Trade  
with Spain.

V.  
Arms, Ordnance,  
&c. not to be  
covered by Spain,  
not to be used in

WHEREAS it hath been found by long Experience that the bringing in of French Wines Vinegar Brandy  
Linen Silk Salt Paper and other the Commodities of the Growth Produce or Manufacture of France  
or of the Territories or Dominions of the French King hath much encreased the Treasure of this Nation lessened  
the Value of the Native Commodities and Manufactures thereof and greatly impoverished the English Artificers  
and Handicrafts and caused great Discontent to the Kingdom in general Be it therefore enacted by the Queens  
most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons  
in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Five and  
twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five none of the Commodities  
aforesaid or any other Goods or Commodities whatsoever of the Growth Produce or Manufacture of any of the  
Dominions or Territories of the French King or any Goods Commodities or Manufactures made of or made  
with Silk Thread Wool Hair Gold Silver Leather or other Goods or Commodities being of the Growth Produce  
or Manufacture of any the Dominions or Territories of the French King (excepting Goods taken as Prize and  
condemned as such in the High Court of Admiralty of England or ordered by the said Court before Condemnation  
to be sold as perishable; wherein the said Court is lawfully directed to proceed in the same Manner as at any  
Time before the making of this Act) shall during the present War with France be imported in any Ship or  
Vessel whatsoever into any Port Haven Creek or other Place whatsoever in the Kingdom of England or Ireland  
the Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed or into of Jersey Guernsey Alderney Sark or into  
of Men from any Port or Place whatsoever either near or remote with any Commodity of the Growth or Produce  
of any other Nation Place or Country whatsoever under the Penalty of the Forfeiture of all such Goods and  
Commodities and of the Ship or Vessel in which they shall be imported with the Knowledge Privy or Consent  
of the Master with all her Guns Tackle Furniture Ammunition and Appurtenances His Majesty His  
Heirs and Successors and the other Majesty to him or them who shall arise reform or sue for the same in  
any Court of Record by Bill Information Plea or other Action where no Foreign Protection or Writ of Habeas  
shall be allowed

And to prevent collusion fraudulent or clandestine Imports by Privateers be it enacted by the Authority  
aforesaid That if any Privateer or Privateers shall by Consent or clandestinely or by Collusion seize or take  
any Ship or Vessel whatsoever upon due Proof thereof to be made in the Court of Admiralty the Bad or  
Recognition given in the said Court by or on the Behalf of such Privateer at the taking out of his Commission  
shall be pronounced and declared by the said Court to be forfeited and the Privateer Ship itself with all her  
Appurtenances Guns Tackle Ammunition and Goods on board as also the Merchant Ship or Vessel that shall  
be so seized with her Appurtenances and Lading upon Proof as aforesaid shall be condemned as [Good &c.]  
lawful Prize and after Condemnation and Sale thereof the [Person or Persons] discounting and procuring the  
same shall have One Third Part of the Net Produce for his or their Encouragement

[Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to extend to prohibit or hinder any of His  
Majesties Subjects who shall make Proof on Oath before One of the Barons of Her Majesties Court of  
Exchequer that they had on or before the First Day of January One thousand seven hundred and four sold  
and bona fide bought or contracted for by him or their Order by their Factors or Agents any French Wines  
any Place or Place in Anno with Her Majesty from whence any such Wines might by Law be imported before  
the passing of this Act from importing such Wine so really and bona fide bought or contracted for into any  
Port in England or Wales in English built Shipping only and navigated according to Law so as the said Wine  
be imported on or before the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and five Any thing contained in  
this Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

Provided That nothing in this or any other Act contained shall be construed to extend to prohibit or hinder  
any of His Majesties Subjects from trading with the Subjects of Spain but that it shall and may be lawful for  
His Majesties said Subjects to trade with the said Subjects of Spain Any thing herein or in any other Law to  
the contrary notwithstanding]

Provided always That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to extend to permit or allow the  
carrying of any Arms offensive or defensive Ordnance Stores Powder Match Ballers Pitch Tar Hemp  
Masts Cordage Iron Salt Petre Gunpowder Souldiers Habilities and other Utensils and Implements of War to any Port or  
Place belonging to the Crown of Spain nor to permit or allow any Trade in any Manner whatsoever with the  
Subjects of Spain for the transportation of Goods and Merchandise

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XIII. in the Common printed Editions

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

<sup>3</sup> inserted in the Act



## CHAPTER XIII. (')

An Act to prevent all traitorous Correspondence with Her Majesties Enemies.

FOR preventing all traitorous Correspondence with the French King or his Subjects' and supplying them with Articles or other Stores Be it declared and enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if at any Time after the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five any Person or Persons shall during the Continuance of the present War with France send or load or transport or deliver or cause to be sent or laden or transported or delivered unto or for the Use of the said French King or any of His Subjects residing within his Dominions or any Town or Territory in his Possession or into or for any Port or Place within his said Dominions any Armes Ordnance Powder Ballist Powder Tack Heavy Mains Carriage Iron or Salt Petre every Person or Persons so offending and being thereof convicted or attainted by due Course of Law shall be deemed declared and adjudged to be a Traitor [or'] Traitors and suffer the Pains of Death and shall loose and forfeit as in Cases of High Treason.

And be it further enacted That if any of Her Majesties Subjects who have at any Time since the Fourth Day of May in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign voluntarily gone into France or any of the French Kings Dominions or Escape without Licence from Her Majesty or who have at any Time since the said Fourth Day of May in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign borne Arms in the Service of the French King either by Sea or Land shall at any Time after the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five return into this Kingdom of England or any other Her Majesties Dominions without Licence from Her Majesty under Her Privy Seale every Person so offending and being thereof lawfully convicted or attainted shall be taken deemed and adjudged to be guilty of High Treason and shall suffer Penalties as in Case of High Treason.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person who since the said Fourth Day of May in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign went into France or any of the French Kings Dominions without Licence from Her Majesty or hath been in Arms under the French King either by Sea or Land hath returned into this Realm without Licence from Her Majesty every such Person shall before the said First Day of May obtaine Her Majesties Licence under Her Privy Seale for staying here and in case such Person shall not depart this Realm on or before the said First Day of May or shall after such Departure returne into this Realm without Her Majesties Licence as aforesaid every such Person so offending being thereof lawfully convicted shall be taken deemed and adjudged to be guilty of High Treason and shall suffer Penalties as in Case of High Treason.

And be it further enacted That if any of Her Majesties Subjects shall from & after the said Five & twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred & five during the Continuance of this present War with France without Licence from Her Majesty voluntarily goe or repair or embark in any Vessel with an Intent to goe into France or any Dominions of the French King and be thereof convicted or attainted by due Course of Law every such Person shall be taken deemed and adjudged to be guilty of High Treason and shall suffer as in Case of High Treason.

And be it further enacted That where any of the Offences against this Act shall be committed out of this Realm or if any Person or Persons shall be guilty of committing or concealing within this Realm contrary to the Statutes herein before made every such Offence may be assigned and laid enquired of and tried in any County of this Realm.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons who shall hereafter be accused indicted or prosecuted for any thing made or declared Treason by this Act shall be referred to the Benefit of the Act of Parliament made in the Seventh Year of [the Reign'] His late Majesty King William the Third entitled An Act for regulating [of'] Tryalls in Cases of Treason and Misprison of Treason.

See Parl.  
Stat. 13, c. 13, § 1.

Reading Armes,  
Ordnance, &c.  
during the War,  
into the Dominions  
of the French King.

Death.

II.  
Persons who since  
the 4th May,  
1 Anne, have gone  
into France, or  
borne Arms in the  
Service of the  
French King,  
returning without  
Licence.

High Treason.

III.  
Such Persons as  
departing the  
Realm before the  
1st May, or after  
Departure  
returning without  
Licence.

High Treason.

IV.  
Going on board  
any Vessel for  
France, &c. during  
the War, without  
Licence.

High Treason.

V.  
Where Offences  
to be tried.

VI.  
Persons accused  
under this Act may  
have the Benefit of  
Stat. 7 W. III. c. 1.

\* This is Chapter XIV. in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted in the Bill.

## CHAPTER XIV. (C)

See Part  
3d & 4th p. 309

An Act for [the] Relief of Felix Esau Gent<sup>l</sup> and others who had elapsed their Times either for paying their [Mortgages] or securing their Numbers for paying Part of his Purchase Money for a Fortified House in Ireland and also for Relief of Dorothy Ireland and others in respect of several Tickets for Payment of Annuities &c. of several Millions Lottery (\*) Tickets and Exchequer Bills and Debentures to the Army which have been taken or lost

Reasons for passing  
this Act.  
Stat. 3 & 4 Ann.  
c. 13

WHEREAS Felix Esau Gentleman in pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in the Second Year of His Majesty King William the Third in carrying on the Wars and other His Majesty's Occasions by selling Annuities at several Rates and for such respective Terms (and) Estates as are therein mentioned contributed and paid into His Majesty's Exchequer on or before the respective Dates or Times appointed for the Payment thereof the Sum of Two hundred and forty Pounds for purchasing an Annuity of Twenty Pounds per Annum for Three Lives & intended that the said Annuity should be for the Lives of him the said Felix Esau Anne his Wife and Anne their Daughters and likewise paid the further Sum of One hundred and eighty Pounds for purchasing another Annuity of Twenty Pounds per Annum for One Life in the Name of Elizabeth Esau Spenser One other of his Daughters by a former Wife intending that the aforesaid Annuity of Twenty Pounds [per Annum] should be for the Life and early Benefit of his said Daughter Elizabeth Esau

And whereas Thomas Bernardine Gentleman in pursuance of the said Act contributed and paid into His Majesty's Exchequer on or before the respective Dates or Times appointed for the Payment thereof the Sum of Two hundred and seventy Pounds for purchasing an Annuity of Thirty Pounds per Annum for One Life and intended that the said Annuity should be for the early Benefit of himself during his own Life

And whereas Mary Gibson Widow in pursuance of the said Act contributed and paid into His Majesty's Exchequer on or before the respective Dates or Times appointed for the Payment thereof Two hundred and twenty Pounds for purchasing an Annuity of (\*\*) Two Lives and intended that the said Annuity should be for the Lives of her the said Mary Gibson and Benjamin Maria Gibson her Daughters although the said last mentioned Annuity of Twenty Pounds was by Mistake entered in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt as if the said Mary Gibson and Benjamin Mary her Daughters had been separate Contributors for Two Annuities of Twenty Pounds per Annum for Two Lives each

And whereas Mary Hightest Spinster in pursuance of the said Act contributed and paid into His Majesty's Exchequer on or before the respective Dates or Times appointed for the Payment thereof the Sum of Ninety Pounds for purchasing an Annuity of Two Pounds per Annum for One Life and intended that the said Annuity should be for the Life and sole Use and Benefit of her the said Mary Hightest the Payment of all which Sum and Sum of Money by the several and respective Contributors being the full Consideration Money for purchasing the respective Annuities herein before mentioned on or before the respective Dates or Times limited by the said Act being certified by the Auditor of the Receipt and by their several and respective Vouchers importing the Payment thereof

And whereas the said Felix Esau Elizabeth Esau Thomas Bernardine Mary Gibson and Mary Hightest having either through Mistake and Inadvertence of themselves by reason of their being in the Country or by the Negligence or Omission of their respective Agents by whose Hands their respective Contribution Money was paid in elapsed the precise Day limited by the said Act for securing and declaring their several and respective Numbers for their several and respective Annuities whereby in Statutes of the Law they and every of them have been and are deprived of the Benefit and Advantage intended by the said Act in such Contributions

And whereas John Holland of London Gentleman (in pursuance of the said Act) on or about the Sixth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and three paid into His Majesty's Exchequer the Sum of One hundred and twenty Pounds being One Third Part of Three hundred and sixty Pounds for purchasing an Annuity of Forty Pounds per Annum for One Life

And whereas John Leacock Gentleman (in pursuance of the said Act) on or about the Twenty fourth Day of the Month of February aforesaid paid into His Majesty's Exchequer the Sum of Thirty Pounds (being One Third Part of Ninety Pounds) for purchasing an Annuity of Ten Pounds per Annum for One Life

And whereas the said John Holland and John Leacock (did by virtue of a Clause in that Purpose in the said Act) by Two several Instruments in Writing bearing Date the Sixth and Seventh Days of April One thousand seven hundred and four assign all their Right Title and Interest in the said several Sums of One hundred and twenty Pounds and Thirty Pounds unto Samuel Cooke of Plymouth Gent<sup>l</sup> his Executors Administrators and Assigns And whereas the said Samuel Cook (by Reason of a violent Fit of Sickness in the Country) was prevented sending and paying the Second Payment of the Purchase Money for both the said Annuities until Two Years after the

\* This is Chapter XV. in the Common printed Editions. \* O says. \* Money 0 \*\* and Mail Lottery \* O is King's Printer Copy-  
\* is O. \* is not in the Bill. \* Twenty Pounds per Annum for " O. & King's Printer Copy-

preſent Day limited by the ſaid Act for the Payment thereof and then the ſame was not accepted whereby in  
 Sentence of the Law the ſaid First Payments of One hundred and twenty Pounds and Thirty Pounds contributed  
 to ſubſiſt for purchaſing both the ſaid Annuities are ſet off to Her Maſtie. Notwithſtanding for Remedy thereof  
 he is directed by the Queens moſt Excellent Maſtie by and with the Advice and Conſent of the Lords Spiritual  
 and Temporal and Commons in Parliament aſſembled and by the Authority of the ſame That the ſaid  
 Felice Emme or ſuch as hee ſhall appoint his her or their Executors Adminiſtrators and Assigns ſhall have  
 receive and enjoy and be entitled by virtue of this Act to [ſuch] receive and enjoy the Annuity of Twenty  
 Pounds per Annum purchaſed by him for Three Lives as aforeſaid and have an Order for Payment thereof for  
 and during the Life of him the ſaid Felice Emme and of Anne his Wife and of Anne the Daughter of them the  
 ſaid Felice and Anne

Felice Emme to  
 have the Annuity.

And that the ſaid Elizabeth Emme One other Daughter of the ſaid Felice by a former Wife or ſuch as [he']  
 ſhall appoint his her or their Executors Adminiſtrators and Assigns ſhall have receive and enjoy and be entitled  
 to have receive and enjoy the Annuity of Twenty ['] per Annum purchaſed in her Name as the Contributor for  
 One Life and have an Order for Payment thereof for and during the Life of her the ſaid Elizabeth Emme

II.  
 Elizabeth Emme.

And that the ſaid Thomas Barnardſon or ſuch as hee ſhall appoint his her or their Executors Adminiſtrators  
 and Assigns ſhall have receive and enjoy and be entitled to have receive and enjoy the Annuity of Thirty Pounds  
 per Annum purchaſed by him for One Life and have an Order for Payment thereof for and during the Life of  
 him the ſaid Thomas Barnardſon

III.  
 Thomas Bar-  
 nardſon

And that the ſaid Mary Gibbon or ſuch as ſhee ſhall appoint his her or their Executors [Adminiſtrators] and  
 Assigns ſhall have receive and enjoy and be entitled to have receive and enjoy the Annuity of Twenty Pounds  
 per Annum purchaſed by the ſaid Mary Gibbon for Two Lives and have an Order for the Payment thereof for  
 and during the Lives of her the ſaid Mary Gibbon and of Beſſament Maria her Daughter the which ſhee  
 ſucceeded Annuity of Twenty Pounds per Annum being in lieu of the Two Annuities of Ten Pounds p Annum  
 for Two Lives each for which the ſaid Mary Gibbon and Beſſament Maria Gibbon were by Minſter ſworn [Laws]  
 the Author of the Receipts Books as ſeveral Contributors

IV.  
 Mary Gibbon

And that the ſaid Mary Hightree or ſuch as ſhee ſhall appoint his her or their Executors Adminiſtrators and  
 Assigns ſhall have receive and enjoy and be entitled to have receive and enjoy the Annuity of Tenne Pounds per  
 Annum purchaſed by her as aforeſaid and have an Order for the Payment thereof for and during her owne Life

V  
 Mary Hightree.

And that in case the ſaid Samuel Cooke do pay or cause to be paid into Her Maſties Exchequer on or  
 before the Yeath Day of March One thouſand ſeven hundred and four the Summe of Three hundred Pounds  
 being the ſumming Two Third Parts of the [ſaid] Conſideration Money for purchaſing both the ſaid Annuities  
 of Forty Pounds and Tenne Pounds per Annum for One Life beforeſet forth that then he the ſaid Samuel  
 Cooke or ſuch as he ſhall appoint his her or their Executors Adminiſtrators or Assigns ſhall have receive and  
 enjoy and be entitled by virtue of this Act to have receive and enjoy the Benefit of the ſaid Annuities of  
 Forty Pounds and Ten Pounds per Annum purchaſed by him of the ſaid John Holland and John Leacock  
 in Wiſdom as aforeſaid for and during the Life of him the ſaid Samuel Cooke And that upon Payment of the  
 [ſaid] Summe of Three hundred Pounds within the Time hereby limited for Payment thereof ſhall have Talles  
 as Talles levied impugning the Payment of ſuch Conſideration Money and have Orders for the Payment of ſuch  
 Annuities according to the Courſe of the Exchequer in that Behalf pursuant to the ſaid Act

VI  
 Samuel Cook

And the true Intent and Meaning of this Act is that the ſaid Felice Emme Elizabeth Emme Thomas Barnardſon  
 Mary Gibbon and Mary Hightree each and every of them or ſuch as hee ſhe or they reſpectively ſhall appoint  
 their and every of their reſpective Executors Adminiſtrators and Assigns ſhall have receive and enjoy and be  
 entitled to have receive and enjoy by virtue of this Act their ſeverall and reſpective Annuities purchaſed by them  
 as aforeſaid and have Orders for Payment of the ſame together with all the [Benefit] and Advantages whoſomever  
 mentioned and intended to ſuch Contributors by the ſaid Act to commence from the Five and twentieth Day of  
 March One thouſand ſeven hundred and four for and during ſuch reſpective Tenne Years or Interval for One  
 Two and Three Lives as they the ſaid Felice Emme Elizabeth Emme Thomas Barnardſon Mary Gibbon and Mary  
 Hightree he ſhe or they would or ought reſpectively to have had in case they had not choſen the Time  
 limited for ſumming and declaring their reſpective Number for their ſeverall and reſpective Annuities And that  
 the ſaid Samuel Cook or ſuch as he ſhall appoint his her or their Executors Adminiſtrators or Assigns upon  
 Payment of the ſaid Summe of Three hundred Pounds in Manner and Form as aforeſaid ſhall have and be  
 entitled to have receive and enjoy the ſaid Annuities of Forty Pounds and Tenne Pounds p Annum to commence  
 from the ſaid Five and twentieth Day of March One thouſand ſeven hundred and four for and during his  
 owne Life together with all the Benefits and Advantages whoſomever mentioned and intended to ſuch Contributors  
 Any Infringement or Obſtacle in the ſaid Persons or any of them or any Claſſe or Province in the ſaid Act  
 or of any other Matter or Thing whoſomever therein contained contrary to the true Intent and Meaning of this  
 preſent Act in any wiſe notwithstanding.

VII  
 The ſaid ſeveral  
 Perſons to have  
 Orders for  
 Payment, &c.

<sup>1</sup> Intended on the Roll.  
 Adminiſtrators

<sup>2</sup> the D  
 in G

<sup>3</sup> "Pounds" D & King's Printer Copy.  
 "Summe" G

VIII.  
Reason for giving  
the Enactment.

The Time for Pay-  
ment of such Pur-  
chase Money being  
in the County of  
Cork enlarged.

And whereas Sir John Mead of the Kingdom of Ireland Knight and Baronet hath elapsed his Time for Payment of the last Payment of his Purchase Money for the Lands of Knocknagall Sheet Castle and other Lands in the County of Cork in the said Kingdom being Parts of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland sold in the late Tenures for Sale directed by Reason whereof the Conveyance for such Estates became void Forfeiture thereof he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Time by the former Acts limited for Payment of such Purchase Money being on or before the First and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four be and is hereby enlarged unto the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and five and that upon Payment thereof on or before the [said] First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and five the Conveyance for the Premises shall be as good and effectual as if such Payment had been made on or before the said First and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four such Payment to be made with Interest after the Rate of Eight per Cent per Annum and to be accepted in any the Manner Debtors are regulated Bills or Tickets made current in the Purchase of the said Forfeited Estates and on Payment thereof such Estates and Indemnities shall be made thereof as in the former Act for that Purpose is directed

IX.  
Persons the Destroy-  
ers of the said  
Malt Tickets being  
by the Act in  
Windsor in the  
Year 1697

And whereas Dorothy Ireland of the Parish of Saint Margaret's Westminster Widow was possessed of some Tickets commonly called Malt Lottery Tickets [which said Tickets] at the dreadful Fire which happened at Whitehall on the Fourth Day of January [in the Year of our Lord] One thousand six hundred ninety and seven were burnt lost or otherwise destroyed he it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the Officer or Officers appointed to pay and discharge the said Malt Lottery Tickets on producing a Certificate from the Baron of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer or any of them in an Affidavit made before him or any of them of the Numbers of the said Tickets so burnt or otherwise destroyed which Affidavit the Baron or any of them is and are [burdy] authorized to take and which Certificate he or they are hereby required to grant without Fee or Reward and on Security given to the said Officer in his good liking to indemnify him against all other Persons whatsoever for or concerning the Monies contained in such Tickets which was or shall be due thereon to pay and discharge the same and the said Officer is hereby required to pay and discharge the said Tickets with all Interest due thereon as the same is or shall be due as if the said Tickets had been produced and shall be allowed such Payments in his Accounts Any thing in this or any other Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

X.  
Recited Stat.  
1 W & M c. 9.  
17

And whereas in and by One Act made in the Fifth Year of the Reigne of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary of blessed Memory entitled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain Rates and Duties upon Salt and upon Beer Ale and other Liquors for raising certain Revenues and Advancements in the said Act mentioned to such Persons as shall voluntarily advance the Sum of Ten hundred thousand Pounds towards carrying on the War against France it is [amongst other Things] enacted That the Sum of One hundred and forty thousand Pounds should be a yearly Fund for answering the Annuities therein mentioned And whereas certain Tickets were issued out to the Proprietors of the said Annuities many of which Tickets are since burnt lost or otherwise destroyed whereby the said Proprietors are in Danger of losing their Money contained in such Tickets he it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where it shall happen by Affidavit to be made on or before the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and five before any of the Barons of the Exchequer That any Ticket or Tickets for any Payment or Payments on the said Annuities is or are incurred or become due in or are burnt destroyed or otherwise lost before the Sixth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four it shall and may be lawful for the Officer or Officers appointed to pay and discharge the said Annuities on producing a Certificate from the said Baron of such Affidavit made before him which Affidavit the Baron or any One of them is and are hereby authorized to take and which Certificate he or they are hereby required to grant without Fee or Reward and on Security given to the said Officer in his good liking to indemnify him against all Persons whatsoever for or concerning the Monies contained or specified in such Ticket or Tickets or which was due thereon he the said Officer is hereby required to pay and discharge the said Annuities by the said Tickets incurred and given due as aforesaid as if the said Tickets had been produced and shall be allowed such Payments in his Accounts Any thing in this or any other Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

XI.  
The Act in 16  
97 for the  
Malt Lottery  
Tickets, the  
Malt Tickets, the  
Act or otherwise  
directed

And whereas several Tickets commonly called Malt Lottery Tickets and Malt Lottery Tickets which are all copied and several Bills called Exchequer Bills not yet discharged since divers Sorts of Bills or Certificates commonly called Debtors made forth for Annuities due to the Army and for Transport Services not being applied to the purchasing of any of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland or otherwise discharged are by a Casualty or Misadventure lost burnt or otherwise destroyed he it hereby further enacted That in all Cases where it shall appear by Affidavit to be made before any of the Barons of the Exchequer for the Time being that any such Tickets Bills or Debtors are aforesaid before the Sixth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four have been and are lost burnt or otherwise destroyed it shall and may be lawful for the respective Officers or Persons appointed to issue and make forth the said Tickets Bills or Debtors to pay and discharge the same or so much any Money due and payable thereon upon the producing a Certificate from any of the said Barons of such Affidavit made before him (which Affidavit the said Baron or any of them is and are hereby authorized to take and which Certificate he or they are hereby required to make and grant without Fee or Reward) and on Security

given to the said respective Officers and Persons in their good liking to indemnify them respectively against all other Persons whatsoever for or concerning the Monies specified in or due upon such respective Ticket or Tickets Bill or Bills Debetum or Debetum they the said Officers and Persons respectively shall and are hereby required to make forth Duplicates thereof at the Request of the respective Owners and to pay and discharge the said Tickets Bills and Debetum and all such Interest as is or shall be due thereon respectively as he or they should have paid and discharged the original Bills Tickets or Debetum or the Interest due or to be due thereon if the same had been produced and shall be allowed the same in their respective Accounts and if there shall not be any proper Officers or Persons to make forth Duplicates of such Tickets Bills Certificates or Debetum the High Treasurer of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or the Commissioners of the Treasury or any Three of them for the Time being shall and are hereby authorized and required upon such Affidavit and Security as aforesaid to order and direct Duplicates of such Tickets Bills and Debetum to be made forth in such Manner as he or they shall judge to be best. Any thing in this or any other Act of Parliament contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

## CHAPTER IV.(\*)

An Act for raising the Militia for the Year One thousand seven hundred and five although the Months Pay formerly advanced be not repaid.

Stat. Part  
3 & 4 Anne, c. 2.  
s. 10.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Years of the Reigne of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for ordering the Forces in the several Counties of this Kingdom it was amongst other Things enacted that in case of Invasion Inturrections or Rebellions whereby Occasion should be to draw out the Soldiers mentioned and appointed in and by the said Act into actual Service the Persons charged by the said Act with Horses Horsesmen and Arms should provide each their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Months Pay as should be in that Behalf directed by the respective Lieutenants of the several Counties and in their Absence or otherwise by their Directions by their Deputies or any Two or more of them for Repayment of which said Monies for Satisfaction of the Officers for their Pay during such Time not exceeding One Month as aforesaid as they should be with their Soldiers in actual Service it was thereby declared that Provision should be made for the same by His said Majesty His Heirs and Successors out of His or Their publick Treasury or Revenue nevertheless it was thereby further provided and enacted that in case a Months Pay should be provided and advanced as aforesaid that not Person who should have advanced his Proportion thereof should be charged with any other like Months Payment until he or they should be reimbursed the said Months Pay and so from time to time the said Months Pay by him or them last before provided and advanced as aforesaid. And whereas upon the Invasion of the County of this Kingdom by the French it was found necessary for the publick Defence and Safety to draw out the [said] Soldiers into actual Service and to charge the said Persons to provide each their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand although the Months Pay by several of them before that Time provided and advanced was not nor could be advanced. And whereas it may be necessary for the publick Safety and Defence of this Realm to draw the said Forces into actual Service he is therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if at any Time before the Four and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and Six it shall be found by Her Majesty to be necessary for the Defence and Safety of this Kingdom to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and the same shall be declared and signified to the respective Lieutenants or Deputy Lieutenants and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants by Her Majesty it shall be lawful for the said Lieutenants or their Deputies or any Two or more of them as aforesaid and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants in pursuance of such Orders from Her Majesty notwithstanding One or more Months Pay before that Time advanced be not reimbursed to raise and draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to cause the Persons charged as aforesaid to provide each their Soldier with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Months Pay in such Manner as if all the Pay before that Time advanced and repaid [had] his fully reimbursed & paid

Recd of Stat  
14 Geo. 2. c. 3. s. 6

Reason for paying  
the Expenses

Lieutenants of  
Counties, &c. may  
draw out Soldiers  
though pay for  
Money advanced  
not repaid

\* This is Chapter XVII. in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted in the Roll.

CHAPTER XVI<sup>C</sup>

AN ACT for making perpetual an Act for the more easy Recovery of Small Tithes and also an Act for the more easy obtaining Partition of Lands in Coparcenary Joint Tenancy and Tenancy in Common and also for making more effectual and amending several Acts relating to the Remedy of Juries

See Stat. 1<sup>st</sup> W. III. c. 6. continued by Stat. 10 W. III. c. 10.

See Stat. 1<sup>st</sup> W. III. c. 6. continued by Stat. 10 W. III. c. 10.

made perpetual.

See Stat. 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>d</sup> W. III. c. 25.

made perpetual.

III. Stat. 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>d</sup> W. III. c. 25. continued by Stat. 10 W. III. c. 10.

continued by Stat. 10 W. III. c. 10.

and which was continued by Stat. 1<sup>st</sup> Ann. c. 5. c. 12. 14.

Sherriff of Yorkshire neglecting, for so long Register, for so long (which Act of 4 W. III. c. 25. directed)

as to deliver such Registry and such other Books and Records directed to the Sheriff

as to make and deliver Certificates

Protest after

IV. Stat. 1<sup>st</sup> Ann. c. 5. continued by Stat. 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>d</sup> W. III. c. 25. continued by Stat. 10 W. III. c. 10.

WHEREAS divers temporary Laws which by Experience have been found beneficial and useful are expired by & with the (") and Consent of the Lords Spiritual & Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That an Act made in the Session of Parliament held in the seventh and eighth Years of the Reign of the late King William the Third intitled An Act for the more easy recovery of Small Tithes which was to continue for Three Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament which Act was further continued by an Act made in the Tenth and Eleventh Years of the Reign of [the said<sup>1</sup>] King William the Third for Seven Years from the Expiration thereof which will expire at the End of the next Session of Parliament after the Year One thousand seven hundred and five shall be and is hereby continued and shall be in force and be made perpetual

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That an Act made in the Session of Parliament held in the Eighth and Ninth Years of His said late Majesty [King William the Third<sup>2</sup>] intitled An Act for the more easy obtaining Partition of Land in Coparcenary Joint Tenancy and Tenancy in Common which will expire at the End of the next Session of Parliament after the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and five shall be and is hereby continued and shall be in force and be made perpetual

And whereas in an Act made in the Session of Parliament held in the Fourth and Fifth Years of the late King William and Queen Mary [intitled An Act for settling & continuing &c<sup>3</sup>] expiring several Laws then made which are expired and near expiring there are several good Clauses & provisions relating to the returning of Juries which Clauses & provisions were [by the said Act<sup>4</sup>] to continue in force for Seven (") Years after the First of May One thousand six hundred ninety three and to the End of the next Session of Parliament And whereas the said Clauses & provisions relating to the returning of Juries was by [the said<sup>5</sup>] Act made in the Seventh & Eighth Years of the late King William the Third intitled An Act for the more easy recovery of Small Tithes continued for Seven Years from the First of May One thousand six hundred ninety three and to the End of the next Session of Parliament and also to continue but for the said Term of Seven Years from the First of May One thousand six hundred ninety three and six and to the End of the next Session of Parliament And whereas the said Act made in the said Session of Parliament held in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the late King William the Third was by an Act made in the First Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty intitled (An Act for continuing former Acts for expiring Leases and for Ease of Juries and for settling and making more effectual an Act relating to Wagers) continued for Seven Years from the Expiration thereof and to the End of the next Session of Parliament And whereas the said Clauses Provisions and Act have not proved effectual by reason of some Defects in the said Act for Remedy whereof Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Sheriff of the said County of York shall after the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and five during the Continuance of the said Act refuse or neglect [to give &c] keep such Book or Register as in the said recited Act is directed or shall refuse or neglect (") to enter therein the Names of the Persons who served as Juries in any the Assizes or General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held in or for the said County or any the Holdings therein in or during the Term he shall be Sheriff of the said County with the Addition and Places of Abode and Time and Place of such their Services in such Manner as in and by the said recited Act is directed or shall refuse or neglect within Ten Days after the [said<sup>6</sup>] succeeding Sheriff of the said County shall be sworn into his Office to deliver over to such succeeding Sheriff as well all and every the Books and Registers that shall be made or prepared in the Year wherein he shall have served Sheriff as also all such other Books or Registers as were prepared in the Sheriffwick of any of his Predecessors Sheriffs of the said County within Four Years then next before and which was delivered over to him by any of his [said<sup>7</sup>] Predecessors or shall refuse or neglect to make and deliver by himself or his Undersheriff such Certificate gratis as in the said recited Act is mentioned that then every such Sheriff of the said County of York so refusing or neglecting in all or any the [said<sup>8</sup>] Cases aforesaid shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of One hundred [Pounds<sup>9</sup>] One Shilling whereof shall be to the Use of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors and the other Moiety to such Person or Persons as shall sue for the same in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster by Action (") Bill Plea or Indentment wherein no Excessive Protection or Wages of Law nor more than One Imparlance shall be allowed

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any such Sheriff of the said County for the Time being his or his Undersheriff Deputy or Bayliff during the Continuance of the said Act shall knowingly summon or return any Person or Persons to serve on any Jury or Juries at any the said Assizes or Sessions of the Peace who shall within Four Years before such Summons or Return have served on any Jury at any the said

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XVIII. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Bill

<sup>3</sup> as G.

<sup>4</sup> Address " G. & King's Printer Copy

<sup>5</sup> These Years" vide Stat. 4 W. in M. c. 24. § 3

<sup>6</sup> of Dele" in King's Printer Copy

Amos or Esquires held within the said County or any the Ridings therein and shall not upon producing of such Certificate or Certificate as aforesaid to the Officer or Person so summoning or to the said Sheriff or his Under Sheriff or Deputy discharge the said Summons or Return and thereof give Notice to the Party summoned Six Days before such Assizes or Sessions of the Peace at the which such Person shall be summoned or returned so upon that then the said Sheriff Under Sheriff Bailiffs or Person so summoning or refusing to discharge as aforesaid shall forfeit and loose to the Party so summoned the Sum of Twenty Pounds to be recovered in Manner and Form as in last herein before mentioned together with his full Costs of Suits

And whereas many Constables Tything Men and Headboroughs of Towns have refused or neglected to return or give to the Justices of the Peace at the General Quarter Sessions a true List in Writing of the Names and Places of Abode of all Persons within the respective Places [sic] which they serve qualified to serve upon Juries as is by the said Act made in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the late King William is enacted and provided by reason of which Neglect the good Intent of the said Act has been eluded and great Inconveniences have thereupon ensued for Remedy whereof he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Justices of the Peace for all Counties or Ridings within the Kingdom of England or Dominion of Wales shall Yearly (and every Year) during the Continuance of the said Act at the General Quarter Sessions to be holden next after the Four and twentieth Day of June issue forth their Warrant or Warrants under the Hands and Seals of Two or more of them as the Head or Chief Constable (\*) of every Hundred Lath or Wapentake requiring him or them to issue forth his or their Precept or Precepts to the respective Constables Tythingmen and Headboroughs within his and their Hundred Lath or Wapentake thereby directing and requiring them and all and every of them to convene and meet together with the said Head Constables of the Hundred Lath or Wapentake within Fourteen Days next after the Date of such Receipt at some usual or convenient Place in the Hundred Lath or Wapentake when and where the Constables Tything Men and Headboroughs shall prepare and make a true List full written and signed by them of the Names and Places of Abode of all the Persons within the respective Places for which they were qualified to serve on Juries according to the Direction of the said Act made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of King William and Queen Mary (\*) with their Titles and Additions between the Age of One and twenty Years and the Age of Seventy Years as by the said Act of the Seventh and Eighth Years of the said King William is directed and appointed which List the said Constable Tythingmen and Headboroughs or their Deputies as some or One of them Yearly at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for each County Riding or Division or any Part thereof in the Week after the Feast of Saint Michael upon the First Day of the said Sessions or upon the First Day that the said Sessions shall be held by Adjournment at any other particular Place or Division shall receive and give to the Justices of the Peace in open Court And any Head Constable of the Hundred Lath or Wapentake failing to serve forth his or their Precept or Precepts to convene and meet together with the Constables Tything Men and Headboroughs as aforesaid shall forfeit and loose the Penalty of Ten Pounds And any Constable Tythingman & Headborough failing to meet the [Head] Constable of the Hundred Lath or Wapentake pursuant to his Precept and failing to prepare and make a true List and to receive and give in the same to the Justices in open Court as aforesaid shall forfeit and loose the Penalty of Five Pounds And every such High Constable Constable and Tythingman so offending shall be prosecuted at the General Assizes Sessions of Oyer and Terminer [and] General Gaule Delivery or Sessions of the Peace before the Justices thereof who shall have Power and Authority to hear and determine the same

And for the better Observance of this Act and of the said Acts made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of King William and Queen Mary and in the said Seventh and Eighth Years of the late King William the Justices of the Peace at the General Quarter Sessions hold after the Four and twentieth Day of June Yearly shall cause the said several Acts to be publicly read in open Court

not discharging such Justices upon Production of Certificate

Penalty after.

V.  
Enacted the passing of this Statute.

Stat. 7 & 8 W. III. c. 24. § 4.

Justices in Quarter Sessions to issue Warrants under Hand and Seal to Chief Constables of Hundreds, &c. to issue Precepts to Constables to meet and make out Lists of Persons qualified to serve on Juries according to Stat. 4 & 5 W. III. c. 24.

and Stat. 7 & 8 W. III. c. 24. § 4.

which are to be returned to the Justices yearly

Head Constables offending.

Penalty of Ten Pounds, &c. offending.

Penalty 5*l*. To be prosecuted at Assizes.

VI.  
The said Acts to be yearly read at Quarter Sessions yearly

\* Intended as the Roll.

\* No such Direction appears in Stat. 4 W. & M. c. 24.

\* = and Constables" G. & King's Printer's Copy.

\* or G.

## CHAPTER XVII. (')

AN ACT for continuing the Duties upon Malt, Malt, Cyder and Perry for One Year.

For Part  
of 3 & 4 Annæ, p. 1  
# 18The Duties of Tax,  
1 Ann. stat. c. 2, s. 2,  
and continued by  
stat. c. 13, s. 2, Ann.  
c. 3, continued upon  
Malt, imposed and  
Cyder and Perry  
made the Rate, from  
1701 (from 1702 till  
1704 June 1704).and to be collected  
as by the said  
recited Acts, and  
which are to be of  
Effect for that  
Purpose.II.  
Malsters, &c.  
(Exception)  
making up, allowing,  
or using Corners,  
See without  
Notice.or keeping or using  
private Corners,  
&c.

Penalty &amp;c.

III.  
Allowance to be  
made by Officers  
making Charge by  
Gaule (then upon  
the Court of Com-  
mons).IV.  
Agreed from Order  
of Justice to  
Quarter Sessions.

**M**OST Gracious Sovereign We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to provide such Supplies as may be necessary for the service of Money to carry on the present War and for other Your Majesties necessary and important Occasions have therefore freely and unanimously resolved to give and grant and do by this Act give and grant unto Your Majesty the Rates Duties and Impositions herein after mentioned and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that a way be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the several and respective Rates Duties and Impositions which in and by one Act of Parliament made and passed in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign last ended (An Act for granting a Supply to Her Majesty by several Duties imposed upon Malt Malt Cyder and Perry) were granted to Her Majesty in the Manner therein mentioned and which by another Act of Parliament made and passed in the Second Year of Her Majesties Reign intitled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by continuing the Duties upon Malt Malt Cyder and Perry for One Year were continued in the Manner therein mentioned until the Twenty fourth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five shall be further continued in like Manner for and upon all Malt which shall be made and all Malt which shall be made or imposed and all Cyder and Perry which shall be made for Sale from and after the Thirtieth and twentieth Day of June (") One thousand seven hundred and five and before the Fourth and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six and shall be used levied collected and paid unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors during the Term aforesaid by the same Ways Means and Methods and by such Rules and Directions and with such Allowances and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Power of Molestation and other Powers and in each Manner and Form in all Respects as are therein mentioned or expressed in the said several former Acts for the said Duties and that the same Acts formerly made and passed for the said Duties and every Article Rule Clause Matter and Thing in them and either of them contained or thereby referred to shall be of full Force and Effect to all Events and Purposes for raising levying collecting securing and accounting for adapting and making Allowances out of the said Rates Duties and Impositions hereby granted or continued and for levying the Penalties and for all other Matters and Things during the Continuance of this Act as fully as if the same were particularly and at large repeated in the Body of this present Act.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four during the Continuance of this Act no Malster or other Person making Malt for Sale or for Sale (other than and except Compositors for the said Duty) shall erect or set up any ale or cask or make use of any Corners Using-Fan Unwall or other Vessel for the working or steeping any Barley or other Corn or Grain for the making of Malt or of any Other Floor Room or other Place for the making or steeping of Malt or keeping of Corn or Grain making into Malt without first giving Notice thereof in Writing to the next Office of Excise or shall keep or make use of any private Corners Using-Fan Unwall or other Vessel for the working his Barley or other Corn or Grain to make Malt other than such as are openly known and made use of in his own Malting-House on pain to forfeit for every such Corners Using-Fan Unwall or other Vessel Room Floor Room or other Place so erected or set up abroad or enlarged kept private or concealed a made use of without such Notice as aforesaid the Sum of Fifty Pounds to be levied recovered adjudged or distributed as aforesaid.

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any Officer shall make his Charge of any of the Duties hereby granted by a Gaule taken upon the Couch of any Corns that hath been steeped within Thirty Hours after the same shall be thrown out of the Couch Using-Fan or other Vessel wherein the same shall have been steeped that [then] the Officer shall make an Allowance only of Ten Bushells in every Twenty Bushells according to the said former Acts but if the said Charge be made by a Gaule taken after the said Thirty Hours upon the Couch or Floor then the said Officer shall make an Allowance of Ten Bushells in every Twenty Bushells comprehending therein the Allowance by the said former Acts Any other proviso or in the said recited Acts to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Also be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if either Party shall him or themselves aggrieved by any Judgment or Order to be given or made after the First Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four by any Justice of the Peace in pursuance of this present Act or the Acts therein mentioned or recited touching or concerning the Duties hereby continued or any Penalty or Forfeiture relating to the same it shall and may be lawful to and for such Person or Persons so finding him or herself aggrieved by such Judgment or Order to appeal from the same to the Justice assembled at the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be

' This is Chapter III. in the Common printed Editions.

' mentioned in the Roll.

" which shall be in the Year of our Lord," 0, &amp; King's Printer's Off.



hidden for the County where such Judgment or Order has been made which said Justices of the Peace or the major Part of them are lawfully empowered to hear and finally determine the same And now Writ of Certiorari shall be allowed or brought to set aside any Determination or Order of the said Justices

Provided always and it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Party or Parties now appealing as aforesaid shall give Notice in Writing by the Space of Six Days next before each Session shall be held as aforesaid unto the Party or Parties of the other Side of his or their intention to bring such Appeal And that it shall and may be lawful to and for such Justices or the major Part of them in their Quarters-Sessions to award Costs to either Party as they shall think in their Discretion thinks fit to be served by Writs of the Justices of the Peace of such County as say Two or more of them on the Goods and Chattels of the Party as Parties against whom the same shall be awarded

Provided also That in case there be not the Space of Six Days between the First Judgment or Order of the Two Justices and the Quarter Sessions then next following that then the Appeal may be made at the Second Quarter Sessions after such Judgment or Order made

[And whereas every Gauge or other Officer appointed to put this Act in Execution is at the Time of taking every Gauge to leave a Copy of the Determination of such Gauge with the Maker or Makers of Malt it is further enacted That with Gauge or other Officer due upon Demand at the next succeeding Survey after such Gauge taken have also with the said Maker or Makers of Malt a Note in Writing containing in plain Words the Number of bushels the proceeding Gauge did contain under the Penalty of Forty Shillings]

And it is hereby also enacted That there shall be provided and kept in the said Office of the Auditor of the Receipts of the Exchequer one Book or Register in which all the Orders for Money payable upon this Act shall be entered and registered and that all and every the Principal Sums of Money which were lent upon the Act of Parliament made and passed in the First Year of Her Majesty's reign which granted the Duties upon Malt Malt Malt Cylar and Perry from the Third and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and three [until the Year and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred & five] and which on the Fifth and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and four shall remain unsatisfied with the Interest thereof after the Rate of Five Pence per Cent per Annum and all and every the Orders of Loan for the same shall be in the first Place transferred to and placed upon the Register for Orders appointed to be kept by this Act and shall be registered thereupon in due Course and Order according to the Types of the respective Tallies of Loan for the said Principal Sums which Transferences shall and may be made and are hereby required to be made by virtue of this Act without making any Issue or taking any Receipts from the Parties in order to transfer the said Loans

And that the Principal Monies on the Orders so transferred shall be payable and paid to the Lender or Lenders of the same his her or their Executors Admors or Assigns out of the Monies arising by virtue of this Act in the same Course and Order according to which they are hereby appointed to be transferred and with Preference to any other Loans or Sums of Money which shall be registered upon and payable out of the Monies granted by this present Act And that the Interest thereupon shall be payable every Three Months out of the Monies arising by this Act till the Satisfaction of the said Principal Sums respectively

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies which shall arise by this Act of the said Duties upon Malt Malt Cylar and Perry (own and above the necessary Charges of raising and paying the said Duties) shall from time to time be brought and paid into the Exchequer And that it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person and Persons Native or Foreigners Bodies Politick or Corporate to lend to Her Majesty at the said Receipt upon Credit of the said Duties any Sum or Sums of Money as together with the Principal Monies hereby appointed to be transferred as aforesaid shall not exceed in the Whole the Sum of Six hundred and fifty thousand Pounds which Lenders shall have Interest for the Forbearance of their respective Loans not exceeding the Rate of Six Pence per Cent per Annum to be paid every Three Months from the making of such Loans under Satisfaction of the Principal Sums respectively And that no Monies so to be lent shall be used or applied to any Tax or Assessment whatsoever

And that every such Lender shall immediately have a Tally of Loan struck for the Money by him her or them lent and an Order of the same Date for Repayment thereof with such Interest as aforesaid And that all such Orders shall (after the Orders before by this Act directed) be registered in course according to their Dates and all Persons thereupon shall be paid in course as their Orders shall stand registered so as the Person Native or Foreigner his Executors Admors or Assigns whose Orders shall be first registered shall be accounted the Person to be first paid and so successively and in course

And that the said Monies so come in by this Act of the said Duties shall be in the same Order (till to the Satisfaction of the said respective Persons their Executors Admors or Assigns successively without under Preference of one before another and not otherwise) shall not be diverted or applicable to any other Use Interest or Purpose whatsoever

And  
No Certiorari.

Y.  
Notice of Appeal.

Costs;  
how awarded.

VI.  
In what Case  
Appeal may be to  
Second Quarter  
Sessions the Order

VII.  
Gaugers to leave  
Note of Gauge with  
Maltmen.  
Penalty 40s.

VIII.  
Book of Money  
Orders kept in  
Auditor's Office;  
Monies lent upon  
Credit of same.  
Tallies to be in 3.  
Interest to be at  
5% per Cent. and  
Orders of Loan for the  
same, to be first  
transferred and  
entered.  
Transfers made  
without taking  
Receipts from the  
Parties, &c.

IX.  
The Principal  
Monies thereof paid  
in course according  
and Interest payable  
Quarterly.

X.  
Duties to be paid  
into the Exchequer.  
Change of Loan for  
at 170,000 l.

Interest at 6% per  
Cent. per Annum  
Yearly.

XI.  
Tally of Loan.  
Interest.  
Orders registered  
and paid in course.

XII.  
Payments made  
without under  
Preference.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Bill.

XIII.  
No Fee for pre-  
siding Books, &c.

Pensy.

Under Prefecture

Pensy upon  
Office.

Pensy upon  
Deputy

Auditors, &c. of  
Audits.

Pensy.

XIV.  
What not inter-  
posed unless  
Provision

XV.  
The like Provision.

Assignment to  
sundry persons  
Orders.

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assigned.

Assignment thereof  
without Fee.

Assignee may  
assign.

See Part  
2d, c. 1, p. 10.

Enacted  
1704, 1705, c. 1, 2.

See 6 & 7 W III.  
c. 7.

And that not Fee Reward or Gracuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any His Majesty's Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of His Majesty's Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party aggrieved by the Party offending with full Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place and if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in Point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Treble Costs to the Party grieved and shall be disqualified of his Place or Office and if such Preference be unduly made by any his Deputy or Clerks without Direction or Privy of his Master then such Deputy or Clerks shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be ever after incapable of his Place or Office and in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct and the Clerks of the Pells record as the Teller make Payment according to each Person due Place and Order as aforesaid then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and Clerks be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid at which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plein or Information in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster whosoever so Enjoins Provisions Privilege Wages of Law Injunction or Order of Council shall be in any wise granted or allowed.

Provided always and be it hereby declared That if it happen that several Tellers of Loans or Orders for Payment as aforesaid leave Debt or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted not unless Preference which of these he entered first not as he enters them all the same Day.

Provided also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to secure any Pensy in Point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerks of the Pells record and the Tellers do pay subsequent Orders of Payment that come and demand their Money and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take due Money and bring their Orders in their Course so as there be not much Money returned as will satisfy payment Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for their Interest upon Loans being to cease from the Time the Money is so received and kept in Bank for them.

And be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Books of Register as aforesaid his or their Executors Administrators Assignees by proper Words of Assignment to be endorsed on his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being assented in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Books of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall entitle and Assignee his Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereon and such Assignee may so like Manner assign again and so forth quater and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignment to make void release or discharge in same or any the Monies due or any Part thereof.

## CHAPTER XVIII (\*)

An Act for continuing Duties upon Low Wines and upon Coffee Tea Chocolate Spices and Peppars and upon Harkens Pollars and Perry Chappens and upon Medfins and for granting new Duties upon several of the said Commodities and also upon Caffeens China Ware and Drugs.

Most Gracious Sovereigns.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of Your Majesty late Royal Brother King William the Third (of glorious Memory) intitled (An Act for granting to His Majesty several Duties upon Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction and continuing several additional Duties upon Coffee Tea Chocolate Spices and Peppars and certain Impositions upon Harkens Pollars and Perry Chappens and the Duty of Fifteen per Cent upon Medfins and for imposing the Duties upon (spanned and imposed Goods and for continuing the Coyneage Duty for the several Tunnage and Piques thereof continued) certain Duties upon Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction were granted for a Term to continue until the Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six and certain Duties which by an Act of the Sixth Year of His late Majesty's Religion had been imposed upon Coffee Cocoa Nuts Chocolate Cocoa Peppars Tea Nutmegs Cloves Cloves Mace and Peppars were by the said Act of the Twelfth Year of His said late Majesty's Religion enacted to be continued until the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and six and by the same Act certain Duties

\* This is Chapter IV. in the Common printed Editions.

or Sums of Money to be paid by every Hawker Pedlar Petty Chapman and other trading Persons described in a former Act for licensing Hawkers and Pedlars and the Powers for granting such Licences were enacted to be continued until the Fourth and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six and a Duty upon Males after the Rate of Fifteen Pounds for every One hundred Pounds of the true and real Value thereof was therein by the said Act of the Twelfth Years of His said late Majesty's Reign enacted to be continued until the Thirtieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and six and by the said Act Relation being thereunto had may more fully appear. Now we Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled as a further Supply for carrying on the present War and other Your Majesties most necessary and important Occasions have given and granted to Your Majesty the several and respective Duties and impositions hereinafter in this Act expressed and due most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That all and every such as the like Duties for and upon all Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction as by the said Act of the Twelfth Years of His said late Majesty's Reign were constituted or granted until the said Twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and upon all Low-Wines and Spirits of the First Extraction to be made or drawn by any Still or other Furnace making or drawing Spirits or Strong Waters for Sale or Exportation within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed from the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six until the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten

See 2 W. III. c. 27.

The said Duties upon Low Wines, &c. continued upon Customs imported from 1<sup>st</sup> April 1704 until 1<sup>st</sup> April 1710.

Also that all and every such as the like several Duties and Sums of Money for and upon all Coffee Cocoa Nuts Chocolate Cocoa-Pan Yea Nutmegs Cinnamon Cloves Mace and Nutmegs as by the said Act of the Twelfth Years of His said late Majesty's Reign were as aforesaid constituted until the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and six shall be continued and be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and upon all Coffee Cocoa-Nuts Chocolate Cocoa-Pan Yea Nutmegs Cinnamon Cloves Mace and Nutmegs which shall be imported into the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed at any Time or Times from and after the last Day of April One thousand seven hundred and six and before the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten

The said Duties upon Coffee, &c. continued upon Customs imported from 1<sup>st</sup> April 1704 until 1<sup>st</sup> April 1710.

Also that all and every such as the like several Duties Impositions and Sums of Money to be paid by every Hawker Pedlar Petty Chapman and such other Persons as are described in One Act of the Ninth Years of His said late Majesty's Reign for licensing Hawkers and Pedlars and all the Powers for granting Licences and other Powers and all Customs Decretions Allowances Penalties Forfeitures Articles Matters and Things therein enacted which by the said Act of the Twelfth Years of His said late Majesty's Reign have Continuance until the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six shall be continued and be paid and be printed observed and put in Execution by virtue of this Act from the Three and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six until the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten

The Duties upon Hawkers and Pedlars of Goods, &c. continued upon Customs imported from 1<sup>st</sup> April 1704 until 1<sup>st</sup> April 1710.

Also that the same or the like Duty upon all Males described in the said Act of the Twelfth Years of His said late Majesty's Reign after the Rate of Fifteen Pounds for every One hundred Pounds of the true and real Value thereof to be determined by the Gross Price upon Sale by the Cattle as by the same Act hath Continuance until the Thirtieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and six shall by virtue of this Act be continued and be raised levied collected assessed and paid to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and upon all such Males as shall be imported or brought into the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed at any Time or Times from and after the Four and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and six and before the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten

Duty upon Males of 15 lb. to 12 lb. W. III. c. 11. continued upon Customs imported from 1<sup>st</sup> April 1704 until 1<sup>st</sup> April 1710.

That the said several and respective Duties Impositions and Sums of Money for and upon all Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction and for and upon all Coffee Cocoa-Nuts Chocolate Cocoa-Pan Yea Nutmegs Cinnamon Cloves Mace and Nutmegs and upon all Hawkers Pedlars Petty Chapmen and other Persons described as aforesaid and for and upon all Males to be paid during the respective Times for which they are granted or are to continue by virtue of this Act as aforesaid (to wit and above all other Duties and Impositions whatsoever already charged for or upon the same Commodities and Persons or any of them respectively by any other Laws or Acts) Statutes now in force) and to be ascertained secured raised levied recovered assessed paid and accounted for to the Uses and Purposes in this Act expressed by such Rules Ways Means and Methods and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Direction of the said Penalties and Forfeitures and subject to such Drawbacks Allowances and Repayments and in such Manner and Form in all Respects as the like Duties Impositions [it seems of] of Money respectively granted or continued by the said Act of the Twelfth Years of His said late Majesty's Reign are thereby or by any other Law whereas the said Act hath Reference prescribed enacted or appointed to be ascertained secured raised levied recovered assessed paid and accounted for during the Continuance thereof respectively

The said Duties levied as by Stat. 10 &amp; 12 W. III. c. 11. and 1707 former Act.

\* mentioned in the Bill.

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II.  
The Powers, &c. of  
the Statute  
6 A. & W. III. c. 7.  
9 W. III. c. 21.  
10 R. II. W. III.  
c. 11. and any  
other Act in force  
aforesaid and  
enacted or  
to be enacted.

And it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such of the Breves Decretes Penalties and Forfeitures Clauses Matters and Things provided enacted or established by the said Acts of the Sixth Eleventh and Twelfth Years of His said late Majesties Reigns as by any of them or by any other Act now in force whereunto the same or any of them have or hath Relation for the better ruling levying recovering answering or paying the said respective Duties thereby granted or for making any Drawbacks Repayments or Allowances out of any of the said several and respective Duties upon Exports shall be revised and be continued and be in force and virtue during the Continuance of this Act and further for the Recovery of all the Arrears and Sums of Money which shall become due or payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors upon this Act in an full and ample Manner in all Intents and Purposes as if the said Powers Decretes Penalties Forfeitures Clauses Matters and Things and every of them were again repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this present Act

III.  
Stat. 4 W. & M.  
from c. 2. g. 5. 11.  
as revised by  
14 A. & W. III.  
c. 11. &c. enacted  
during this Act.

And it is hereby enacted That a certain Clause in an Act made in the Second Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for the unencumbering the distilling of Brandy and Spirits from Ovens and for laying several Duties on Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction relating to Strong Wines Brandy Aqua Vite and other Exoticall Liquors brought from the Islands of Guernsey Jersey Sark or Alderney and all the Charges Duties Penalties and every Article and Thing therein contained which were revived by the said Act of the Twelfth Year of His [said] late Majesties Reigns and were to be of Force during the Continuance thereof shall be further continued and be of full force and virtue during the Continuance of this present Act in an full and ample Manner in all Intents and Purposes as if the said Clause was herein Word for Word repeated

IV.  
Statutes, &c. not  
being Licenses  
ready to produce  
when demanded.

And whereas great Abuses have been committed by several Persons in lending or letting out to Hire the Licenses by them taken out to trade as Hawkers Pedlars or Perry-Chapman be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and five every Person whose being actually trading as an Hawker Pedlar or Perry-Chapman (for which he or she ought to have a License pursuant to this or the said Act of the Twelfth Year of His said late Majesties Reigns) shall not upon Demand have his her or their Licenses ready to be produced shall be adjudged to forfeit as if such Person had traded without any License granted to him her or them And such Person in that Case shall and may be claimed and the Forfeiture recovered and levied in such Manner as is directed by this or any of the former Acts for licensing Hawkers Pedlars and Perry Chapman in case of trading without License

V.  
Lending and  
letting under  
hire Licenses.  
Penalty 4s.

And that from and after the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and five in case any Person shall lend or let out to Hire any License to him or her granted the Person lending or letting out to Hire such License and the Person trading under Colour of the same shall either of them forfeit the Sums of Forty Pounds One Moiety thereof to the Queens Majesty the other Moiety thereof to any Person that will inform or sue for the same to be recovered with Costs of Suit by Action of Debt Bill Plead or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record and the Person so lending or letting out to Hire such License shall also forfeit the same

VI.  
Reasons for proving  
the Excise.  
Additional Duties  
upon Coffee, for  
imported from  
10 Feb. 1704.  
until 14th Jan.  
1705.

And for the increasing Her Majesties Revenues upon some of the Commodities before in this Act charged (to wit) upon Coffee Cocoa-Nuts Chocolate Cocoa-Paste Tea Nutmegs Cloves Mace and Peppercorn be it enacted that within or during the Term herein after mentioned And to the End more Money may be raised thereby for carrying on the said War and other Her Majesties most necessary Occasions it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be assessed and paid to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors by and upon all and all Manner of Coffee Cocoa-Nuts Chocolate Cocoa-Paste Tea Nutmegs Cloves Mace and Peppercorn which shall be imported into the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed at any Time or Times after the First Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four and before the First and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six over and above all Duties and additional Duties already payable for the same or any of them by any other Law now in force and extant and above the said continued Duties chargeable thereupon by this Act the new additional Rates and Sums following (that is to say)

For every Hundred Weight of Coffee imported as aforesaid amounting One hundred and twelve Pounds in the Hundred Six and fifty Shillings of lawful English Money

For every Hundred Weight of Cocoa-Nuts imported and containing as aforesaid from any the Plantations belonging [sic] to the Crown of England Six and fifty Shillings

For every Hundred Weight of Cocoa-Nuts imported and containing as aforesaid from any other Country or Place from whence they may by Law be imported Four Pounds and Four Shillings of like lawful English Money

For every Pound of Chocolate ready made and imported as aforesaid amounting One Shilling

For every Pound of Cocoa-Paste imported as aforesaid Two Shillings

For every Pound of Tea regularly imported as aforesaid from whence the same might lawfully have been imported before the making of the said Act of the Sixth Year of His said late Majesties Reigns One Shilling

For every Pound of Tea imported as aforesaid from Holland or any other Country not the Place of its Growth or used Shipping Two Shillings and Six Pence and so proportionally for any greater or lesser Quantity of any the Commodities imported as aforesaid respectively.

For all Nutmegs Cloves Cloves Mace and Tea imported as aforesaid Five Pounds for every Hundred Pounds Value shewed according to the several Values charged on them respectively in the Books of Rates and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Quantity thereof.

And for all Pictures imported within the Time aforesaid whether for Private Use or Sale (which are hereby permitted to be imported during the Continuance of this Act any Law or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding) Twenty Pounds of lawful English Money per Cuz of the Value to be affirmed by the Oath of the Importer and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Quantity thereof.

Value affirmed by  
Oath of Importer

Previous always and it is hereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful for any Person or Persons to import into the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed during the Continuance of this Act Nutmegs Cloves Cloves Mace and Tea subject to the several Duties payable for the same from any Port beyond the Seas in English Shippes not to the Master and at least One Moiety of the Mariners during the Continuance of the present War be Englishmen and so as after the End of this War and during the Continuance of this Act the Masters and at least Three Fourths of the Mariners be English and so as Notice be first given to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs of the Quality and Quantity of the said Spices and Tea not intended to be re-exported and the Place in which they intend to import the same and taking a License under the Hands of the Commissioners of the Customs for the Time being or any Three of them for the taking and importing thereof as aforesaid which License they are hereby authorized and required to grant without any Fee or Reward or any other Charge to the Person demanding the same Any Law Customs or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

VII.  
Nutmegs, &c. may  
be imported in  
English Shippes  
as soon as Peace  
shall be.

Notice of  
Importation to  
Commissioners of  
Customs

And to be enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the additional Duties last mentioned for and upon the said Coffee Cocoa-Nuts Chocolate Cocoa-Paste Tea Nutmegs Cloves Cloves Mace and Pictures to be imported from and after the said First Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four at any Time or Times before the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten and all Arrangements thereof (over and above all other Duties on the same Commodities respectively) shall be ascertained secured raised levied recovered answered paid and accounted for to the Use and Purpose in this Act expressed by such Rules Ways Means and Methods and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Distribution of the said Penalties and Forfeitures and subject to such Drawbacks Allowances and Repayments to be made of or out of the said additional Duties last mentioned respectively upon the Exportation of the said Commodities last mentioned (Coffee Tea and Cocoa-Nuts for which other Provision is made by this Act only excepted) or any of them respectively to the like respective Duties by virtue of the said Act of the Twelfth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign or by virtue of this present Act or any other Act now in force relating thereto are to be ascertained secured raised levied recovered answered paid or accounted for during the Continuance thereof respectively.

XIII.  
The said last  
mentioned additional  
Duties upon  
Coffee, &c.  
imported, to be  
ascertained, &c. as by  
the said Stat. 12. c.  
13. W. III. c. 11  
and any other Act  
in Force.

And upon the Exportation of Coffee Tea and Cocoa-Nuts within the Times limited by Law so much as shall have been paid for the same for such of the said Duties as are by this Act in Commencement from the said First Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four shall be repaid to the Exporter under such Regulations as are prescribed by any former Acts for Drawbacks in case of Exportation of those Commodities respectively.

IX.  
Duties upon  
Exportation of  
Coffee, Tea,  
and Cocoa-Nuts.

And Her Majesty's said Justices and legal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being advised by the most reasonable Ways and Means to raise [sic] Monies necessary for carrying on the said War and other Her Majesty's important Occasions have for that End and Purpose shew given and granted to Her Majesty the further Duties hereby also mentioned and be it enacted and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be answered and paid to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and upon all White Callicoones Piecewise commonly called China Ware and Druggs (except Druggs for dying) which from and after the First Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four at any Time or Times before the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten are or shall be imported into the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed (over and above all other Duties payable for the same as the Customs-house) the further Rates and Sums following (that is to say)

X.  
Additional Duties  
upon White  
Callicoones, &c.  
imported between  
1st Feb. 1704 and  
14th June 1710.

For and upon all White Callicoones (by which are meant all Callicoones which do not pay Duties as Muslins and all Dressings and other Manufactures made of Cotton) which within the Times aforesaid shall be imported as aforesaid a Duty after the Rate of Fifteen Pounds of lawful English Money for every Hundred Pounds of the true and full Value of the said Callicoones to be ascertained upon the Sale at the Candle as it herein after mentioned.

Value ascertained  
upon Sale by  
Candle.

And for and upon all Porcelain commonly called China or Japan Ware made of Earth which within the Times aforesaid are or shall be imported as aforesaid a Duty after the Rate of Twelve Pounds of like Money for every Hundred Pounds of the true and full Value thereof to be also ascertained by the Sale at the Candle as it herein after mentioned.

<sup>1</sup> inserted on the Roll

And for and upon all Drugs (dying Drugs excepted) which are rated in the Book of Rates and are or shall be imported as aforesaid a Duty after the Rate of Ten Pence of like Money for every Hundred Pounds Worth thereof according to the several Values charged on them respectively in the said Book of Rates.

And for and upon unsorted Drugs (dying Drugs excepted) which are or shall be imported within the Duty and Times last mentioned a Duty after the Rate of Four Pence of like Money for every Hundred Pounds of the true and real Value thereof to be ascertained as in hereinafter mentioned and are proportionally for any greater or lesser Quantity of any the Commodities last mentioned respectively.

XI.  
What is meant by  
sorted Drugs.

AND it is hereby declared That by sorted Drugs chargeable by this Act are meant all Herbs called Clove-Bark all Bark called India Bark Calashash Camora Frocha Braglate Gums Gommace Gums Monapack Incense Oynance Laps Hyacinth Oyl of Ammonds Oyl of Camomyleeds Oyl of Cassia Oyl of Cloves Oyl of Copra or Baken of Copra Oyl of Juniper Oyl of Lignum Rhodium Oyl of Peony Oyl of Sassafras Potashes Sal Tamarisk and all Chymical Salts Snakes Root Yarns Dials Turpentine of Germany all Chymical Preparations Physick Oyls and Medicinal Drugs (excepting sorted Drugs used for dying and except Coffee Tea Chocolate Cocoa Paste and Cocoa-Nut).

XII.  
What is meant by  
unsorted dying  
Goods herein  
mentioned.

AND it is hereby also declared That by such dying Goods as are by this Act or any other Acts exempted from Payment of the respective Duties by this or the said other Acts granted are meant the Goods following (viz.) Aqua farts Argall Azore Aloes of all Sorts Archelia or Spanish Wood Cochenille Cream of Tartar Coppens of all Sorts Gum-Arabick Gum-Sassa Stock-lack Calashash Madder Roots or Rubus Tinctorum Sassafras Red Sal-Ammoniac Sal-Gum Vertemels Verdigrise Icing-glass Raisin Litharge of all Sorts Bay Berries Annisey Penegreiner Pile-Armonick Agavech Scum Galls Indico of all Sorts Linum Madder of all Sorts Orchall Indigo Shemack Camacha Log-Wood Brodia-Wood Brackens Wood Nicknago-Wood Fustick Red Wood Sassafras-Wood Wood Weld Valonia Gums or Scarle-Powder Gums of Sennel in Berries and Gums of Portugal or Rosa English Berries from the Flumathin French Berries and Sal-Petre.

XIII.  
Duty upon White  
Calicos imported,  
levied as by Stat.  
12 & 13 W. III.  
c. 11.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Duties hereby granted for and upon all White Calicos imported shall be secured ascertained valued raised levied collected surveyed and paid according to the gross Price thereof upon Sale at the Custom by such Ways and Means and subject to such or the like Allowances and under such Possibilities and Forfeitures and in such Manner and Form as the Duties of Wine p Cent on Noles imported by the said Act of the Twelfth Year of His [said<sup>1</sup>] late Majesties Reign are to be secured raised levied collected surveyed or paid.

XIV.  
Duties upon China  
and unsorted Drugs  
imported from the  
East Indies, levied  
as by Stat.  
12 Ann. c. 28.

AND that the said respective Duties hereby granted for and upon the said China or Japan Ware and for and upon all such of the said sorted Drugs imported from the East Indies Persia China or other Parts within the Limits of the Charters granted to the East India Companies shall be secured ascertained valued raised levied collected surveyed and paid according to the Prices thereof upon Sale at the Custom by such Ways and Means and with such several and respective Allowances and under such Possibilities and Forfeitures and in such Manner and Form as the Duties of assorted Goods from the East Indies China or other Parts within the Limits of the Charters granted to the East India Companies are enacted prescribed or appolized to be secured ascertained valued raised levied collected surveyed or paid by an Act passed in the Second Year of Her Majesties Reign intitled An Act for granting to Her Majesty an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage for Three Years and for laying a further Duty upon French Wines condemned as lawfull Prize and for ascertaining the Value of assorted Goods imported from the East Indies.

XV.  
Value of unsorted  
sorted Drugs  
imported, assessed  
by Oath of  
Importers.

AND that the Value of all such of the said sorted Druggs as shall be imported from any Parts or Places (either than the East Indies Persia China and other Parts within the Limits of the Charters aforesaid) according to which the said Duty of Four p Cent is to be paid shall be affirmed by the Oath of the Importers of such Drugs respectively.

XVI.  
Duty of 4 p Cent  
paid by  
Importers.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Duties of Four p Cent by this Act imposed upon unsorted Drugs imported from Parts not within the Limits of the Charters granted to the [said<sup>1</sup>] East India Companies shall be paid by the respective Importers of the same upon the Importation thereof.

XVII.  
Landing Customs,  
East-India Entry  
and Duty paid or  
secured, and  
Warrants.

AND it is hereby enacted That in case any of the said Calicos China Ware rated or unsorted Drugs hereby charged as aforesaid shall be landed or put on Shore out of any Ship or Vessel before due Entry be made thereof at the Customs, House in the Port or Place where the same shall be imported and before the said Duties by this Act charged or chargeable thereupon shall be secured or paid as this Act doth require in the respective Cases aforesaid or without a Warrant for the landing or delivering the same first signed by the Customhouse Collectors or other proper Officer or Officers of the Customs respectively that all such imported Calicos China Ware and Drugs as shall be so landed and put on Shore or taken out of any Ship or Vessel contrary to the true Meaning hereof or the Value of the same shall be forfeited and shall and may be seized or recovered of the Importer or Proprietor thereof (as viz.) Two Thirds of the same to the Use of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors

Goods landed,  
Ac.

<sup>1</sup> intitled as the Stat.

(he or they bearing the Charge of Prosecution) and the other Third to the Use of such Person or Persons as will make Interest or sue for the same or the Value thereof by Action Bill Suit or Informatica wherein noo English Person or Wager of Law shall be allowed

Provided always and he is further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That in case any of the said Callicoon and China Wares upon which the said further Duties by this Act granted are paid or secured as be paid as aforesaid be again exported at any Time or Times within Twelve Months by English or within Nine Months by Aliens or if any of the said mard or named Druggs for which the said further Duties by this Act granted shall be paid as aforesaid be again exported by any English Merchants within Eighteen Months or by Aliens within Nine Months to be accounted from the respective Times of the Entry of the said Goods aboard and that due Proof be first made upon Oath that the said Callicoon China Wares and Druggs are exported be the same for which the said Duties are paid and secured to be paid as aforesaid that then and in every such case (and not otherwise) the same Duties are paid shall without any Delay or Revend be wholly paid out of any the Duties on imported Commodities by this Act granted or the Security for such of the said Duties as shall be secured shall be vacated as to so much of the said Callicoon China Wares and Druggs as shall be so exported Any thing in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding

And it is hereby further enacted That all the Duties by this Act granted or continued (except the necessary Charges for raising and managing the same) shall from time to time by the respective Receivers thereof be brought into Her Majesties Receipt of the Exchequer for the Payment in this Act mentioned

Provided nevertheless That whereas several Docters have since making Trades in the Woollen or Linnen Manufactures whose trade by Wholesale and sell many Thousands of Piece to workes and yet for Want of the Government of Water-Carriage are obliged to send their Goods when manufactured by Horses and otherwise to the Publick Markets Faires and other Places Be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That all Persons trading in the Woollen or Linnen Manufactures of this Kingdom and taking the same by Wholesale shall not be taxed or taken to be Hiveson Fellow or Perry-Chapman within this or any other Act but that such Person or Persons and those that shall be immediately employed under them to sell by Wholesale only may carry abroad expose and sell the said Manufactures Any thing in this Act or any other Act or Acts to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

[Provided always and it is hereby declared That noo Goods or Merchandise imported or brought into any Port of England or Wales before the said First Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four and afterwards imported or brought into any other Port or Ports of this Kingdom from the Ports where they are first arrived shall be liable to pay the New Duties by this Act granted to commence from the same First Day of February Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding]

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Natives or Foreigners Bodies Politick or Corporate to lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of the Exchequer upon Credit of all the Monies which shall arise by the said Act of the Twelfth Year of His said late Majesties Regency after Satisfaction of all the Loans not exceeding Three hundred thousand Pounds made thereupon and all the interest due and to be due for the said Loans and every of them or reserving sufficient to make the same and upon Credit of all the several Duties upon Low-Wines and Spices of the first Extraction Coffee Tea Chocolate Cocoa Spices and Pictures Hawkers Polles Perry Chapmen and Maisters by this Act continued as aforesaid and upon Credit of the additional Duties of Coffee Tea Chocolate Cocoa Spices and Pictures by this Act granted and of the New Duties upon Callicoon China Wares and Druggs and upon Credit of all other Duties by this Act granted or continued Any Sums or Sums of Money not exceeding in the Whole the Summe of seven hundred thousand Pounds as an Interest not exceeding the Rate of Six Pennes p Centum p An<sup>o</sup>

And to the End all the Money that shall be so lent to Her Majesty may be well and sufficiently secured and repaid with Interest as aforesaid Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies arising by the said Duties upon which the said Loans are to be made (other than the necessary Charges of raising and managing the said Duties) shall be brought and paid from time to time weekly into the Receipt of the Exchequer (that is to say) on Wednesday in every Week if it be not an Holyday and if it be then the next Day after that is not an Holyday and that there shall be provided and kept in Her Majesties Exchequer (that is to say) in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt One Booke in which all the said Monies shall be so paid into the Exchequer shall be entered apart and distinct from all other Monies paid or payable to Her Majesty Her Heires and Successors upon any Account whatsoever

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from time to time upon making of such Loans to be made in pursuance of this Act as aforesaid Tallies of Loans shall be issued for all and every Sums and Sums of Money so to be lent

XXII.  
Upon Exportation  
of Callicoon, China,  
and several Druggs  
to be accounted only  
Duty repaid, or  
Security secured.

XXI.  
Duties brought  
into the Exchequer.

XX.  
Manufacturers and  
wholesale Dealers  
in Linnen and  
Woollen Manufactures  
except Hawkers  
and Polles.

XXIII.  
Proviso the Goods  
imported before  
the 1<sup>st</sup> Feb. 1704, and  
then entered  
Customs.

XXIV.  
Credit of Loans for  
aforesaid.

XXV.  
Duties paid weekly  
into the Exchequer  
and entered upon.

XXVI.  
Tallies of Loans  
issued.

XXX.  
Orders for Repay-  
ment with Interest  
payable quarterly.  
Annullity.

And that Orders according to the Course of the Exchequer shall be drawn and signed for Repayment of the same and for Payment of such Interest as aforesaid for the Forbearance thereof of the said Interest to be paid every Three Months until Satisfaction of the Principal Sum; and that all and every such Order and Orders and the Monies therein to be contained or any Part thereof shall be assignable and transmissible without Power of Revocation see as the Assignments thereof to be contained upon the respective Orders and entered and noted in the Office of the Auditor of [the'] Receipt of Exchequer in a Book to be there kept for that Purpose.

XXXI.  
Register of such  
Orders kept in the  
Exchequer.

And that a distinct Register shall be kept in the said Receipt of Exchequer of all the said Orders of Repayment not exceeding Seven hundred thousand Pounds Principal Money in which the said Orders shall be registered in Course according to the Date of the Tallies respectively without any other Preference of one before another.

XXXII.  
Orders paid in  
Course.

And that every Person shall be paid in Course as his Order shall stand entered in such Register Book out of the Monies making by the said Duties or Payments upon the Credit whereof the said Loans shall be made as aforesaid which are hereby appropriated thereto.

XXXIII.  
Taking Fee for  
lodging Orders, &c.  
Penalty.

And that no Fee Reward or Gratuity (directly or indirectly shall be demanded or taken for providing or making any such Book or Register or for any View or Search in the same by any of Her Majesty's Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of forfeiting Triple Damages to the Party grieved with Triple Costs of Suit as to be recovered by Action of Debt or on the Case Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster by any Person or Persons who will sue for the [same] wherein no Escheat Penalties Wages of Law Privilege of Parliament or other Privilege or more than One Imparison shall be granted or allowed either for demanding or taking any such Fee or Gratuity or for giving any undue Preference in Place of Registry or Payment or for diverting or misapplying any of the Monies of the said Duties contrary to the true Meaning of this Act.

XXXIV.  
What not under  
Preference.

Provided always That if it shall happen that several of these Tallies and Orders bear date or be brought in same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered it shall be interpreted not under Preference which of these be entered first.

XXXV.  
The like Provisions.

Provided also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to incur any Penalty in Point of Payment if the Auditor direct or the Clerk of the Pells record and the Tellers do pay subsequent Orders of Payment that come and demand their Monies and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to demand their Monies and bring their Orders in their Course see as those be see much Money reserved as will suffice precedent Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them yet see as that Interest of Loan did in that Case cease from the Time the Money is not reserved and kept in Bank for them.

#### CHAPTER XIX.

1715, 1716, 1717.  
[c.]

AN ACT for setting the Right of several Parcels of Land and other Tenements and of certain Fishings and Tythes of Fishings in the Society of the Governor and Assistants London of the New Plantation in Ulster within the Realm of Ireland and their Successors and for setting a Rent Charge of Two hundred and fifty Pounds per Annum upon the Lord Bishop of Derry and his Successors for ever.

From the Original Act in the Parliament Office.

Enacted for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS several Disputes have formerly arisen between the Bishops of Derry and the Society of the Governor and Assistants London of the New Plantation in Ulster within the Realm of Ireland and the same are still depending between Charles Lord Bishop of Derry and the said Society concerning the Right of certain Parcels of Land and other Tenements and concerning the Right of several Fishings and Tythes of Fishings in the Rivers of Bue and Loughfild in the County of Londonderry and in the Counties of Antrim Tyrone and Donegal in the Kingdom of Ireland which have caused great Trouble and Change to the said Bishops and Society and been the Occasion of great Harts and Animosities among several of the Inhabitants of the said Counties Now for the settling and quieting all Differences between the said See and Society and for remedying the said Contentions and providing the like for the future the said Lord Bishop of Derry and the Governor and Assistants of the said Society Do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Governor and Assistants London of the New Plantation in Ulster within the Realm of Ireland and their Successors shall

The said Society  
mentioned herein  
in the Governor



and may for ever hereafter have hold and enjoy to their own proper Use and behoofe All those several Quarter or Partalls of Land called or known by the Names of Ternonbacco Mellona Ballygon also Ballygowan Ballyway also Ballygarry Garrowagh and Killeigh also Killeigh and sometimes known by the Name of the Fifteen headed Acres and by some called or known by the Name of Ternonderry or by what other Name or Names the same Acres and by any Part thereof be called or known situate lying and being in the County of London Derry or in the County of the City of London Derry or One of them And also all that Fishing called the Carr or Carr near Ballygon together with the Weir and Mill of Ballygon with the Appurtenances and the Small Piece of Land thereto adjoining and heretofore enjoyed with the same consisting by Estimation Two Acres and an Half more or less and also all the Privileges and Rights of Fishing and also all and all Manner of Tythes of Fishing belonging to the said Bishop or See of Derry of what Nature or Kind soever in the Rivers of Bann and Loughfoyle within the County of London Derry or of or in any other River Waters or Fishing Places within the said County of London Derry or in the Countys of Antrim Tyrone or Downall and which have at any Time heretofore been claimed or enjoyed by the Bishops of the said See of Derry for the Time being

and the Tythes of the new Plantation in Ulster and their Successors.

And that the said Lands Tenements Privileges Tythes of Fishing and all other the Premises subject to all former Charges Issues and Payments charged or chargeable upon any of the Premises or upon the said Bishops of Derry for or in respect of the same be and are hereby vested in the said Governor and Assistants London of the new Plantation in Ulster within the Realm of Ireland and their Successors and shall be held and enjoyed by them against the said Bishop of Derry and his Successors and all Persons claiming by from or under them or any of them And for a full and ample Compensation to the said Bishop and his Successors Bishops of Derry Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Bishop and his Successors Bishops of Derry for ever hereafter shall have and receive and shall be seized in the Right of their said Bishoprick of and in the said Annuity or Rent Charge of Two hundred and fifty Pounds per Annum or commutes from the Feast Day of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary One thousand seven hundred and four payable Quarterly at the Feast usual Feasts or quarterly Days of Payment in the Year that is to say the Feasts of the Nativity of Saint John Baptist Saint Michael the Archangel the Birth of our Lord God and the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary by even and equal Portions at the Mission House belonging to the said Bishop of Derry situate in London Derry aforesaid amounting out of and chargeable and charged upon all and every the Premises heretofore mentioned and all other the Messuages Lands Tenements Privileges Tythes of Fishing and all other the Estates whatsoever of the said Governor and Assistants London of the new Plantation in Ulster within the Realm of Ireland situate lying and being in the said Province of Ulster in the said Kingdom of Ireland

II.  
Remedy for paying the Rentcharge

Accord of all the Tythes of Derry and the Successors charged upon the said Premises, to be payable in kind or money

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That when and as often as the said yearly Rent of Two hundred and fifty Pounds or any Part thereof shall be behind and unpaid by the Space of Thirty Days next over or after any of the said Feast Days whereon the same ought to be paid as aforesaid that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Lord Bishop and his Successors Bishops of Derry lawfully or any the Premises charged or chargeable with the said Rent to enter and distrain and the Distress then and there found to take and carry away and in case the Amount then due together with all the Costs and Charges of taking and keeping such Distress shall not within Five Days after the taking the said Distress be fully paid and satisfied it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Lord Bishop of Derry and his Successors Bishops of Derry to sell and dispose of the Goods and Chattels so distrained and thereon pay off all the said Amounts then due and the Costs and Charges of such Distress and Sale for Non-payment thereof sending the Overplus to the Owner or Owners of the Goods and Chattels so distrained And in case no Distress or not sufficient Distress shall be found that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Lord Bishop and his Successors Bishops of Derry to enter into and upon all and every or any Part of the said Premises charged as aforesaid and to hold the same and take and receive the Rents Issues and Profits thereof to his and their own Use until the same and thereby he and they shall be fully paid and satisfied all Arrears of the said Rent together with all Damages Costs and Charges which he or they shall be put to by reason of such Entry for Non-payment of the same

III.  
If Rent Charge unpaid, Distress, and Proceedings thereon.

If no Distress, Bishop may enter and take the Rents, &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Fee and Inheritance of and in one large Mission House with the Site of the same commonly called the Bishops House with the Gardens Orchards Boulders Outhouses and all other the Appurtenances thereto belonging now enjoyed by the said Charles Lord Bishop of Derry under a certain Rent payable to the said Society and amount in or near the said City of London Derry or Liberties thereof from and after the Determination of a Lease thereof now in being purchased by the said Charles now Lord Bishop of Derry shall be and are hereby vested in the said Lord Bishop of Derry and his Successors Bishops of Derry for ever and shall for ever hereafter be held and enjoyed during the said Years by him the said Charles Lord Bishop of Derry his Successors Administrators and Assigns and from the Determination of the said Terms by the said Lord Bishop and his Successors free from all Payments or Claims or Demands of or from the said Society and their Successors

IV.  
The Bishop's Tythes within the Bishopric and his Executors for the Remembrance of a Mass to be said for the Successors

V.  
Grand Jury.

SAVING nevertheless to the Quakers most Excellent Majesty and to all and every other Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate their Heirs and Successors respectively (where then the said Charles Lord Bishop of Derry and his Successors and the said Society and their Successors) all such Right Title Interest Claim and Demand whatsoever in or out of the said Premises as they or any of them have or had or might claim in or out of the said Lands Tenements Fishings and Possessions or any Part thereof as if the Act had never been made

ITEM quatenus Petimus petimus personam concernentes in re formam Actum consensentes exhibere foreant prebita Dile Regibus in Parlamento prebita quatenus Tanti subsecuturam via.

1 An Act for vesting the Right of several Parcels of Land and other Tenements and of certain Fishings and Tithes in the Society of the Governor and Assistants London of the new Plantations in Ulster within the Realm of Ireland and their Successors and for vesting a Rentscharge of Two hundred and fifty Pounds per Annum upon the Lord Bishop of Derry and his Successors for ever.

2 An Act for naturalizing Thomas Livingston Viscount Telford in the Kingdom of Scotland

3 An Act for naturalizing Ladies Mary Cromer the Wife of James Cromer Esquire.

4 An Act to enable Thomas Pitt Esq. and Elizabeth Peake to make Leases for Lives of the Estates of Thomas Peake of Iwerne Courtney Esq. deceased as also the Son of George Pitt Esq. as to do when intailed and a actual Possession of the Premises and that he may be enabled to make a lease open any Woman he shall marry out of the same and for establishing a School in Iwerne Courtney and augmenting the Vicarage of Gos Alton in the County of Dorset.

5 An Act to enable Agnes Hauche Widow and other Trustees to make Leases and sell Lands in the County of Devon for the Payment of the Debts and Legacies of Robert Hauche Esq. deceased and for the Maintenance and Advancement of his Daughters Portions.

6 An Act for confirming an Agreement between the Executors of Moses Gould Esq. deceased and his Heirs for Payment of the Debt and Maintenance of the younger Children of the said Moses Gould and for saving other Part of his Estate.

7 An Act for Sale of the Estate of Daniel Drake Gent deceased for the Provision of his Widow and Children according to his Will.

8 An Act for naturalizing Henry Bowmen.

9 An Act for vesting in Trustees certain Messuages and Lands of William Duke of Devonshire and William Grevillish commonly called Marquis of Harrington to enable them to mortgage the same for Payment of Debts and subject themselves to settle the same to the like Uses as the same are now settled.

10 An Act to enable the Right Honourable John Lord Prudett and Bridgett Lady Prudett his Wife and the Consent of their Trustees to sell their Shares and Interest of and in certain Messuages and Lands in the County of Kent and to purchase other Lands or Hereditaments of the like Value to be settled to the use then.

11 An Act to vest the Estate of Charles Lord Howard Baron of Essex in Trustees to sell the same for Payment of Debts.

12 An Act for Sale of several Estates in England and Ireland for Payment of the Debts of Charles 1st of Barlinges and Corks.

13 An Act for confirming an Agreement made by certain Articles by and between John Earle of Eddin Richard Lord Belvoir both of the Kingdom of Ireland and Frances his Lady Charlotte Countess of Newburgh of the Kingdom of Scotland and William Rowley Esq. and for settling Part of the Estate of the said Earle of Eddin for the Purpose therein mentioned.

14 An Act for Confirmation of an Agreement made between Thomas late Lord Bishop of Cuthbert and Thomas Coke Esq. for vesting the Rectory of Melbourn in the County of Derby in the said Thomas Coke and his Heirs upon Augmentation of the Rents to the Bishoprick of Cuthbert and of the Stipend to the Vicar of Melbourn.

15 An Act for Sale of several Messuages and Lands in the Counties of Hereford Radnor and Brecon for Payment of the Debts of Richard and Thomas Williams late of Calaba in the County of Radnor Esquires deceased.

xxv. AN ACT for vesting in Thomas all the Estates of Baldwin Malet Esq<sup>r</sup> and William Malet his Son and His Assigns for Payment of the Debts of the said Baldwin Malet to Her Majesty as he was Receiver General for the County of Somerset and City and County of the City of Bristol and for settling the Residue on the said William Malet his Heirs and Assigns for ever as by Agreement between the said Baldwin Malet and William Malet.

xxvj. AN ACT to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Richard Cobb Esq<sup>r</sup> as One of the Sureties for Thomas Cobb Gentleman deceased Receiver General for the County of Southampton and Isle of Wight.

xxvii. AN ACT to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with John Drake John Hutton and Edmund Cocke as Sureties for Augustine Briggs Receiver General for the County of Norfolk and City of Norwich.

xxviii. AN ACT to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Sir Michael Biddolph Barret as he was One of the Sureties for Morgan Whitley Esq<sup>r</sup> Receiver General for the Counties of Chester and North Wales.

xxix. AN ACT for settling of the Tythes of certain Lands in Francion in the County of Warwick upon Simon Biddulph Esquire and his Heirs and for settling a Rent Charge in lieu thereof upon the present Recuse there and his Successors for ever.

xxx. AN ACT for the Augmentation of the Vicarage of Gainsborough in the County of Lincoln.

xxxi. AN ACT to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Thomas Whitley Esquire as he was One of the Sureties for Morgan Whitley Esquire late Receiver General for the Counties of Chester and North Wales.

xxxii. AN ACT for Sale of the Estates of Andrew Southwold Esquire deceased for Payment of the Mortgage Money and Debts thereupon and placing out the Overplus Money to the Uses therein mentioned.

xxxiii. AN ACT for Sale of certain Lands and Tenements in Besson in the County of Middlesex late the Estate of Matthew Lisse and his Wife and Timothy Whitfield and his Wife for the Purposes therein mentioned.

xxxiv. AN ACT to enable James Lockhart Esq<sup>r</sup> and his Wife to sell certain Lands Tenements and Hereditaments in the County of Essex late of Sir Thomas Lockin Barret deceased for Payment of their Debts and to purchase other Lands with the Overplus of the Money to be settled to the like Uses.

xxxv. AN ACT for raising Money by a Mortgage of a Plantation in the Barbadoes to pay the Debts of Robert Hooper.

xxxvi. AN ACT for Sale of Part of the Estate of Edward Baines Gent for Discharge of a Mortgage thereupon and making Provision thereupon.

xxxvii. AN ACT for settling and dissolving the Church or Chapel of Horra from the Church or Chapel of Bodingley in the County of Surrey.

xxxviii. AN ACT to enable Trustees to raise Money to pay the Debts of Mark Debus Esq<sup>r</sup> deceased.

xxxix. AN ACT for Sale of several Lands late of Thomas Goddard of Radlow in the County of Wilts Esq<sup>r</sup> deceased for Payment of his Debts and for settling the Overplus upon Andrew Goddard for the Purposes therein mentioned.

xl. AN ACT for Sale of several Lands and Hereditaments of George Nodds Esq<sup>r</sup> in the County of Hertford for Payment of his Debts and the Debts of George Nodds Esq<sup>r</sup> his Father deceased charged thereupon.

xli. AN ACT to enable Joseph Hissman of North Haux in the County of Southampton Esq<sup>r</sup> to sell some Estates in Andover in the said County and for the selling other Estates in the Church Twynsham in the said County of a better Value to the same Uses.

xlii. AN ACT for Sale of several Lands in the Counties of Durham and Northumberland late of Partridge Crows Esq<sup>r</sup> deceased for the raising the Parishes charged thereupon for his younger Children.

xliii. AN ACT for issuing an Estate mortgaged in Fee by Thomas Burr to Anthony Youdine (now an Infant) in Trust to recover the same to the said Thomas Burr or as he shall appoint upon Payment of all the said Mould due on the said Mortgage.

xliiii. AN ACT for confirming and making good the last Will and Testament of Hugh Nancey Esq<sup>r</sup> deceased.

xlv. AN ACT to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with John Mason Gent who was Receiver General for the County University and Town of Cambridge and Isle of Ely and also with John Peterking Bkman One of the said John Mason's Sureties as he was such Receiver.

- xxvii. An Act for Sale of the Estate of Charles Hadworth Esq<sup>r</sup> decreed for Payment of his Debts.
- xxviii. An Act for vesting the Estate late of Thomas Gay Gent decreed in Trustee to be sold for Payment of his Debts.
- xxix. An Act to enable John Prouse of Rock in the County of Northumberland Esq<sup>r</sup> to sell or otherwise dispose of his Lands in Shandon Shandon Woodhouse and Croxley upon selling Lands of the Value in the said County in this thereof.
- xl. An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of John Sands Esq<sup>r</sup> in the County of Surrey for Payment of his Debts and raising a Portion for his Daughters.
- xli. An Act for Sale of the Estate of Richard Ball in Little Appleby and Great Appleby in the Counties of Derby and Leicester and for laying out so much of the Money as will purchase another Estate of equal Value to be settled to the same Use and the Residue in making Provision for younger Children.
- xlii. An Act to enable Edmund Waller Esq<sup>r</sup> to charge his Estate (not settled on his Wife in Jointure) with a Sum of Money for Payment of his Debts.
- xliii. An Act for raising Money for Payment of the Debts of Thomas Fletcher Esq<sup>r</sup> by Sale or Mortgage of some Part of his Estate and for the better Execution of several Powers in his Marriage Settlement.
- xliiii. An Act to enable John Green of Gweddore in the County of Southampton Clerk to sell some Estate in Hackleton in the County of Wilt and for the selling other Estates in Gweddore in the County of Southampton of a better Value to the same Use.
- xlv. An Act to enable Margaria Cecilia Cadogan Wf of Beguelier General Cadogan Gilbert Alcock and John Thomas Lewis.
- xlv. An Act for enabling Trustees to make Leases of Part of the Manors of Dingley and Lands there in Payment of the Debts of James Griffin Esq<sup>r</sup> and raising Portions for younger Children.
- xlv. An Act for the better Explanation of the Settlement of the Estate of William Trafford Gent and On his Wife and William their eldest Son and for making more effectual a Provision for younger Children according to Agreements between them.
- xlv. An Act for vesting the Equity of Redemption of the Manor and Capital Messuage of ~~with~~ with the Appurtenances and diverse Freehold Messuages Farms and Lands in Lathford and Hasty in the County of Oxon late the Estate of William Lenthall Esq<sup>r</sup> decreed in Trustee to be sold for discharging of Incumbrances thereon.
- xli. An Act to enable William Crandish Esq<sup>r</sup> to make a Settlement in Jointure upon any Wife he shall marry and for the better raising the Portions charged upon his Estate and for confirming Infranchisements of several Copyhold Estates made by his Father within the Manor of Dorchildge in the Counties of Stafford and Derby.
- l. An Act to enable Sir George Warburton Bart. to sell the Manor or Lordship of Pifford in the County of Chester to perform an Agreement made upon his Marriage for Payment of several Portions charged upon his Estate and also to pay some Debts which his Father had Power to charge.
- ii. An Act for Sale of several Lands and Chapel Estates in the County of Devon and City and County of Exon of Joseph Pince for Payment of his Debts and Legacies charged upon his Estate and for a Provision for himself his Wife and Family.
- iii. An Act to marshall Andrew Girard also Desertrous Francis Basella and others.
- iv. An Act to make some Alterations and Amendments in an Act of Parliament obtained the last Session by Sir Peter Tyrrell and Thomas Tyrrell his Son in order to enable (') to sell several Lands in Hareley and Cardenhop in the County of Bucks which was settled upon the Marriage of the said Thomas Tyrrell and Dorothy his Wife and to settle other Lands in this thereof.
- v. An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of Euphras May Esq<sup>r</sup> decreed for reimbursing Charles May Esq<sup>r</sup> his Nephew such Monies as he has expended for discharging the Debts Legacies and Funeral Charges of the said Euphras May.
- vi. An Act for Sale of the Estate of Thomas Holford Esq<sup>r</sup> in Hereby and elsewhere in the County of Chester concerning chiefly in Reversions to raise Money for Payment of his Debts and purchasing an Estate in Foundation to be settled to the same Use as the other Estate was settled.
- vii. An Act for continuing a Lease heretofore made of certain Messuages and Lands in Egton by Sir Joseph Sheldon and Sir James Edwards to Humphrey Benn and agreed to be assigned to Sir Thomas Cooke Esq<sup>r</sup> and for enabling a Lease of other Lands adjoining to the same to be made to him.

*In* An Act for vesting in Treasurers the Estate late of Sir Thomas Warren Esq. and John Warren Esq. his Son deceased in Parkbury Fields or Moorfields in the Parish of Shoreditch in the County of Middlesex to be sold for the Payment of Debts and Legacies and the Overplus of the Money remaining to be laid out for the purchasing of Mortgage Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of Inheritance in the Kingdom of Ireland to be settled as in the Act is particularly mentioned.

*In* An Act to improve the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to be composed with Thomas Keppel Esquire of Luke Lloyd Esq. as he was One of the Guardians of Morgan Whitley Esq. as he was Receiver General for the Counties of Chester and North Wales.

*In* An Act for vesting the Estate of Joseph Goringe and Elizabeth his Wife in Treasurers to be sold and to dispose of Part of the Money arising by such Sale for the Maintenance of the said Elizabeth pursuant to their Marriage Settlement and to apply the Residue to the Payment of the Debts of the said Joseph Goringe.

*In* An Act to enable Treasurers to sell such Part of the Estate of Richard Lister Esq. and Frances Pace Lister his Wife sole Daughter and Heir of Sir Thomas Smith Esq. deceased in the County of Chester and City of Chester as remains unsold in order to raise Money for the Payment of the Debts of the said Sir Thomas Smith and for Portion for younger Children of the said Frances Pace Lister and for applying the Overplus in the Purchase of other Lands to be settled to the same Uses as they are now settled and likewise for continuing such Leases and Sales as have been made towards Discharge of the said Debts.

*In* An Act to improve the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to be composed with Michael Wicks Esquire late Receiver General of the Plantation Duties in the Port of London.

Annis 4<sup>o</sup> & 5<sup>o</sup> ANNÆ, A. D. 1705.

STATUTES MADE IN THE PARLIAMENT,  
BEGUN AT WESTMINSTER, ON THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF JUNE,  
IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF  
QUEEN ANNE,  
AND BY SEVERAL PROLOGATIONS AND ADJOURNMENTS  
CONTINUED TO THE NINETEENTH DAY OF MARCH,  
IN THE FIFTH YEAR OF THE SAME QUEEN.

Ex Rotulo Parliamenti de Annis Annæ Reginæ Quatto et Quinto.

IN PARLIAMENT sheweth upon Warrant<sup>er</sup> Declared quito His Majesty King Anne His Secretaries say, Executions  
Die nre Annæ Dei Græ Angl. Scot. Franc. & Hibern. Regina Fides Definitur<sup>er</sup> hoc Quarto Anno, Dei Matris  
Supremacie quato et p. regis Portugallie et Adjunctis<sup>er</sup> contra<sup>er</sup> nos, ad & in Decretum nostrum Dom  
Marij Annæ Rle dñe<sup>er</sup> Die nre Annæ Rle Quinto Contracti omnium Dominio<sup>er</sup> tam Spirituall<sup>er</sup> quam Temporal<sup>er</sup> &  
Civitat<sup>er</sup> Consensu et Rege Hispanie Assensu<sup>er</sup> actibus iuramentis ordinibus & statuta fecit<sup>er</sup> sequi<sup>er</sup> hoc Statu  
ad verbum ut sequitur viz<sup>er</sup>.

PUBLIC ACT.

CHAPTER L<sup>(1)</sup>

the Act  
4th June, 1705.

AN Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax [to be<sup>er</sup>] raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and six.

**M**OST Gracious Sovereign We Your Ma.<sup>ty</sup> most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to provide suitable Supplies for enabling Your Majesty to carry on and finish with Success the present War in which Your Majesty is necessarily engaged for the Good of Your Majesties Subjects and the Tranquillity of Europe have cheerfully and unanimously given and granted unto Your Majesty the Rates and Assessments hereafter mentioned and We do humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Summe of One million nine hundred ninety seven thousand seven hundred sixty three Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence Half penny shall be raised levied and paid unto Her Majesty within the Space of Our Year from the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six and shall be assessed and taxed in the several [Counties Cities<sup>er</sup>] Boroughs Townes and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed according to the Proportions and in the Manner following that is to say

FOR the Towne of Bedford the Summe of Six hundred ninety two Pounds Eleven Shillings and One Penny For the rest of the County of Bedford the Summe of Twenty seven thousand eight hundred sixty two Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny

For the Borough of New Windsor and Castle there the Summe of Nine hundred seventy eight Pounds Ten Shillings

For the rest of the County of Berke the Sum of Forty thousand seven hundred five Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Borough of Berke with Berke Botton hold Prebend End Gwern and Lenthowse the Sum of Six hundred and threety Pounds and Five Pence Half penny

For the Borough of Wiccombe the Summe of Three hundred fifty eight Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence

<sup>(1)</sup> This is Chapter II. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>(2)</sup> mentioned on the Roll

4th June, 1705.  
4th to be read  
to Our Town, from  
4th March 1705.

- For the rest of the County of Bucks the Sum of Forty six thousand six hundred fifty nine Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Eight Pence Half penny
- For the University and Town of Cambridge the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred forty six Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny
- For the Isle of Ely the Sum of Eight thousand and Eight Pounds Five Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny
- For the rest of the County of Cambridge the Sum of Twenty one thousand nine hundred seventy one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Three Pence Half penny
- For the City and County of the City of Chester the Sum of Fifteen hundred eighty four Pounds and Seven Shillings
- For the County of Chester the Sum of Twenty seven thousand and fourteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Two Pence Half penny
- For the County of Cornwall the Sum of Thiry one thousand nine hundred seventy ( ) Pounds and Six Shillings
- For the County of Cumberland the Sum of Three thousand seven hundred and thirteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Two Pence Half penny
- For the County of Derby the Sum of Twenty four thousand ninety three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny
- For the City and County of the City of Exeter the Sum of Four thousand seven hundred and Eight Pounds and Five Pence Half penny
- For the County of Devon the Sum of Seventy seven thousand eight hundred seventy five Pounds Two Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny
- For the Town and County of the Town of Exeter the Sum of Three hundred twenty eight Pounds and Two Shillings
- For the County of Dorset the Sum of Thirty two thousand seven hundred eighty eight Pounds Five Shillings and Six Pence Half penny
- For the County of Durham the Sum of Two thousand five hundred ninety seven Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Five Pence Half penny
- For the West Riding of the County of York the Sum of Thiry nine thousand three hundred sixty two Pounds One Shilling and One Penny
- For the North Riding of the County of York the Sum of Twenty six thousand four hundred and fifty Pounds Seventeen Shillings
- For the East Riding of the County of York the Sum of Nineteen thousand one hundred twenty seven Pounds Two Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the City of York and County of the same City the Sum of Four thousand six hundred thirty nine Pounds and Eight Shillings
- For the Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull the Sum of Two thousand fifty three Pounds Two Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Town of Middles in the County of Essex the Sum of Five hundred sixty six Pounds and Eighteen Shillings
- For the Town of Colchester the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred forty five Pounds Six Shillings and Three Pence
- For the Towns Harwich and Dover Court the Sum of Four hundred and three Pounds Thirteen Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Essex the Sum of Eighty six thousand six hundred Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Five Pence
- For the City and County of the City of Gloucester the Sum of Thirteen hundred sixty six Pounds Four Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the whole County of Gloucester the Sum of Forty six thousand one hundred and sixteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Two Pence
- For the City of Hereford the Sum of Seven hundred sixty three Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Borough of Ludlow in the County of Hereford the Sum of Three hundred thirty three Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the rest of the whole County of Hereford the Sum of Nineteen thousand three hundred and Eleven Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the Borough of St. Albans in the County of Hertford the Sum of Seven hundred seventy four Pounds and Two Shillings
- For the rest of the whole County of Hertford the Sum of Forty one thousand eight hundred forty five Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Town of Haddington the Sum of Four hundred thirty two Pounds Twelve Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the County of Nottingham the Sum of Fifteen thousand six hundred and four Pounds Twelve Shillings and Four Pence

For the City and County of the City of Canterbury the Sum of Seventeen hundred and sixty two Pounds Five Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Town and Liberty of Dover the Sum of Nineteen hundred twenty three Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Nine Pence

For the Town of Folkestone the Sum of One hundred forty four Pounds and Nineteen Shillings

For the Town of Faversham the Sum of Sixty seven Pounds Eight Shillings

For the Town of Faversham the Sum of Five hundred and nineteen Pounds Two Shillings and Three Pence

For the Town of Tonbridge the Sum of One thousand thirty two Pounds and Six Shillings

For the Town and Liberty of Sandwich the Sum of Nine hundred ninety one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence

For the Town and Part of New Romney the Sum of Two hundred forty nine Pounds and seventeen Shillings

For the Town of Lyth the Sum of Seven hundred sixty nine Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence

For the Town and Port of Hyth and West Hyth within the Liberty of the said Towns and Port the Sum of Two hundred forty six Pounds and Two Shillings

For the rest of the whole County of Kent the Sum of Seventy five thousand six hundred seventy one Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the County of Lancaster the Sum of Twenty thousand nine hundred eighty nine Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny

For the Borough of Leicester the Sum of Six hundred thirty nine Pounds and Twelve Shillings

For the rest of the County of Leicester the Sum of Thirty four thousand one hundred and twelve Pounds One Shilling and Seven Pence Half penny

For the County of Lincoln with the City and County of the City of Lincoln the Sum of Seventy two thousand two hundred twenty six Pounds Ten Shillings and Four Pence

For the City of London the Sum of One hundred twenty three thousand three hundred thirty four Pounds Ten Shillings and Seven Pence

For Serjeants Inn in Fleet Street the Sum of Sixty five Pounds and Four Shillings

For Serjeants Inn in Chancery Lane the Sum of Thirty one Pounds and Four Shillings

For the Inner Temple and Inns of Chancery thousands belonging the Sum of Four hundred Pounds

For the Middle Temple and Inns of Chancery thousands belonging the Sum of Two hundred seventy two Pounds Sixteen Shillings

For the Society of Lincolns Inn and Inns of Chancery thousands belonging the Sum of Three hundred fifty one Pounds Seven Shillings and Six Pence

For Gresham Inn and the Inns of Chancery thousands belonging the Sum of Two hundred fifty two Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence

For the Palace of Whitehall and St James's the Sum of Thirty thousand seven hundred fifty four Pounds Six Shillings and Three Pence

For the City of Westminster and Liberties thereof and Offices executed in Westminster Hall the Sum of Sixty three thousand ninety two Pounds One Shilling and Five Pence

For the rest of the County of Middlesex the Sum of One hundred and eight thousand seven hundred fifty eight Pounds Three Shillings and Seven Pence

For the County of Monmouth the Sum of Nine thousand eight hundred and twelve Pounds Six Shillings and Five Pence Half penny

For the City and County of the City of Norwich the Sum of Eight thousand five hundred and Eighteen Pounds Eleven Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Borough of Great Yarmouth the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred and twenty Pounds Three Shillings and one Penny

For the Borough of Kings Lynn the Sum of Eighteen hundred and fourteen Pounds and Fourteen Shillings

For as much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in the County of Norfolk the Sum of Two hundred and thirty nine Pounds

For the rest of the whole County of Norfolk the Sum of Seventy one thousand two hundred sixty eight Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town of Northampton the Sum of Eight hundred and thirty Pounds Seven Shillings and Ten Pence

For the rest of the County of Northampton the Sum of Forty seven thousand one hundred and ninety Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Three Pence

For the Town and County of the Town of Newcastle upon Tyne the Sum of Two thousand five hundred and eighty Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town of Berwick upon Tweed the Sum of One hundred forty five Pounds Three Shillings

For the County of Northumberland the Sum of Eleven thousand eight hundred twenty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings

For the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham the Sum of Sixteen hundred and eighty Pounds Ten Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny



- For the County of Nottingham the Sum of Twenty five thousand six hundred sixty two Pounds and Two Pence  
 For the University of Oxon (\*) (\*\*) the Sum Three thousand six hundred and thirteen Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence  
 For the rest of the County of Oxon the Sum of Thirty five thousand four hundred forty eight Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Seven Pence  
 For the County of Rutland the Sum of Five thousand five hundred twenty five Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny  
 For the Town of Ludlow the Sum of Two hundred twenty six Pounds and Two Shillings  
 For the County of Salop the Sum of Twenty eight thousand eight hundred thirty four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Three Half pence  
 For the City and County of the City of Bristol the Sum of Seven thousand three hundred ninety one Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence  
 For the City of Bath the Sum of Four hundred forty three Pounds Six Shillings  
 For the City of Wells the Sum of Four hundred eighty one Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence  
 For the Borough of Bridgwater with Haysgrove Tything the Sum of Three hundred sixty six Pounds Five Shillings  
 For the rest of the County of Somerset the Sum of Sixty three thousand seven hundred and ninety Pounds Four Shillings and Four Pence  
 For the Town and County of the Town of Southampton the Sum of Seven hundred ninety four Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny  
 For the Isle of Wight the Sum of Six thousand two hundred seventy three Pounds and Sixteen Shillings  
 For the rest of the County of Southampton the Sum of Forty eight thousand one hundred and nineteen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Half penny  
 For the City and County of the City of Litchfield the Sum of Four hundred and twenty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Four Pence  
 For the County of Stafford the Sum of Twenty six thousand seven hundred Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence  
 For the Town of Ipswich the Sum of Two thousand sixty one Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence  
 For the Borough of Bury St. Edmunds the Sum of Two thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds and Fifteen Shillings  
 For the Borough of [Dunwich] the Sum of Forty Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence  
 For the Borough of Ely the Sum of Five hundred and two Pounds  
 For the Borough of Sudbury the Sum of Five hundred and six Pounds Eight Shillings and Eight Pence  
 For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in Suffolk the Sum of Seventy nine Pounds and Four Shillings  
 For the rest of the County of Suffolk the Sum of Sixty eight thousand five hundred and three Pounds Ten Shillings and Six Pence  
 For the County of Surrey the Sum of Sixty six thousand seven hundred and sixteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny  
 For the Town and Port of Hastings and Liberty thereof the Sum of Three hundred seventy eight Pounds Six Shillings  
 For the Liberty of Seaford the Sum of One hundred forty one Pounds Eighteen Shillings  
 For the Liberty of Pevensey the Sum of One thousand eighty eight Pounds Ten Shillings  
 For the Town and Parish of Rye the Sum of Four hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings  
 For the Town of Winchelsea the Sum of Four hundred and five Pounds  
 For the rest of the County of Sussex the Sum of Fifty eight thousand one hundred forty eight Pounds Eight Shillings and Seven Pence  
 For the City and County of the City of Coventry the Sum of Two thousand four hundred sixty three Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Nine Pence  
 For the County of Warwick the Sum of Thirty seven thousand four hundred Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eleven Pence  
 For the City and County of the City of Worcester the Sum of Two thousand two hundred thirty nine Pounds Nine Shillings and Eight Pence  
 For the County of Worcester the Sum of Thirty one thousand four hundred fifty seven Pounds Eight Shillings and Eleven Pence  
 For the City of New Baden the Close of the manor and Clarendon Park the Sum of Nineteen hundred thirty five Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence  
 For the rest of the County of Wilts the Sum of Forty nine thousand seven hundred thirty six Pounds Eleven Shillings and Five Pence  
 For the County of Wiltshire the Sum of Three thousand forty five Pounds Three Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny  
 For the Isle of Anguern the Sum of Sixteen hundred thirty three Pounds Seven Shillings and Eleven Pence

\* "the Sum of One hundred and eleven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Two Pence," G. 3. King's Printer Copy.

\*\* For the City of Oxon, G. 3. King's Printer Copy.

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For the Borough of Brecon the Sum of One hundred seventy seven Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Eight Pence  
For the rest of the County of Brecon the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Cardigan the Sum of Thirteen hundred seventy two Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence

For the County Borough of Carmarthen the Sum of Two hundred twenty nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Four thousand One hundred and forty Pounds Three Shillings and Eleven Pence Halfpenny

For the County of Caerleon the Sum of Two thousand three hundred thirty seven Pounds Six Shillings and Seven Pence

For the County of Denbigh the Sum of Six thousand eight hundred Pounds

For the County of Flint the Sum of Two thousand three hundred and fourteen Pounds Seventeen Shillings

For the County of Glamorgan the Sum of Seven thousand nine hundred and six Pounds Nine Shillings and Ten Pence

For the County of Merioneth the Sum of Two thousand four hundred thirty two Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Ten Pence

For the County of Montgomery the Sum of Five thousand the Sum of Five thousand eight hundred fifty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the County of Pembroke the Sum of Two thousand nine hundred sixty seven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Eight Pence Halfpenny

For the County of Radnor the Sum of Two thousand six hundred thirty two Pounds and Six Shillings

And for the Town and County of the Town of Hereford West the Sum of One hundred seventy five Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence

II.  
Personal Estates  
(Exemption)  
to pay as in the  
Poind.

And he it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That towards the raising the said several and respective Sums of Money hereby charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places as aforesaid all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate Gilds and Franchises within the same respectively having any Estate in Ready Money or in any Debt whatsoever owing to them within the Rules or without or having any Estate in Goods Wares Merchandises or other Chattels or Personal Estate whatsoever within the Rules or without belonging to or in Trust for them except and out of the Profits of the said several and respective Sums as he or they due him self and such Debts owing to them as shall be adjudged by the Commissioners appointed by this Act And also except the Stock upon Land and such Goods as are used for Household Staff And also except such Loans or Debts as are or shall be owing from Her Majesty to any Person or Persons shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings in the Pound according to the true yearly Value thereof for One Year that is to say For every Hundred Pounds of such Ready Money and Debt and for every Hundred Pounds Worth of such Goods Wares Merchandises or other Chattels or Personal Estate the Sum of Four and twenty Shillings and yet after this Rate for every greater or lesser Sum or Quantity to be assessed levied and collected in Manner hereafter mentioned And that all and every Person and Persons and all and every Constabulary and Commissioners having charge or executing any Publick Office or Employment of Profit and all and every their Agents Clerks Secretaries Substitutes and other inferior Ministers whatsoever (such Military Officers who are or shall be in Muster by the Master General of Her Majesties [Army] as in Pay in Her Majesties Army or Navy in respect of such Office only excepted) shall towards raising the said several Sums before in this Act charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places as aforesaid yield and pay to Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings which he or they do receive in One Year by virtue of any Salaries Gratifications Bounty Money Reward Rent Profits Perquisites or Advantages whatsoever to him self or them according for or by reason or Occasion of their several Offices or Employments And that all and every Person and Persons Gilds Franchises Roffes Politick or Corporate having any Pension Annually Stipend or other yearly Payments [either] out of the Receipts of Her Majesties Exchequer or out of any Branch of Her Majesties Revenue or payable or secured to be paid by any Person or Persons whatsoever (not being issuing out of any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or charged upon the same) which other Dispositions are given by this Act and not being Annuities or yearly Payments which by any Act or Act of Parliament made or to be made are or shall be specially exempted from the Payment of Taxes or Aids) shall towards raising the said several Sums before in this Act charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places as aforesaid yield and pay to Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for every such Person Annually Stipend or yearly Pay<sup>1</sup> respectively and after that Rate for One whole Year the said several Rates and Sums of Money hereby granted to be assessed imposed levied and collected in such Manner as hereafter is mentioned

Employment of  
Publick Officers  
of the Army or  
Navy to pay as  
in the Poind.

Persons, &c. not  
of the Publick  
Revenue  
(Exemption)  
to pay as in the  
Poind.

to be assessed as  
herein mentioned.

III.  
Mines, Lead,  
Quarries, Mines,  
Picks, Fountains,  
&c. Annually,  
Rent Charges, &c.

And to the End the full and entire Sum by this Act charged upon the several Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively as aforesaid may be fully and completely raised and paid to Her Majesty the Use it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Miners Minerss Lands and Tenements and also all Quarries Mines of Coles Tin and Lead Copper Mordick Iron and other Mines Iron Works Sile Springs and

<sup>1</sup> continued on the Roll.

Salt Works all Alton Meas or Works all Parks Cities Wastes Woods Underwoods Coppices and all Fishings Tyke Tyke Anstays and all other yearly Profits and all Hereditaments of what Nature or Kind soever they be nature long and being happening or arising within the several and respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or Places aforesaid respectively or within any Parts of the same as well within ancient Dismowes and other Liberties and privileged Places as without and all and every Person and Persons Bodies Publick and Corporate Guilds Myesteris Fraternities and Brotherhoods whether Corporate or not Corporate having or holding any such Manors Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises in respect thereof shall be charged with so much Equality and Indifferently as is possible by a Pound Rate for or towards the said several and respective Sums by this Act set and imposed or intended to be imposed for or upon all and every such Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or other Places hereby charged therewith as aforesaid so that by the said Rate so to be taxed or assessed for or upon the said Ready Money Debt Goods Wares Merchandises Chancels or Personal Estates and for and upon the said Offices or Employments of Profit and for or upon the Penances Annuities Sidelings or yearly Payments aforesaid and for and upon the said Manors Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and other the Premises according to the Purport and true Meaning of this present Act the full and entire Sums hereby appointed to be raised as aforesaid shall be completely and effectually raised assessed levied and collected and shall be paid into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer by Four Quarterly Payments the First Payment thereof to be made on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six.

as well within ancient Dismowes as without.

to be charged with so much Equality as possible.

Five annuities.

To be paid to the Exchequer by quarterly Payments.

And whereas many of the Manors Messuages Lands Tenements Tyke Hereditaments and Premises intended by this Act to be charged with the Pound Rate as aforesaid stand incumbered with or are subject and liable to the Payment of several Rents-Charges or Annuities or other annual Payments issuing out of the same or to the Payment of several Fee-Farm Rents Rents-Service or other Rents thereupon reserved or charged by reason whereof the true Owners and Proprietors of such Manors Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments do not in Truth receive to their own Use the true yearly Value of the same for which nevertheless they are by this Act chargeable with a certain Pound Rate it is therefore declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful so and for the Landlords Owners and Proprietors of [the said] Manors Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments and Premises being charged with a Pound Rate as aforesaid to assess and deduct and to receive and keep in his or their Hands out of every such Fee Farm Rent or other annual Rent or Payment so much of the said Pound Rate which shall be taxed or assessed upon the said Manors Messuages Lands and Premises as a like Rate for every such Fee Farm Rent or other annual Rent or Payment respectively shall by a just Proportion amount unto so as such Fee Farm Rent or other annual Rent as Payment respectively do amount to Twenty Shillings per Annum or more And all and every Person and Persons who are or shall be any Way intitled to such Rents or annual Payments their respective Assigns Revers Receivers and their Deputy and Deputies are hereby required to allow such Deductions and Payments according to such Rates upon Receipt of the Renties of such Monies as shall be due and payable to them for such Rents or annual Payments reserved or charged as aforesaid without any Fee or Charge for such Allowance.

IV. Rents for paying the Rents.

Landlords, &c. of such Manors, &c. as upon the Rate, and Incumbrances are to allow it.

Landlord to show for Fee Farm Rents, or other annual Payments, if the Rent amounts to two pence Annually.

And to be further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the better assessing ordering levying and collecting of the several Sums of Money so as aforesaid limited and appointed to be paid and for the more effectual putting of this present Act in Execution all and every the Persons hereafter named or such of them as shall be duly qualified according to this Act shall be Commissioners of and for the several and respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places hereafter named.

V. The Persons hereafter named (duly qualified) to be Commissioners for this Act.

#### For the Towns of Bedford

The Mayor for the Time being Sir Philip Monoux Bernard William Farrer Edward Carnot Robert Bell John Spence Esquires William Foster Doctor of Laws Francis Brace Gent<sup>l</sup> William Beddett William Fidd Thomas Betson senior John Peck George Middle Thomas Wilks Henry Wilks Aldermen William Nicholas Robert Courtenay Henry Lowen Henry Peck Gentlemen.

#### For the rest of the County of Bedford

The Right Honorable Charles Lord Brace Son and Heir Apparent to the Earle of Aylesbury The Right Honorable Edward Lord Russell One of the Sons of William 1<sup>st</sup> Duke of Bedford The Honorable Robert Brace Esquire The Honorable James Bruce Esq. The Honorable William Ashburnham Esq. Son and Heir Apparent to The Right Honorable John Lord Ashburnham Sir William Goswick Sir John Napier Sir John Cotton Sir John Burgess Sir Thomas Alston Sir Pymont Charocks Sir John Osborne Sir John Woodcock Sir St Andrew St. John Sir John Chene Sir Philip Banier Sir Philip Monoux Sir William Maseberg Baronets Sir Thomas Rolt Sir Henry Johnson Sir John Fawcett Sir James Asty Sir William Milford Sir George Beng Knight Sir Oliver Luke Lewis Harrow Thomas Brown William Hildersden Theophilus Napier William Farrer senior William Farrer William Palmer Richard Bruce John Vaux John Cockaine Richard Edwards William Alston George Edwards Robert Monagray Walter Cary John Harry of Tharley Henry Ashley junior Samuel Rolt William Pym Humphrey Peck Charles Gary Robert Bell William Furse junior William Farrer of Bedfordham Sir John Thompson John

Harvey of Ickwell Matthew Dennis Charles Dymock senior William Linney Samuel Rhodes John Wagnell John  
Cave Nicholas Brandreth Thomas Johnson Richard Orditer William Bowler of Wooton John Huxley William  
Becher John Begg William Northcote Richard Buckley Maurice Abbot Edward Gung Anthony Dendrooch Paradise  
Linney Richard Cockayne John Gorruck Thomas Will Thomas Chapin John Edgewood Lewis Dine Nicholas Laker  
Edward Demombe John Keyling Samuel Oegley Samuel Halfpenny Joseph Edmunds Anthony Enrich Robert  
Polleyn of St Neots in the County of Huntingdon William Aspin Thomas Haley William Lovick William Under  
Richard Andrews John Magdall James Asty Charles Berry Humphrey Fish junior Ralph Brunsell John Osborne  
Richard Heider George Russell George Burnamson John Coppin John Crawley and John Coose Esquires George  
Nades Francis Bruce Hugh Smith William Barr Thomas Arnold Thomas Brunsell of Roxton William Bodin John  
Akers John Marsh Thomas Upwood Harry Whitbread John Cockayne George Edwards Joseph Godfrey Thomas  
Baker junior Richard Huxley William Chase John Wright William Louch Gentlemen John Woodhouse Doctor of  
Physick and Chirurgeon Doctor of Divinity Henry Pys Charles Norton Esquires John Crawley Gent  
Michael Windham Gent

For the Borough of New Windsor and the Castle there

The Mayor Aldermen and Deputy Sheriffs for the Time being Doctor Gregory Bakker Deane Doctor Samuel  
Perr Mr. Edward Jones Mr. John Hartcliffe Probudaries of Windsor & John Darrell Knight One of Her Majesties  
Sergeants at Law Charles Aldworth William Oldfield William Bowler George Littleton Charles Potts Thomas Rowe  
Henry Proctor Theodores Rindas Esquires Richard Plampton George Woodman William Smith Daniel Carty John  
Brow Gentlemen Richard Hild John Coopers Doctors of Physick The Right Honourable John Lord Viscount  
Fishward of the Kingdom of Ireland and Richard Topham Esquire

For the rest of the County of Berks

The Right Honourable David Duke of Buchan in the Kingdom of Scotland the Right Honourable Henry Duke  
of Beaufort in the Kingdom of Scotland John Lord Viscount Northampton in the Kingdom of Ireland William  
Lord Roane of Scotland the Honourable Callwell Harry Merthons Sir Humphrey Poynter Sir John Standonish Sir  
William Rich Sir Edmund Fortplace Sir Oliver Ashcomb Barons Sir Henry Fane Knight of the Bath Sir James  
Harcourt Sir Edward Norris Sir Christopher Wren Sir William Whitlock Sir Jonathan Ryngard 5<sup>th</sup> William  
Tauschall Sir Thomas Travers Sir William Screen Sir Henry Johnson Sir Owen Beckingham Sir Jacob Banks Knight  
Sir John Darrell Knight One of Her Majesties Sergeants at Law Sir Thomas Delemont George Pitt John Blandy John  
Archib Richard North Edmund Wansell Sir Anthony Crown Alexander Popham Richard Aldworth Richard Fox  
Henry Pys Edmund Fortplace Thomas Fortplace junior Edmund Dunch Henry Kingsmill Thomas Fleetwell James  
Standonish senior Charles Gerard French Norris Brightwell William Paul Thomas Vachell Charles Fortplace  
Paul Godwin John Hippey senior Edward Sunden Robert Southby of Appleton Esquires Francis Brodbeck James  
Travers Her Majesties Surveyors General Thomas Fortplace junior James Perrot Anthony Blagrove Frederick Hill  
of Kingston Luke Scary Barker Esquires Thomas Backridge William Wootman Henry St. John Esquires Thomas  
Smackland William James Esqrs John Whitfield senior John Whitfield junior Esqs Francis Popham Richard Acon Esq  
James Heyer Edward Sherwood Richard Southby Thomas Turner Francis White Esqrs George Blagrove junior Charles Taylor  
Strode Thomas Sepasse John Smith Robert Knight Robert Packer Esqs John Poynter Blandy Watkinson John Poynter  
Samuel Whitlock Christopher Wroughtley Robt Mayers John Wallis John Holloway William Angell William  
Thompson John Williams Henry Foxcock Thomas Gerard John Hippey junior Thomas Harwood William Smith  
William Barker John Head of Hadcot William Whitlock Bartholomew Tipping Robert Lee John Culbert Robert  
Rich Francis Kirk Thomas Goodluck Peter Price James Watwick Richard Lobb John Aldworth George Blagrove  
senior John Foxcock John Jennings of Bedford John Doe John Blagrove of Warchfield John Doby Charles Will  
Esqs Richard Knapp Nicholas Courney Thomas Loder John Portinger of Sudbury Edward Lerechin Charles Platt  
Doctor of Physick Francis Pury Lowler Henry Henry Stephens George Fitzwill Edmund Bray Richard Pitt  
Charles Collins Leveche Begg Francis Goddard Richard Sherwood William St. John John Effenden Hugh Col  
Michael Hyde William Bullock Henry Foxcock John Whitfield junior George Blagrove junior Charles Taylor  
Esquires Samuel Barker Joseph Crowlde Abel Bradley Ralph Howland Edward Hangerford Thomas Moore John  
Begg Doctor Francis Cuswell John Windsor John Portinger of Isclips William Whitlock Robert Thompson William  
Rever John Ball John Harriot Thomas Roads Daniel Hyman Robert Jennings James Jennings Richard Staines  
Charles Lash Russell Owen James Goodley Rice Watkins Richard Paine Anthony Lower Richard Syer William  
Smith Richard Michell Thomas Stevens Samuel Wallington George Langport Richard Thompson William Bodin  
Esquires Henry Langport John Thorne junior Francis Browne Robert Selwood John Selwood Robert Grotewill  
Richard Gill Henry Knapp Edward Colson Richard Haw Thomas Hyman John Mandy of Letcombe Beckett John  
Bunce of Charlton Bartholomew Yate Thomas Hagrave of Kenwood George Colles Edward Dobby Adam Smith  
James Quarrelles John Sylvester John Foster William Newbery Francis Pigot of West Charlton Edward Foxcock  
Thomas Garra senior Richard Fildes Peter Sawyer Moses Gill William Wright James Scarbourn junior Robert  
Almond Clerk Anthony Mark Esq Richard Clerk Nathaniel Gressell [Gressell] Robert Mason Richard Cooper Gregory  
Goring Edward Bates John Pope junior Charles Leader Francis Leader John Rutter Thomas Gales James Maynard  
Thomas Crowlde James [Mabe] Richard Lyford John Winder John Fellows Richard Portinger John Head of Langley  
James Brewer Doctor of Physick Thomas Junior Allen of Bauldon Benjamin Rydard William Watkinson

Esquires Thomas Taylor Henry Nelson Henry Mitchell John Baboyp Richard Topham William Southby Richard Wing John Boshoff William Richards Clerk William Peacock Richard Cooper junior Robert Lyns George Bayly Robert Hastings Walter Kent Richard Hyde Jonathan Edwards Principal of Jesus College in Oxford Richard Steiner of Alder William Gauding Thomas Tyrrell (\*) Sherms of Concor Robert Sayer of Dinton Benjamin Tompkins John Brookes John Bush Richard Hobbs of Arlington Thomas Yorke of East Henslow Humphrey Buckley senior Ferdinando White Wilson Groser Robert Furze Richard Wynch of Bray John Green Joseph How James Quarrenburg Thomas Constable of Redding Edward Jennings of Harwell Henry Walder Thomas Byrnes Thomas Lavocher Richard Curtis Charles Perry Peter Alexander also Thomas Valentine Coomes James Hartree Doctor of Physick Adam Head of Chilton John Shugborough Esquire James King William Grover Master of Reading Hugh Chapman Thomas Tyrrell Adam Smith Robert Noaks William Noaks William Scholes William Harris Francis Knight Thomas Harris senior William Walder of Reading The Mayor of Abington The Mayor of Reading The Mayor of Newbury The Mayor of Wallingford The Mayor of Wundoe Thomas Braden Gicks The Mayor of Maldenhead The Aldermen of Okeingham for the Time being William Tyrrell of Drayton [William?] Tyrrell of Soudok in the Vale Owen Buckingham Esquires Henry Crosswell (Colwell?) Buckingham Esq Henry Proctor Esquire John Harris Edward Hore Gentlemen Thomas Bakerville Francis Justice of Session Bennett Daw Edward Bales junior The Honourable Francis Pender John Head of Hedon Clement Kent Benjamin Child Robert Dent of Reading Peter Hase William Hutton John Feller of Bletchley John Tyrrell of Reading Edmund Mellisott Thomas Feller John Hester William Hawkins junior John Fennell Edward Roberts Clerk Ambrose William Dickinson Richard Hamlyn [Richard Hamlyn?] Richard Peacock of [Chesey?] Grey Esq Esquires John Tomkins John Poole George Phipps John Hunger Esquires John Dew junior Charles Aldworth Esquires William South Clerk. Read of Bradford, Clerk John Sale Clerk Edward Jones Clerk Francis Howard Clerk Thomas Curtis of Gasford John Prior of Marham William Collier Richard Mordington Doctor of Divinity Edward Cumberb Clerk Dodson Beckon Sawyer of Fordingham Esquire John Aldworth Clerk Sawyer of Heywood Edward Richard Esq Abraham Brookbank Clerk Leonard Bilton Esquire

For the Towne of Buckingham with Burton Burton hold Priores End Gawott and Leeborough

The Bystills of Buckingham for the Time being The Right Honourable John Lord Viscount Fitzmough of the Kingdoms of Ireland Sir Richard Temple Sir Harry Tyrrell Sir Edmund Denton Barons John Price Edward Bass Henry Andrews John Rogers Alexander Denton Esquires Peter Patton Doctor of Physick William Harley Alexander Ekeney William Marsh Richard North Hugh Arrett Edward Percell George Little Jonathan Sessan Gent Oliver Peblar Vacant

#### For the Borough of Wycomb

The Mayor Recorder Aldermen Balleys and Town-Clerk for the Time being The Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Shelbourne of the Kingdoms of Ireland Charles Godfrey John Spinks Esquires John Bagg Doctor of Physick Samuel Wells Thomas Barnes John Bates Richard Bates Thomas Bagg Gentlemen

#### For the rest of the County of Bucks

The Right Honourable Edward Lord Russell one of the Sons of the late Duke of Bedford The Right Honourable James Lord Cavendish one of the Sons of the Duke of Devonshire The Right Honourable William Lord [Viscount?] Clayer of the Kingdoms of Scotland The Right Honourable John Lord Viscount Fitzmough of the Kingdoms of Ireland The Right Honourable Henry Lord Shelbourne of the Kingdoms of Ireland Serjeant Lord Porpoise of the Kingdoms of Ireland The Honourable Charles Boyle The Honourable Henry Buns The Honourable Henry Herbert The Honourable Henry Paget The Honourable Maurice Thompson The Honourable William Montague Sir John Hakbert Sir Richard Temple Sir John Chatter Sir John Packington Sir Samuel Gurnard Sir Harry Tyrrell Sir Dennis Hampson Sir William Boyser Sir Paul Whitcomb Sir John Wenswong Sir Peter Tyrrell Sir Walter Clapton Sir Henry Seymour Sir Joseph Alston Sir Thomas Tipping Sir Edmund Denton Sir (?) Thomas Winford Charles Burdett Sir Connor Wood also Coopers Sir James Etheridge Sir Roger Hill Sir Robert Clifton Sir William Whitlock Sir Macmadda Deyrell Sir Henry Johnson Sir Owen Buckingham Sir William Sassen Sir Edward Calk Sir Charles Dancombe Knights John Thushams James Selby Serjeants at Law Richard Hampson Roger Penn of Penn Stephen Walker Doctor of Laws Richard Back Connor Wood also Coopers Thomas Tyrrell Edward Walter Henry Rodd John Backwell Francis Dancombe of Brighthelm Charles Godfrey Thomas Lygos of Berroth John Nicholas Johnson Cross William Furze senior William Drake John Pashdown William Crooke Charles Dent George Wright Edward Hart of Beil Syson Mayne [Nichols?] Hackett Robert Domes of Lee Edward Bass Francis Tynaghon Wenswong Serjeant Richard Gonsaville senior Richard Greenville justice Tyringham Backwell John Drake John Peiry Thomas Halsey John Lee William Little James Chair John Rogers Thomas Connor of Oakley Basilide Warren Henry Stephens Edward Leigh William Lowndes John Wensworth Crowell William Johnson Roger Chapman William Enkla Harwood Domes John Haspelin Charles Domes Robert Domes William Domes James Domes of Dorton Edward Lovett of Lycombe Francis Lygos William Foxman of Fowley Court James Tyrrell of Oakley John Poole Thomas Chapman Benjamin Lane Henry Gould Donohall Thosby Robert Tash Hugh Horton Francis Horton Esquires Simon Harcourt Richard Cusley Leonard Wensell

\* Richard D.

\* Walter G.

\* Colwell G.

\* G. senex

\* Chesley G.

\* mentioned on the Roll.

\* Sir D.

\* Nicholas G.

Thomas Lint Daniel Fisher Thomas Robinson Brown With Henry Andrews Thomas Standen of Newland John Sheppard of Lydton Joseph Nade Edward Ashton Thomas Eyles William Abell of East Claydon William Russell Thomas Hill Richard Gwynne of Chilton Parke William Cock John Dorrer of Hill Edward Baye Thomas Eyles junior John Knapp Edward Lane John Deade [Henry Rave'] Edmund Reeve Patrick Lamb James Tyndal Richard Smith Doctor of Physick Henry Panton Richard Whitechurch John Sparks Philipp News Henry Mayors of Hagen Dutton Holbert Colton Edmund Danch John Portney Anthony Sturt Esquires

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Nicholls of Olney Edward Harvey of Chilton Esquires

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Tower John Ellersden Henry Harris Richard Cockman Richard Broomby Wood Thomas Holton Henry Colby Richard Dayrell Peter Dickinson Henry Fletcher of Morles John Gibbons Thomas Stanger Master Buttenfield Richard Style Robert Galsford junior Michael Sore of Marnworth William Hill junior of Chesham John Taylor William Elmer Robert Adams of Swadlowe James Sumner of Pollicott John Tanser Doctor of Physick

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Parlier of Sharnagton High Smith of Woodson John Goodson of Simon John Welch Thomas Watson of Edgport Gersham

## For the University and Towne of Cambridge

The Vice Chancelier for the Time being The Mayor for the Time being All the Heads of the Colleges and Halls The Honourable Arthur Annesley The Honourable Edele Windsor Esquires Sir John Cotton Sir Robert Colles Sir John Jacob Burcote Charles Wright Thomas Tharke Thomas Savill Nicholas Vincent M<sup>rs</sup> New William Stubble Henry Erskine John Edwards Mather Pascoe Robert Moore Andrew Sape Doctors in Divinity John Erce James Johnson Doctor of Law Christopher Green John Broadwas Thomas Cook Thomas Holbert Thomas Tharke Doctor of Physick The Proctor for the Time being John Perre Hugh Martin Edward Gills Esquires John Moore Joshua Barnes Ferdinando Stables Henry Stanley John Long Randleben in Divinity Andrew Bacon Thomas Sturdliff John Lighowse Charles Burroughs William Puddley Reginald Hewlens Masters of Arts Samuel Newton Thomas Ewin Thomas Fox senior Nicholas Eagle Charles Chambers John Probert Thomas Fox senior William Swain James Fletcher Thomas Fyvie junior [Thomas Fox junior] Daniel Love Francis Perrey Alderman David Rowlands Grando Piggott Anthony Thompson William Wans John Walbone Esquires William Haring William Watson Samuel Newton junior Joseph Korte James Hamilton Christopher Richardson Benjamin Watson William Reed Abraham Silke Thomas Gale James Wendy William Wendy Bryan Thornhill John Dilsborough Thomas Stratton Nicholas Apcherpe John Warden Thomas Crabb Peter Benson William Wansley William Briggs Alexander Barrell Thomas Wendy Richard Jordan

## For the Isle of Ely

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Philip Williams Nicholas Malher William Needham Clerk John Marshall Thomas Whetstone Henry Edwards  
Thomas Buckworth Samuel Garward Richard Ruel Robert Twells Samuel Coldwell John Wilson Robert Berleigh  
John Towns John Maplescott Toyer Popcut Nicholas Malher Henry Withiam William Bourne William March  
William Cole John Keate George Downes William Need Pergrine Dayley John Hensley Thomas Martin William  
Woodward  
Nesne Edward Drury Walter Walker Robert Rowland Richard Hewlock Gentleman William  
Cotter Doctor of Laws and Chancellor Ralph Marsh Esquire Thomas Watson George Mayfield Gentleman

## For the rest of the County of Cambridge

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Lord Alington of the Kingdoms of Ireland The Right John Lord Curzon of the Kingdoms of Ireland Sir  
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Peter Sadler John Church Midway Downum Arthur Jocelyn Theophilus Tyrell William Evered Charles Keyes  
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Robert Swaine Esquire Thomas Black William Worm John Burn John Rast William Bennett Edmund Gresham  
Thomas Dodd William Carborne (\*) William Casborne of Ditcham John Wakely Gregory Wale Maplescott  
Daniel Love (\*) Robert Cole Thomas Haggop Robert Cuffs John Westrop John Keate Samuel Love William Hubbard  
Alexander Parker Allen Herrell Gentleman Stephen [unackn.] of Burwell Gentleman

## For the City and County of the City of Chester

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Dow Wrenon John Lloyd Esquires Captain John Sparks Captain John Nelson Robert Cuffs Robert Foulke Samuel  
Taylor John Bridge Richard Minshall Samuel Houson Richard Astor John Forrer William Mercer William Masfield  
Gentleman

## For the County of Chester

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of the Kingdoms of Ireland The Right Honourable Loyndle Lord Hensingworth Esq. and Heir Apparent of the Esq. of  
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Honourable Gell Booth The Honourable Henry Newport The Honourable George Chelmsley The Honourable  
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Ducknold Sir Roger Morry Sir Francis Lyeson Sir John Warden Sir Orlando Bridgman Sir Henry Baskby Sir  
John Cheswood Burmest Sir Robert Corzon Knight and Baronet Sir John Crew Sir William Glegg Sir Richard  
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Booth Peter Legh of Booths George Booth John Warren Samuel Daniel John Lawton Richard Legh John Crew  
Offey John Allen of Bagley Charles Chelmsley Roger Manning of Proser Roger Manning senior Roger  
Manning junior Nathaniel Legh Thomas Stephens senior Thomas Stephens junior Peter Withiam Roger

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 Wright Robert Glegg William Whitmore of Yarnington George Lovett Serrall Harlowe John Harlowe  
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 Eborston William Whitmore Richard Walhall William Marshall Richard Marshall George Lacy John Lysons  
 of Taton Roger Whitley John Ward John Bakewell John Pickering Edward Thornehill William Swetnam  
 Thomas Canon of Cotton John Egerton of Cuthon Ralph Horne John Pickford Clutter Wright White  
 Skewille William Lawton John Given of Peabon Richard Alport Edward Glegg of Grange Thomas  
 Wenshall John Dodd of Branton William Gildfield under Thomas Higginbottom Gilbert Wenshall George  
 Malton William Fallowers of Heywood John Glegg John Hunt Dennis Heyford of Millington Thomas Ashton of  
 Ashby Henry Andrew Esquires Robert Inverwood Lawrence Booth William Dunbar Robert Crumpton Thomas  
 Cooper William Davenport John Dodd of Maseley Thomas Glanville junior William Gurnall Thomas Hallard of  
 Newbrough Thomas Leigh John Lech of Cardin John Murray of Coddington Leitch Oldfield John Shuckton  
 William Tatton Edward Warren Robert Warburton Esquires George Shakerley Gendeman William Jackson Doctor  
 in Physick George Dodd Roger Goodrich Peter Wooten George Swetnam Walter Young Henry Bradshaw  
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 Byrdell John Parker Richard Varcoe of Malterewch John Hamey John Hamey Bradford  
 Colliwest of Colliwest Hill Thomas Brackus of Olveston John Worsell Samuel Umston Hugh Delves of Nangwick  
 John Dodd of Houghton Thomas Wickstead John Bromhall James (Boris Thomas Belle) (\*) Low John Stach of  
 Warrinchester John Low of Northwick Robert Dodge of Booden Thomas Vernon John Morda William Staley  
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 of Sandbach Lowndes of Botock Charles Chamber John Berkeleied of Backford George Bird of Branton  
 John Burnstone of Telford Edward Berrie of Berles William Clayton Thomas Clatten of Chilton William  
 Booth of Upton Fiddes of Elton William Horloman Hyde of Cotesford Thomas Hall of  
 Harlidge Thomas Healey of Algham Thomas Hale Lake King of Wynewell William Oldfield junior Thomas  
 Powell of Bellington Robert Aldersey Esquire of Malldewich Charles Walley of Saighton Thomas Hall junior  
 Gendeman the Mayor of Macclesfield for the Time being Thomas Swetnam Reverend William Row Thomas  
 Law John Blagg John Houghton Richard Jackson Richard Worthington Adam Eaden Nicholas Thornley Roger  
 Boulton John Boulton Serrall Wood Gendeman George Davenport Esquire Master Charles Fletcher Master  
 William Holloweke Master William Tomkinson Row Deane John Hawkins Leach junior

## For the County of Cornwall

The Right Honorable Henry Lord Hyde Son and Heir Apparent to Lawrence Earle of Rochestre the Honorable  
 Francis (Roberts) Esquire (\*) The Honorable Frances Godolphin Son and Heir Apparent to Spynay Lord Godolphin Lord  
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 Sir John Moleworth Sir Nicholas Morris Sir Beecher Wray Sir Henry Soper Esquires Sir Joseph Trevelyan Sir  
 Bevil Gwinnell Sir William Scroon Knight Hugh Bouzeman John Trevelyan of Corlayes Charles Trevelyan Richard  
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 Baker Joseph Sawle Robert Rolle John Moleworth Henry Darrell Charles Gills Thomas Vesien John Nichols of  
 Treasore John Nichols of Boudoune Anthony Nicholls John Anson of Tescum Arthur Anson of the same John  
 Godolphin William Courtney Hugh Fortescue Edmund Fortescue Edward Elliot John Fortescue John Montemayor  
 William Mohan John Fortescue Arthur Fortescue Jonathan Trelawny Warwick Mohan Edward Elliot junior James  
 Kendall John Grogan Alexander Percheron Samuel Triffin Francis Bassett Hugh Poyer John Treby Francis Cussey  
 Henry Munton Richard Hole John Wolcombe Walter Moyle Nathaniel Moyle Joseph Moyle James Prich William  
 Bond Remond Bellart John Polwhele Nicholas Morrice Emanuel Piper John Enys Richard Enys William Mori  
 Alexander Cawse William Carey Philipp Mayon John Penhalow John Marsh Henry Fleming William Bridges Esquire  
 With Thomas With George Spry Henry Jones Henry Vincent Hugh Tomkins (Thomas Tompkins) of Landgen  
 Francis Nassau John Courtney Richard Sobell Francis Sobell John Hicks Thomas Johnson of Lohard Esquire  
 James Kestell John Hobbs Nicholas Latrell Warwick Hawkey Gregory Peter Simpson Hill William Baller Jonathan  
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 Stephen Robins Thomas Waddon William Martin John Kestell William Hancock of Hendra John Warr William  
 Kirkwick Thomas Horle John Penock Thomas Johnson James Egmont Joseph Marke Richard Harris of Roke  
 Henry Bradshaw William Tuo John Tregunle Robert Ross John Sparkle Charles Gills junior John Barker of  
 Pauline Edward Pearce of Pearce John Rault Thomas Chelms of Treasore Thomas Cuthen Henry Jacob John  
 Varcoe John Marley Paul Orchard Samuel Gilbert Charles Orchard John Niece John Oliver of Silbury John  
 Bouson Thomas Cawse John Pearce of Marazion William Flannock of Bouson John Bouson Richard Trevelyan  
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 Talbot Ashes Gwinnell Sir Asker William John Francis Palmer of Trevelyan Peter Lockwick John Arnold of  
 Trevelyan Samuel Kemp John Williams of Curston John Peter William Spry of Blidford John French William  
 Bagnone Henry Jones of Pearce Hugh Jones Edward Bennett of Haverley Samuel Enys of Torr William  
 Bonathan Samuel Gilbert junior Esquires Charles Haddley Thomas Worth Reginald Bowden Richard Jek Bennett

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\* The Honorable Russell Roberts Esquire.

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Henry of St. James John Walter John Archer Nathanael Webb junior of Kingston Richard Traynard of Lancaster  
 Philip Tuckett John Roberts Thomas Holbys of Penrynport Samuel Foot High Bowden Richard Dodge of St. Ives  
 Thomas Glynn Geo<sup>d</sup> Nicholas Kendall Clerk Ebenezer Gully Robert Holbys Clerk John Cole of Carnarvon Francis  
 Perowne (?) John Asta junior Anthony Turner William Vane of Tordiff John Polard junior Thomas  
 Brown Jonathan Wheeler Gentleman Thomas Worth junior Martin Kellgren Esquire Thomas Fisher Richard Delap  
 Gentleman Joshua Thomas of St. Ives Francis Colquhoun John Pomeroy Peter Major John Goodall William Toller  
 Abraham Stephens John Worth junior Richard Baker Philippe Mays junior Esquire Thomas Wisler Gentleman  
 Robert Corker Merchant William Harris of Pickwell Edward Trevelyan Clerk John Penneck Clerk William Hamly  
 of Trevelyan Gentleman John Andrew Gentleman John Andrew of Trevelyan Gentleman John General Esquire  
 Lavon Blackmore Clerk Maria Ryder Esquire John Hill of Lydport Gentleman

## For the County of Cumberland

The Honorable Sir John Dalton Sir Henry Fletcher Sir John Lowther Sir Richard Sandford Sir William  
 Ferguson Sir Richard Manners Barons Sir William Fleming Baron Sir Edward Haule Knight Joseph Pennington  
 Chamberlain Mungtons Richard Mungrove George Fletcher James Stanhope John Aglionby Wilfrid Lawson Gifford  
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 Lowther John Pomeroy Richard Huddleston Evan Christiana Ferdinando Laras Edward Stanley Richard Partridge  
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 Blacoe Robert Eslington Timothy Buchanan John Sedhouse John Nicholas Charles Oelcar Richard Hutton  
 John Layton Christopher Cerver Esquire George Irem Henry Salford Henry Fletcher Christopher Dalton John  
 Esquire Anthony Patrickson William Andrew William Copley Henry Copland Gower Wens Richard  
 Eighston James Haddock Humphrey Sedhouse Thomas Langhag the Mayor of Carlisle for the Time being Thomas  
 Aldison John Brougham Andrew Whalpole Henry Fairclough William Tovey William Bellhouse George Seaton  
 Esquire John Gale Captain Serjeant James Mansfield senior Thomas Simpson Thomas Cooley William Matheson  
 Joseph Reed Joseph Parker Robert Low William Ferds Robert Blacklock Robert Langton Joseph Rids Thomas  
 Dawson Charles Spaldham Richard Graham Geo<sup>d</sup>

## For the County of Derby

The Right Honorable William Lord Marquis of Harrington Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Devonshire  
 the Right Honorable John Lord Marquis of Granby Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Rutland the  
 Right Honorable the Lord James Cavendish Son to the Duke of Devonshire the Right Honorable the Lord  
 Stanhope Son and Heir Apparent to Philip Earle of Chesterfield Sir William Gresley Sir Robert Barker Sir John  
 Hapton Sir Henry Every Sir Edward Coke Sir William Boothby Sir Philip Gell Sir Paul Jenkinson Sir Charles  
 Sir Barons Sir Edward Alway Sir Charles Scrimgeour Sir Richard Loring Sir Gilbert Heathcote Knight John  
 Curzon Thomas Coke John Hapton Thomas Stanhope William Coke of Tisbury Henry Giffes Robert Sutherland  
 Simon Dugg Francis Munday John Law Andrew South Gilbert Mundy Henry Ray John Osburne (?) of  
 Lincolne Alexander Stanhope Robert Wilmet of Chaddes John Barrow Henry Gilbert junior Thomas Goucher  
 John Eury Thomas Geo<sup>d</sup> John Robert Holden Edward Mundy Paul Baldwin Esquire Thomas Alenay William  
 Horn Samuel Bradshaw John Holden Anthony Bradshaw Middlemore Pilkington William Hauser John Richardson  
 Samuel Richardson Robert Newson Leonard Footbrooke Christopher Pegg Gent the Mayor of Derby for the  
 Time being Sir Thomas Parker one of Her Majesties Serjeants at Law Recorder the Aldermen of Derby for the  
 Time being Thomas Carrer John Franchise William Turner George Beaudy Joseph Parker John Gibbons Hugh  
 Thomas Edward Lays William Chambers Benjamin Parker William Graves Edward Parker Edmund Parker  
 James Mortimer Solomon Roberts Philip Wooten John Holmes Godfrey Maynall of Langley Thomas Roberts  
 Samuel Chadlow Isaac Chadlow Gilbert Chadlow Gentleman Walter Berdett John Barker Robert Wilmet of  
 Osmaston Robert Harding Charles Jemson Gilbert Thacker John Allen William Barnes John Wilkins Philip Price  
 Godfrey Clarke Robert Barker Thomas Grelly Robert Wilmet junior of Osmaston Esquires Dornay William  
 Boveas of Swanton in the Fields Esquire Rowland Cotton John Fitcherbert Wilmet Fisherbert William Cavendish  
 of Downhodge Samuel Pole Godfrey Maynall of Bradley Thomas Brown of Bentley Robert Wilmet of Duffield  
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 Chadlow William Shalhouse Richard Sissons Thomas Milnes Gentleman Brook Boothby Thomas? Eyre Michael  
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 Robert Melfer John Bedham Robert Furse Benjamin Bayward William Hopkiness Gentleman William Eyre John  
 Shalhouse George Swill Thomas Leigh Henry Bradshaw Thomas Seaford John Bagshaw Henry Balpy Alexander  
 Ratcliffe Esquires Thomas Bagshaw Benjamin Astum John Seaford James Sherret Richard Bennett Adam Bagshaw  
 Henry Berisford Samuel Swann Gentleman Samuel Porpoise Thomas Gladwin John Stewenson George Samuel  
 John Wiggill Robert Revell Robert Astum Thomas Woolhouse Samuel Dalton Esquires Robert Mayors Arthur  
 Dalrymple John Richardson of Newson the Mayor of Chesterfield for the Time being Richard Yeale Alderman  
 Andrew Clayton Thomas Barley John Bradshaw George Milward John Wiggill of Bideborough Thomas Gregg  
 Richard Hall John Durd Godfrey Widdowson Paul Webster John Turner John Halton William Hodgkinson of  
 Ormsay Henry Gill Ralph Burton Gentleman Isaac Bower Esquire Walter Horton William Sutherland James

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Robert Ashton junior Esquires John Hinchinson Thierius Ridgway John Low of Perhill Gentlemen Henry  
Verdon of Sudbury Esquire Thomas Guberna junior William Woolley junior Charles Baptham  
of Middleham George Newell Gentlemen

For the City and County of the City of Exeter

The Mayor Aldermen and Common Council for the Time being The Honourable Sir Edward Seymour Barons  
Recorder The Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Exeter for the Time being Sir John Elmh Knight  
Thomas Gibson Sergeant at Law William Martin Thomas Nashmore Robert Wombourne James Giple Peter King  
John Belfield Francis Drev Burdett at Law Thomas Warehouse John Osmond William Mangrove William  
Hollist Doctors of Physick Robert Walker Nicholas Martin Courtenay Crocker Nicholas Beeking Richard King  
John Hilda Esq. Isaac Gibbs William Mathews William Ekis Samuel Polce Thomas Mitchell Francis Gault  
Thomas Bowdler Philip Hooper Thomas Smeeth Jeron King Benjamin Ivey George Knowling John Deeds Joseph  
Ivey Nathaniel Galt Peter Belsill Charles Allen John Pym Edward Chalk Roger Prewis Roger Payne John  
Hendbrooke Thomas Bary William Speye Clement Wadde Henry Durr Francis Oliver Edward Croser Nathaniel  
Rowland Francis Worth Edward Allen Jasper MacCulloch Esq. William Belsill Thomas Jelfy Richard Poyson  
Christopher Lethbridge James White Merchant

For the County of Devon

The Honourable the Lord Edward Russell the Honourable the Lord James Russell Sons of the late Duke of  
Bedford the Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Doncaster of the Kingdom of Ireland the Honourable William  
Ashbournham Esq. and His Agent of the Right Honourable John Lord Ashbournham Sir Edward Seymour  
Sir Edmund Pendergast Sir George Chadsleigh Sir Francis Deane Sir John Pole Sir Francis Northcote Sir Arthur  
Chichester Sir William Courtenay Sir William Dury Sir Hugh Ashford Sir William Deane Sir Nicholas Mawer  
Sir Walter Young Sir John Trevelian Sir William Courtenay Sir Thomas Pen Sir Thomas Lane Sir John Rogers  
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Forrester John Chadsleigh Hugh Belsill Thomas Stafford Charles Trevelian John Pollexfen Thomas Berr John  
Calamy John Williams John Worth Richard Howson John Spake Charles Parker Thomas Gibson Nicholas  
Hooper John Pratt Sergeant at Law Nicholas Ashford George Mangrove John Forrester Edward Yard of [Thomas]  
Thomas Chelwick John Harris of Monmouth Thomas Mathew Edward Pollexfen Peter Berr Richard Segden  
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Doona John Fry John Trevelian of Ham John Holby John Pringle Courtenay Crocker Henry Anson Edward  
Hollist William Langford Andrew Quick Samuel Wootton Thomas Wise William Page Robert Fry John Leigh  
Richard Hallet Thomas Southcott Robert Marwood Gilbert Fry James Young Robert Avery John [Avery] Adam  
Sweet Robert [Wolhouse] Thomas Chelwick Henry Hook Nicholas Pender Walter Shapcott Nicholas Roper  
Edward Reynell Thomas Pulman William Martin junior of Osm Downham Merchant Thomas Forrester  
William Martin senior William Dyer Thomas Parker Anne Croser Jasper Radcliffe Christopher Role Arthur  
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Brooke Samuel Tanner Benjamin Oliver Southcott Lettice Arthur Kelly Edward Ford Robert Burridge Samuel  
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Lethbridge Richard Nutcombe James Belsill William Stevens George Geer senior William Harris of Pollexfen  
John Moore John Upcott Mathew Jenkins John Doldge John Pidge William Osmam William Holker William  
Belsill William Gibson John Bingham John Raymond James Northcote William Brevton George Trevelian  
John Jones Edward Wood Thomas Pye Doctor of Physick Nicholas Trev Burtholme Anthony John Gey  
John Forrester David Long Thomas Bound William Gilbert William Chelwick Henry Trevelian George Rolle  
Covellos Hayne John Pall Robert Edgeworth junior Gyles Yand Richard Forrester junior Richard Berr James Smith  
George Cockran Thomas Role Frederick Horne Nathaniel Horne John Conington William Williams John Role  
Thomas Warren Richard Mallock Luke Blackmore Richard Reynell Roger Pennoy Christopher Wolcott  
Nicholas Beeking John Low Joseph Oliver Edward Gould Edward Pym Thomas Wood Roger Gifford Peter  
West John Han Thomas Trevelian Robert Colmore Robert Bant John Nowe Thomas Worth William Martin  
senior Ashbourn Denals John Rutledge Philip Doctor Henry Iscliden Hugh Serle John Sybil John Howson  
of Monmouth Jonathan Elford of Bickham George Back of Belsill Merchant Thomas Mochell John Belsill  
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Arthur Chichester John Nor of Inch [Chamber] Philip Drake William Wood John Anson William Warren of

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*Plymouth* Nathaniel George Thomas of Frampton John Deble William Isaac William Hackmore Present  
*Barnstable* Clement Bowditch Richard Dyer Richard Duke senior Richard Trypt Clerk French Dawe John Roop  
*of Miles River* Charles Henry Isaac Arthur Fyne Samuel Cook William [Nayle] Thomas [Pear] Rawling Mallock  
*John Burington* Peter King John Heale Merchant Daniel Mitchell Charles Taylor John Benson William Jopt  
*Samuel Poynt* Francis Pungilly Thomas Dyer Christopher Redford Clarke junior Henry Ward of Topham Richard  
*Coppleston* John Coppleston Martin Ryder John Burridge Francis Walrond Nicholas Ash of Boscawen Kynaston Nabbot  
*John Beck* Merchant Nicholas Carr William Long Richard Harwood Henry Doune Edward Pym of Boscawen  
*Sapleton* Heath Henry Chichester of Fozdigh John Thorne William Bather Doune of Plymouth Joseph Baker  
*Henry Poynter* Richard Poynter John Simons George Thorne the Mayor of Plymouth the Mayor of  
*Barnstable* and the Two Aldermen the Mayor of Blythburgh the Mayor of Tenes the Mayor of Tharston the  
*Mayor of Torrington* the Mayor of Dartmouth the Mayor of North Moolton the Mayor of Oakhampton the Mayor  
*of Plymouth* for the Time being Abraham Towne Gent. Captain Henry Greenhill

## For the County of Dorset

The Honourable Henry Thynne The Honourable Maurice Ashley The Honorable William Ashburnham Esquires  
*Sir John Pole* Sir Nathaniel Napier Sir Charles Napier Sir Richard Newman Baron S<sup>r</sup> John Hawkes S<sup>r</sup> Jacob Baskes  
*Eight* Thomas Strangways Thomas Chaffin Henry Portman The Right Honourable Lieutenant General Charles  
*Churchill* The Right Honourable Lieutenant General Thomas Lisle One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy  
*Council* Samuel Rolle Nathaniel Napier Richard Poynter Thomas Strade George Churchill Edward Nicholas John  
*Bake* George Pitt Michael Harvey Richard Brodripp Robert Rowse of Frangton John Morten Playdell Robert  
*Coker* senior Thomas Strangways junior Richard Poynter junior William Okendon Edward Seymour John Williams  
*Francis Hoban* Robert Seymour William Kynock Harry Comeston Anthony Kynock Walter Piggott Thomas Pitt  
*William Bowles* junior William Whitaker Giles Frimpton John Mitchell junior John Edill Edward Berkeley Robert  
*Fiske* Thomas Fiske Robert Oxenbridge Richard Bingham Hugh Bodger John Eastment Hugh Chudlogh Charles  
*Bunce* Gilbert Mahon of Fleet Thomas Green John Mitchell William Poyer Anthony Poyer Thomas Skinner  
*William Soldenham* Richard Swaine George Dowdney William Lawrence John Gould William Weston James Gould  
*William Fitch* Robert Huxey Robert Huxey Thomas Dover Richard Herrell Thomas Gendry Henry Henley  
*Nicholas Hardy* Richard Ross Robert Pope Henry Chaffin Claude Kent of Wimbull Richard Baker Thomas [Gallup]  
*Archibald Churchill* Robert Brodripp Robert Henly Thomas Mosch Anthony Scott Alexander Fifield John Nathan  
*Simon Whitcombe* Gerrard Wood Thomas Scawson Robert Hopkins William Fiske Robert Cuthford Nicholas  
*Rand* Selwyn at Law William Bennett of Hartgrove Nicholas Brown Andrew Loder junior Recorder of Wincanton  
*Henry Clepton* Richard Churchill George Butler Christopher Pitt Doune of Plymouth John Pitt Thomas Cockson  
*John Tregowell* of Andover Hubert Gould James Gould of Upwey John Churchill Henry Trenchard William  
*Comeston* John Morten George Richards William Hall William Bennett of Skiston Francis Edill John Edill junior  
*Roger Mompesson* John Richards Henry Arnell of Basington John Pike Lewis Cockson Robert Burridge John  
*Edward Tregowell* Fossapton William Poyer Richard Wadden John Suggsary Doctor of Physick Abraham Forster  
*Phyllis Solomon* Andrews Anthony Elsdale Daniel Dagdale Robert Swaine Robert Butler Robert Baker George  
*Kirke* John Coker Anthony Leslie Arthur Paine John Fry Thomas Hawkes Thomas Williams Philip Taylor Merchant  
*the Mayors* of Dorchester Shaftesbury Weymouth and Melcombe Regis Corle Watchman and Lynne Regis for the  
*Time* being the Bailiffs of Blandford and Boldport for the Time being George Jagger Robert Russell John Oldham  
*George Mallin* Simon Orchard Thomas Cooper of Sherborne George Strode John Widdham Edward Chivell William  
*Collier* James Hall William [Pitch] William Rose Edward Kennell William Sheppard George Lewin William Lewis  
*John Back* Thomas Rose of Poole Robert Combes John Bythwood Robert Henley Courtenay Crucke John  
*Partridge* Peter Walter Nathaniel Smith Peter Burtcombe John Vincent of Perlington William Harding John  
*Whitcombe* Samuel Bishop Dennis Bond Richard Channing of Coopton William Thomas Edward Herrell Samuel  
*Whitcombe* David Ashburnton Jonathan Edwards William Bowler junior William Wotton junior John Burridge John  
*Scovell* of Tarrant John Oldham of Dorchester John Saint Lee William Bell John Yate of Dorchester Merchant Gary  
*Boucher* of Sherborne James Richards Richard Dibbes of Mansell John Heale Gentleman Thomas Sheppard of  
*Dorchester* Merchant John Thripp Merchant Anthony Eyles Esq. Captain William Harding Captain Theobald  
*Townman* Charles Langridge William Hughes Recorder of Skiston Sheldon Merri Esquire

## For the Town and County of Poole

Sir William Phipps Knight Samuel Weston Esq. Moun Darrell Wilson Esquire Thomas Hile William Williams  
 Shadrach Duke George Lewin Robert Bennett John Giggie John Jennings the present Mayor

## For the County of Durham

Mark Stables [Esq.] High Sheriff The Right Honourable Lord William Powlett Second Son of the late Duke  
 of Bolton The Honourable Gilbert Vane Esq. The Honourable Charles Montagu Esq. The Honorable William Vane  
 Esq. Robert Dumas Esquire Temporal Chancellor Sir Nicholas Cole Sir Henry Liddell Sir James Clavering Sir  
 Richard Sandford Sir John Cropley Sir Robert Eden Sir Edward Blacket Sir Richard Manners Barons Sir  
 Ralph Carr Sir William [Bov] Sir Henry Bellamy Sir Francis Blake Knights The Honourable Doctor Montagu

\* Nayle G.

\* Poynt G.

\* Gallop G.

\* Fitch G.

\* mentioned in the Roll

\* Boscawen G.

Dean of Durham: The Prebendaries there for the Time being: Doctor Brookbank Spisall Chancellor The Hon<sup>ble</sup> Mr. Archdeacon Tooth Doctor Harwell Thomas Alleton Henry Lambton Esq. Attorney-General John Eden Lyndal Vane William Lambton James Darcy Thomas Conyers Robert Byrd William Bromly Richard Mayne John Horton William Bellingham John Teapot John Bodworth Robert Waigh Robert Brown Robert Jenison James Chivers John Hilt George Morland Robert Elton Francis Cary Matthew Whitefield William Strother Charles Howard William Carr Henry Lydell James Chivers junior Charles Wren John Spensman Ralph Graydon Ralph Myler George Bewes Rowland Place Fretill Lambton George Bower Solicitor General Ralph Lambton John Medall William Everick Charles Allanson Ralph Carr Anthony Selvin David Johnson William Dutton Captain Costworth Anthony Estrack Nicholas Hall Christopher Sanderson Richard Middleton John Fawcett John Carr Esquire Leonard Shafto Clarke William Williamson John Cottibet Thomas Wilkeson Thomas Edlison Cathbert Brown James Nicholson Esquire John Elmslie Ralph Holton Mayor of Durham for the Time being and the Aldermen Mayor of Stockton for the Time being and the Aldermen John Richardson Mr Ayton Abolition Holton Robert Carr Thomas House George Heath Richard Robinson Arthur Prescott John Haslam George Cropper William Shaw John Haslam junior Mr Garth of Houlton Francis Baker John Harrison Ralph Haslam Thomas Shute John Sevenson John Hunter Henry Wolfe Thomas Wason Robert Clifton John Martin Esq. Holton Peter Barwell Richard Stumacher Gabriel Swainson John Thomson George Fox Penda Foster John Shute Francis Kitchen Francis Smart Gilbert Spensman Gentlemen Timothy Wright Henry Eden Samuel Haslam Thomas Blackett Richard Bower William Haslamson Simon Gilpin Clarke Matthew Haslam Bernard Durdene Thomas Haslam John Raine Thomas Sanderson Thomas Edlison Thomas Smith Nicholas Graywell Thomas Forster of Cornhill Esq. Samuel Ogle Thomas Forster Edward Delville Major General Mayne George Ciel of Longridge William Taylor William Selby of Beale George Wason of Cuswick William Christian Doctor Thomas Wharton Thomas Haslam William Costworth Thomas Goy of Morra William Johnson Robert Johnson Esquire Robert Sutton Robert Wren William Fawcett William Ciel of Pilkington Thomas Ciel of Grindon Thomas Owen Francis Talbot of Beal Thomas Renda Bernard Fretick Francis Woodless John Richardson David Son

For the West Riding of the County of York

The Honourable the Lord Marquis of Burlington Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Devonshire William Lord Pavant Second Son of the late Duke of Beke George Lord Viscount Castleton of the Kingdom of Ireland Henry Lord Viscount Down of the Kingdom of Ireland Thomas Lord Fairfax of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable Henry Boyle Esquire Chancellor of the Exchequer and [one] of His Majesties most Honourable Privy Council The Honourable Sidney Wortley Montagu The Honourable Thomas Wentworth The Honourable Henry Fawcett Esquire Sir George Savile Sir John Dalton Sir William Strickland Esq. Esq. Goodrick Sir John Ainslie Sir John Kay Sir William Ramsay Sir John Hild Sir John Ingley Sir Bryn Sapperton Sir Thomas Frankland Sir George Cooke Sir Godfrey Copley Sir Walter Haslam Esq. Sir John Pilkington Sir Bradstone Jackson Sir John Wolensholme Sir Edward Haslam Sir George Tinsley Sir John Middleton Sir Rowland Wren Sir William Ramsden Sir John Wentworth Sir Hugh Southam Barnum Sir Thomas Yarnburgh Sir Jonathan Lumley Sir Richard Chalderson Sir William Haslam Sir Christopher Duncy Sir Thomas Tinsley Sir Charles Duncombe Esq. Arthur Kay Richard Mayne William Blackett Robert Manton William Wentworth Thomas Hanson William Leecher William Palmer Robert Herby William Osborn Robert Moleworth Cyphel Arthington Walter Calverley William Porpentine George Porpentine Andrew Palsay Reginald Graham George Corle Thomas Palsay Thomas Thorntill Wilbury Norton Christopher Stockdale Henry Cate Thomas Fairfax Robert Fairfax John Moleworth Thomas Layton Esq. Knight Arthur Ingram Donald Ouler Francis Falsgrave senior Francis Falsgrave junior Thomas York John Ramsden Thomas Vincent Anthony Lash Dennis Talbot Rector of [Sopwell] William Washwell John Lister Robert Hark Edward Wortley William Vincent Henry Sapperton Thomas Lytton of Westby Francis Norris Benjamin Wade William Nerle Godfrey Baudie William Wickham Henry Edwards William Horton Thomas Fountain Richard Washington Jasper Edlison Tinsley Robinson Doctor of Physick James Farrer Thomas Dodson Henry Birch John Stacey Henry Cate Hugh Smithson John Bradshaw Robert Besant Robert Maford Wooty Gell Thomas Whit Edward Parker John Bolter John Tucker Richard Thornton Richard Wren Bryn Sanderland Thomas Barker Richard Stacey senior Richard Burns junior William Jennings Samuel Mofish Joseph Mofish John Harvey Benjamin Bopman John Besdewen Thomas Besdewen John Walker of Houghley John Hatfield of Langthwaite senior John Hatfield of Langthwaite junior William Norton senior Rowland Norton Mack Shafto Anthony Dunscombe Henry Carr Nathaniel Pyles Thomas Kirk Robert Farned Benjamin Farned John Rookes John Ashy Rector of Thimble John Strevor John Shery Francis Lindley William Ellis senior William Ellis junior William Redworth Thomas Fisher John Bury John Ray Thomas Croft William Wakefield Jonathan Ransworthy Roger Newell Leonard Childers John Sapperton of Haslam John Sapperton of Ecdonall junior Thomas Wooty Esq. William of Greenhead Ralph Leecher Robert Leecher Andrew Wilkinson Reginald Huber George Tolson Thomas Rookley William Drake Thomas Robinson of Fotherby Lyndal Copley Fawcett Topham Thomas Black Robert Spier Francis Fretick John Currie Richard Tinsley Roger Carter Richard Wren Esq. at Law Nicholas Fawcett Elkanah Haslam and Robert Fawcett Esquire John Jennings of Nether Shillington Doctor Wyndle Dean of Rippon Richard Richardson Doctor of Physick John Noble Physician William Ingram Robert Haslam William Hatfield Thomas Robinson John Hatfield of Hatfield John Miller of Palsay Robert Parker John Copley James

Greenwood Willem Norton junior John Grice Jonathan Lee Thomas Edmunds senior Thomas Edmunds junior  
 Richard Bount Bedford Arthington Henry Greenwood Willem Sothron Nicholas Minkewer Willem Tatum  
 Willem Richardson Jonathan Arden Willem Wharton John Spencer of Canons Hall Stephen Wille Ben Stalton  
 Willem Thornton George Wemy of Gidst Henry Kyes of Bromley John Dymock Hugh Taylor Peter Wille  
 Willem Swyne Richard Thomsdon Willem Roundell of Striven Willem Green of Thunderside George Anthony  
 Todd John Bucker of Dordrecht Clerk John Wilkeson of Halifax Clerk Thomas Barker Thomas Wilson of Broomfi  
 Hall Edward Langley Thomas Craven Richard Lowther Merchant Thomas Gill Andrew Bollen Edward Fener of  
 Thon John Worepp George Woodpeur Willem Hamton of Ognrove senior George Ellis Edward Goodwin  
 Thomas Mayson John Stoy (") John Bright of Banner cross junior Abraham Langley of Pringley Green Robert Ware  
 Nathaniel Walhouse Rector of Silkestone Michael Firth (") John Wise Willem Brooks of Louth Frances Elwick  
 Laurence Knightley Thomas Colton Colbert Claiborn Patience Ward Gregory Pitt Willem Fawcett Robert Jones  
 Richard West Capella Bedford Percival Pitt Robert Bell Christopher Grindings John Warhouse Thomas  
 Winstone junior Christopher Dawson Richard Wans Thomas Thompson Elkash Rich Samuel Thomas Willem  
 Bedford Willem Berks Edward Wans James Knowle Peter Hall Willem Beaumont Thomas Poles of Boley  
 Willem Appleyard Richard Green of Banks Thomas Thomsdon Francis Barlow Robert Wood Thomsdon Shelton  
 John Bickhouse John Coates Willem Hasleton Christopher Weatherhead Richard Booth Willem Seysen  
 Willem Laypidge John Tomlinson of Borne Mathew Price Robert Stenon of Grimsby Willem Newbold  
 Henry Perren Nicholas Wolensheim George Rhodes John Richardson of Woodall Thomas Swyer Church  
 Willem Edward Stokup of Bolton Willem Fawcett of Broomton Gunston Samuel Swyer Willem Roundell  
 junior Gunston John Swyer Robert Schur Willem Dawson Thomas Elwick Edward Fawcett of Haddingback  
 Henry Isaac George Benfosh Giff Thomas Try Willem Thomsdon Nicholas Sted Giff John Tatham Robert  
 Gifford John Warrapp of East Tushild John Woodrover Edward Starkey John Simpson Gunston George Beaumont  
 of Chapel Thorne John Rhodes of Shotton The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen [of Pontefract] for the Time  
 being The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of Doncaster for the Time being The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen  
 of Rye for the Time being The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of Leeds for the Time being Mr Thomas  
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## For the North Riding of the County of York

The Right Honourable Willem, Marquess of Harrington Son and Heir Apparent to his Grace the Duke of  
 Devonshire The Lord Willem Perrell Second Son of the late Duke of Bolton Henry Lord Vincent Down of  
 the Kingdom of Ireland Thomas Lord Fairfax of the Kingdom of Scotland The Honourable Willem Cecil Esq. The  
 Honourable Conyers Darcy Esquire Henry Fairfax Esquire John How Esq. one of His Majesties most Honourable  
 Privy Council Sir Muzandine Wryll Sir Gifford Roppon Sir Willem Fawle Sir Charles Herbert Sir Willem  
 Scrimland Sir John Baker Sir Bryan Skipton Sir John Naylor Sir Philip Spelman Sir Thomas Frankland Sir  
 Henry Marwood Sir Willem Cayley Sir Christopher Wandesford Sir Willem Clapier Sir Thomas Poyntess Sir  
 Edward Barkett Sir James Brookes Sir Hugh Scrimson Sir Willem Robinson Sir John Wensworth Sir Roger  
 Bedcomb Sir Walter Hawkesworth Baroness Sir Richard Osbaldesson Sir Willem Hunter Sir Henry Jellins Sir  
 Willem Boven Sir Abraham Darby Sir Charles Dunscombe Sir James Webster Esquire Willem Palmer Willem  
 Felling Willem Barkett Thomas Yake Christopher Stockdale James Darcy John Aubrey Robert Byrky Willem  
 Thompson Robert Square Conen Poyson Thomas Conyers Edward Thompson James Poyntess Arthur Cayley  
 John Michau Henry Frankland Willem Chaloner Richard Sherrilworth John Watall John Mason Colbert  
 Papper Francis Wryll Henry Darcy Regie Talbot Thomas Metcalf of [Nappa] Francis Fawle Ralph Lovther  
 Charles Tansed Arthur Ingram Thomas Croft Thomas Wensley Hugh Cholesey Leonard Smith John Gibson  
 Thomas Staines Daniel Lancelles John Hill John Hagon Richard Perce Richard Darby Thomas Poles Willem  
 Poyntess George Wright Edmund Barrow Willem Norton John Wryll Thomas Stillington Willem Moore  
 Hugh Bebell Edward Housham Willem Tansed Charles Turner Thomas Hamton Timothy Milner Thomas  
 Maudie Lazon Fawle Charles Barham Willem Dickenson Willem [Thomsen] Thomas Wilkeson (") Thomas Gower  
 Charles Allerton Rowland Norton Christopher Puncley Thomas Robinson John Maudie of Beldy Richard  
 Maudie John Talbot Cholesey Turner Lawson Turner John Turner Francis Topham Willem Ruvley Leonard  
 Thompson Willem Walter Reger Cecil Benjamin Purdus Willem Conyers Willem Kribbons Willem  
 Wakefield Melrose Aubrey Richard Nongrove Reginald Graham Thomas Bendlow Rowland Pice Ralph Hayton  
 Thomas Grouson Robert Farrix Thomas Langley Henry Bernard Willem Roundell Thomas Boven Thomas  
 Raine John Hauland Willem Tully Thomas Smithson Thomas Waddell Willem Dwyson Thomas Fall Thomas  
 Robinson of Southly Willem Robinson Richard Harbord Roger Gale and John Radd Esquires Willem Frankland  
 Clarke Francis Pemberton Clerk Robert Ward Clerk James Conyers Ralph Bell John Ward Nathaniel Harrison  
 George Puncley John Robinson Ralph Punter Roger Lee Thomas Lancelles Henry Wilkeson Thomas Tomlinson  
 John Robinson of Eady Richard Allerton Francis Wills John Darby Thomas Dixon Edward Cary John Kildwell  
 Willem Robinson junior James Codrill Francis Crasfield Robert Crasfield Robert Norrison Timothy Wiggons  
 James Heydon Thomas Sadams Thomas Craven John Wright Plummer Ford Robert Burton Willem Cooper  
 Willem Pomer Thomas Pomer Willem Ford John Saunders Willem Turbott John Pelson Henry Bae Robert  
 Bell Robert Hill John Warrapp of East Tushild John Warrapp of Gately James Wase Willem Beckwith  
 Thomas Beckwith Willem Byrse Willem Ward George Boven James Richmon Giff Mayor Alderman and  
 Recorder of Richmond [Mayor Alderman and Recorder of Scarborough] for the Time being (")

1 John Bright of Broomcross senior G.

2 Bucker of Firth G.

3 standard on the Red

4 Nappa G.

5 Thomas G. 6 Christopher Wilkeson G.

7 G. cross

8 Bells and Recorder of Scarborough for the Time being G.

## For the East Riding of the County of York.

The Right Honourable the Lord Marquis of Hartington Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Devonshire  
 The Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Downe of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Thomas  
 Lord Fairfax of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable Henry Boyle Esquire Chancellor of the  
 Exchequer and one of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council Sir Griffith Boyston Sir Charles Mathew  
 Sir William Strickland Sir William Saint Quaints Sir Robert Hylard Sir Thomas Radstone Sir John Legard Sir  
 John Napier Sir Lyncell Pilkington Sir Godfrey Copley Sir Thomas Franklin Sir John Wrenneth Parsons  
 Sir Michael Warren Sir Mathew Pelton Sir James Bradshaw Sir Richard Osbaldeston Sir William Harker Sir  
 Charles Duncombe Sir William Scovell Sir Robert Countess Knigles Fairfax Northcote William Osbaldeston  
 Ingley Dunsell William Griston William Thompson William Gee Henry Gay Charles Osborne Elderker Boddiker  
 John Rawdon William Paines James Holclerwell Ralph [Ralph] Watson Francis Northcote [?] Charles Warren Charles  
 Dinnock Chespen of England Edward Samuel Hugh Bedford Thomas Herbert Walter Strickland Robert Mounie  
 Robert Bethell Thomas Langley Richard Rostington Richard Gee Ralph Gray Francis Beynon Francis East  
 Mathew Appleby Robert Edmonson Toben Jenkins Edward Huchinson Wilton Coopers John Taylor Thomas  
 Alford Thomas Micklethwaite Ralph Creyke Toben Hodgson James Francis Ansell Thomas Worsley Thomas  
 Selbington Thomas Scatchell Colonel Gilly Edward Thompson John Mayne William Moore Robert Holis Edward  
 Dunscombe John Harvey Charles Aldworth William Minter Esquire Henry Thompson Leonard Thompson Thomas  
 Gordon Thomas Wakefield William Aldworth Christopher Percybay James Heister William Dawson Yorkshire  
 Coatsale William Lister Benjamin Overton Bernard Lister Robert Esquire William Pelton John Paxton Robert  
 Harker Thomas God Thomas Luton Charles Best Richard Darby William Wickham Henry Bernard William  
 Dwyer Randolph Curdell Hasketh Hebborn Richard Dawson Joseph Fensley Lancaster Roger Esquire Andrew  
 Dunscomb William Southern William Roundell William Gilly James Esquire Hodgson Johnson Doctor of Physic  
 Capener Robert Fairfax Captain James Burrey Richard Moore William Bower John Bower William Whitburn  
 Philip Wickham Thomas Kelsley Leonard [Robinson?] Thomas Hunt Francis Hunt Francis Elrick Thomas  
 Thomson Robert Isle of Wight Robert Mason senior Thomas Norton Humphrey Robinson of Beers  
 Christopher Tatham John Overton Nathaniel Harrison Thomas [Mayne?] Thomas Swamhouse Mack Kirby Isle  
 Rectoria Mordoun [?] William Crooke Nathaniel Rogers Thomas Holmes Henry Raines Philip Goodrell James  
 Hunt John Tapperton Charles Starvelles John Dickenson [Mack?] Advocate Edward Willett The Mayor Aldermen  
 and Recorder of Kingston upon Hull for the Time being The Mayor Aldermen and Recorder of Beverley for the  
 Time being The Mayor Aldermen and Recorder of Easington for the Time being

## For the City and County of the City of York.

The Lord Mayor Aldermen Recorder and Sheriffs for the Time being Henry Lord Viscount Downe of the  
 Kingdom of Ireland Thomas Lord Fairfax of the Kingdom of Scotland The Honorable Master Finch Dean of  
 York Sir Lyon Pilkington Sir Henry Marwood Sir James Buck Barons William Swinforth Doctor of Divinity  
 Henry Wickham Doctor of Laws Richard Wain Esquire Benjamin at Law William Pearson Archdeacon of  
 Nottingham Henry Stapleton Edward Thompson Thomas Hutton John Appleby John Sharp John Meyer Richard  
 Roundell Richard Stone Robert Fairfax Henry Thompson Leonard Thompson William Wickham Robert Spurr  
 John Tayke Thomas Barlow William Wakefield Esquire William Tomkinson William Gurfurth Thomas Thompson  
 Francis Duckworth Christopher Hutton Samuel Buxton William Cornwall Nathaniel Wilson Richard Reynolds  
 Nicholas Seger Richard Hewson Thomas Empson Christopher Henry Robert Waller William Hesthine John  
 Dwyer Robert Gildard William Mortimer John Beane Henry Bacon Gentlemen

## For the Towns and County of Kingston upon Hull.

The Mayor Aldermen Recorder and Sheriffs for the Time being the Warden of the Trinityhouse for the  
 Time being Sir Griffith Boyston Sir William St. Quintin Barons St. Mathew Wharmston Sir James Bradshaw Knight  
 William Manton William Gilly William Dawson John [Leccard?] Ingley Dunsell Luke Lillingstone Elderker Bradshaw  
 James Barry Lancaster Roger Esquire Marks Kirby William Higgs William Crooke Nathaniel Rogers James Hould  
 Erasmus Durnea John Thornton Mordoun Baulhus Thomas Walls Edward Dunscomb William Isle Andrew Perrett  
 Joshua Scott John Watson Thomas Broadly Joseph Fensley John Rogers Benjamin Wade John Field Charles Best  
 Robert Jackson Michael Brilly John Chappelow Gentlemen

## For the Town of Malton.

Sussex Pond God Mathew Whitson God Bedell Anthony Barons Esquire Hugh Steward Sir Charles  
 Barrington Bart Mordaunt Barons Esquire John Corpus Esquire at Law [Recorder?] William  
 Thompson Doctor of Divinity John Pond Hugh Bennett Thomas Gibson Peter Robyns God Aldermen  
 James Tawmoe God Town Clerks John Stephens John Brickwood Benjamin Brickwood Thomas Starr Roger  
 Forrest Thomas Crabb Esq Francis Jacob Barton Alexander Lindsey Thomas Alexander [?] God John  
 Harris Clerk William Fiedger Benjamin Chamberlaine Zachariah Taylor Gentlemen Edward [Kirby?] Clerk Edward  
 Hanfay John Hollingworth Edward Harker Esquire William Cox Charles Cox Thomas Richmond Henry May

\* G. name.

\* Francis Northcote junior G.

\* mentioned as the Earl.

\* Moore G.

\* Becher G.

\* Mathew G.

\* Infant G.

\* Legard G.

\* Kirby G.

## For the Town of Colchester

The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen for the Time being Sir John Mortimer Bartlett Sir Thomas Dursell Sir Thomas Cooke Sir Isaac Relow Knight John Eldred John Shaw Lemping Relow Joseph Thawton Samuel Revett Hope Giffard Thomas Rich William Mott junior Thomas Green Samuel Reynolds Esquires Thomas Thornton Doctor of Physick the Gentriour of [the] Bay Hall for the Time being Edward Hackett Esquire Nathaniel Colby Joseph Criffeld Clarke John Small Matthew Ave John King Nicholas Hickerling Gentriour Captain Richard Samuel Great Gentriour Robert Moore Esquire John Freeman George Heston Richard Clark Peter Correy Esquire Shannan Jerevish Daniel Peter Johnson Edward Beamer Benjamin Cook Gentriour

## For the Town of Harwich and Dover Court

Richard Tye Mayor and the Mayor for the Time being Sir Thomas Dursell Knight Recorder Sir Isaac Relow Knight John Ellis Esquire Daniel Smith Charles Smith Shannan Sandford Thomas Langley Richard Grey Philip Dean and Thomas Lane Aldermen Captain Robert Stevens Captain John Philpott Captain Madson Betti Miles Radland and Thomas Radland Captain Bargues

## For the rest of the County of Essex

The Right Honourable Henry Lord Walpole Son and Heir Apparent to the Earle of Suffolk The Right Honourable John Lord Catta of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Robert Berie Benjamin Midway William Maynard Esquires Sir Charles Barrington Sir John Bendish Sir William Appleton Sir Henry Hicks Sir Samuel Tryon Sir Francis Walton Sir Hugh Esmond Sir William Lockes Sir Robert Jocelyn Sir Thomas Littleton Sir Martin Lundy Sir Geraint Dean Sir Edward South Sir Robert Bernardine Sir Charles Tyrrell Sir Nicholas Gaward Sir Robert Smith Sir Richard Child Sir Peter Seaton Sir William Mappard Sir Cass Jones Sir Robert Marshall Sir William Coryton Sir William Druce Sir Edward Estrenes Sir James Smith Sir Clayton Allen Sir Henage Petherman Sir Orlando Bridgman Sir Samuel Mayer Sir Henry Danson Clerk Sir Thomas Welbow Bartlett Sir John Sparrow Sir Edward Turner Sir Thomas Dursell Sir John Marshall Sir John Robinson Sir Robert Clayton Sir Thomas Bony Sir Thomas Cook Sir Henry Johnson Sir John Haddon Sir Isaac Relow Sir James Collett Sir William Cole Sir Gilbert Heston Sir James Beaman Sir Jonathan Andrews Sir Stephen Kram Sir Francis Dabwood Sir Michael Henage Sir Richard Howe Knight Davies Bartlett Edward Clark Esquire John Conyer the Queens Council John Green Sergeant at Law John Wood Henry Boshall Esquires John Bennett Sergeant at Law Carew Harvey alias Willing John Archer Thomas Middleton William Courant Edward Clarke Thomas Dewtre Robert Betman William Palmer Anthony Biddulph Henry St. John Francis Saut John Strange Jocelyn Henry Gore Robert Heywood Ralph Freeman squire Ralph Freeman junior Charles Turner Thomas Barrington of Hatfield William Pack Richard Hetherington Thomas Angell Evan Lloyd William Wright Benjamin Dethorne Friends Barrington John Barrington Edward Warren Thomas Gardner Christopher Fowler Joseph Olfrey Anthony Branspore Robert Boothby Edward Leigh Nathaniel Tresh Richard Vaughan George Ford John Rotherham John Harrocks Robert Adlam Thomas Bangh William Beaman Robert Cogh John Tindall John Eldred squire John Fowle William Westons Robert Worcester John Cox William Cooke of Ghilid James Rabyerett of Widdes Francis Maltman John Bellack John Luckey Joseph Jery John Filmer William Wilber of Norton Thomas Worley James Butler George Turvell Foot Cavalier Thomas Lygze Giles Dear John Tutor of Newmarket John Kendall Andrew Sorle William Smith Alexander Prescott William Martin William Harvey John Lethbridge William Scott William Nutt Thomas Turner John Sparrow John Crossman Henry Gloucester Walgrave Philip Samuel Wansman John Mead Henry Ayshly William Mott John Little of Ballydon John Edwards Esquire Wright Thomas Cotton Edward Luther of Miles Mansfield Branspore Francis Beckery Nicholas Camille Michael Lerraine squire George Gutz Henry Puchall Edward Thoroughgood Thomas Gibson of Delfen Nicholas Whitmore John Heywood John Goddall John Allen James Smith of Westham Sigismund Trafford Francis Bagg Christopher George Nicholas Merton Russell Rawens Samuel Clarke William Fyke Henry Wright John Mottisaw William Marshall Aky Collett Nicholas Lyde Esquire George Brumpton Doctor of Law Samuel Warner Edward Godwin Deane Taylor John Bentzen William Herrie Thomas Grant John Jocelyn Jerevish Richardson John Sevil William Bays John Peete Henry Lamb Thomas Seelie Hope [Giffard] Charles Wale of Widdes Richard Cooper John Elliott Nicholas Mall George Wale of Radwinter Thomas Coe Thomas Fardley Benjamin Heston Abraham Forster John Clarke of Tilbury by Chare George Colkham John Neill Nathaniel Gaudman squire Nathaniel Gaudman junior John Thoroughgood of High Exonme William Raymond Daniel Bosston Joseph Fulpote John Heston Henry Abbott junior John Witham Thomas Hickerling James Sparrow William Moss junior George Avey Thomas Williams Eldon Hall James Coker William Thompson Thomas Elms junior Giff John Garrye Sergeant at Law Thomas Chambers Ralph Criffeld Peter Sadler William Russell John Shaw [William] Reynolds Edward Harbards [?] Bony Daniel Smith of Harwich Exonme South Giles Beame John Eldred junior Esquire Robert Courte John Rayle Robert Ban John Harnson Doctor of Physick Robert May John Kerre Post Comman William Koutenas John Ayler of Bocking Robert Gloucester John Barrer John Ayres John Bantock Edward Name Thomas Jackson Thomas Kilgus John Peete Thomas Langley junior Thomas Lerd of Ebbard John Davies Gentriour Thomas Craddock of Cassell William Walford of Bocking Gentriour Thomas Bowler Samuel Ellingworth Esq. Jerevish Chaply Robert Wargled John Wale of Soffen Walden William Holgate Edmund Stubbs Abraham Wilmar Richard Berrie Gentriour Steven Chiles Charles Dowling George Hockeshall Esquire Richard Clarke Gentriour John [Worth] [?] Edmund Postvall Joseph Thawton Charles Tyrrell Esq. John Marlow Richard Wollason Gantbert Leonard Beamer Esquire Thomas Pyge Thomas Langley squire William Radland Gentriour John Power of Cressing

Temple Richard Scott Thomas Wilson Gentlemen Martin Carter Esquire Edward Taverner John Carter Daniel Clarke  
Robert Hurlin Samuel Goldenboth William Stacy James Fox Gentlemen Evan Pugh John Sparrow of Shibley Henchington  
Richard Spiry Jonathan Rees Joseph Rees William Byatt Joseph Uvelin James Claxton Maria Livemore Gentlemen  
Thompson Bouley Esquire Joseph Martin John Morley Mathew Ives Samuel Dale Gentlemen William Walker of  
Lankens William Barnes Joseph Shaw William B-Harry Esquire Zachary Taylor Robert Wild Timothy Lacey  
Samuel Jones Esq. Robert Thompson William Cox Charles Cox William Soames John King Gentlemen Reynolds  
Rakeby William Kiffin Thomas Reeds Henry Fishers Esquires Edward Andrews Jeron Richardson Thomas  
Mitchell James Clarkson Samuel Fowler Richard Tye of Herwick Peter Roberts John Ruggles Samuel Thacker  
James Lamb Joseph Wyatt William Francis Samuel Thompson William Belling Gentlemen William Dyer Godley  
Webster Esquire William Beaumont Daniel Hammonds Edward Heyker Richard Guise William Soames of Toron  
Hall Thomas Westrow Esquire Edward Selway Neachan Thomas Beaumont John Soole Gentlemen Daniel Smith  
Jonathan Andrews Esquire Mr Joseph Avery Mr Edward Joseph of High Reading Mr John Doer William Milner  
Esquire Mr Nathaniel Coffey Mr John English Mr Michael Ben Mr Charles Barnard of Shenfield Thomas Thomas  
Doctor of Physick Mr John Rayner John Beaumont William Begg John Taylor Esq. Captain Zachariah Taylor  
Samuel [Fish?] Gref Richard Ingram William Calvert Esq. Richard Reynolds George Crowder Gentlemen James  
Worsley Colonel John Falswell Thomas Wyld Anthony Collins Richard Galtone Thomas Cass Leasing James  
Thomas Ruse Nathaniel Lawrence junior William Spragg James Mackinnon Fisher Treach John Cooper Esquire  
Arthur Boyly James Lockhart Francis Platt Timothy Felton Crowwell Dabrow John Evans Thomas Searley Esquire  
William Ward of Halesford William Thompson Thomas Kibour Gentlemen Stephen Redington Esq. Mr William  
Dunbar William Glascock Edmund Humphreys George Fitch John Davis Nathaniel Maslow Richard Thoroughgood  
Esq. Robert Rich Richard Cockrell Thomas Warriner Roger Hazard Thomas Green Thomas Harrington Gentlemen  
Robert Benson settler Robert Benson junior Esq. Robert Benson Samuel Stargrove Robert Heysham William East  
Mathew Hamberstone Esquires Doctor Thomas Haughton David Heckerter Edmund Clarke Doctor Knightly  
Cherwood Richard Dyott John Gould Edward Rigby George Fash Simon Thoroughgood Esquire Thomas Richmond  
John Searge John Hatherbe Gentlemen John Nicholson Herman Olymes Captain John Brownell (\*) John Thoroughgood  
Leonard Hare Robert Moore Esquires John Fryer Thomas Goodell Thomas Everett Marynack Cook John Day  
of Wornagford Francis Smith of St. Odish Gref Captain Robert Dorrell Thomas Lake Offspring Blackhall of South  
Ockendon Thomas Hager of Green Edmund Kady of South Huntingfield Simon Fallow of Boleis Gentlemen James  
Clark George Geyn of Kidgewell Gentlemen Nicholas Bucknidge Jeffery Stanes Esq. John Brockett Simon Fawley  
James Green Thomas Hand Esquires Thomas Strablis Gentlemen Thomas Doer Doctor in Divinity Nicola  
Wasscomb Rethaniel Head Andrew Brantall Esquires Mr John Lacey Abas Sanders David Garsell Henry Scotson  
Josh Kessons John Pyatt Richard Bask George Ray George Clarke Gentlemen Hope Charleshill William  
Cassoworth James Wingham John Head of Luff John Kemp Ayl Mott Richard Andrews David Congard John  
Nicholson of Woodford Esq. Norman Barwell Robert Barwell Thomas Velly Esquires Thomas Walford junior of  
Bocking James Lawrence John Rayburn Mathias Hokerlegill (\*) Edward Hickeragill Clarke Mr John Wilmer David  
David Henry Campine John Mow William East George Besser William Buckhouse Josias Beck Nicholas Parady  
Esq. Thomas Jervoise Francis Wyvell Edmund Williams junior Nicholas Pulladon Esquires Isaac Hobart John  
Birkhead Esquires Thomas Pash John Facer of Stamford Gentlemen Samuel Benson Samuel Stinner Esquires Samuel  
Gibbs Esquire Richard How William Levin Esquires Edmund Butler John Wright Gref Captain Robert Stevens

For the City and County of the City of Gloucester

The Mayor and Aldermen and Sheriffs for the Time being Sir John Powell One of the Justices of His Majesties  
Court of Queens Bench Sir John Gains Sir William Rich Maynard Colchester Edward Cooke William Trye John  
Cocks Reginald Pender William Gubie William Cooke John Halsey John Vincy Esquires Capel Price Nicholas  
Webb junior Thomas Gochin [Nicholas?] Smith Daniel Colclerick Joshua Worsell Francis Tate John Aswell John  
Scottonore Thomas White Gentlemen William Hodges Nathaniel Lye Doctor in Divinity Richard Perren Chancellor  
of the Diocese of Gloucester Richard Cadley Thomas Ludlow John Griffiths Samuel Johnson William Jordan John  
Sargison James Farney William Nicholls Thomas Nicholls Thomas Mow Richard Green Capel Longdon Gentlemen

For the County of Gloucester

William Lord Viscount Tracy of the Kingdoms of Ireland The Honourable Gilbert Coventry Esquire [The Right  
Honourable John How Esq.] The Honourable John Vincy Esquire The Honourable Robert Tracy One of the  
Justices of the Common Pleas Sir Robert Atkins Knight of the Bath & Robert Atkins junior & John Powell Knight  
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Cann & Nathaniel Hicks & James Rushout Beronza & Edward Post & George Hanger & Richard How & William  
Jones & Richard Halked & William Dams [Sir Thomas Dayton Sir Thomas Day?] Sir Thomas Day Sir John Smith  
Joshua Aylmworth Esquire Mr Aswell junior John Aswell Captain Bathurst of Leachside William Eggey John  
Browning Thomas Bewtre Henry Cornwell Henry Cornwell Walter Bessant William Bessant Esquires John Beck  
Stephen Baldwin Gentlemen Giles Escourt of Nimpethill Thomas Edwards Samuel Barker Esquire William Blackwell  
John Berdly Maynard Colchester Esq. de la Bure Charles Downdall Esquires Edward Field Gentlemen Charles  
Freeman of Twining Doctor John Beale Richard Biles of Haglow William Clennock Gref Richard Berke of  
Saint Brileville John Dutton Cok Abraham Faros Thomas Foley Edward Cook William Cooke John Cooke Esquires

\* Fish O.

\* James Boyce O.

\* Gentlemen O.

\* William O.

\* attached on the Roll

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Mr First Thomas Froke Esq, Edward Baldett William Bower William Bateson of Bornea, on the Hill Robert  
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 30 Edward Leight Mr Goddard John Griffin William Gough William Lane Esquires Henry Inten Reynon Jones  
 Esquires John Lee Gentl Thomas Hale Thomas Hodges John Jenner of Marston William Johnson John Jones of  
 the Burne in South Consey William Hale Thomas Hodges Esquires Thomas Kille of Southbury John Marshall  
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 100 Gabriel Hale Esquires John Hopkins John Mee Thomas Merrick William Haskley Richard Heywood of  
 Hocking James Howkins Gentlemen John Hook of Crooks Nicholas Harding junior Walter  
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 Popdell Esq John Pryor Robert Outridge Gentlemen William Payer John Parsons Thomas Puder William  
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 Try Esquires Thomas Teale Samuel Stinner William Skin Thomas Warkson Gentl William Water Jasper Chapman  
 Esquires Jasper Sallway Edward Somers of Tredegar John Baltham Thomas Tagg Gentl Thomas Try Esquires  
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 Edward Toyle George Townsend Esquires Henry Collet senior Henry Collet junior The Honorable John Tracy  
 Richard Talboys of Dutton William Whitmore Thomas Watter Esquires Thomas Webb of Gloucester William  
 Taylor of Gloucester The Bailiffs of Taunbury for the Time being Christopher Woodward Thomas Woodward  
 Richard Tippet Gentl Edmund Chamberlaine Esq, Charles Wind Nicholas Treacher Thomas Chamberlaine John  
 Carter Edward Chamberlaine of [Mansbury] Esquire William Brevint of French Hay John Brocswick Esquires  
 John Devere William Dowdell Esq, William Francome John Highford Esq, Mr Hyatt of Alton John Jacob William  
 James Esquires William Haskley Edward Hangerford Matthew Hale Esq, Mr Jackson at the Park John Mayne  
 George Bond Esquires Christopher Bond his Son Henry Cope Esquires Charles Cocks Clerk Jonathan Claiborne Esq  
 Charles Cornall Anthony Collett of Borton Henry Collet of Slough John Chandler Mr John Casson at the Farm  
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 Bond John Stratford of Milton Prentice Mr Boile Seed William Smart Thomas Walter Esquires Henry Ware Gentl  
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 Albury Esquires Mr Stephen Stinner Captain Nance John Viner Esquires Henry Poole Esq, Thomas Perry Thomas  
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 Gloucester William Bridgeway Esquires Giles Bradley Samuel Cooper of Charlton Kings Thomas Berkle of  
 Uckington Gentl Francis Wells of Preshbury Clarke Allen Burtant Esquires Ralph Willett Clarke Robert Stephens  
 Esquires Nathaniel Day Esquires Nathaniel Bead Thomas Hanna Thomas Parry Gentlemen

## For the City of Hereford

The Mayor for the Time being The Right Honorable James Lord Scudamore of the Kingdom of Ireland The  
 Right Honorable Thomas Lord Cadogan of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honorable James Bridges Thomas  
 Foley James Morgan Henry Cornwall Robert Symonds Robert Dobbin senior Robert Dobbin junior Richard  
 Harford Nicholas Philpotts Esquires William Wadley Cass Woodhouse Richard Wadley Richard Poole Gabriel  
 Ryke John More Henry Smith Jacob Taylor Thomas Alden Roger Williams James Lane Benjamin Hill Adam  
 Wiggins John Hill Richard Haskins Richard Brythens William Symonds Hugh Rudi Edward Weaver John Smith  
 Anne Lloyd Thomas Rodd James Wengcham John Paynard Charles Curwaine Richard Philpotts Gilbert Herre  
 Philip Scudert George Wellington William Baltham Charles Perce William Mathew Thomas Frier Thomas  
 Withersome George Green Rowland Andrews Benjamin Phillips Thomas Teynard Thomas Boly Francis Lamb  
 Madox John Baltham Gentlemen

## For the Borough of Lonsdale

The Bailiffs for the Time being The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Coningsby of the Kingdom of Ireland  
 & Herbert Crofts Baronet High Steward of the said Borough Edward Harley Esq. Recorder of the same Edward  
 Williams Edward Vaughan Isaac Tompkins John Dutton Col. Esquire Vincent Edwards Henry Brown Thomas  
 Harris Thomas Price Town Clerk Richard Poole Humphrey Lawrence Richard Hodges Caleb Powell John Vaughan  
 Samuel Tyler James Poole James Corwell John Corwell John Poole John Wingham Samuel Clarke John Winton  
 Thomas Chelmsick William Bache Jonathan Twrey John Jennings Francis Nash John Stansbury Joseph Pughall  
 Thomas Tollervey James Poughall Captain John Corwell Richard Nicholson.

## For the rest of the County of Hereford

The Right Honourable the Lord Arthur Somerset Second Son to the late Duke of Beaufort The Right  
 Honourable the Lord Viscount Scudamore of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Thomas Lord  
 Coningsby of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Robert Harley Esquire One of  
 Her Majesties Privy Council Secretaries of State The Honorable Henry Thyns Robert Price One of the Barons of the  
 Exchequer Chamber Berkeley James Bridges Thomas Coningsby John Scudamore Esquires & Francis Charles  
 & Herbert Crofts & Berkeley Scudamore & Thomas Mordaunt & Benjamin Hookes & John Pockington & Richard Cox  
 Sir James Boscawen Henry Gorges Lawrence Fynewell James Mordaunt Thomas Cornwall of Stopleton Herbert Reddick  
 Worsfield Charles Baldwin John Dutton Col. Edward Cornwall Henry Cornwall Thomas Foley of Whitley Thomas  
 Foley of Senks John How Charles Corwell Samuel Fox Herbert Aubrey John Price Robert Debusse Esq.  
 Edward Harley Selwyn Wingham John Selwyn John Birch Sergeant at Law William Jones of Lawrence France  
 Berkeley Marshall Bridges Thomas Wigmore John Nourse William Dunsay Esq. William Dunsay junr.  
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 Usher Robert Mordaunt Timothy Gorge John Erle Richard Barnaby Richard Reed Robert Chapin Younger Esq.  
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 Sylvanus Vaughan Humphrey Mays George Curvis of Upton Henry Bell of Dunfield Samuel Bush Robert Gale  
 Thomas Gwyllan of Walsworth Bedbrook Harland John Tompkins of Bucknell Esq. Sherbourne John Goss  
 Rowland Bough John Telfer Francis Goss William Bridges of Colwell John Sheppard Robert Dobbins David  
 Rowlands John Stradford Richard Hagar Henry Dutton John Delahay of Kewbury Robert Moore John Jefferys  
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 William Lamb William Hewkins Thomas Penney of the Moor Thomas Howarth Richard Withersome William Wall  
 William Playdell John and Philip Hookes of Bernishen Henry Jones Thomas Owen of Little Worsington John  
 Scudamore of Tawell Thomas Aldam of Worlington Thomas Carpenter of Tillingham Esq. James Worsfield  
 Thomas [Mason?] John Berrington of the Brick house Francis Woodhouse John Kilby of Fonthrop Joseph Clarke  
 John Beekford of Housley Edward Philly David Kerry Esq. Thomas (?) Leigh of the Hill John Smith of Thon  
 Alan Thomas Francis Fodbrook John Gossley Thomas Carpenter of Tillingham Esq. John McEllesnocke Thomas  
 Harper of Quob John Cross Nicholas Pipette Thomas Leary of Whitlock Paul Williams Gilbert Horne John  
 Kerwood of Letton Joseph Jerry Richard Avenant John Hodges Henry Jones Esq. John Capell Mr. Chamberlain  
 of Letton William Lewis Thomas Harris John Delahay Farley Osborne John Noble Gwy Hill William Don Esq.  
 Esquire Brewster Richard Band of Walsford Captain Noydmore of Munkford Richard Price of Brindley Esq.  
 White of the New Weare Edward Pye Chamberlain Robert Warren of Aveney Thomas Birch Charles Carter of  
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 Maden Esquire Henry Vaughan Gentlemen Samuel Scott Esquire Charles Scott Gentlemen Richard Haydon John  
 Shipp John Erle Esq. Robert Simonds Esquire George Wallington John Hyatt of the Broome Tawell  
 Gwyllan Henry Jones of Mowson Gentlemen John Wotton Esquire Major Crosby John Abraham of Ash Gentlemen  
 Philip Jackson Esquire Thomas Delahay junr. of Trowen William Gurnee Gentlemen William Williams Esq.  
 Scudamore Edward Goodley John Cox Nicholas Lechmere Simon Trener Maynard Colebourne Marking Abrell  
 Cocks Sherborne William Simonds Esq. General Gwyn Hinton Esquire John Wallington Thomas Agnew  
 Doctor of Physick John Carpenter of the Midfield Gwif John Stole of Kingham Clerk

## For the Borough of St Albans

The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen for the Time being The Honorable George Churchill Esquire Sir John  
 Bevil Knight Henry Edgworth John Cape Joshua Lomax William Beloe Thomas Anle Lewis Montgomery  
 Esquires Samuel Loh Charles Loh Edward Sambrooke Thomas Grosfield John Tisdale George Cooke John Kemble  
 John Leigh Esq. John Tamba James Bennett Esquire John Cole Archdeacon Thomas Cape Robert New John  
 Dukes Gentlemen

## For the rest of the County of Hertford

The Honorable Robert Corll Esquire The Honorable George Churchill Esquire Sir Samuel [Gower?] Sir  
 Henry Munton Sir Robert Jacoby Sir John Symonds Sir Thomas Subbidge Sir John Noyes Sir George  
 Wadsworth Sir William Cooper Sir Richard Omlor Sir Benjamin Madock Sir Thomas Franklin Sir Edwin

\* Henry G.

\* Thomas G.

\* General G.

Sadler (1) Thomas Pope Niece Sir William Lockin Sir Peter Smeaton Sir John Shaw Sir William Back 5<sup>o</sup> Francis Russell Sir George Strood Baron Sir Ralph Radcliffe Sir Edward Turner Sir Thomas Robt Sir David Mitchell Sir John Beckford Sir Henry Chancery Sir Benjamin Toddbourne 5<sup>o</sup> William Gore Sir Robert Beuchard Knight Sir John Chichester Ralph Freeman Sir Ralph Freeman junior Thomas Halsey Robert Elves William Henry Gey Charles Coste Thomas Clarke William Lockin Griekman William Hale Richard Goddard William Harvey Richard Goddard William Harvey Richard Harrison Philip Neesler Edward Robt John Plomer Walter Plomer Edward Chester Robert Chester William Gore Robert Gault of Tottenham James Wauwering John Gape John Asch William Peck William Lownds George Hadley Edmund Field John Wrench Francis Floyer William Leves John Poyner Edward Super William Barnes William Allen Samuel Robinson George Nodds Thomas Park John Lomax John Cook Frederick Miller William Calvert Simon Harcourt John Coppin John Charleston Edward Byde John Byde William Dyer Thomas Priesley Henry Kilgrew William Priesley Ralph Wignoe Thomas Blackmore junior Jeremiah Hale Thomas Ever Henry Ever William Hale of Tholey William Pitt William John Temple Richard Harrison John Woodhouse Edward Neill Joseph Edwards Nicholas Bonley Robert King Thomas Anna Robert Chester of Hygrave Richard Holder John Smith Isaac Mayo George Mayo Roger Comingsby Samuel James Henry Child Thomas Child Edward Belson junior William Belson Edward Besant de Newberry Thomas Arvis Henry Widdington Richard Widdington Thomas Haw Pyke Cresset George Jocelyne Charles Turner Adolphus Morck Edward Seymour William Freeman Edward Radcliffe John Singer Thomas Somers Henry Kingsly Thomas Taylor Joseph Jordan William Gardiner Thomas Papeworth Giles Dunster Thomas Thomas Thomas Day Henry Geggill junior Godwin Jenkins Edward Goldborough Thomas Bird of Malton Thomas Newland Joseph Marsh John Dunscombe senior John Dunscombe junior Johnas Lomax Thomas Lomax William Fyn Francis Browne Edward Esterick Robert Heydram Spencer Cawter Robert Francpton Edmond Smith Robert Markham William Gombell Ebenezer Sadler James Somer William Bacon John Radley John Cawley John Cockburn Marzard John Krimish John Sedford John Richardson William East David Nicholls Philip Farwell Henry Coar Spencer Garsard William Garsard George Nevill George Northam Allan Cox Esquires John Cox senior John Mariner William Jarman Lewis Montgomery John Robinson William Wallis John Bilton John Crose John Essington John Walshaw Richard Barden Margat Hind Thomas Baldwin Robert Gale Robert (Sedley) John Geggill John Lockay Daniel Nicoll John Nicholls of Altham John Nicholls of Eborac Richard Esmonde Thomas Esmonde Charles Finch John Ashby Richard Skaggs John Egg of Lewens End Richard Thrale Simon Lucas John Roberts William Fletcher George Underwood Robert Thorogood Richard Waller Henry Smith junior of St Michaels Henry Smith junior of Langley Robert New Richard Dagant Richard Bagg Matthew Williams John Gill Edward Deasy Ralph Hurkin Richard How Daniel Lockington William How of St Albans Manselbath Allington Francis King senior Francis King junior Jonathan Cox of Eborac William Carpenter William Cason William Lake Edward Haynes John Griffin Robert Draper John Draper Edward Laundey Anthony Malloph Eignas Boyton Richard Reynier John Poyner William Wright John Warburton John Marriot Joseph Caudon George Draper Joseph Chambers Philip Mitchell Jonathan Smart junior Benjamin Jones Robert Bird Isaac Finch John Ben Nicholas Marshall Henry Dalden Robert Lay Samuel Harris Joseph Alcock Thomas Glanville Thomas Adams William Fumkerly William Dunc James Vary Charles Cullen John Chancery John Jarman Thomas Taylor Thomas Kitchin John Bracy John Hobbs John Dalton John Wells William Hardie Richard Worman of Barnston Edward Field William Barrey Richard Underwiche of West James Mary Thomas Deane Isaac Kenon Thomas Ashby William Chew John How John Stubby George Cooke Joseph Carter Samuel Ever senior Samuel Ever junior Nicholas Knolton William Pembroke senior Thomas Curlewright Philip Aldwin Richard Grubb Walter Cook Michael Nicholls John Drew Robert Jenkys John Cook of Northchurch Bernard Swenden Stephen Reppes Daniel Widdington Thomas Deacon John Cook of Morden Edward Stacey John Cox junior Robert Smith Richard Salter John Tyler James Payne John Gottschall John Warren John Sum Thomas Smart George Hinde Daniel Levent Edward Southing Rowland Berford Ralph Haul Thomas Ramdage Peter Coleman Joseph Hartman (1) John Dinsdale junior Godderson Doctor Crasley Robert Dunsdale Doctor of Physick Anna Byde Doctor of Physick John Lamb Dean of Ely Thomas Fuller Doctor in Divinity Peter Fisher Doctor in Divinity Doctor Smith William Stusley Doctor in Divinity John Cole Archbishop of St Albans Philip Fall Clerk The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of Hereford for the Time being The Mayor of St Albans for the Time being Charles Tallow Doctor of Physick

## For the Towne of Hereford.

The Mayor for the Time being The Honorable [Sedley] Wortley alias Montague Esquire 5<sup>o</sup> John Cotton Barr Edward Wortley alias Montague (1) Charles Bertie John Piddis James Torkington John Peckington John Francis de Carroussant Esquires Richard Anney John Negro William Down senior William Down junior George Morris Thomas Harris Philip Soper Michael Roper William Iny Joseph Darlow Edward Audley William Peacock senior William Peacock junior Geoff John Peter Alder Gentlemen

## For the rest of the County of Hereford.

The Honorable Sidney Wortley alias Montague 5<sup>o</sup> John Cotton 5<sup>o</sup> John Courten 5<sup>o</sup> Robert Jenkins 5<sup>o</sup> Gilbert Pakering 5<sup>o</sup> Mathew Duffley 5<sup>o</sup> John Marshall Esquires 5<sup>o</sup> Charles Duncumb 5<sup>o</sup> Edward Lawrence Knights John Poley John Dryden Barrell Hereford William Harpoint William Furrey Arthur Turner Robert Approu

\* Sir Thomas Bagshaw Sir G.

\* Haldesley D

\* John Dinsdale sen<sup>r</sup> D.

\* Sedley G.

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Ashley Hammond John Hagg John Pocklington Robert Thompson James Torkington William Naylor John  
 Pooley Henry Ashby Nicholas Boxley Erasmus Smith Biddela Gomers John Fennel Robert Palleyn Charles Comer  
 Philip Prince Charles Shepherd Henry Kingsley Charles Gery George Shandell Walter Casy John Ray Robert  
 Harvey John Francis de Carrouster Simon Mason Esquires John Wright Doctor of Physick John Ray junior  
 John Farmer James Richard Naylor Robert Clarke Richard Drury John Hanger Richard Hasley Thomas Wright  
 Gentleman Charles Com of Abbot Rippee Esquire James Wright John Bellamy Edward Cheekley Mark Newman  
 Abraham Els Francis [Paris'] Joseph Hagger Edward Audley Thomas Hasle John Alder Nicholas Loren Timothy  
 Kerle Henry Carter John Wright Richard Astrey Henry Edensole Bartholomew Bently John Silk Edward Lindsay  
 John Lawton Richard Warwick William Byker William Sparrow Charles Gibby John Baxter John Fuller Richard  
 Carter Jonathan Read John Read Henry Underwood John Johnson John Hekecome Robert Sewster William  
 Sparrow Regre Peck Robert Winter Alfred Clark Francis Noyes Lawrence Thompson Thomas Pitt William  
 Peacock senior William Downe senior Gilbert Fara Robert Swaine Francis Overall John Cox senior Maria Lucy  
 Richard Canfer Walter Thong Thomas King senior Henry Forrest Robert Horne Ralph Mouch Dingley Adlam  
 John Peacock Gentlemen

For the City and County of the City of Canterbury

The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen for the Time being The Right Honourable Sir George Roak S<sup>r</sup> William  
 Hooper S<sup>r</sup> Thomas Hales S<sup>r</sup> Francis Head Bart<sup>r</sup> George Sykes Henry Lee John Hadstone William Brooker  
 Samuel Mills Richard Dorey William Spence Robert Whitfield Lawrence Bridger William Watson William  
 Turner Edward Croyford Esquires Doctor Thomas Taylor John Bobday Gent<sup>r</sup>

For the Towne and Liberty of Dover

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being S<sup>r</sup> Abraham Jacob Mr Frederick Derinck Mr Nathaniel Mason

For the Towne of Folkestone

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being S<sup>r</sup> Philip Boteler S<sup>r</sup> Basil Dixwell Barnet Jacob Bourne John  
 Mitchell John Taylor Esquires and Henry Burton Town Clerk

For the Towne of Fordingwich

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being S<sup>r</sup> Thomas Hales S<sup>r</sup> Basil Dixwell Sir James Oxenden William  
 [Brouncker] John Gaydon John Taylor Esquires William Danks Doctor of Physick

For the Towne of Faversham

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being and Thomas Napleton Esquire

For the Towne of Tenterden

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being S<sup>r</sup> George Chent Barnett Robert Aston Richard Hales Esquire  
 William Finch of the Green Thomas Short Robert Whitwick William Blackmore and William Carole Gentlemen  
 Mr John Edmon James Whitfield

For the Towne and Liberty of Sandwich

The Mayor Jurats Bayliffs and Town Clerk for the Time being S<sup>r</sup> Henry Perrenis Knight Josiah Bayliff  
 Esquire

For the Towne and Port of New Romney

John Brewer Esquire Walter Whitfield Esq. The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Mr Edmund Bluff  
 Mr Robert Cobb [Mr Robert Masell]

For the Towne of Lydd

The Mayor Bayliffs and Jurats for the Time being William Edmonds John Skinner Nicholas Dyer Captain  
 Elmdon

For the Towne and Port of Hyth and Worthing within the Liberty of the said Towne and Port

The Mayor for the Time being Henry Danks Elias Basset William Stinks Captain Daniel Forster Jurats  
 Jacob Bourne Esquire Ferriplace Mori Esquire S<sup>r</sup> Philip Bowler Barnett John Bowler and Thomas Tunney  
 Gentlemen

## For the use of the County of Kent

The Right Honourable Lord Fairfax Baron of [Causton<sup>1</sup>] in the Kingdoms of Scotland The Right Honourable Sir George Roake One of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council and Vice-Chancellor of England The Honourable Sir George Roake The Honourable James Berne Esquire & John Sadley & Thomas Roberts & Thomas Twicken Sir George Roake & Henry Palmer & Thomas Culpepper & Robert Marham Knight and Bennett & Philip Boulter & Thomas Knatchbull & Thomas Stiles Sir Basil Dorell & Stephen Lomax & James Ormrod Knight and Bennett & John Rogers & William Henrywood & Thomas Hales & Humphrey Miller & George Pierce & Michael Powell & Robert James & Robert Fagg & Robert Filmer & John [Shaw<sup>2</sup>] & William Thomas & George Chous & John Woodman & John Lambell & Jacob Astley & Francis Head & William Cooper & Edward Betenson & Michael Bullock & Gilbert Hesthouse & Conpert Fisk & Richard Sedys & Chalmers Daring & Martin Lendley & Thomas Twicken of Bradborne & William Swan Bancroft & Francis Leigh & Robert Fann & Nicholas Took & Edward Gregory & Thomas Meers & James Etheridge & Chasely Shewell & John Sparrow & Isaac Behow & John Leigh & Richard Rens Knight Henry Lee Esquire George Sreyer Edward Knatchbull William Cope John Bower Robert Crawford Thomas King John Machell Mathew Aylmer Philip Papillon John Boulter John Tooker James Heyn James Hebert William Ash William Hooker Thomas Blunt Jacob Bowers Edward Roper Henry Copley Robert Russell William Hammond Francis Roberts John Hyde William Brookes Thomas Dalrymple Leonard Dagg William Lambard Thomas Lambard Jeffrey Ambrose of Ryehead Prebendary Richard Bates John Lamb John Cates Samuel Leonard Charles Burgess Humphrey Styles Richard Thornhill Brook Bridges James Mason of Yokes Robert Brown Philip Pucker Thomas Palmer Roger Twicken Edward Filmer John Hardness Nathaniel Dorey George Scott Lawrence Bridger Humphrey Miller Robert Fann Selby Gidens de Laverie Chrifer Waters John Bennett Robert James James Marten John Taylor William Brookes Thomas Mayle William de Laverie Esquire Sir James Bunter Bennett George Perry William Selby Peter Delaney William Aldworth Edward Cury John Perry Major Gibbon Thomas Gibson Ralph Radin Edward Gresham Reynolds Piddison William Sanderson John Whitson William Haywood of Elham Richard Goodwin Thomas Marley Thomas Lake William Flowerden John Mayley Simon Baldolph Edward Le Nere Harnage Desong Edward Croyford Robert Knout William Glanville Gerard Gore Nicholas Cooke Henry Quenden John Napleton Henry Hawley James Hawley James Codd Robert Heath John Evelyn Edward Austin William Wilkinson William Emmerton Leonard Bartholomew Dryden Roberts George Goddard William Roberts Charles Fausley Ralph Poley John Buggin John Benn Fisher Robert Haywood Abraham Hill Edward King Francis Barrell Edward Grace Thomas Gifford James Pottery Esquire Edward Desvoport Captain Felix John Godwin Northam Ken Godfrey Mansell Arnold King Ellis [Candilla] William Bennett Francis Westman Captain Perch David White Captain Stephens Thomas Scott William Courthop Samuel Warner William White Roger Fane Thomas Napleton Edward Noar Robert Mitchell Thomas Washer Samuel Shaw Thomas Schell Edward Manning John Hill John Cooney John Dyke Edward Tooker Charles Knackend Richard Hebe Benjamin Godley John Bond William Turner Henry Godfrey William James Roger Selby Edward Bagshaw Peter Godfrey Thomas Turner Samuel Mills Harmaned Teggissa Stephen Ashton Charles Cress Francis Wheeler Richard Meers Charles Fagg Thomas Grogger Esquires Doctor William Deane Thomas Newer Edward Boys Captain Waters Henry Deale Thomas Turner Doctor Salisbury Cole The Mayor of Rochester for the Time being John Hogg prior William Hind Benham Hayes David Heath The Mayor of Maidstone for the Time being Garret Colton Francis Inch George Peter William Reader William Woldrich Francis Carr John Mayn Thomas Fagg William Brett Gentleman The Mayor of Goudon for the Time being Christopher Waters William Yarn Thomas Chiffinch Peter Brooke George Charter Edward Chapman Robert Coxy Esquire Not John Ball Baldwin Depps Esquire Gregory Benson Bowtie John Skinner Thomas Walter William Bowerd Carew Holford William Wooley Robert Holden of Haveridge Loke Spencer Thomas Lamb Thomas Flannery William Bennett Felix Calvert Nicholas Smith prior Gilbert Knolly John Robinson Edward Chapman John Holman Benjamin Crocker John Masell The Mayor of Queenborough Charles Finch William Hodgkins William Smith John Norman William Finch Gentleman John Loke Pierce Manly Esquire Thomas Roberts Gentleman John Piddell John Ashurst William Emmert Thomas Haywood Samuel Loven Francis Nicholson Edward Bigham Richard Benson Richard Somers Edwin Wynn Sergeant at Law John Dyer Stephen Achster Esquire John Roberts Thomas Marshall Isaac Lender Esquire Richard Goodfellow George Childers Gregory Page Mathias Fletcher Marriot Pet Arthur Appender John Greenidge [Arthur] Bennett William Bennett of Charing Joseph Wright Captain William Farley Captain Thomas Jennings Esquire Lem Mayor Richard Ekins Thomas Certe Isaac Walter Gentleman The Bailiff and Juror of Ramsey Marsh and the Expenditor for the Five Waterings Esquire Bridges junior Frederick Home Solomon Bonham Edwin Wynn John Savage Richard Goe John Stephenson Peter Conthope Samuel Beyer John Tooker Esquire Charles Piddell Robert Bower Walter Haines Esquire Gently John Martin Charles Manning of Dartford William Lee of Woodwich Martin Goe Francis Jeffries Richard Head Thomas Marshall Edward Bennett John Jewell Christopher Scarle Anthony Ball of Brandy William Denver Captain Peter Martin Richard Baker Joseph Hyde Gentleman Bartling Thomas Robert Thompson Esq John Navon Edward Neppher James White Gentleman Henry Stephen of Lanchurch John Harrocks John Ball John Wash Esquire William Barrow of Berden Gentleman Thomas James of Cowden Nathaniel Smith Fresh Heavly Walter Welden Richard Thomas of Lamberthorpe Esquire Robert Carr Gentleman Peter Barrell Edward Bep George Barret Thomas Jackson Esquire Robert Terdy John Myler Thomas Rogers of Woolwich Gentleman John Gryndon Stephen Lanthorn Esquire George Carter John Blandford Richard Bennett Robert Cobb William Martin John Twicken Christopher Smith Henry Rayns Esquire William Widdow John Selby Paul d'Aranda Mr William Brookes of Chatham Mr [Taylor]

<sup>1</sup> Causton G.<sup>2</sup> inserted on the Roll.<sup>3</sup> Chasely G.<sup>4</sup> Robert G.<sup>5</sup> Talbot G.

Edward Harvey Esquire Mr Thomas Dunbar Mr John Cooke junior Doctor Stanhope Dean of Canterbury Doctor  
 Ulick Deane of Rochester Thomas Sprat Archdeacon of Rochester Benjamin Burnett Doctor of Divinity Charles  
 Humphreys Clerk Allen Balfour Esquires Henry Campion Esquires Robert Gibbon Captain Stuby William Hovell  
 Thomas Skidd Robert Palmer Northern Ryder William Ryder Thomas Knight Esquire Randolph Manning  
 Captain Robinson Thomas Holgate of Warburton William Lettindker William Bowmer Robert Knowles Henry  
 Eves Richard Thomas Gersforn Richard Neal Gentleman of Rochester Adam Levery Gentleman Charles Selley  
 Esquire Daniel Smith Esq. Doctor [Haley] Doctor of Physick Henry Haley Esquire Isaac Gentleman Charles Selley  
 William Pash George Pash Thomas Smith Doctor of Physick Matthew Chandler Samuel Marshall senior  
 Robert Salomon senior Stephen Weeks senior Alexander Osborne William Weaver Henry Meedfield Esquires Scales  
 Gantley Thomas Hooper Esquires Richard Beil Esquire Charles Pash & John Nathorough Mr William Reller  
 Mr John Brown Doctor Bent of Wye Clerk [Gerrard] Culbert Gentleman John Darnley Gentleman Richard  
 Bowne Gentleman Robert [Kneward] Gentleman Richard Wood Gentleman Zachary Kingsford Francis Wynd  
 William Dew Esq. Peter Chapman Darnley Esq. Richard Skelton George Levery Deane Henry Peter Chapman  
 William Dew Major Samuel Short Captain William Watson Robert Gibbon George Reller Esquire William Deane  
 Gentleman George Verney Esquires Thomas Farington Esq. Thomas Bar Gentleman Edward Moxe Gentleman  
 & Cloudesly Sheriff Rear Admirall of England & Henry Furness Knight Reginald Perkhams Esquire junior John  
 Barchett Esquire Henry Vase Esquire Thomas Deak Esquire Thomas Rogers Thomas Best Thomas Lack Colonel  
 Walter John Burgis John Wright Gentleman David Pellil Justitia Chappery Charles Aldworth William  
 Haskelton Gregory Page Esquire John Darnley Matthew Hekeringill George Hamy William [Colpeper] Robert  
 Gibson Esquire

## For the County Palatine of Lancaster

The Honourable Charles Stanley Esq. The Honorable Henry Park Dean of York & Charles Houghton & Thomas  
 Stanley & Ralph Ashton & Robert Dukerfield & Roger Bradshaigh & William Farington & John Wood &  
 Thomas Standish & John Bridgman Barristers & Christopher Greenfield & Alexander Ryby & Edward Chisell  
 Knight Richard Skidlaworth Robert John William Heydon Thomas Leigh John Ward Thomas Selley  
 Edward Harvey Francis Assely Edward Ryby William Clayton Thomas Jackson Emanuel How Roger Kite  
 Andrew Padley Rear Shalowsley Peter Leigh Nicholas Starke Thomas Fleetwood James Holt Henry Fleetwood  
 Richard Fleetwood John Ashton William Farington of Warden Roger Nowell Edward North Charles Bates  
 Henry Hilton Richard Ashton Christopher Rowleson Isaac Clarke John Esward Thomas Ryby Thomas Baskley  
 Alexander Oxenden Richard Spencer John Warren John Warren jun Edward Warren Thomas Beila William  
 Rowleson Thomas Ashton Thomas Bryant James Chatham James Duckingfield Charles Duckingfield William  
 Jessing John Braddyll Edward Parker Robert Parkes Christopher Parker William Holmes Joshua Horne Edward  
 Wilson Henry Hodgkinson Miles Sanders Robert Mowdley Alexander Ratcliffe Peter Egreus Alexander Johnson  
 Francis Lindly [Ralph] Holden Charles Ryby William West John Frevick Ralph [Lewsey] Edward Ribben  
 Richard Trevelly Nicholas Ryby Benjamin Houghton Richard Clayton Jonathan Northcote John Blackmore  
 Nicholas Ryby junior Henry Gremmough Richard Esward Robert Leigh Thomas Lene Barrie Esward Richard  
 Walmsley John Walmsley John Ashton Thomas Smith John Percival Richard Norris Richard Longworth John Day  
 Thomas Foster Richard Ashton Thomas Richardson Edmund Cole Robert Hyde Edward Hyde Doctor  
 Thomas Sherron John Hodgson Edward Harte Richard Percival Thomas Winkley Thomas Birch Roger Henry  
 Alexander Hesketh Thomas Hesketh William Beltingham Samuel Crook Oliver Lane William Steer William Low  
 Robert Roger Roger Hesketh Alexander Holt George Fyge Charles Hinton George Leigh Thomas Peter Robert  
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For the rest of the County of Middlesex

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## For the Town of Northampton

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## For the rest of the County of Northampton

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## For the Town and County of Newcastle upon Tyne

The Mayor Recorder Aldermen and Sheriff for the Time being

## For the Town of Berwick upon Tweed

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 Thomas Smith John Charlton Robert Algood Ed Chastan Christopher Barrow Alexander Bewrie George  
 Alder of Frendick

\* Charles G.

\* Fodgeson O

\* of Edmonson senior Thomas Forster

\* Alexander Collingwood

\* Cuthleigh O.

## For the Towne and County of the Towne of Nottingham

The Mayor The Deputy Recorder and Aldermen for the Time being William Fensholt John Fensholt Thomas Mansfield George Gregory Mathew Smith [Edward?] Porter Heydnick Athowe Esquires William Dury William Graves George Langford Thomas South William Roppon Jacob Thoon Gent

## For the County of Nottingham

The Right Honourable the Lord Viscount How Baron of Clerbury of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable John Morda Esquire & Thomas Willoughby Baronets John Thorough Esquires & Francis Mollineux & George Smith & Harbottle Watsons Sir Willoughby Hickman Sir Thomas Purkis & Godfrey Copley Sir Robert Curzon & William Parsons Barons & Matthew Jackson & Thomas Tansill Knights William Perreppon Robert Sachverell Esquires John Huchinson Butace Warren Patricia Chaworth James Passell Thomas Minly George Gregory Beaumont Purkins Christopher Kilmour Robert [Parker?] Esquires Cecil Cooper William Burtall John Digby Charles Southgate Dury Mollineux John Emerson Thomas Claxton Gilbert Charlton (?) Philip Lasock Chalmers Chace of Darbton John Harbord George Morda Richard Befer Thomas Thoburn Walter of Linton Esquires John Fensholt Richard Fitzgerald Munday Maxton Richard Lloyd Edward Paley Christopher Berdelford William Cartwright George Cartwright Thomas Newdigate Lee of Norwell Francis Sawyer John Stronge William Levens Charles Mellich Joseph Mellich John Rayner John White Thomas White Thomas Hewitt John Clarkson James [Knap?] Gregory Nevill Esquires Edward Dickinson Robert Hacker John Hacker Jonathan Acklam John Grundy Gent Thomas Mansfield Esquire John Lister Bartholomew Barrell Esqrs Samuel Croxall John Bee Doctors of Physick Conway Edge William Sachverell Esquires John Korthwick Gent William Wadsworth Doctors of Physick Thomas Benson John Neale John Walker Jeffy Brock John Bury Brough Gent William Dury John Sympson George Wharton Jeremiah Hallbale Edward Southworth Christopher Johnson Gentlemen John Hurry Esquire Stephen Ross of Rintford William Ward George Dunstan Thomas Hall Frank Thornhill John Withere Thomas Collins Edward Nevill Gentlemen William Gibby Esquire William Gibby James Esquire Benard Perreppon St Andrew Thombhaugh William Jessop Esquires Joseph Banks John Clarkson James Gentlemen Thomas Baylyford of Southwell Gent Edward Ward of Gent the Mayor and Aldermen of Newark for the Time being the Bailiffs and Six assises Aldermen of East Retford for the Time being

## For the University of Oxford

The Vice Chancelier for the Time being and all the Heads of Colleges and Halls William Bromley Esq & William Whitlock Knight George Clark Esq Doctor William Jone Regius Professor of Divinity Doctor John Barrow Doctor Burton and Doctor William Stansfeld Canon of Christchurch Doctor David Gregory and Mr Edmund Haley Seribes Professours Doctor Thomas Hay Professor of Physick Doctor John Woodward Doctor John Ludwell the Proctors for the Time being George Casper Charles Harris Theophilus Pomeroy William Haire Giles Threlchwell Jacob Robert and Robert Knafick Gent Mr Edward King Mr Colclapper Thomas Mr Rish Hobson Mr William Langford Mr Simon Child Mr Anthony Perly and Mr Benjamin Cutler

## For the City of Oxford

The Mayor and Bailiffs for the Time being The Honourable Henry Beale Thomas Rowney Francis New Esquires Sir Robert Jackson Sir John Doyley & Robert Dardwood Sir Henry Ashurst Barons & Edward Warren Sir Sebastian [Smith?] Sir Robert Harrison Sir William (?) Kn? Henry White James Pinnett Aldermen William Wright Esq Recorder John Taylor Timothy Bourne John Knib Daniel Webb Thomas Selley Michael Cripps Tobias Paine Antistans Charles Norris Anthony Evans Gentlemen George Phipps Richard Carter Esqrs

## For the rest of the County of Oxford

The Right Honourable (?) Lord Viscount [Thursbury?] Son and Heir Apparent to (?) the Earls of Chesham The Honourable Henry Beale The Honourable Henning Finch The Honourable James Beale Esq Sir John Copp Sir Robert Jenkins Sir John Doyley Sir Furness Peckover Sir John Wake Sir Thomas Leighton & William Glyn Sir Henry Ashurst Sir Edmund Fortpiche & Robert Dardwood Sir William Rick Sir Edward Cobb Sir Thomas Wheat & Thomas Tipping (?) John Thursbury Barons & Edward Hungerford Knight of the Bath Sir Edward Norris Sir Henry Jackson Sir Edmund Watson Sir William Whitlock Sir Sebastian Smith Sir Francis Blake and & Thomas Crisp Esquires John Casley John Gore Miles Stapleton Doctors in Divinity Thomas Bouchier Doctor of Law Anthony Hungerford Richard Lobb Charles Stone George [Ashurst?] Henry [Ashurst?] Francis Clarke John Dwyer Edmund Dwyer Thomas Hard William Bayly John Crooks Harry Cole Robert Butler Edward Perrett James Perrett William Puley Henry Hall John Wille William Jennings William Tipping of Ewelton James Jennings Robert Mayne John Norris Simon Wharwood a Dean John Davers Thomas Rowney Benard Thomas French [Norry?] Thomas Cartwright [Thomas Rowney Samuel Trotman Francis Norrey Thomas Cartwright?] Thomas Carter Thomas Nappier Philipp Wmms Sebastian Lyford William Oakley John Goss Thomas Puley William Whitlock Roger Price

\* Robert G.

\* Charles G.

\* Sir G.

\* Porter G.

\* Edward G. &amp; King's Printer's Copy.

\* Albion G.

\* Robert Harding G. &amp; King's Printer's Copy.

\* Century G.

\* Albion G.

\* Knight G.

\* Henry G. &amp; King's Printer's Copy.

\* Norrey G.

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\* G. 1706.

Edward Bray Walter Knight Thomas Woodall William Aldworth Andrew John Pollard John West Justices Sheppard  
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 Taylor of Wilton Francis Kurpp Robert Parsons Maria May Thomas Smith of Kildington Head of  
 Thomas Gay John Higford Gilbert Isaac Thomas Stevens Adam Springall Thomas Brightman Francis Greenway  
 Thomas Ryan Anthony Evans George Carr Thomas Rolles Richard Tompson Susan Coghill John Wheeler John  
 Robert Lawrence Lord senior Lawrence Lord junior John Dodwell John Wise of Dryden John Smith Giles Denton  
 Richard Blackhall George Gooding of Lufford Charles Harris Thomas Woodward of Tackley Richard Crooks Robert  
 Samuel John Collier James Sawyer Beodell Knight John Wislow Edward Whistler Ralph Whistler Ralph Whistler  
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 Wright Laurence Forthplace John Dorrer of Aston Stephen Glynn William Casseary William Prosser Richard  
 Lydell John Standen Thomas Brigham John Scowpe William Buzon William Goodenough Henry Bishop William  
 Sheriff John Melville Edward Harvey Thomas Edwards William Aubrey John Dopley Esquires John Holloway  
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 of Kington William Taylor of Wilton Richard Coates Richard Lobb junior Shewes Pajman Thomas Nash of  
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 Gtouce Henry Waldenham Edmund Bousley Esquires Robert Cox Doctor in Theology Richard Fagg John Tall  
 Gardener The Mayor Aldermen and Town Clerk of the Town of Woodstock for the Time being The Mayor  
 Aldermen Captain Esquires Recorder and Town Clerk of the Town of Banbury for the Time being The  
 Warden of Hestley for the Time being The Bailiffs of Bedford Clipping Norton and Wincey for the Time being  
 John Jordan of Fulkbrooke David Hughes John Cottle Richard Bartholomew Gent Edward Carter Esquire William  
 Bow Doctor of Laws Samuel Beodell Hastings Leveson Thomas Lee Gentlemen Sir Simon Harcourt Sir Majesties  
 Solicitor General Henry Beeson and Francis Keck Esquires John Jones Blacking Esq. Ralph Trenchard  
 Rector of Wincey Henry Casey Clerk Thomas Goodale Gentlemen Berlesse Warren James Terrell Esquires  
 Thomas Coghill George Phipps Richard Carter Robert Rich Esquires Peter Sayer Esquire George Phipps Esq.  
 Thomas Reed Doctor Miles Stapleton Charles Aldworth Esquires

## For the County of Rutland

The Right Honourable Bennet Lord Sherard of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable John Verney Esq.  
 The Honourable John Noel Esquire Sir Thomas Mackworth Sir Thomas Barker Barnetts Sir Jilly Jellrys Knight  
 William Hill Sergeant at Law Eustace Bawell Philip Sherard Richard Hafford John Browne Robert Mackworth  
 Edward Browne Clement Brown Samuel Brown Edward Harcourt John Wingfield John Wooten Anthony Palmer  
 Charles Tyrrell Willshorne Hill Samuel Tryon Christopher Clifton Thomas Berrell William Jolins Richard  
 Isaac Bartholomew Burton Thomas Cox John Sherrington William Johnson Edmund Harcourt Andrew Barton Esquires  
 William Farnham Thomas Roberts Gent

## For the Town of Ludlow

The Bailiffs for the Time being The Right Honourable Richard Lord Viscount Newport Son and Heir Apparent  
 of the Duke of Bedford The Right Honourable Robert Harley Esquire One of Her Majesties (Principal) Secretaries  
 of State Sir Latham Pwells One of Her Majesties Justices of the Queens Bench Sir Thomas Pears Her Majesties  
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 Esquire Recorder Aston Baldwin Esquires William (Gower) Esquire Blendes Charlton Esquire Henry Wignore  
 Esquire Robert Pears Esquire John Salway Esquire Abell Lucilly Esquire Richard Duns senior Philip Cole  
 Thomas Lee John Sherratt Aldermen Captain Thomas James Valentia Doctor Richard Duns junior Doctor Haply  
 Richard Whitney Robert Kewy Richard Cole Benjamin Carter John Baldwin John Studd John Benton Thomas  
 Henry Samuel Bewdler Edward Robinson John Jones William Price Edward Lee John Aston

## For the rest of the County of Salop

The Right Honourable Robert Lord Viscount Kilmurray of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Richard  
 Lord Newport Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Bedford The Right Honourable Justice Lord Perregrine of the  
 Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Robert Harley Esquire One of Her Majesties Principal Secretaries of State  
 The Honourable Henry Thyns Esquire The Honourable Henry Newport Esquire The Honourable Thomas Newport  
 Esquire Sir Latham Pwells Knight One of the Justices of the Peace of the County of Salop Sir Charles Lintion Sir  
 Robert Corbett Sir Humphrey Briggs Sir Edward Aston Sir Richard Middleton Sir Francis Charlton Sir John Wyne Sir  
 William Williams Barnetts Sir Lucas Wilton Child Sir Henry Gough Sir Humphrey Mackworth Sir William Foxmore  
 Sir Thomas Pwells Her Majesties First Sergeant at Law Sir George Nourse Knight Sir William Fowler Barrat Sir  
 Thomas Tansell (Knight) John Charlton Arthur Marwelling Charles Kynaston de Gaulty John Kynaston de Hordley  
 Richard Fowler Francis Herbert Roger Owen William Owen George Weld Richard Corbett Walter (J) Baldwin Roger  
 Pope senior Roger Pope junior John Lucas senior John Lucas junior de West Coppice John Conyers John West William

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\* G. Smith.

\* Green G.

\* Knight G.

\* Mally Thomas Spratt Charles Coates John Carr Walter Waring Charles

Breastle Bartholomew Lady John Hodgkinson Menden Chastice John Soley Joseph Soley William Hume Sherington  
 Davenport Eldred [Larker] Lee Thomas Lucas Thomas Child Thomas Gough John Thomas John Hadley Walter  
 Chetwood Edward Kerry Richard Mason Esquire Edward Vaughan Edward Chubb Edward Kinnerley Thomas  
 Peck Thomas Edwards William Gower William Taylor Thomas Will Esquire John Eytan Clarke Ralph Piggott  
 William Young Thomas Wingham Lloyd Edwards John Powell Thomas Powell de Parke John Walter Francis  
 Beckley Arthur Weaver James Gower Goyman at Law Robert Lloyd Edward Crook Henry Mene Edward  
 Jennings Edward Whitcomb Edward Owen de Woodhouse Esquire Thomas Jones de Salford Ralph Brown  
 Bartholomew Beke Thomas Smedford de Salford Richard Leighton de Rodenhast Rowland Corne Andrew  
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 Physick John Underhill Doctor in Physick Adam Orley Archdeacon Doctor of Theology John Price Doctor of  
 Divinity John Gower Samuel Davison Roger Calton The Mayor of Shrewsbury for the Year being The Bailiff  
 of Bekeps-Castle for the Time being The Bailiffs of Wenlock for the Time being The Bailiffs of Bridgenorth for  
 the Time being The Mayor and Councillors of Oswestry for the Time being Samuel Addison John M. [Hemley]  
 Mackworth Simon Hazare Esquire Richard Heier Richard Salter Edward Gossell senior Edward Gossell junior  
 Jonathan Scott senior Jonathan Scott junior John Scott Thomas Owen de Shrewsbury (\*) Richard Haggis Richard  
 Proctor John Wilson Gabriel Wood Francis Baldwin senior William Chapman senior Edward Lloyd John  
 Cooke Draper Reviland Bough Thomas Acton Whinnore Acorn Esquire William Browne Arthur Devereux Charles  
 Walcott Esquire Richard Baxter de Acton Philip Corne Thomas Crompton Laurence Stevens John Mann de  
 Harrow Timothy Hensell William Hammond George Sandford William Kynaxia de Ryton Edward Kerley Ash  
 Kerley Esquire John Ridge [Henry] Litchfield John Sheppard William Boycott Charles Mann Henry Box  
 Esquire William Bridgman Richard Waller Thomas Whickham de Bridgenorth Edward Machon Handford Owen  
 Andrew Hill Thomas Howle junior Edward Jackson Andrew Kendrick Esquire Robert Gier Esquire John Hemley  
 Esquire Thomas Hawkes John Morris  
 Meddett of Meddett John Haden Walter Walston Richard  
 Furner Roger Fitch Henry Giffith [Briggs] Esquire Robert Wild Edward Mackway John Baldwin de Manton  
 Benjamin Whitcomb Robert Kerry John Sheppard de Elapencott Edward Parlor Alexander Duncroft Samuel  
 Dod Robert Dodd Edward Shalley Thomas Jones de Shon Richard Sheppard William Russell Edward Owen de  
 Raon Marcott Bernard Hammond John Price John Lathan Thomas Hill de Seaton Esquire Thomas Hill de  
 Seaton junior James Kerley Esquire Thomas Spendlove Nathaniel Jones William Child Laurence Stuchell  
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 Joseph Mackinnon Edward Jones Thomas Calton de Bowick Robert Peris John Kinnerley de Bedge Roger  
 Oakley Esquire  
 Corfield of Churchell William Booder George Pelly Thomas Hartley Esquire Edward  
 Herley Thomas Holland Richard Hyde Esquire John Felton Richard Wast of [Hutton] Mackworth Young John  
 Whitwell de Doddington John White William Robinson de Guza John Whitman Handley Sandford Esquire  
 Thomas Farnar de Chicksall Thomas Harwood William Beckley Esquire William Wetherley Thomas Grant of  
 Shrewsbury George Bald Esquire Thomas [Larock] Esquire George Herbert Gilbert Charles Acorn Bald  
 Philip Epton Esquire Charles Chamber Thomas Barroughs Robert Langley John Fleming Edward Philip Doctor of  
 Physick Timothy Seymore Adam Orley Esq. Richard Lloyd John Hill of Hunkins Thomas Kynaxia John  
 Higgins Roger Goffing Andrew Lloyd Thomas Davies James Davies Thomas Broune of Cilcema John Edin  
 Edward Mann Esquire Martin Baldwin Esquire William Church George Walcott Esquire William Hamner Clerk  
 James Gibson Edward Baldwin Esq. of Dillshary Thomas Moore Esquire of Lunden Thomas Moore of Malchop  
 James Betton Samuel Jordan John Weaver John Warren junior John Betton John Deben Esquire John Soley  
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 John Revell Richard Edwards de Midsalce Joseph Butler Gentlemen Acorn Masley Esq. John Edlin de  
 Bridgworth Gentlemen Thomas Jebber Esq. (\*) John Holman Esquire Samuel Bennett James Millegna Gent William  
 Atkin Robert Wood Samuel Johnson Richard Atkin of Salep Isaac Herkiss Esquire Roger Asherby Esquire  
 Melrose Aubrey Gent John Harding Clarke John Waring Gentlemen George Andrew Gentlemen Walter Williams  
 Gent Charles Hamner Esquire

For the City and County of the City of Bristol

Nathaniel Day Esquire Mayor and the Mayor and Sheriffs of the said City for the Time being Robert Eyn  
 Esquire Recorder for Thomas Day Sir William Chastreack Sir John Knight Sir Thomas Cren Sir John Dullace  
 Sir William Dimes Sir John Brevint Sir William Lead Edward Calton Joseph Crowick William Swannor William  
 Jackson Robert Tate Samuel Wills John Barchok Francis Whincup Robert Healy Joseph Knight Thomas  
 Edwards John Saxon Michael Pope Thomas Cole Joseph Jackson William Browne Robert Langton Joseph Dale  
 Thomas Day John Scope Humphrey Corley Thomas Newick John Cley Thomas Edwards junior Giles Esq. John  
 Rosney Nathaniel Haggart Richard Take John Masley Giles Horrick George Morgan John Lloyd Nathaniel White  
 John Sedford Marmaduke Bowdler John Yarns Robert Dowling Henry Conde John Brodley George Stephens  
 William Whithead James Hildage Robert Bond Samuel Byly (\*) Abraham Elias Christopher Shaw Thomas Hunt

\* Larker O

\* Baskley O

\* Thomas Owen de Whitley John Cole de Shrewsbury O

\* Richard G

\* Byly O

\* Harro O

\* Litchfield O

\* Richard Bough Clerk Richard Kynaxia Esquire

\* Richard Byly O

Henry Withland Anthony Swinburn Henry Walter Morgan South Nathaniel Webb Henry Parsons George Mason  
Thomas Moore William Robinson Richard Freshfield Francis Rogers William Barnstable Abraham Black James Wallis  
Oswaldsford Goddall James Hyman Thomas Tyler Henry Watts Philip Fyke Hugh Beckham Thomas Weston  
Nicholas Hicks Thomas Clements William Bayly Francis Palmer William Hart Ezekiel Longman Edward Yockey

## For the City of Bath

The Mayor and Bench of Aldermen for the Time being William Bathwick Esq. John Trenchard Esq. Recorder

## For the City of Wells

The Mayor for the Time being Peter Davis Esq. Recorder Jacob Worrell Matthew Bacon Thomas Cooper Hadgon  
Cook Charles Bacon Joseph Norton Matthew Toth Archibald Harper Gent<sup>1</sup> Gabriel Odeman Gent<sup>2</sup>

## For the Borough of Bridgwater

The Mayor for the Time being Sir Francis Ware Barronet Recorder Sir Thomas Wrenth Barronet Nathaniel  
Palmer John Gilbert William Sault George Cress Thomas Bera George Bulch John Harvey at the Castle Thomas  
Magrave Samuel Darby Doctor Allen Deane Morgan John Miles

## For the rest of the County of Somerset

John Leek Vicarum Embracing of the Kingdom of Ireland Francis Lord Hawley of the Kingdom of Ireland  
The Honorable Henry Thynne Esquire the Honorable Francis Greville Esquire Sir Edward Seymour Sir Philip  
Sydenham Sir Thomas Wrenth Sir John South Sir Thomas Hales Sir John Trevilian Sir Francis Warr Sir John  
St. Barbe Sir Francis Windham Sir John Tyas Sir Richard New Sir Henry Seymour Barronet Sir Thomas Bridges  
Sir Joseph Fox Sir John Knight Sir George Norton Sir Thomas Tinsell Sir William Wogan Sir Charles Cuttew  
Sir Jacob Baskett (\*) Sir Richard Newson Sir John Robinson Sir Roger Hill Knight Henry Partman Thomas Stangwells  
George Humes John Warr Edward Berkeley Nathaniel Palmer John Figg John Windham John Speke John Sedford  
Francis Owyne John Hunt Alexander Lortell Joseph Longton William Mathews Edward Clarke Edward (Barber)  
Robert Longton Edward Gage William Emock Baldwin Mellett William Mallon William Heller Cress Misknap  
Richard Fowkes senior Richard Fowkes junior William Gore Robert Yess Henry Herby Thomas Cress Francis  
Hale John Leigh John Cadington George Magrave William Long Thomas Bore of Hantsdon Thomas Chalk  
Richard Morgan John Prowse (\*) Samuel Kalle Harry Bridges William Coventry George Dodgins John Barington  
William Meyer Thomas Magrave Misknap Beckley Thomas Palmer Edward Colman Philip Bennett junior Richard  
Cress Robert Vickers John Norton Playdell Thomas Edwards senior Francis Holbe Newman George Magrave  
junior John Tinsell James Melkott Thomas Medhurst Thomas Rich Thomas Sembrone Edward Boyer John  
Turlin John Young of Toot Richard Pater Philip Bennett John Jones Arthur Lucy Edward Duke Alexander  
Popham Joseph Kalle William Earle William Speke William Lyde Anthony Elford Cornelius Lyde John Linsdown  
John Hady John Webb John Hobby William Coward William Whitchurch John Williams James Wallis James  
Anna Stuart Goodenough Gertrud Martin William Phelps Edward Phelps William Hallard of Sea Benjamin  
Barington Anthony Sculor John Vicker John New Henry Lee Henry Manspous Thomas Dyke of Tooten William  
Hays Anthony Hardy John Barridge John (Savary\*) Marshall Budget William Bridges Thomas Edwards junior  
William Charles Henry Berr William Scrode of Barington Edward Scrode of Dene Thomas Warr William James  
Henry Marchard of Canan Court Christopher Farwell Robert Syderlin Thomas Brewer William Weedy John  
Worth John Bloor of Knoll Francis Vaughan John Doble William Francis Nicholas Francis Humphrey Sydenham  
Thomas Gale Roger Levensage Robert Elker of Ash-Pryers John Barford Doctor Robert Twiss Peter Accort  
Richard Cook John Belton Samuel Pitt Merchant William Blackford Richard Cox Gustave Venner William Han  
Roger Sydenham Robert Evershed Thomas Lodgisham Samuel Raymond Hugh Beckham John Price John Hindman  
Thomas Compson David Tea William Blake of Myrhead Edward Kyder Thomas Bacon Nathaniel Wade Richard  
Nawcombe Nathaniel Day Thomas Henry Henry Bonner Thomas Bonner Doctor John Hall of Tarrant John  
Pryles Doctor Parsons of Tarrant George Vaughan Edward Gullenjon Henry Garthoff Isaac Wilms John  
Hobbs John Baker of Hamwood Thomas Bonner Anthony Peale John Gould Nathaniel Pitt George Crane Esquire  
The Mayor of Tarrant for the Time being Francis Robert senior Francis Robert junior John Friend John Tindale  
George Bulch John Gilbert William Sault Robert Lewis John Southey Thomas Greville Thomas Towell Nicholas  
Merrill Thomas Baker Christopher Raymond Thomas Gerton Edward Webb William Walter (Edward\*) New junior  
John Bond Charles Baudens Edward Daw John Stachery John Tanner John Megg of Farington John Salomon junior  
of Wilton Robert South of Lidston Henry Womcombe William Bell Herbert South junior Gabriel Odemill  
Gentlemen The Mayor of Glastonbury for the Time being Henry Stone Thomas Cook Claver Martin Doctor of  
Physick Eldred Wilton of Buckham William Wilham Thomas Jett junior James Twiford Doctor Francis of  
Buckham Peter Dares of Wells Councillor a Law Joseph Broune of B. Gent<sup>3</sup> Francis Wyndham Esquire  
Richard Magrave Esq. John Goodbar of King's Brompton.

\* Sir John Kivell G.

\* Robert G.

\* of Ashbridge James Prouse G.

\* Savary G.

\* William G.

## For the Towne and County of the Town of Southampton

The Mayor for the Time being Robert Eyre Esq. Recorder The Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Woodstock Son and Heir Apparent to the Earle of Portland Adm<sup>r</sup> de Cardonell junior Esq<sup>r</sup> The Honourable Lewis Mordaunt Adm<sup>r</sup> de Aylmer & Clerk William Thomas Jervise George Rodney Bridges Edmund Dancourt Cammeham Milford Crow William Baskley Esq<sup>r</sup> Adm<sup>r</sup> de Cardonell senior Richard White John Smith Esq<sup>r</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup> de Gouchy Thomas Brantbridge John Lee David Picard Jonathan Ingles Christopher Smith Thomas Cornwell James Maffah John Threlkough Roger Clarendon John Wreier Nathaniel Knight John Brackstone Robert Calfield Esq<sup>r</sup> Samuel Swhee Doctor of Physick William Crapp Leonard Crapp Roger Andrews Thomas Matham Richard Smith Edmund Needy Robert Vernon Richard Trause Gentlemen Doctor Bridenke Archdeacon of Hampshire

## For the County of Southampton with the Isle of Wight

The Right Honourable John Smith Esq<sup>r</sup> One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council and Speaker of the House of Commons Charles Lord Marquis of Winchester Son and Heir Apparent of Charles Duke of Bolton the Lord Viscount Possessor of the Kingdoms of Ireland The Lord Viscount Blandings of the Kingdoms of Ireland The Right Honourable the Earle of Galloway of the Kingdoms of Ireland The Right Honourable the Lord William Powlett Second Son of the late Duke of Beaufort The Right Honourable the Lord James Russell One of the Sons of the late Duke of Bedford The Right Honourable Edward Lord Viscount Comber Son and Heir Apparent to the Earle of Clarendon The Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Woodstock Son and Heir Apparent to the Earle of Portland The Right Honourable John Lord Gains of the Kingdoms of Ireland Governor of the Isle of Wight The Honourable Francis Grenvill Esq. Son and Heir Apparent of John Lord Brookes Sir Robert Worley Sir Charles Barington & John St. Barb. & Nicholas Stewart Sir Robert Sir Thomas Hobbs & John Thillagan Sir Hugh Stockley & Heed Hooks Sir Richard Onslow Sir Bartly Lacy Sir Thomas Gardiner Sir John Shackenough Sir William Mear Sir William Ogilby Sir John Miller Baroness Sir Charles Widdow Sir Henry Baskley Sir George Rooker Sir Jacob Banks Sir John Cope Sir Thomas Hobson Sir Edward Lawrence Sir John Gibson Sir William Gifford Sir John Howes Knight Lieutenant General Earle Governor of Portsmouth Richard Norton George Fox James Zouch Norton Paulen Howes Wallop Thomas Hobbs Frederick Tylney Thomas Jervise Richard Chandler Anthony Henley George Bridges Thomas Bovee senior Edward Glass James Day Richard Edgcomb Gifford Whistler John Leigh Richard Hobb Richard Cobb Charles Cole James Threlkotte William Bishop William Salmon John Polles Anthony Dawley John Freemant Charles Wether Richard Norton of Alford Reynolds Calhoun Edward Goddard Edmund Bosker John Bransfield William Kingsmill Henry Kingsmill Edmund Lambton George Clarke George Stanley William Preston Henry Hooks Lewis Beakle Arthur Hile George Dickson Brigadier Shillington Brigadier John Webb John Henley William Harriet Thomas Lewis William Forbes Peter Mear Thomas Chaffin Wilkin Cope [Leonard Chaffin Wilkin Cope] Leonard Wilson John Stanley Edward Hoops Nicholas Hedger Thomas Phelps Richard Woolston Ralph Becknall [Richard Woolston Ralph Becknall] Edward Edwards Alexander Drake Roger Harris George Stanley Thomas Frithman William Webber of Wandsworth Wilkin Wilkins of Axford Andrew Withers Hunt Withers Benjamin Radford Charles Norton Robert Marshall Alderman Tull Gaudin Draper Anthony Morgan Thomas Baskley George Ogilby senior Henry Worley James Worley Charles Worley John Worley Roger Burton Henry Foxcroft Francis Swanson George Duke Edward Nicholas Robert Post Henry Payer Thomas Edmunds Thomas Downe of Wallop Thomas Downe of Brooke Thomas Bovee junior Thomas Ware John Lathey Edward Pyle Thomas Brewer John Goodyer Peter Benbow Henry Healy Ellis St John Louche Rigg Walter Godfrey Edward Polles William Stephens Richard Pile John Lisle [Ed.] Lisle Jefferies Guy Wilkin Kingston William Godwin Anthony Godwin Samuel Pymon Dutton Gifford Henry Holmes Joseph Hattam Thomas Hattam John Foyle John Brown Charles How Henry Hunt Charles Stewart Esq<sup>r</sup> Doctor Wickham Dean of Winchester Doctor Nicholas Doctor Markham Doctor Thomas Sayes Doctor Thomas Dutton Doctor Robert Egan Archdeacon Bowchier Wilkin Lamb Clerk Dancer Nurse John Speed junior Hugh Willoughby William Smith and Mathew Conde Doctors of Physick Wilkin Errick John Par [John] Flowering Henry Fleming George Morley George Bridges junior Wilkin Tulse John Raddard Anthony Scott Wilkin Becknall Edmund Dancourt Henry Holt James Harris George Vernon James Hooper Wilkin Rowman David Ury of Eton Thomas Ury of Oatcombe John Lawkins Richard Kent Paul Bernard George Bernard Ellis Mear Thomas Coward Robert Love Edward Woodcock George Yates Henry Lacy Richard Cooper James Blake David Park Robert Kercher William Menden under Giles Lyford Thomas Ridgs Henry Marston Wilkin Knight John Acton Wilkin Bennet Graham of Southwamthorpe Richard Knight Robert Backford Thomas Bacon Simon Seward Thomas Bransfield Esq<sup>r</sup> Lawrence Jackson Captain Lane John Morgan Francis Ashby John Stephens of Barton Wilkin Stephen of Cowes Edward Stephens Wilkin Bates Wilkin Russell Richard Cowdale Wilkin Cooper John Butler senior of Alton John Butler junior of Alton John Harwood senior of Deane John Harwood junior Christopher Perin of Alford Robert Park Augustus Keechin John Hooper John Green Clarke Thomas Hawkes Benjamin Baxter John Allen John Mear Francis Mith John Hawkins of Lazon Towne Joseph Harwood Robert Downes Richard Bate Thomas Rawlance Wilkin Hooper Walter Thomas Thomas Boston Wilkin Widdon John Blackworth Wilkin Fisher senior Wilkin Fisher junior Edmund Wansell John Goodyer of Alton John White Wilkin Turner Stephen Lock George Wakelind John Heather Benjamin Withers Clerk Robert Barry Stephen Woodidge Anthony Palmer Thomas Robinson Nicholas Blake Robert Forder Robert Lamport Byson Richards Joseph Gifford Clerk John Rivers

Robert Higham William Goldwyn Richard Whitmore Clement Newham Captain Clement Goff The Mayor of  
Winchester for the Time being Edward Grace John Pardee senior David Wrenell Richard Gaud James Burdett  
Henry Sharp Anthony Tilden John Baker Gilbert Warrall Thomas Pink John Penson Thomas Coopy Edward Hooker  
James Charles Trefler Thomas Cusley Nicholas Pile Alan Garway John Tarrant Edward Hasles senior Gentleman  
The Mayor of Lymington for the Time being Edmund Dummer of Northampton Francis Haskery Nicholas  
Staley Gentleman The Bayliffe of Andover for the Time being Joseph Winkleson Gabriel Gokney James Suckburne  
Robert Thilman John Kyle Edward Wastham Nicholas Flower William Barwick John Bray William Westcombe  
Thomas Wastham Isaac Cooper James Gove Joseph Shipman Thomas Mackwell Richard Bradburne senior Gentleman  
The Mayor of Portsmouth for the Time being John Bickley Henry Seiger Joseph Winkleson John Vining Thomas  
Barnes Henry Sessand William Smith Gentleman The Mayor of Petersfield for the Time being William Pay John  
Palmer Edward Rooke Gentleman The Mayor of Ramsey for the Time being [Thomas Stephens The Mayor of  
Newport for the Time being ''] Henry Pope William Goss Thomas Barbank John Good The Mayor of Christ-  
church for the Time being Thomas Stephens The Mayor of Newport for the Time being Robert Leigh David Ury  
of [don] John Leigh of Newport [Charles'] Nigger John Marshall William Snygg William Ury Gentleman The  
Mayor of Yarmouth for the Time being [John'] Lussan Gentleman ('') Gilbert of Pau Clarke John  
Lay Esquire James Pyle Mr Briscoe Arch-Deacon

## For the City and County of the City of Litchfield

The Bayliffe and Sheriffe for the Time being Samuel Mosely Richard Bell Gentlemen Sir Michael Biddulph  
Baronet Sir Henry Gough Knight Richard Dyon Richard Pyot Esquiers Fitzplace Nor Esquire The Reverend  
Doct<sup>r</sup> Biko Dean of Litchfield John Edwards Isaac Hawkins Esquiers Thomas Hammond John Rowles John Dyott  
Edward Durner George Newell senior George Newell junior William Robinson James Hammond Thomas Denon  
Richard Hinkly Robert Lloyd [James'] Harding Francis Bayly Thomas Ayl William Gristley John Baker John  
Parker John Ballock George Hester Henry Rathbone Gentlemen

## For the County of Stafford

Mathew Day Martin Esq. The Honourable Justice Lord Perrepoint of the Kingdom of Ireland Charles Egerton  
The Honourable John Gory The Honourable Henry Pagett The Honourable William Ward Sir Charles Littleton Sir  
Bryan Broghess S<sup>r</sup> Thomas Perrell S<sup>r</sup> Charles Wobley S<sup>r</sup> Walter Wootley S<sup>r</sup> Edward Baggot S<sup>r</sup> Edward  
Lindson S<sup>r</sup> Thomas Lawley S<sup>r</sup> Thomas Belfin S<sup>r</sup> Michael Biddulph S<sup>r</sup> Robert Borden S<sup>r</sup> John Harper Barons  
Sir Henry Every Baronet Sir Charles Pyle Baronet Sir Charles Bramfield Baronet Sir Henry Gough Sir Charles Skirshaw  
Knight S<sup>r</sup> John Cheswood Baronet S<sup>r</sup> Edward Hangerford Knight of the Bath Henry Gray Benjamin Jolliffe Edward  
Bayly Esquiers William Ward junior John Winstedly junior Thomas Braghton Degg Esquiers Edward  
Lindson John Bully of Stander Thomas Foley John Perrell Charles Baggot senior Charles Baggot Philip Foley  
Handy Wyly Esquiers The Reverend Doct<sup>r</sup> Biko Dean of Litchfield The Reverend [Dean] Barth Doct<sup>r</sup> of  
Divinity Edward Mawmaring of Whitmore Throphian Biddulph Walter Chetwood John Post Ralph Seyd Thomas  
Lane Robert Lawton Edmund Arblaster Rowland Osbourne Osbourne junior Rowland Curson of Bellaport  
George Rodney Badger Henry Vernon senior Walter Gough John Hoo Serjeant at Law William Parker George  
Parker Philipp Holles Mathew Floyer Barlett Floyer junior Godfrey Clarke William Cotton  
Charles Chadwick Francis Ellis Richard Pyot Ralph Fyter James Wood John Lawton Richard Dyon William  
Walmsly William Seyd of the Bishops Thomas Gumpson William Inge John Young John Newton John Digby  
Charles Cooper Henry Vernon junior John Stalton Peter Persehouse John Gossamer Thomas Orme Richard [Smith']  
William Anson Peter Washburn William Tuffind John Asplett Thomas Leigh Edward Foden Michael Noble  
William Mirward William Leigh Isaac Hawkins William Marshall Michael Broadbent William Bandy Thomas Parker  
Thomas Dechem Richard Wilks John Lane Thomas Fowler of Apsey Edward James Walter Lander John Eggington  
John Dechem of Lenton Thomas Hickins John Langley junior Henry Hayworth Rowland Filds John Brewster Thomas  
Lay Henry Leigh Thomas Whitty Esquire John Berriford John Congress of Sutton Thomas Terton Rupert  
Hawbeck Doct<sup>r</sup> Francis of Little Wyoley Doct<sup>r</sup> of Physick William Tuffind junior George Lea Samuel Pyle  
Thomas Foley of Sandke Thomas Baggs Edward Short Walter Fowler Edward Wilson Esquiers John Jervis John  
Anley William Shillstone Thomas Webb of Woodford Thomas Browne Walter Munday Esquiers John Biddle  
Edward Barber James Rufford Gabriel Wood Henry Brangford John Wedgwood John Wheeler of Woodhouse  
John Dolphin Edward Skelton William Lawton The Bailiffe of Tamworth for the Time being Thomas Hagbold The  
Mayor of Stafford for the Time being Leigh Brookes Esquire Walter Noble Gentlemen Francis Whitlock Esquire  
S<sup>r</sup> John Hogen Knight Edward Scott Gent<sup>l</sup> Samuel Adderley Charles Gaudy Esquiers Aiden Christopher  
Sholes Gent<sup>l</sup> Richard Whitworth Charles Whitworth Thomas Whitty junior Ralph Seyd junior Esqs Thomas  
Bullley Robert Berrile Esquiers Thomas Vernon William Bonrie Gent<sup>l</sup> Oswald Master of Rabon Thomas Manley  
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Hambley Peter William Froke Richard Seaton Esquiers Handly Hodges John Taylor John Witherson William  
Alcock Thomas Lewis William Alcock of Aulley John Thacker Henry Walker John Dyett Richard Barnes George  
Shibb Gentlemen Thomas Hellingland Thomas Fennes Ghulish Lane Gentlemen Joseph Girdler Serjeant at Law  
Thomas Gay Esquire The Mayor of Newcastle for the Time being William Lawton William Barker Samuel Bell

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Thomas Mordeffe Gentleman Thomas Hameed Richard Barnes Gentlemen Ralph Seard of Bibba Esq. William Walsley Esquire John Chetwind of Ridgley Esq. Walter Chetwind of Bruckton Esquire Edward Southwell Esq. John Digby Thomas Abnett Edward Noel squire Edward Byrd junior William Green Gentlemen

For the Borough of Ipswich

The Bailiffs and Portmen for the Time being William Thompson Esq. Recorder Henry Poley Esquire John Bence Esquire Laurence Martin Devenux Esquire Esquires Doctor John Dade Charles Whincker Sergeant at Law John Wright Esquire Mr Charles Wright

For the Borough of Bury Saint Edmunds

The Aldermen the Recorder Coroner and Town Clerks for the Time being Sir Thomas Fobson Sir Robert Denny Sir Cate James Barreton Ashely Foster Esquire Thomas Burroughs Thomas Macro Samuel Greve Richard Price James Burroughs Doctor of Physick Henry Gibbon Samuel Bagely John Chamberlaine Peter Long Henry Smith Thomas Spencer Esquire Aldermen Anthony Fisher Jacob Johnson Gent Christopher Caltrape Esquire

For the Borough of Norwich

The Bailiffs and Aldermen for the Time being Sir Robert Kemp Barreton Sir John Rose Barreton Sir Charles Hase Barreton Robert Kemp Esquire John Rose Esquire Thomas Betts Esquire Recorder there

For the Borough of Eps

The Bailiffs and Capital Burgesses for the Time being The Honourable Spencer Compton Esq. Sir Joseph Hill Knight One of Her Majesties Serjeants at Law Robert Bédiffe Esquire

For the Borough of Sudbury

The Mayor Aldermen and Steward for the Time being Sir Gervase Elwes (\*) Sir Thomas Robinson Baron Philip Skippen Esquire George Dabwood Esquire Samuel Warner Esquire Clement Ray Thomas Halls Esq. Scabin Thomas Carter Robert Garling John Pook Thomas Parish Roger Voeir John Fen Daniel Haul Joseph Wain Martin Harris John Voeir Thomas Fyres Daniel Gibbon Robert Sparrow Edward Smith Thomas Robinson Gentlemen

For the rest of the County of Suffolk

Lyonel Earle of Dyrem of the Kingdoms of Scotland, Hildesbrand Lord Arlinges of the Kingdoms of Ireland Sir Edward Bacon Sir Thomas Harver Sir Thomas Felton Sir John Playters Sir William Barker Sir Robert Key Sir John Conna Sir [Simon?] Dore Sir Gervase Elwes Sir Edmund Bacon of Herringfleet Sir John Rose Sir Dudley Cullen Sir William Fowles Sir Robert Barreton Sir Samuel Barreton Sir Francis Matham Sir Robert Davis Sir Charles Hall Sir Francis Bickley Sir William Cook Sir Thomas Robinson Sir Bridges Nightingale Sir Richard Allen alias Anguish Sir Samuel Clarke Sir John Helled Sir [Rushon?] Cullen Barreton Sir John Shaw Sir George Wrenne Sir Henry Johnson Sir Joseph Bond Sir Richard Clipp Sir Edward Turner Sir Caste Wood squire Cresser Sir Stephen Fox Sir Isaac Rebew Sir Chas Turner Knight Charles Fox Compton Felton John Playters Clement Coroner Orlando [Orlando?] Bridgman William Johnson William Harvey Thomas Tyack Charles Blane Charles Key John Heat Esquires Charles Cook Read Edward Warren Richard Norton Robert Madocks Thomas Odham Thomas Williams Robert Jerey William Acton Robert Key Henry Paley Asendell Cole Nathaniel Acton Edward Holst John Braham Richard Beckenham Hammond L'Estrange John Scrivener Thomas Wylgrev John Pack Willes River Robert Dancy Thomas Smith of Buxton Anthony Crofts John Wright Robert Norton Henry Edgus Arthur Bernardston Charles Whincker Sergeant at Law John Bence Ashely Foster Thomas May Thomas Kerville Andrew Wroth Edward Alpe Edmund Shepard William Cullen Charles Kilgrew John Bennett Henry Wood squire Webb Thomas Carter Thomas Betts Charles Wood alias Cresser Thomas Dye Baron of Strabland Esquires Nicholas Freeman John Pells Joseph Alton Robert Redbrooke of Huntington Gregory Clarke William Randall John Pitt Thomas Bond squire John Barker of Wickham Thomas Bright William Hammond squire Samuel Walker George Golding John Elmed Thomas Wild squire William Hammond Thomas Adridge of Hoxton William Lucas Thomas Rendish squire William Cook Andrew Warner Samuel Blackwely John Bond Samuel Brand of Edeurston Bercholme squire William Bright Thomas Bond Thomas Felton Richard Phillips squire William Tyre Esquire Joseph Weld Nathaniel Symonds Richard Fryer John Inwood Anthony Wingfield Robert Ashley Charles Desmaret Edward Hurry John Colward Charles Wright Thomas Palmer Doctor John Dade John Gordon Wilkes Nere William Gluscock Robert Kemp Robert Brooks William Bond William Russell Jacob Brand William Lee Robert Darken Joseph Browne John Fryer of Feringham John Shepher of Ash Henry Stribing Robert Coker Thomas Bence of Belsted Samuel Bready John Barker John Jacob Bercholme squire Barnaby Gibson junior Esquire John Warren Edmund Coleman Nathaniel Day William Howes John Dracken Thomas Miles Joseph Tward Doctor John Thoregood William Bessant Nathaniel Barreton Francis Dickes John Wainwre John Baugley Richard Fyrestone John Buxton Bercholme Young Alexander Bence William Fetherly Thomas Fetherly John Pascheck Thomas

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Mitchell Nicholas Edgar George Wain Richard Amberson Edward Wessene Thomas Bright under Devereux Edgar  
 Thomas South of Thundersham Francis Edgar Richard Thornhill Walter Carry Esquires Canham Berke  
 of Hensfield John Foley Marston of Fursion John Spencer Samuel Green Richard Freiler Thomas Macrow  
 John Forde John Fenby Richard Prince senior William Turner John Turner Jeffry Molyneux James Jeffry Joseph  
 Thorton John Wright of Ipswich James Harvey Robert May Millicent Edgar George Gali Thomas Carter John  
 Parish John Gibson George Dabwood Philip Beers John Marden John Pumphrey Robert Jedd Robert Wright  
 Edmund Coleman junior Esquires Richard Browne William Bourne Thomas Taylor John Sawyer John Sparham  
 Robert Smith Samuel Lawrence William Cropely John Folkes Thomas Muddow William Byatt George Gooday  
 William Nelson Stephen Alcock Richard Phillips junior Thomas Lucas Frances Barker Stephen James Henry  
 Dawant Christopher Calrope Thomas Parle Matthew Inack Edward Alston James Cole John Lamb John Brough  
 John Wide Samuel Reynolds Henry Applethwaite Henry Sparrow John Sparks William Baint Esquire Thomas  
 Cooper Edward Thompson Stephen Somer John Coleman William (Nose?) junior Christopher Barry Robert Fike  
 of Radstock Philip Hammet John Hocke Walter Cradock Richard Gippe of Herringford John Goodwin Loxer  
 Mervin John Ross Henry Cowper Edward Osborne Robert Suckling John Brewster Decoe Fowkesbridge Clear  
 Gresham Charles Reddingfield Philip Skoppon Thomas Read Robert Fricks Edward Lee George Vernon Samuel  
 Warton Thomas Bacon Colman of Milden Hall John Ruby of Thorpe Cottle Brabrooke Esquires  
 Richard Morris William Vessey Benjamin Thompson (Nocha) Lawrence Doctor Thomas (James) (Niche?)  
 Sparrow Roger Screevy Anthony Goryett John Right Doctor Hugh Chamberlaine John Briskley William Churchill  
 Richard Richardson Richard Baddie Thomas Knight John Marryott John Syer Thomas Hays Oliver Tates  
 William Cross Robert Richmond Charles Barwell Anthony Barry Samuel Bernadiston Thomas Aubley John  
 Goldson Sparrow of Larchmont Joseph Chaplin Thomas Barnardiston Richard Pitcair junior Esquire  
 William Hawkey Christopher South John Moor Anthony Crofts of Southam Thomas Berries Thomas Hunt of  
 Oldmore Robert Darvill William Maynard William South John Bourne Edmund Draper John Dalton Thomas  
 Warren Ambrose Kensington John Thoroughgood of Kenney Pitcair Barnardiston Edward (Wall) senior John Barwood  
 John Bourne of Riddinghall John Hyatt of Gillingham John Avery Samuel Gibbs William Lamon Ralph Cotton  
 John Barker of Ash Robert Sparrow Robert Diverston John Goodwin of Marketford Colman of Brent  
 By John Robinson Bartholomew Beales Esquires Edmund Bowin alias Robert Robert Kington Robert Suckling  
 Gent John Cox Henslow Walpole Esquire Edward Cocher John Harvey Esquires Rust alias Ransel  
 Gaudens Reading of Herringford Esquire

## For the County of Surrey

The (1) Honourable Lyonel Duke of Devon of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable Henry Lord  
 Viscount Hyde Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Rochester The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Windor  
 of the Kingdom of Ireland The Lord Altham of the Kingdom of Ireland Lord Trevor of the Kingdom of Scotland  
 The Honourable (Hesage) Fluch Esq, The Honourable Sir Francis Congens The Honourable Sir Charles Bridges  
 Knight Principal Secretary of State The Honourable Maurice (Thompson) Esquire The Honourable Hugh Hill Esquire  
 Sir Walter Sir John Sir Francis Vincent Sir Edward Gresham Sir Richard Ouslow Sir Edward Northey Sir Napton  
 Attorney General Sir Joseph Alston Sir John Lee Sir Henry Denton Cole Sir Walter Claggs Sir Robert Nasham  
 Sir Paul Whitcham S<sup>r</sup> William Glynn Sir John Backworth Sir John Smith Beaumont Sir William Houlton Sir  
 Matthew Andowes Sir Robert Clayton Sir Sam John Brudenrick Sir Christopher Buckle Sir William Scores Sir  
 John Parsons Sir Thomas Vernon Sir Peter Vandepoort Sir John Temple S<sup>r</sup> Edward Betenson S<sup>r</sup> John Thomsrick  
 Sir John Fleet Sir James Burman Sir Henry Fortnes Sir William Gore Sir John Jennings Sir Nicholas Ware  
 Sir Jeffry Jeffery Sir Richard Farvegon Sir Thomas Cook Sir Richard Levett Sir William Robinson Sir Thomas  
 James Sir John Leach Sir Geoffrey Kestler Knight Henry St John Francis Vincent Thomas Gadow Nicholas  
 Care Leonard Wessell John Evelyn Thomas Canon Francis Fuller Sergeant at Law John Plummer Anthony  
 Boyce Donall Ouslow Nicholas Carew James Tadhorne Morgan Raddyl Foot Ouslow Peter Henry William  
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 Deanecker under Paul Dochmings Edward Bray John Sand Daniel Colwell Theophilus Ogilthorpe William  
 Hedder Richard Nicholas Shem Bridges Andrew Mearns George Newland Stephen Harvey William Harvey  
 Richard Ouslow Christopher Buckle St John Brudenrick Thomas Law Charles Hockes William Hutton Robert  
 Gault John Madell John Wight senior John Wight junior Henry Ladlow Robert Lasing Lloyd Samuel Lewis  
 George Vernon Thomas Vernon Charles Gresham William Gresham Samuel Arkham Richard Whitmore John  
 Richard John Bechoe William Elliot Esq<sup>r</sup> Thorsland George Meggus William St John John Jeffries George  
 Deanecker James John Temple Francis Proctor Stephen Glynn William Perry John Love Henry Cooper John  
 Ward John Seyless Richard Norton William Huron Thomas Tappes John Hether Maria Foulton John Turner  
 Thomas Malins Captain Salomon Edward Evelyn Benjamin Le Cere Edward Cox Ralph Snow Samuel Samerett  
 Henry Cornwell John Cornes Captain David John Laid Jonathan Bort Thomas Hook Henry Martin Arkham  
 Harrison Philip Frowe Arthur Turner Edmund Tumor Richard Leno Edward Balgyn Nicholas Harding  
 Nicholas Harding junior John Chalmers William Des Bawrie John Tinscombe Robert Dorgie Anthony Swat  
 Colonel Progan Charles Goodwin William Clark Francis Hazen Edward Woodward Spencer Cooper Capata  
 John Langton George Awood Thomas Lewfield Thomas Barrow Peter Deane Lawrence Marsh John Trymer

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\* National G.

\* Samuel G.

\* Hill G.

\* Right G.

\* Henry G.

\* Thomas G.

Urban Hall William Jacob Leonard [Th. and.] George Perry Henry Fendall Learyng Rebow Henry Fenns William  
 Hewer John Wicker William Walsham George Shuter William Peller John Child Thomas Mow Edmund Lee  
 John Linton Abraham Decker Joseph Wood William Arnold Samuel Pearson John Meland Penn Delaney  
 Francis Wilkenson Ralph Hartley Henry Wason John Tichbourne Charles Tryan William Lebbelack Galsford  
 Thomas William Lockins Wilkes Jon William Darch Henry Styles John Wicker Henry Fenns Edward  
 Harvey junior Leigh Starr Francis Negan James Tooth Thomas Williams Chaddess Probert Alexander Althorne  
 Edward Smith Nathaniel Horroby Richard How Edward Wood Thomas Hewes George Smith Barleigh Fenn John  
 Lordell Elfred Lancelot Lee Ralph Lake Richard Hayne William Gense Robert Saunders John Fulkens Thomas  
 Powell William Marshall Samuel Hill Benjamin Tarrant John Sheppard John Gerard Joseph Clary John Coleman  
 John Blake Robert Ford Robert Green Thomas Clayton Henry Biddopp Thomas Cooper Thomas Fox Edward  
 Starford John Jacob John Higgins Daniel Allen Edward Tresham Robert Roane Thomas Cooper John Hunter  
 William Watkinson (?) junior Charles Debot William Sulpen Nathaniel Glover John Holland Edward [Hollings?] William  
 Hubbard Thomas Cooke Edward Edgell Richard Lee Henry Koster Henry Awarth William Bellingham Thomas  
 Wyatt Walter Cook John Horne John Tanner John Case John Ashborne John Stevens Stephen Styles Giles Heywood  
 Daniel Wight Thomas Baker William Mitchell Edward Bellis William Reeves George Cole Ephraim Biddopp  
 Madrilian Stephen Lawrence Puffer Thomas Morgan John Case Thomas Rogers John Tamer Arnold Stephen  
 Benjamin Neveling Thomas Lucas Henry Payton William Cooper Thomas Boden senior Thomas Boden  
 junior Charles Martin William Wright Isaac Lander James Austin William Perkins John Maryn Robert Cole  
 Thomas Drake George Peck Charwood Stockey John Dibble Samuel Wincep John Pinks John Case John  
 Francis Thomas White John Nobopp Elms Spinks Edmund Hatt Thomas Neesham John Staines Robert Day  
 William Russell senior John Henley Richard Dyon Doctor Syper Doctor Dakenham Doctor Haquon Doctor Gilman  
 Doctor Shortridge Doctor Morton Doctor Barnard Doctor Tipping Richard Redhall Thomas Clute Robert Fowkes  
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 William Angell William Sodd David Pade Daniel Thomas Doctor Lintz Captain John Clements Captain Anthony  
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 Patrick Lamb Richard Hedges Henry Dewks Robert Boveys Francis Walsimon Major Benjamin Bownell Bryan  
 Forster Henry Whistly Charles Baker Richard Hurlington John Allen Nathaniel Horroby Doctor John Beshopp  
 William Gardner Thomas Juxon Thomas Taylor John Heath junior Edward Lewis Spencer Gerrard Richard  
 Garth of Morien Thomas White Henry Bartlett senior Thomas Gristwick Thomas White Richard Park Edmund  
 Reading Robert Woolrick Thomas Richard Day The Mayor of Guilford for the Time being The Bailiff of  
 Kingston for the Time being The Bailiff of Fencham for the Time being Angles Best senior William Best  
 Thomas Hecker Peter Quoyall senior Lawrence Lidger Thomas Barber Richard Ford Richard Fenns Cole  
 Wood senior John Yarr Joseph Beshopp John Haskins Thomas Agr John Hall Martinell Emily Timothy  
 Wilson John Terry [Jon?] Lee Francis Lee Richard White Thomas Jordan John Spencer Edward Philp Thomas  
 Harri Captain Bartholomew Thomas Bartholomew Thomas Gomm Christopher Smith Philip Foster John Angl  
 Gentleman Henry Foreman Henry Johnson William Sotter Gerard Andrews Henry Wyatt Thomas Wyatt William  
 Davidson John Evered Ulises Skett Peter Kesterson William Kesterson William Hurdly William Overton  
 Gabriel Glover Isaac Cox Thomas Hensford Richard Hensford Richard Woodman Daniel Wight Edward Best  
 George Hesh Philip Dues John Roberts Robert Benson William Belock Nicholas Meaks John Cox Nicholas  
 Beane William Golden John Serron George London John Boys Richard Devon Francis Tyringham Theophilus  
 Beek James Deane Edward Dunthorpe Charles Dubois William Razer John Gerard John Smith Henry Dean  
 John Lyfford Benjamin Cricker Jacob Harvey Thomas Mayla Philip Hooper Richard Nash John Stables Thomas  
 Burrew Philip Price John Derry James Gense Nathaniel Cox Henry Madenfield Thomas Radcliffe Thomas  
 Smith Henry Biddopp Richard Blane [Henry?] Gense Esquires Thomas Biddopp Arthur Wanklyn Captains Thomas  
 Browne Edward Lane John Penington Richard Rogers William Smith Roger Shuter Francis Southern John Gost  
 Charles Gilmer John Lamb Joshua Aldison William King William Cock William Rivers junior Robert Norton  
 John Hickman Richard Glover Anthony Parvigion Hugh Shortage John Bateman Reginald Harriet John Wheeler  
 Isaac Shird Richard Sanders Thomas Monday Edmund Halsey Thomas Todd Christopher Tiben John Hestle  
 Henry Smith John Harrison Gilbert East William East John Bell John Bingham Richard Arnold Bingham  
 [Bookstays?] (?) William Tynes John Fox Andrew Parker William Stevens Joseph Strat William  
 [Purvey?] Richard Mays Edward Jackson Thomas Bender William Hensford John Whyte Benjamin Lordell  
 John Budd Thomas Harris [Harr?] Henry How Joseph Walsh Thomas Allen Thomas Jerns of Clapham Thomas  
 Teger Joseph Sherwin Henry Spicer John Cripps John Laine John Droms William Browne John Jones Charles Hopton  
 James Comber Henry Bowler William Bingham Thomas [Colcock?] Henry Raker Caleb Payne Gervase East  
 Evans George Wood Thomas Allen John England John Demock Edward Jackson senior Edward Jackson junior  
 John Saunders William (?) Woodman Thomas Arnold senior Richard Arnold Samuel Adams William Stevens  
 Nicholas Rege Thomas Holt William Haskely John Day Gervase William Angell James Comber Francis  
 Porter James Pheme John Brighton John Pyke William Razer Roger Peck John Jones John Derby Thomas  
 Hatten Jewells Bevers William Smith Thomas Cooke John Hyland Captains Richard Oliver Benjamin Gentry  
 Benjamin Thorsberry Samuel Baynall Woodhouse Richard White John Swie Alexander Lee John Wood  
 John Mills Richard Wells William Harrison Gervase Walter Henry William Clayton Richard Smith John  
 Robert Edward Hunt William Stevens Gervase Evelyn Henry Temple William Clayton junior William  
 East Equian Richard Wells Henry Wilson Gervase

\* Hensford O \* senior William Watkinson O

\* Joseph Haskensides O \* Purvey O

\* Hestle O

\* Joseph O

\* William O

\* Charles O

\* Hestle O

\* Bates Richard

## For the Town and Port of Hastings and Liberty thereof

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being The Honourable William Ashburnham Sen and His Apparent of the Right Honorable John Lord Ashburnham [George] Palmsay Esquire Sir George Parker Baronet Peter Gun Esquire Richard Walter Twendelcke Edward Milward ('')

## For Seaford and Proximity

The Bailiffs and Jurats for the Time being Sir Thomas Dyke Baronet Sir Thomas Pitham Bart<sup>r</sup> Sir William Thomas Baronet William Lowndes Esquire Sir George Parker Baronet

## For the Ancient Town and Parish of Rye

Thomas Gubbe Esq. Mayor and the Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Sir Robert Anson Baronet Joseph Offey and Sir George Parker Edward Southwell and Philip Herbert Esquires Joseph Taylor Edward Whitburne Thaddeus Bishop Walter Watson Gentlemen John Osborne Stephen Odams Gentlemen

## For the Town of Wincheles

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Sir George Choute Sir George Parker Baronet James Hayes George Dobbington Robert Bessow Robert Anon Joseph Offey Esquires Charles Clayton Thomas Jenkins Hushins Gentlemen

## For the rest of the County of Sussex

Arthur Lord Irwin of the Kingdom of Scotland Henry Lord Waldeu Sen and His Apparent in the Earle of Suffolk John Lord Cates of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Thomas Pelham Sir William Thomas Baronet The Honourable William Ashburnham Esq. Sen and His Apparent in the Right Honourable John Lord Ashburnham Sir Robert Fagg Baronet The Honourable Spencer Compton Esq. Sir William Ashburnham Sir Thomas Dyke Sir Richard Onslow S<sup>r</sup> William Wilson Sir Philip Gell Sir George Parker Sir George [Choute] Sir Martin Jandy Sir Richard Parryngton Baronet Sir Edward Hungerford Knight of the Bath Sir John Broom Sir Nicholas Pelham Sir James Smith Sir John Miller Bart<sup>r</sup> S<sup>r</sup> Thomas May Knight Thomas Pelham John Lewtner Henry Pelham Thomas Newdigate Esquires Thomas Briggs Doctor of Law George Goring John Morson John Morley Trevor Thomas Bead Sergeant Deput John Spencer Esquires John Faller George Baker Alexander Suplin Miller Esqrs John Baker Gentlemen John Mashe Richard Onslow Henry Vane George Greater Nicholas Pulver Esquires William Williams Gentlemen Peter Goss Thomas Frewen George Courthop Esquires John Martin Rudolph Turry Edward Fagg Gentlemen Thomas Woodhouse Esq. Walter Roberts Gentlemen Thomas Farnworth Esquire Thomas Gray Gent John Aspley William Gurnway John Cook of Petworth Esquires Francis Moss John Chade Richard Styles John Cook of Goring Gent John Lee Esq. Richard Cooper Thomas Nash Humphrey [Jewkes] Thomas Karwin Richard Brice Anthony Crummen Robert Hall John Nicholls Paul Burnett Gentlemen The Mayor and Aldermen of Chichester and Arundel for the Time being Samuel Weston Gent<sup>r</sup> Charles Goring under Sir Charles Goring Baronet George Elford John Paine Richard Moxon Richard Parker Hugh Kesson John Middleton Thomas Gruswick of Hen. Robert Baker John Haender junior George Osborne Gentlemen Stephen Gervys Esquire Lewis Bockle Richard Hay Archer Towner Edward Madgwick Christopher Nevill William Debell Gentlemen Richard Bridger Charles Fagg Robert Oving Richard Paine Anthony Springett John Brewer Robert Anson Esquires Aspley Newman Gentlemen Robert Fagg Esquire Thomas Burrell Gent<sup>r</sup> William Norton Esquires Benjamin White Doctor of Physick John Tibbo Doctor of Physick Edward Mosley William Cobden John Hays John Wichey John Shelley William Barker John Works Gent<sup>r</sup> John Pechy Barrister Robert Thoresden Richard Barber George Oglander Stephen Falker William Peckley of Petworth Gentlemen Peter Courthop Henry Caspion Richard Shelley Esquires John Neebham John Bond John Greene John Waller John Baker Walsingham Mashe Thomas Charnon William Jover Samuel Bloom Thomas Wickers Gentlemen Richard Pecham Esquire John Bushbridge Gentlemen John Ferington Flowerood Ferington Charles Serpents Denek Lyddall Esquires Sir Henry Peckley Knight Samuel Boyse Gent<sup>r</sup> Timothy Burrell Esquires Cyle Rigg George Hais Thomas [Barter] Joseph Sandley Gentlemen John Ferington Flowerood Serpents Doctor John Pecham Thomas Aven Doctor John Joy Capion William Fletcher Walter Burton Gentlemen Christopher Cole Gent<sup>r</sup> Thomas Chamber Philip Chole of Goring Gentlemen Sir Edward Frewen William Bury Andrew Westons Gentlemen William [Rae] Esquire William Scrive Hugh Radcliff Gentlemen Doctor James Baker Doctor Abraham Newman Richard Lynson Leonard Gale Walter Burrell William Babbop junior George Sanger Edward Fagg George Tideman Alexander Bridges Francis Peckley Richard Paine Robert Hushins John Snigwick Thomas Sander Gentlemen Captain Nicholas Best William Sarge John Gruswick of Rye Esquires Francis Parsley [Parsley] Westworth Leno Bilton Thomas Bilton John Sander Gentlemen Henry Cooper Lawrence Alcock Esquires Andrew Whitt Thomas Mosley John Pellet Edward Saker Gentlemen Francis Wyatt Esquire Richard Styles Gent<sup>r</sup> William Nelson Baster John Bowen George Parker Gentlemen George Moore Gent<sup>r</sup> Thomas Pelham of Canfield Esquire Thomas Frewen Edward Grace William Westonske of Elved Esquire William Bond Thomas

Fuller Samuel Barton Gentleman John Ashburnham Esquire George Stanley Thomas Baker of Mayfield James  
[Pinner] Gentlemen Thomas Alderson Esquire Robert Hill John Burnell John Greenick Joshua Bawden [Gentleman]  
Thomas Chawson John Middleton William P. Esquire Doctor Mordant Thomas White Esquire Henry Goring  
John Mitchell junior William Smith John Fortis Gentry French Gent<sup>l</sup> Sir Richard May Knight Joseph Ough Nicholas  
Manscock Thomas Curt Esquire John Taylor William Yekles of Blackdown Gentleman [Will<sup>l</sup>] Hendon Esquire  
John Stone of Sturmer Edward Manings Daniel Griffen Nathaniel Treadcroft John Ellis William Whitford  
Gentlemen John Ward Esquire Francis Mass Gent<sup>l</sup> Sir Cecil Bishopp Henry Bickley Esquires George Stanley of  
Cockham Walter Elphick Jacob Williams John Elger Francis Gower William Gable Gent<sup>l</sup> James Butler Curwen  
Works Esquire Thomas Bettsworth Henry Almon Richard Goldham William [Jesse] Edward Ward Gentlemen  
The Bayliffs of Middlesex for the Time being Thomas Bernard Nicholas Hebeles Robert Bristow junior John Dyle  
Gentlemen Charles Goodwin of [Bewsey] Philipp Chute Gent<sup>l</sup> Thomas White Esquire Thomas Lincoln Gent<sup>l</sup> William  
Pellier Esq. Nicholas Gilbert Gent<sup>l</sup> The Bayliffs of Hertsford for the Time being Henry Collins Gent<sup>l</sup> William Bony  
Esquire John Bathurst George Bridger Gentlemen Oliver Wisley Esquire Miles Edgar Gent<sup>l</sup> Sir Thomas<sup>l</sup> Hitham  
Knight Edward Pein Gent<sup>l</sup> Thomas James John Peckle Gentlemen John Gortwick of Thomas Henry Gent<sup>l</sup> William  
Mills of Gresham Esquire Henry Cobden of Wenden Gent<sup>l</sup> Richard Holman junior John Denest of Middlesex  
William Gortwick John Sykes  
Thos<sup>t</sup> of Yapon Edward Jordan senior Gentlemen John Barbara Esquire  
John Reff Gentleman Henry Bay Esquire George Mills William Squire Gentlemen George Price Chute Alden  
John Elmes Gentleman John Peckham Merchant Henry Capton John Alcock of Nulburt Gentleman Doctor Henry  
Chaywell Samuel Plattener of Sedlescombe George Elden of Brent John Freshoby of Ulmster Edward Le New of  
the same Esquires James S<sup>t</sup> Almond Eldred Lancelotti Lxx Charles Eversfield Esquires John Emma Thomas Nash  
Richard Channell senior Gent<sup>l</sup> Henry May Esquire Thomas Croucher Gabriell Egles John Egles junior John  
Thadcroft Gentlemen Edward Gorden John Young Walter Barnet of Stephen Bridge Gentlemen James Balle  
Esquire Robert Palmer of Pinnerth Esquire James Moxon Esquire George Newton [Esquire] John Fuller junior  
William Wilson Esquires Peter White Gent<sup>l</sup> Thomas Jenkins Buxton Philip Harcourt Henry May Esquires Robert  
Roche Esquire John Mitchell Richard Mitchell Gent<sup>l</sup> Henry Peine Robert Pein Gent<sup>l</sup> Edward Midway John  
Morton Edward Shilley Philip Muntz Esquires Edward Jordan Gent<sup>l</sup> Henry Cowper Esquires George Hewitt  
Gent<sup>l</sup> Edward Tredcroft Gent<sup>l</sup> Henry Gale Gent<sup>l</sup> John Haggerre John Liddell Arthur Rowland Thomas Lumsden  
George Muldon of Rudgwick Gentlemen John Evered Esquire Michael Scott Gent<sup>l</sup> John Mitchell Esquire Richard  
Mitchell Gent<sup>l</sup> William Soave Esquire John Copps Henry Mitchell Gent<sup>l</sup> Street of Milford Esquire  
Ayling of Thaxted Esquire Thomas Gortwick of Ham Esquire William Gortwick of Ham Edward Maning  
Thomas Staker of Yapon John Nich of Wallerton Lawrence Alcock William Yekles Thomas Mowbray  
Ayling of Tynford Street John Alcock Robert Heath John Spence junior [Doctor] Walter Walker Burnett  
Henry Carple Edward Radcliffe William Double William Pellet of Fensill John Lilley Thomas Bower Thomas  
Broadfield French Broadfield Thomas Mordley junior Benjamin Dye William Yacil John Alford Hugh Oddy  
Donat Hill [Gent<sup>l</sup>] George Fawcett Stone Edward Doughter Sir Math  
Lundy George Lovell Esquire  
Widham Haafrey Fowle John Eades junior Joseph Farrow John  
Althorne Richard Althorne Richard Greycock Mathias Calderwood Samuel Roberts Robert Thos  
Bates Thomas Wilfred Francis Smith Frodoardo Pookhouse Henry Johnson Andrey Tenable Edward Tucker  
George Goring junior Thomas Moore John Mitchell John Gortwick Henry Kelly Benjamin [Jr. or] Robert Lane  
of Stanning John Young John Groomer Doctor John Marden William Scanes Edward Pelling Doctor of Divinity<sup>l</sup>  
John Deane John Wrewer Anthony Morley William Vincent John House Thomas Country Thomas John John  
Farrington Esquire William Hiley Dean of Chichester Richard Bowdley Archbishop of Lewis William Bawden  
Edmond Gibson John Wright William Wilbourn Roger Williams Richard Farrington Nicholas Covert John Peckham  
senior Merchant John Solgwick Thomas Sanders Thomas Nevile John Cloudesley John Shewer John Walsell  
Francis Doyley William Fletcher Edward Page senior George Tippen Robert Haulen Gay Wheeler Gentlemen John  
Mush Doctor Nicholas Stephen Jervis Thomas Styles Esquires William Knight Esquire Samuel Giles Richard  
Goodman Comptrol Richardson Henry Bickley Cury Works John Elson Richard Nash James Lane [Lane] John  
Cudlow George Temper George Stanger James Varnam Robert Smith Thomas Parker William Lloyd Nicholas  
Cloudesley Bruns Bickley Henry Bickley of Chisham Bickley junior John Cooke Benjamin Peter Betworth  
Stafford Bradley Doctor William Nicholls John Cloudesley junior William Peckham John Long William Leaver Esquire

## For the City and County of the City of Coventry

The Mayor and Aldermen for the Time being William Lord Dugby of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Christopher  
Hulse Barrett Sir Orlando Bridgeman Barrett Thomas Gery Richard Hopkins Benl Piddling William Jones  
William [Dugby] Edward Hulse Edward Hepkins Edward Taylor Henry Greene George Babon John Bowler  
Robert Beke Thomas Bagth Thomas Baly Henry Smith Robert Smith Edward Hill Humphrey Burton senior  
Nathan Harsen Thomas Hopkins Reviled Beckley also Goven Horrid Hopkins Arthur Gargoy Thomas Skelington  
also Doctor Esquires Humphrey Barton junior John Heywood Thomas Hart Thomas Anneson Samuel Collins  
Edward Haddard John Tindley Thomas Palmer Kestley Oulbarn John Bennett Thomas Wright senior Thomas  
Greencombe Thomas Hulse senior Samuel Walker Francis Hyth Gentlemen Edward Rawson senior Clement  
Ratier Edward Boulton Robert Bebon Gentlemen Daniel Donas Esquire Smith senior William Galtoun  
Gentlemen

\* Plummer D. \* Gentleman G. \* Wilkes G. \* Jervis D. \* Bennett G. \* Gentleman D.  
\* Sir D. \* Gentleman G. \* Hume G. \* Charles Esq. Doctor of Divinity D. \* G. Esq. \* Dugby D.

## For the County of Warwick

The Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Hyde Son and Heir Apparent of the Earle of Rochester The Right Honourable William Lord Digby of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Henry Lord Fellon of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Gilbert Coventry The Honourable John Verney The Honourable of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Greville Greville Sir John Mordaunt Sir Charles Holt Sir Robert Bardett Sir Simon Clarke Sir Richard Temple Sir Clement Fisher Sir William Boughton Sir Jacob Astley Sir John Bridgman Sir John Shutebary Sir John Darggill Sir Thomas Willoughby Sir Thomas Rouse Sir [Edward?] Skipwith Sir William Wheeler Sir John Holland Sir Christopher Hicks Sir Richard Newdigate Sir Orlando Bridgman Sir Richard Calles Sir Henry Parker Baroness Sir William Underhill Sir John Clayton Sir Thomas Rawlinson Sir Thomas Weymouth Sir William Wilson Knight William Bransley Andrew Archer [Colbury?] Holt William Somerville Orlando Bridgman George Lacy Bead Felling Richard Newdigate Arden Adderley Edward Rippington Heron Underhill Edward Clayton William Palmer Richard Hopkins Humphrey Wyndham John Price William Jones Hugh Sherrin Hugh Parker Luke Hackett Thomas Viner Guyard Woodbridge John Newham [Tobin?] Harvey Anthony Thomas Hugh Clayton Thomas Rawney Francis Kerk Thomas Fehenson Esquire Clement Throckmorton Edward Bentley Thomas Andrews Anton Ingram William Colverson William Dike Charles Jenness John Cherwell Simon Ralph Esquire William Dagdale Robert Harvey Robert Fisher Henry Green John Jenness Roger Rippington Humphrey Jenness Robert Jenness William Jenness Bentley Boughton Francis Boughton William Boughton John Shutebary John Farner John Gough Thomas Ferns Bernard Whalley John Munier Esquire George Robert Thomas Gery Henry Neale John Clarke Thomas Newham Charles Knottfield William Holbush Andrew Holbush Esquire Thomas Walldhill [Andrew?] Esquire John Andrews William Eganall William Leggs John Appleton Humphrey Groswood Esquire William Stoughton George Alsop Richard Ryan William Gower William Peake George Sackville Charles Chadwick William Mayne junior Thomas Bayly Glas Palmer Thomas Archer William Purcell William Inge Esquire William Bolton Arthur Gregory Gilbert Adderley William Leggs John Astley Francis Dagshaw Henry Holdes Esq. Theodorus Stratford Thomas Loring Thomas [Cook?] Edward Broadwood George Birch John Adlis South Albury Robert Boyce Thomas Sutton Feinpleur Non Esquire Charles Ward Michael Ashell John Grindshaw Humphrey Walcock Charles Bentley Robert Smith Thomas Leggs John Oakley William Fehenson Henry Groswood George Alsop Francis Byth Thomas Gibbs Gentlemen The Mayor of Warwick for the Time being The Mayor of Stratford for the Time being The Bailiffs of Tiverton for the Time being

## For the City and County of the City of Worcester

The Mayor Aldermen Sheriffs Towncliffe and Capital Officers commonly called and known by the Name of The Twenty four for the Time being William Bransley Robert Wyke Thosot Wyke Russell Smith Charles Cox Esquires John Vernon Edward Philby Gentlemen

## For the County of Worcester

Sir Robert Atkins Knight Richard Amphlett William Amphlett John Appleton Esquire William Andrews Richard Avenue Gentlemen Nudon Earle of Belmunt in the Kingdom of Ireland Charles Beldryns Rowland Beckley also Green John Beauchamp Timothy Brinkshaw William Beatty of Holt William Beatty of Upton Simon Behar John Brages Esquire Martin Ballard William Boskey John Bourne [The?] Beck [Thomas Bach Thomas Bach?] Thomas Baskell Robert Baskell Thomas Barlowe senior Thomas Barlowe junior Arthur Bagshaw Robert Baggett Thomas Badd Gentlemen Nicholas Barndy Richard Barnaby Esquire The Bailiffs of Bewdley Thomas Bough Esquire Stephen Baldwyn Gentlemen Sir Anthony Gwyn Barrenet William Childen Esquire Thomas Claxton Sir Thomas Cookin alias Winford Barrenet The Honourable Gilbert Coventry Charles Cockes John Chaplin Francis Clure Thomas Conwell Alha Cliffe of Astley senior Alha Cliffe of Astley junior Allan Cliffe of Norton Thomas Chole Higham Cook (?) James Compton Richard Cawooda Arthur Charles Reuben Culshaw Edward Clifton Henry Chastell Edward Chambers Gentlemen Sir Edward Dady Knight Sir Ralph Dutton Barrenet Richard Dowdewell Georges Dowdewell Charles Dowdewell General Duncant Robert Dowley Robert Dorester John Dunsen Esquire The [Bailiffs?] of Dunsow The Mayor of Evesham Henry Lord Fellon of the Kingdom of Ireland Thomas Foley of Whitley Thomas Foley of Stoke Philip Foley Nath Foley Richard Frouman Esquire Richard Fulwood John Fowkes John Field Gentlemen John Fulwood Ashdanson of Worcester The Honourable John Gray Henry Gages Abell Gower George Gauden Esquire Gervase Esquire Edward Gibbs [Gibbs?] Gentlemen Edward Goodyear Humphrey Groswood Esquire The Honourable Henry Herbert Sir Thomas Hewkood Knight William Hewcock Charles Huxcock John Holenden Esquire Thomas Hunt Henry Hunt Gubb Hall Thomas Huxley Gentlemen Dosty Moore Edgum Mr Henry Hicks of Straton Thomas Harris Esquire Thomas Hatwood Gentlemen Thomas Jercock Benjamin Jelliffe Higgins James Hony Jeffreys Benjamin Jeffreys Esquire Russell Jerkes Genl Doctor John Jephson Phisam Jackson Esquire Charles Knottfield (?) Sir Charles Licham Barrenet Anthony Lechmore William Ligon Thomas Lench Esquire Edward Lench Arthur Low Edward Late Gentlemen Thomas Low Humphrey Low Esquire William Maort French Martin Gentlemen Mr William Martin of Eardescombe Thomas Mason Gentlemen Leicester Martin Esquire Edward Martin Genl Robert Moler James Hagrick Gentlemen Henry Neale Richard Nudon Thomas Nudon Esquire George Nash

\* Felton G.

\* Claxton G.

\* Tobin G.

\* Wilson G.

\* Cooke G.

\* Thomas G.

\* O. com.

\* Thomas Cooke G.

\* Radcliffe G.

\* Esquire G.

Ruford Nash Esquire William Norton Richard Northey Gentlemen Mr Thomas Owen of Ipswich Sir John Parkinson  
Baronett S<sup>r</sup> Henry Parker Baronett Hugh Parker Thomas Pascoe John Perrott Samuel Pitt Olin Perren George Porter  
Edward Palmer Esquire Mr Edward Parlington Gentleman Thomas Pountney Revier of Fladby S<sup>r</sup> Francis Russell  
S<sup>r</sup> Thomas Roper S<sup>r</sup> James Rushout S<sup>r</sup> William Rich Baronett John Rudge (\*) Edward [Rodge Wilton?] Samuel High  
Russon and Edward Russon Gentlemen Thomas Rowley Esquire Richard Sainbright Thomas Savage Richard Savage  
Walter Savage senior Walter Savage junior George Savage William Savage Anthony Sainsbury Francis Sainsbury Esquire  
John Sheldon Daniel Sheldon Samuel Shide Thomas Sibery Gentlemen Samuel Self Thomas Siphons senior Thomas  
Stephen junior John Soley Henfrey Soley Chambers Slaughter Esquire Mr James Sidingfleet Mr Richard South of Ipswich  
Charles Smith Gentlemen Samuel Sinden Gent<sup>l</sup> The Honourable Robert Tracy One of the Judges of the Common  
Pleas Sir John Talbot Knight Edmund Talbot Henry Tomeswood Esq Francis Taylour Gent<sup>l</sup> Thomas Turpin  
Esquire Thomas Tomlinson Samuel Talbot Gent<sup>l</sup> Thomas Vernon William Vernon senior William Vernon junior John  
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Honourable Frederick Dudley Ward The Honourable William Ward The Honourable John Westworth William  
Widd Salway Winstington Robert Wilde Thomas Wolfe Francis Winstington Esquires Doctor George Wolfe Rector  
of Holt John Wheeler Edward Wheeler Nicholas Wheeler Thomas Walter Thomas Watson Gentlemen William  
Watkinson Esquire John Wall Pyson Wilcott Gentlemen John Walsh Rector of Brothas Thomas Yarnold Thomas  
Yase Esquires Edward Patrick Esquire

For the City of New Sarum the Close of the mune and Clarendon Parks

The Mayor and Aldermen for the Time being Robert Eyre Esquire Recorder Charles Fox Thomas Jervon William  
Wadhams Charles Manypen Edmund Plevan Francis Seaman George Wpalliam Herbert Salchere John Hill James  
Harris William Harris John Gussard Thomas Chaffin Marks Thomas Lambert George Stanley John Rolfe William  
Hurst Edward Gurnet Richard Kent William Watfield Esq John Cooper Thomas Baskett John Masters Robert  
Marsh Robert Cooper Matthew Pitt William Green Gentlemen

For the rest of the County of Wilts

The Right Honourable John Smith Esquire Speaker of the House of Commons and One of Her Majesties Privy  
Council The Honourable John Lord Mordaunt Son and Heir Apparent of the Earle of Pembroke The Honourable  
Edward Lord Viscount Cornbury Son and Heir Apparent of the Earle of Chesham The Honourable Charles Lord  
Bevor Son and Heir Apparent of the Earle of Aylesbury The Honourable Henry Lord Hyde Son and Heir Apparent  
of the Earle of Rochester Henry Lord Colbaste of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Henry Thynne To  
Honourable Robert Bruce The Honourable James Bruce The Honble Maurice Ashley Cooper The Honourable Henry  
Beve The Honourable Robert Bosc The Honourable Francis Cavell The Honourable William Ashbatham Sir  
Right Honourable S<sup>r</sup> Edward Seymour (\*) One of Her Majesties Principall Secretaries of State S<sup>r</sup> Walter Sir John  
S<sup>r</sup> John Dutton S<sup>r</sup> Seymour M<sup>l</sup> S<sup>r</sup> Richard How S<sup>r</sup> James How S<sup>r</sup> Henry Seymour S<sup>r</sup> Edward Erle S<sup>r</sup> Walter Long  
S<sup>r</sup> James Long S<sup>r</sup> James Ash S<sup>r</sup> Robert Dismond Sir William Pascoe Baronett S<sup>r</sup> Edward Hungerford Knight of the  
Bath S<sup>r</sup> George Hungerford S<sup>r</sup> John Talbot S<sup>r</sup> Stephen Fox Sir Matthew Andrews Sir Richard Hatfield Sir Francis  
Child Sir John Hawley Sir Charles Duncumb Sir Owen Backingham Knight Henry S<sup>r</sup> John Edward Seymour Robert  
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Richard James William Yorks Thomas Bennett of Gilling Edmund Dunc Edmund Lambert Francis Popham Thomas  
Jervon Thomas Pitt Edward Nicholas of Wootton Maurice Rockland William Ash Alexander Threlkeld Clerk  
Fox Edward Nicholas of Winterborne John Nicholas of Canings Francis Goddard Thomas Foke of Hinton  
Francis Stonehouse William Trinchard John Glanville Thomas Bukerville Edward Neen Thomas Chubbok  
William Harvey Thomas Penninglock William Wadhams Wadhams Wadhams George Wadhams Walter Oak  
Henry Chivers Richard Chandler Edward Young Charles Esqr Thomas Platts of Heywood John Young John [Knight?]  
John Willems John Methven Samuel Ash Richard Sculle William George Decker Robert Mayhew Clerk  
Raymond Charles Tucker Benjamin Gifford Samuel Whitlock Edmund Hungerford John Bennett William How  
William Wells Richard Aldworth John Dow Isaac Self Edward Topp Henry Poole Second Parker Henry Gaskett  
Edward Poole of Alton John Huddy junior Thomas Heynes Thomas Smith of Milsome Thomas Gault John  
Dunton of Moulton John Ayliffe Francis Mervinweather John Manypen Doctor of Physick Thomas Best Robert  
Nicholas of the Downs William Westfield of Pickwick William Brewster Gifford Verbury Michael Esqr Richard  
Long Edward Seymour of Whiteparish Edward Little Neel Masolin William Payer Walter Green Benjamin Gyles  
Edmund Webb George Clarke John Trenchard Thomas Everett Robert Pitt James Manstags George Sparks Port  
Thomas Goddard of Rudloe Thomas Chaffin of Zouls Edward Rayson Oliver Cavley John Smith of Alton Thomas  
Moffatt of Badbury Poore of Durrington John Morton [of?] Playhill John Jacob senior John Jacob junior John  
Hall of Sarum George Barker Richard Kent Thomas Lambert of Sarum Walter Parker senior Walter Parker junior  
Robert Duke of Lake Thomas Chaffin Marks John Gassard Francis Swann John Webb Charles Bowls William  
Hitchcock Henry Powell John Carle Edward Poyle Counsellor at Law Stephen Blatch John Long of Beaton Walter  
Ersk Francis Throckmole Joseph Hockinsyn Charles Scrop William South of Fiddisom Andrew Duke Walter  
Long of Wrenall John Long John Willems John Kent of Bonome Robert Smith Henry Dunc Edmund Playhill

\* William Rudge O.

\* O. omis.

\* The Right Honourable Sir Charles Bridges O

\* Knight O.

of Woburn Thomas Webb Secretary at Law John Harvey John Hobbs Edward Somers Daniel Webb Richard Dow  
John Jeffrey John Kington Charles Brindson of Wootton Bassett William Cole Thomas Fuller Brecon Bowdler  
Thomas Gwynn William Hewes Barber at Law George Hill William Updell Thomas Powell Thomas Hayward  
Nicholas Eliot Richard [Mistral] Thomas Halken William Grem of Sarum Christopher Middel Esquire of  
Pekery Andrew Smith Jonathan Hill George Trugood Walter Sharpe William Pinner John Flower Henry Whitson  
Henry Eyre of Woodbury Edward Goddard of Parson Henry Southby Jasper Chapman George Morley John  
Lambert Edward Ash John Fisher of Chase Francis Giles Thomas Franklin Robert Base Robert Mandell (?) Charles  
Mellison John Harvey of Cole Park Christopher [Wooloughy] John Maxwell Edward Goddard of Ogbourne George  
Duke of Sarum Peter Temple Joseph Bakas Anthony Trevelin William Dames of Highworth Anthony Beakes  
Lowell Bagg Thomas Phillips Richard Gossall William Shaw Thomas Jacob Edmund Eccott Giles Earle James  
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Wayner Anthony Melbwin Jonathan Rogers William Parry of Exton Grey Thomas Sharp Thomas Halbert Alexander  
Baker Edward Playdell William Greenfield John Horton of Broughton William Clare John South of Ousewood  
Christopher Glade Humphrey Wisbushen Robert Jenkins James Wilde Surgeon of Gougen Bassett John  
Meyersley William Vince Joseph Wright William Cole of Sarum John Toyle [Gougen] at Law Thomas [Denner]  
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George Turner Philip of [Mantow] William Piskney John Hobbs Reynolds Corbush John Ellis John Eyles  
Thomas Besset of Sticple Ashton Robert Robinson Scerrington Harvey Doctor of Physick George Harrison George  
Walker Walter Knight William Streetley William [Burton] John Speckart Robert Tack of Lanchan John Rolfe  
Richard Knight of Fulton Robert Broms Benach Brown John Wadman Robert Hawkes George Fortman James Power  
Richard Spencer [Robert] Scour of Ivy Ambrose Heddery Richard Kington (?) Thomas Smith of Gougen Thomas  
Baker Thomas Harris of Dechemon John Harding William Sade William Green Robert Baxton Thomas Heat of  
Gulard Richard Baskerville Joseph Hewes Richard Goddard of Burston Thomas Soller Edward Pinner of the Devils  
Edward Pinner John Besset of Southbrook George Madam Doctor of Physick Thomas Edwards of Wimbrough  
Robert Mansdell of Gougen Bassett Joshua Shappard George Truby Richard Greenfield Thomas Pettigrew Richard  
South junior Robert Barker Edward Thumbar James Deane Adam Tack of Chippenham John Myles John Sarned  
Hope Long Thomas Clarke of Milnes Jacob Sells of Milnes Charles Savage Ambrose Aubrey of Sarum Edward  
Ryder Henry Morris Francis Keenan Samuel [Gibbe] of Westbury The Mayor of Salisbury for the Time being The  
Mayor of Wilton and the Mayor of the Devils for the Time being The Mayor of Marlborough and the  
Two Justices of the Peace for the Time being The Aldermen of Marlborough and the Bayliffs of Chippenham for the Time  
being Peter Assart Richard Miller James Seron Benjamin Street William Barton Ambrose Paradise of Sarum Thomas  
Samuel of Lasington Thomas Scowen Thomas Long of Rowden Thomas Smith of Corham Michael of  
Gougen Edward Heest Henry Besset John Langford Henry Hawkins Richard Hae Thomas Scott of Kington  
[Oliver] Richard of Ashton Keyes Nicholas Daniel Richard Maddox William Charles of Bedford Thomas Street  
John Taylor Thomas Heedman William Norman Councilor at Law John Gullman William [Mack] of Hengdon John  
Aley of Tisbury John Taylor William Harding Jr. Parkins [James] Lange John Hapley John Foyle Esquire  
Baronet at Law The Mayor of Wootton Bassett Joseph Holton senior Thomas Cooper Edward Grant Edward Dyer

## For the County of Wiltshire

Richard Sandford S<sup>r</sup> John Lowther S<sup>r</sup> William Pennington S<sup>r</sup> William Fleming Barrister & Christopher Pellyson  
Knight Robert Lowther Richard Shuttleworth James Gosham Richard Bredfey John Dalton Henry Graham Charles  
Orrey Doctor Henry Fleming Richard Crackin (shop) Edward Wilson William Newson Alan Chamber Thomas Hilditch  
Thomas Godwin Christopher Hiffon Christopher Rawlins James Red Thomas Dames William Kenge John Archer Esquire  
Daniel Wilson Richard Fleming Thomas Sheppard Thomas Paterson John Kenge William Johnson Edward Bockhouse  
Christopher Atkinson Reynold Nelson John Fisher Edward Tison Joseph Ward Robert Kifer Laurence Ford  
Gougen The Mayors of Appley and Kendlall for the Time being William Godwin John Webster John Hensell  
Thomas Wilson

## For the County of Angles

Richard Lord Baskley Viscount Cuthells in the Kingdom of Ireland S<sup>r</sup> Roger Moyola S<sup>r</sup> Arthur Owen Barrister  
John Pennington Marmaduke Guyney Nicholas Baghall Pierce Lloyd Francis Baskley Henry White John Williams  
William Robinson Owen Lloyd Coningby William Thomas Wyre John Owen of Fushon William Myrick  
John Owen of Fushon Owen Hughes Benn Foulkes Doctor (?) James Gouge of Bagger Doctor Robert Wyne  
Chancellor of St Asaph William Griffith of Garryglody Robert Owen John Wyne William Morgan Roger Hughes  
William Jones Francis Edwards Hugh Wynne of Tormouth Owen Roberts John Williams of Charnock Thomas  
Fletcher William Owen Hugh Wyne Esquire John Owen of Bodla Thomas Roberts of Cantrell William Roberts  
of Corrie Thomas Williams of Quirt Henry Williams of Trevaldar John Griffith of Llanthomas Robert Griffith  
of Trevaldar Gou John Vaughan Esquire Her Majesties Attorney General for North Wales Owen Dames and  
Knock Eton Clerks The Mayor of Beaumont for the Time being Owen Williams of Marlton John Lloyd of  
Mayrey North Henry Rowland Clerk

\* Mansel G. \* Jones G. \* Wooloughy D. \* Baxton G. \* Denner G. \* Wimbrough G. \* Baxton G.  
\* Walter Besset of Chippenham John D. \* Pinner G. \* Giller G. \* Oliver G. \* Mansel G. \* recorded on the Roll \* John G.

## For the Town of Brecon

The Bailie Aldermen and Recorder for the Time being Thomas Walker Esquire Recorder & Edward Williams  
 Sir Jeffry Jeffries Knight John Morgan of Tredegar John Jeffries John Waines John Price Daniel Williams  
 Robert Lucy William Phillips Lodowick Lewis William Vaughan Richard Hughes Henry Jones Justin Price Charles  
 Penne Esquires Daniel Winter Doctor of Physick John Jeffries Henry Thomas Edward Hughes Henry Williams  
 Samuel Osley Daniel Price Roger Jeffries Gentlemen

## For the rest of the County of Brecon

The Right Honourable Lord Arthur Somerset Second Son of Henry the Duke of Beaufort The Honourable  
 William Ashburnham Esquire Sir Thomas Williams Baronett & Edward Williams & Jeffry Jeffries Knight John  
 Jeffries John Morgan of Tredegar Thomas Mansell of Breconferry John Lewis of Gwent Thomas Walter Walter  
 Vaughan of Tredegar William Vaughan of Trefarnard Sackville Gwynne Daniel Williams Marchmont Gwynne  
 John Waines Robert Lucy James Perry Lodowick Lewis Richard Jeffries John Wainwright James Daa John Lewis  
 of Llangrove Thomas Bowen Godfrey Harcourt William Phillips Robert Ramsey Howell Morgan Henry Jones  
 Thomas Price Ruse Price Howell Gwynne John Watkins Lewis Lloyd Richard Hughes Lewis Powell of Is-Glyn  
 Thomas Parry of Llangrove Kenneth Miles Sedman of Dolgellau John Price Lewis Howell John Boucher James  
 Gwynne of Tredegar Paul Williams Richard Lewis Edward Gwynne of Tredegar Edward Gwynne of [Cry] Charles Parry  
 Charles Vaughan Edward Jeffries (\*) Hugh Powell of Castle Maldock Walter Williams Esquires Edward Jeffries  
 Edward Hughes Coroner Henry Williams of Llangrannock Lewis Jones of Sulby Thomas Jones of Tredegar John  
 Parry Thomas Muddock Francis Lewis Edward Jones of Llanfyllis Thomas Howell Henry Herbert William Lloyd  
 and Justin Jones of Dwycecock Daniel Price David Jones of Bayle Lewis Harcourt Charles Williams of Tredegar  
 William Price of [Kylmartyr] Edward Thomas of Tredegar Henry Williams of Brecon Henry Williams of  
 Rhyfoddi Gwent Hugh Powell Chamber of St Dunlo William Powell Edward Gwynne Tobias Williams Jack  
 James Howell Gwynne Clerk Doctor Daniel Winter Doctor William Morgan Doctors of Physick Daniel Williams  
 junior of Perpet

## For the County of Cardigan

John Lord Viscount Lichborne of the Kingdom of Ireland & Vaughan Price Baronett & William Wynn  
 Knight Sergeant at Law & Humphrey Mackworth Knight & Charles Lloyd Knight Mr Thomas Neese Mr Sergeant  
 Webb Mr Sergeant Lloyd John Lloyd John Lewis David Perry William Wynn John Trevelyan Thomas  
 Jones John Langhorne Edward Jones Thomas Lloyd of Breconryd Henry Cornwall Richard Lloyd John Lewis of  
 Tredegar John Lewis of Gwent John Lloyd of Peterwell Walter Lloyd of Okearth Morgan Lloyd of  
 Tredegar Samuel Hughes Walter Lloyd of Valfish John Knowles Samuel Hughes of Algeath Justin Lloyd of  
 Llanochan Evan Lloyd Rederick Richards Nathan Griffiths Francis Vaughan John Jones of Abernethy David  
 Lloyd of Tredegar David Evans Lloyd Richard Phillips David Lloyd of Daley Lewis Gwynne Morgan Howells of  
 Penarth Lewis Price William Powell Stephen Parry Esquires The Mayors of Cardigan and Aberystwyth  
 for the Time being The Reverend Doctor Jonathan Edwards John Bowen of Morfychen Oliver Howells These  
 Knights Edward Price Morgan Howells Thomas Lewis William Lewis John Lloyd Simon Pryor [John Pryor]  
 John Lloyd of Castle Howell William Hughes John Jones of Taglan John Parry of Gwent John Williams  
 Evan Evans John Morris of Carrig David Griffiths Thomas Lewis of Kilgwyn Hector Morgan Charles Lloyd  
 Stephen Parry of Rhodney Henry Parry John Lloyd of Vainog Thomas Bowen Charles Lloyd of Llangrove  
 James Lewis John Bowen Edmund Lloyd James Williams Evan Price David Jones of Cardigan Hugh Lloyd of  
 Aberystwyth Gentlemen Charles Price Thomas Lewis John Parry Ruse Griffiths Howell Parry Owen Evans Thomas  
 Ingram Henry Rogers Thomas Richard Clerk William Vane of Canon William Brynck Jones  
 James William Gower Morgan Lloyd of Aber-Trisant John Lloyd David Lewis Richard Lewis John Williams of  
 Abernethy John Taylor Esquires John Jones William Mathews William Williams Gentlemen

## For the County Borough of Carmarthen

The Mayor Council and Sheriffs for the Time being & Sackville Crow & Arthur Owen & Thomas Powell  
 Baronett David Gwyn William Hugack John Edwards John Morgan and John Powell Esqrs William Lloyd James  
 Phillips Gentlemen

## For the County of Carmarthen

The High Sheriff for the Time being The Honourable William Ashburnham Son and Heir Apparent of John  
 Lord Ashburnham & John Phillips & Thomas Rapney & William Mansell & Sackville Crow & Anthony Rault  
 & William Russell & Arthur Owen Sir Edward Mansell Sir Thomas Powell Baronett Sir William Wynn Sergeant  
 at Law Sir Charles Lloyd Knight Philipp Neve Sergeant at Law Thomas Webb Sergeant at Law Henry Lloyd  
 Sergeant at Law Richard Vaughan of Tredegar Thomas Mansell John Trevelyan Nicholas Williams of Rhodney  
 Griffiths Rkr Richard Vaughan of Brecon David Gwynne of Talfarn Sackville Gwynne of Glamorgan Thomas  
 Lloyd of Beldanhowth Thomas Jones of Llaner Morgan Jones of Tredegar Thomas Lloyd of Fox Grove Griffiths





Maskeham John Dobson Samuel Powell of Halesy Esquires Eliza Yale Esquire Thelwale George Shakerley of Gwerch George Langford of Trevelion John Shakerley John Ashall John Lloyd of North Goff Robert Foulkes Clerk Henry Roberts of Rhydyowen Gentlemen The Aldermen and Bailiffs of the Towne of Denbigh for the Time being [The Mayor of Holt for the Time being] The Aldermen of the Towne of Ruthin for the Time being The Mayor of Holt for the Time being

## For the County of Flint

The Right Honourable Sir John Trevor Master of the Rolls and One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Sir Thomas Hester Sir Robert Corne Sir Richard Middleton Sir John Conway Sir William Glynn Sir Roger Morrys Sir William Williams Barons; Sir Joseph Jekyll Chief Justice of Chester Sir Salsburi Lovell Knight Thomas Morrys of Rhyl William Hester of the Friars William Carter Roger Price Richard Vaughan Robert Davies Robert Davies junior William Lloyd of Halkin Richard Morrys Thomas Lloyd of Gwentwyl Edward Lloyd of Tythym Thomas Whitley of Acre Edward Brewster Thomas Epton Ellis Young William Young John Wynn of Cappelney John Wynn of Cappelney junior Thomas Evans Owen Roman John Roberts George Hope John Williams Thomas Griffith Thomas Ridway Edward Morgan Twicken Kendrick Epton John Lloyd of Penreobolin Charles Kynaston Peter Penant Roger Penant John Jones Thomas Foulkes of Vynall John Davies Thomas Wynn Peter Davies John Wynn of Feme Edward Conway Thomas Kynaston of Piskin Thomas Salisbury of Llanrhedra [Thomas] Lloyd of Llanrhedra Beaumont [Percival] Doctor of Divinity Roger Wynn Doctor of Divinity and Chancellor of Saint Asaph David Peter Doctor of Divinity and Dean of Saint Asaph John Davies Professor of Saint Asaph Thomas Penant Roger Morrys of Eilhon Roger Morrys of Gerna John Hughes John Penant Doctor Peter John Palanca of Piddil Francis Edwards Thomas Cranchley Edward Dymack Esq. Richard Lloyd of Gwili John Wynn of Gladham John Parry of Piddil Thomas Foulkes of Morrys Esquires Edward Parry of Pen-y-maes Thomas Price of Gwergog John Lloyd of Goughon Robert Foulkes of Vynall Thomas Edwards of Eilhon John Wynn of Llewwood Thomas Hester of Milygwedd John Wynn of Tower Summit Martin John Thomas of Hendryn Eble Wynn William Cranchley Thomas Jones Roger Jones Humphry Jones John Lloyd of Derwen Thomas William of Bostidd William Butler Thomas Edwards Thomas Norton Edward Griffith Richard Davis Thomas Penant Edward Lewis Henry Parry Thomas Jones Thomas Humphys Humphry Thomas Evan Lloyd Robert Brooks Thomas Hughes John Withall of Broughton Humphry Lloyd Roger Davies of Dundry Esq. Mathews of Erbstock Thomas Lloyd the Register Thomas Salisbury of Erbstock John Lloyd of Pen-y-maes George Williams Pierce Mathews Gentlemen Rice Jones Rector of Bangor John Shoe Rector of Wrexham Richard Elias Vicar of Hanner Morgan Jones Clerk William Ball Clerk Richard Edwards Clerk Christopher Beine Clerk

## For the County of Glamorgan

The Right Honourable Thomas Mansel Comptroller of Her Majesties Household Sir Edward Mansel Sir Edward Striding Sir Charles Keyes Sir John Aubrey Sir Edmund Thomas Barons Sir Rowland Gwynn Sir Humphry Mackworth Sir Humphry Edwin Knight Thomas Mansel John Morgan Richard Lewis Richard Jenkins Ffyn Gwynn Richard Selys Edward Carr of Nash William Mathews Richard Carr William Selys Edward Mansel Philipp Herbert Charles Sutton Thomas Sutton Robert Sutton Francis Wyndham Robert Jones Oliver Sales John George Howell Samuel Edwin Thomas Thomas Edward Turlerle Richard Herbert Evan Evans Jeremy Davies Thomas Popkins Lewis Thomas Philip Basset George Howell junior John Bennett Roger Powell [Griffith] Thomas Lyons Phidias John Thomas Thomas Powell Thomas Roberts Robert Dour Mathews Selys Philip Williams John Foulkes Hope Thomas Edward Dour Esquires John Jenkins Clerk James Harris [Clarke] William Hopkins Clerk William Bradbeer John Jones Richard Jones Richard Williams Anthony Thomas Richard Jenkins of Pen-y-maes John Mathews William Morgan Richard Thomas Gentlemen Edward Jenkins Clerk of the Peace William Thomas Thomas Edwards William [Harris] William Richards Thomas Bydder Evan Thomas Gentlemen The Bailiffs of Cardiff for the Time being Thomas Williams Cudock Newell Lewis Cox Emanuel Elias Aldermen of Cardiff The Bailiffs of Cowbridge for the Time being Edward Carr Alderman The Portwens of Swansay Neath Llanion

## For the County of Merioneth

Sir John Wynn Sir Richard Middleton Sir Griffith Williams Sir William Williams Barons Roger Salisbury Edward Vaughan Francis Herbert Richard Owens John Nunn Vincent Corbett Roger Price John Lloyd William Pugh Lewis Price John Pugh Lewis Owens of Penarth Richard Vaughan Thomas Price David Lloyd Hugh Hughes Owen Wynn Robert Morrys William Wynne John Vaughan of Colop John Vaughan of Ceren body Harleir Vaughan Clerk William Epton Evan Wynne Richard Morris Edward Holland John Lloyd of Rhwyd Anthony Poole John Price Simon Lloyd Martin Williams Esquires John Humphys Thomas Lloyd of Treos Rodrick Lloyd John Jones of Pen-y-maes Hugh Hughes of Bannochrys William Avelil of Llanwrthwl Edward Owens of Gwentwyl Edward Price Elin Oliver William Roberts Owen Prichard Robert Owens of Delay awy David Lloyd of Dolgellys John Vaughan of Penant Thomas Merrick William Jones Rector of Newell Rowland Elin Thomas Morgan Edward Morgan Hugh Owens of Caerbellan Robert [Humphrey] Rector of Llanas William Humphrey Edward Wynne of Llangofer Elin Wynne Clerk Hugh Humphys David Lloyd of Gwili Richard Johnson Rector

\* O. omis.  
\* Clerk O

\* John O.

\* Percival O.

\* William Aubrey Alexander Thomas Jones Allen Anthony Powell O.  
\* Elias O.  
\* Humphrey O

Griffith Wynne of Talborth Robert Wynne of Talborth John Evans of Talborth Edward Handley Clerk Esq  
 Hughes of Pwperth Henry Pury of Llanthony Thomas Price of Ynawarden Griffith Lloyd of Gwentlan  
 Morris Owen of Tipperys John Williams of Llodge Edward Lewis of Talgarth John Lloyd of Kille Griffith Roberts  
 of Rhagab David Williams of Bristleworth David Robert Richard Jones Gwentlan

## For the County of Montgomery

Sir Joseph Jekill Knight, Chief Justice of Chester Sir Vaughan Price Sir Charles Lloyd Sir Richard Middleton  
 Sir William Williams Sir Edward Loughran Barons Sir Salathiel Lewis Knight Sir Charles Lloyd Knight William  
 Pugh of Mathern John Kynaston Francis Herbert Edward Vaughan John Pugh Lewis Price Matthew Morgan  
 Ardmore Owen Walter Clapton Lloyd Edwards Isaac Clapton Arthur Desveraux Richard Myrion John Herbert  
 Edward Glynn Gabriel Wynne Philip Elyon David Lloyd Daniel Whittingham Edward Sedman Evan Jones of  
 Llanabon Charles Moun Robert Llew Nicholas Maurice Humphrey Kynaston Perce Lloyd Arthur Warner  
 Edward Owen Rowland Owen Llewelly Williams Thomas Scroome Price Giam Adam Price John Read Humphrey  
 Lloyd Richard Owen of Glynn John Williams Henry Bages Samuel Ardmore Arthur Desveraux junior George  
 Desveraux Edward Noel Esq. Price Desveraux Ralph Kynaston Richard Price Richard Hughes Gilbert Jones John  
 Griffiths of Glemham Richard Rock John Bright John Thomas of Beaupre Roger Trevor Thomas Owen Robert  
 Ingram Broadwell Griffiths Broadwell Wynne John Lloyd of Epsom Richard Price of Galsbury Francis Evans Bages  
 Rad Thomas Griffiths Thomas Bodlaas Edward Morris John Vaughan of Myvot John Davies William Evans of  
 Llanerch Morgan Edwards David Meredith of Llanthony Richard Wilson Edward Evans Richard Glynn Richard  
 Evans of Penach John Wilson Edward Price William Davies John Lloyd of Denag John Middleton of Church  
 Sir Sioke Evan Jones John Pugh of Kerry Lewis Williams Robert Davies of Maccussey Matthew Mathews Peter  
 Griffiths Richard Price of Betws Thomas Bages George Robinson Edward Lloyd of Talgarth John Jones of  
 Gledrhydd Gwentlan John Morgan John Edwards William Davies Richard Davies Clerk Row Jones of Gweryd  
 John Price Gwentlan Randal Owen William Peire Gwif William Owen of [Borne] Gwif William Berkeley  
 Arthur Williams John Henry Esquires Thomas Giam Jekill Lloyd of Cockham Robert Phillips Gwif Charles  
 Warner Esquire John Harding Clerk [Clerk] Humphrey Jones Gwif John Thomas of Aston Robert Moore Esquire  
 Edward Mathews Gwentlan

## For the County of Pembroke

Sir John Peckington Baronet Sir John Phillips Baronet Sir Thomas Stepany Baronet Sir Arthur Owen (?) Sir George  
 Butler Baronet Sir William Wogan Knight Sir Richard Walter Knight Sir William Lewis Knight Philip Nere  
 Sergeant at Law Thomas Webb Sergeant at Law Isaac Myrick Wyntall Owen Warwick Lake John Butler William  
 Saundell Lewis Wogan Charles Owen Charles Phillips John Lewis Morris Bowen George Lort Thomas Lloyd of  
 Gwent Walter Middleton William Wogan John Myrick John Edwards Hugh Bowen Henry Walter John Lewis  
 George Bowen William Warren George Owen of Colby George Meare William Skyrme John Phillips George  
 Lloyd William Allen Lewis Vaughan William Wheeler John Dods Thomas Lloyd of Pwperth William Con  
 nam Phillips senior John Langhorne Roger Adams Esquires William Neidham Chancellor of Salt David  
 Edmund Myrick Treasurer of S' David's William Phillips of Haythorpe [Francis] Myrick James Phillips George Warren  
 John Warren Robert Williams John Owens of Parilly Thomas Langhorne George Owen of Parilly John  
 Langhorne William Langhorne Thomas Bowen of Willeman Barrett Bowen Mathew Bowen William Bowen senior  
 William Bowen junior John Fowler Nicholas Halland George Koch Thomas Davies of Llanigern Thomas Childs  
 John Jones John Ford Thomas Knowles Nicholas Morgan Thomas David John Beaman William Beaman George  
 Sharn John Beaman John Phillips of Ford Edward Phillips of Ford George Leary George Lewis William Jones  
 John Allen David Allen John Preece John Davids William [Hale] John Tucker John Wogan William Haincobe  
 Francis Meare Thomas Poyer James Harris John Ruch Morris Morgan Gwentlan Roger Lloyd Peter Lewis Clerks

## For the County of Radnor

The Right Honorable Robert Harley Esquire One of Her Majesties Principall Secretaries of State The Right  
 Honorable Thomas Lord Cowslip of the Exchequer of Ireland S' William Fowler Baronet S' Rowland  
 Gwynne S' Edward Williams S' Jacob William Child Charles Walcott Edward Harley Edward Lewis of Montgomery  
 Hugh Lewis Thomas Lewis of Haythorpe Henry Cornwall Edward Howorth Ludlow Powell Robert Caffer Maradake  
 Gwynne One of Her Majesties Justices at North Wales Morgan Vaughan Adam Price Nicholas Taylor Henry  
 George John Jefferys Lewis Lloyd William Brewster Richard Waddy Thomas Lewis of Nantwyl John Walsham  
 Peter [Richards] Gwynne Harcourt Charles Balgoy Thomas Harley Esquires Robert Lucy Thomas Howorth  
 Nicholas Meredith Evan Bowen John Davies of Caidglawm [Harbert] Weston David Powell John Davies of Llanid  
 Charles Beaman Evan Vaughan William Chamberlain Esquires Thomas Davies of Cowpithr Maro Lewis Thomas  
 Hall Lemell Lloyd Andrew Davies Nicholas [Ketney] Jesus Stephens Esquire Weston John Stephens Henry Bell  
 Thomas Powell Edward Phillips Griffith John Walter Price John Wharney Thomas Owen James Dean Roger  
 Russell John Clerks John Watson of Aberdore Walter Griffith Henry Winter Hugh Evans Thomas Price Robert  
 Williams Henry Vaughan John Prior The Butts of Radnor for the Time being Robert Price Esq. One of the  
 Barons of Her Majesties Court of Exchequer Hugh Stephens Hugh Lewis of Hendwell Herbert Weston James

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 \* Helli G.

\* G. Gwent.  
 \* Radnor G.

\* Bermonet G.  
 \* Robert G.

\* Fresh G.  
 \* Kestly G.

Thomas Henry Bell Esquire Joseph Holl Goddard Palmer David Powell John Scriven James Stevens Philip Taylor  
John Powell David Norgett Charles Lewis Edward Fowler Thomas Holland Herbert Richards John Richards Samuel  
Selby Walter Whitney Vaughan Powell Francis Lewis Nicholas Powell Hugh Gough Gentlemen

For the Towns and County of the Towns of Hertford West

The Mayor Aldermen and Sheriffs for the Towns being Philip News and Thomas Webb Surjants at Law Sir John  
Packington Sir John Phillips Sir Arthur Owen Bart Sir William Wagon Knight Wm Owen John Barlow William  
Bousfield William Wagon John Hayrick Charles Phillips John Edwards William Whaler George Owen John  
Langhams Esquires Thomas David John Pember Clerks Nicholas Holland Owen Phillips Charles Davis Richard  
Sparks Robert [Print] Junior Richard Wright Richard Smith Thomas Childs Bartholomew Brown William Brown  
Junior John Langhams Gentlemen

shall be Commissioners for putting in Execution this present Act and the Powers therein contained within and in  
the said Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Cinque Ports Towns and Places respectively

VI.  
Commissioners to  
meet on or before  
4th of April 1705.

and afterwards as  
often as necessary

and to write down  
the Proceedings to  
be charged on  
every Division

Stat. W. R. M.  
c. 1.

May refer to  
as there is more  
to be charged on  
each Division, the  
Commissioners  
are empowered  
to return from  
any other  
Part of County.

And be it further enacted and declared That the several Commissioners aforesaid shall meet together at the  
most usual and common Place of Meeting within each of the said Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and  
Places respectively for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners on or before the Eighth Day of April One  
thousand seven hundred and six and shall meet afterwards in the like Manner as often as it shall be necessary  
for the putting this Act in Execution and the said Commissioners or any many of them as shall be present at  
each General Meeting or Meetings or the major Part of them are hereby authorized and required to put in  
present Act in Execution and shall severally and not down in Writing the several Propositions which ought to  
be charged upon every Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division respectively for and towards the  
raising and making up the whole Sum before by this Act charged upon the whole County City or other Place  
for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners according to the Proportions which were assessed on the  
same Hundreds or Divisions respectively by virtue of the Act of Parliament made and passed in the Fourth Year  
of the Reigne of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary of blessed Memory intituled An Act for  
granting to Their Majesties an [Act] of Four Shillings in the Pound for One Year for carrying on a vigorous War  
against France and shall also if they see Cause so to do divide and distribute themselves and the other Commissioners  
not then present into three Numbers so as Three or more of the said Commissioners may be appointed for the  
Service of each Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and as may best conduce to the carrying  
on Her Majesties Service hereby required Nevertheless not thereby to restrain the said Commissioners in  
any of them from acting as Commissioners in any other Part of the County or Place for which they are  
appointed

VII.  
Commissioners to  
meet on or before  
4th of April 1705.

Meeting to be  
done in Writing  
what Number of  
Commissioners  
shall act in each  
Division, the

The several  
Propositions to be  
equally assessed  
Proportions to be  
assessed, this requiring  
them to appear  
and charge them  
with Execution  
of Act

Commissioners  
to meet to show  
their Charge.

Commissioners, by  
showing, or  
appearing and  
showing in writ.

Proviso.

Commissioners to  
appear Assessors.

And for the more effectual Performance thereof be it enacted and declared That the Commissioners at each  
General Meeting or the major Part of them then present shall also agree and set down in Writing who and  
what Number of the said Commissioners shall act in each of the said Divisions or Hundreds and shall deliver  
true Copies of such Writings to the Receiver General to be appointed by Her Majesty or in pursuance of His  
Direction to the End there may be no Failure in any Part of the due Execution of the Service by this Act  
required and the Commissioners within the several Hundreds Lath Wapentakes Rapes Wards or other Divisions  
or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the several Propositions charged on  
the respective Hundreds Lath Wapentakes Rapes Wards or other Divisions for or towards the Aid hereby granted  
to be equally assessed and taxed within every such Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and  
within every Parish and Place therein according to the best of their Judgments and Discretions and for that  
End and Purpose to direct their several or joint Precept or Precepts to such Inhabitants High Constables Petty  
Constables Bayliffs and other Officers or Ministers and such Number of them as they in their Discretions shall  
think most convenient to be Presenters and Assessors requiring them to appear before the said Commissioners at  
each Place and Time not exceeding Six Days as they shall appoint and at such their Appearance the said  
Commissioners or such of them as shall be then present shall [enquire] read or cause to be read unto them the  
several Rates Duties and Charges in this Act mentioned and also openly declare the Effect of their Charge to  
them and how and in what Manner they should and ought to make their Assessments and how they ought to  
proceed in the Execution of this Act according to the true Meaning of the same And of any such Constable  
Petty Constable Bayliff Officer or Minister or other Inhabitants to whom any Precept shall be directed shall shew  
themselves without lawful Excuse to be made out by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses (which Oaths the said  
Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered to administer) as if any Officer or Person  
appearing shall refuse to serve then every such Officer or Person so making Default or refusing to serve shall  
for every such Default or Refusal forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many  
of them as shall be present or the major Part of them being present shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Five  
Pounds nor less than Forty Shillings And at and after such Charge given as aforesaid the said Commissioners  
shall take Care that Warrants be issued forth and directed to Two at least of the most able and sufficient  
Inhabitants of each Parish Township or Place within the respective Divisions thereby requiring and appointing them  
to be Assessors of all and every the Rates and Sums of Money by this Act imposed And shall therein also

appoint and prefix a certain Day and Place for the said Assessors to appear before them and (') bring in, their Assessments in Writing which said Assessors are hereby strictly enjoined and required with all Care and Diligence to assess the full Sum given them in charge respectively upon all Ready Money Debts Personal Estates Officers Employments Academies and Premises according to this Act and by an equal Pound Rate upon all Mansors Land Tenements Rents Hereditaments and other the Possessions within the Limits Circles and Bounds of the respective Parishes or Places for which they shall be appointed Assessors as aforesaid and shall bring with them at the Time and Place so as aforesaid prefixed for their Appearance a Certificate in Writing of the said Assessment and shall then also return the Names of Two or more able and sufficient Persons living within the Limits and Bounds of those Parishes Townships Constabularies or Places where they shall be chargeable respectively to be Collectors of the Monies which shall be assessed as aforesaid and to be paid to Her Majesty by this Act for whose paying in to the Receiver General or his Deputy in Manner hereafter mentioned such Monies as they shall be chargeable within the Parish or Place wherein they are so employed shall be answerable and if any Assessor so appointed or to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to serve or shall make Default at the Time appointed for his Appearance not having a lawful Excuse to be witnessed by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses (which Only the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them have Power to administer) or shall not perform his Duty every such Assessor shall for every such Neglect Refusal or Default forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present at the major Part of them shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Forty Pounds to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels in like Manner as by this Act is appointed for the levying of the several Rates and Assessments hereinafter mentioned in case of Neglect or Refusal of Payment and to be charged upon the respective Receivers General together with the said Rates and Assessments And for the completing the whole Sum charged as aforesaid and to the end the aforesaid Sum charged upon the several and respective Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and Places may be duly collected and true Accounts thereof made the said Assessors are hereby required to deliver One Copy of their respective Assessments duly written and subscribed by them unto the said Commissioners within the Time so be prefixed as aforesaid and the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them are hereby ordered and required to sign and seal Two Duplicates of the said Assessments and the One of them to deliver or cause to be delivered to Two or more honest and responsible Persons to be Collectors which the said Commissioners are hereby authorized to nominate and appoint for each Parish or Place with Warrant to the said Collectors to collect the same Assessment payable as aforesaid so as the said several Sums may be paid to the Receivers General at the respective Times hereby limited And the said Commissioners are hereby required to deliver or cause to be delivered a Schedule or Duplicate in Parchment under their Hands and Seals fifty written containing the whole Sum assessed upon each Parish or Place unto the Receiver General of each County Riding City Borough Town or Place respectively or his Deputy and shall transmit or cause to be transmitted a like Schedule or Duplicate into the Queens Remembrancers Office of the Exchequer And this the said Commissioners shall cause to be done upon or before the Eighth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six or within Twenty Days after (all Appeals to these being first determined) for which Duplicates the Remembrancer or his Deputy shall give to the Person who brings the same a Receipt in Writing given under the Penalty of Ten Pounds to be recovered to the Queens Use in other Penalties are by this Act recoverable

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Persons so appointed to be Collectors as aforesaid shall levy and collect all and every the Rates and Taxes so assessed and charged according to the Intent and Direction of this Act which said Collectors are hereby required to demand all and every Sum and Sums of Money which shall be so taxed and assessed of the Parties themselves as the same shall become due if they can be found or else at the Place of their last Abode or upon the Premises charged with the Assessment And the said several Collectors shall collect and levy the said Monies so charged for Her Majestys Use and are hereby required and enjoined to pay unto the respective Receivers General or their Deputies all and every the said Rates and Assessments by them respectively collected or received at such Time or Times Place or Places as the Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall appoint and so as the whole Sums due for each Quarterly Payment shall be paid or answered by the said Collectors to the Receivers General or their Deputies respectively upon the Days and at the Times by this Act appointed for the Payment thereof

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Money received by the said Collectors within the respective Parishes or Hundreds as aforesaid shall from time to time be duly paid to the Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies to be appointed under his Hand and Seal whereof Notice under the Hand and Seal of the respective Receiver General shall be given to the Commissioners or any Two or more of them within the respective Distresses or Hundreds within Ten Days after the next General Meeting and so from time to time within Ten Days after every Death or Removal of any Deputy (if any such shall happen) And the Receipt of such Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies or any of them (which Receipt or Acquittance shall be given unto the Collectors for all Monies by them paid) shall be a sufficient Discharge to every such Collector And the particular Collectors are hereby required to pay in all and every the Sums so received by them unto the said Receivers General or their Deputy or Deputies for the Payment whereof the said Collectors shall not be obliged to travel above Ten Miles from the Place or Places of their Habitations

to prefix a Day and Place for the said Assessors to appear before them and (') bring in, their Assessments in Writing which said Assessors are hereby strictly enjoined and required with all Care and Diligence to assess the full Sum given them in charge respectively upon all Ready Money Debts Personal Estates Officers Employments Academies and Premises according to this Act and by an equal Pound Rate upon all Mansors Land Tenements Rents Hereditaments and other the Possessions within the Limits Circles and Bounds of the respective Parishes or Places for which they shall be appointed Assessors as aforesaid and shall bring with them at the Time and Place so as aforesaid prefixed for their Appearance a Certificate in Writing of the said Assessment and shall then also return the Names of Two or more able and sufficient Persons living within the Limits and Bounds of those Parishes Townships Constabularies or Places where they shall be chargeable respectively to be Collectors of the Monies which shall be assessed as aforesaid and to be paid to Her Majesty by this Act for whose paying in to the Receiver General or his Deputy in Manner hereafter mentioned such Monies as they shall be chargeable within the Parish or Place wherein they are so employed shall be answerable and if any Assessor so appointed or to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to serve or shall make Default at the Time appointed for his Appearance not having a lawful Excuse to be witnessed by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses (which Only the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them have Power to administer) or shall not perform his Duty every such Assessor shall for every such Neglect Refusal or Default forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present at the major Part of them shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Forty Pounds to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels in like Manner as by this Act is appointed for the levying of the several Rates and Assessments hereinafter mentioned in case of Neglect or Refusal of Payment and to be charged upon the respective Receivers General together with the said Rates and Assessments And for the completing the whole Sum charged as aforesaid and to the end the aforesaid Sum charged upon the several and respective Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and Places may be duly collected and true Accounts thereof made the said Assessors are hereby required to deliver One Copy of their respective Assessments duly written and subscribed by them unto the said Commissioners within the Time so be prefixed as aforesaid and the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them are hereby ordered and required to sign and seal Two Duplicates of the said Assessments and the One of them to deliver or cause to be delivered to Two or more honest and responsible Persons to be Collectors which the said Commissioners are hereby authorized to nominate and appoint for each Parish or Place with Warrant to the said Collectors to collect the same Assessment payable as aforesaid so as the said several Sums may be paid to the Receivers General at the respective Times hereby limited And the said Commissioners are hereby required to deliver or cause to be delivered a Schedule or Duplicate in Parchment under their Hands and Seals fifty written containing the whole Sum assessed upon each Parish or Place unto the Receiver General of each County Riding City Borough Town or Place respectively or his Deputy and shall transmit or cause to be transmitted a like Schedule or Duplicate into the Queens Remembrancers Office of the Exchequer And this the said Commissioners shall cause to be done upon or before the Eighth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six or within Twenty Days after (all Appeals to these being first determined) for which Duplicates the Remembrancer or his Deputy shall give to the Person who brings the same a Receipt in Writing given under the Penalty of Ten Pounds to be recovered to the Queens Use in other Penalties are by this Act recoverable

Assessors to assess the full Sum, and bring a Certificate of Assessment, and return Persons to be Collectors.

Parish, &c. to be answerable for Collectors paying into Receiver General.  
Assessor neglecting or refusing to serve, &c.  
Penalty.

Assessor to deliver One Copy of Assessment to Commissioners, who pay to sign and seal Duplicates thereof.

Commissioners to deliver Duplicates whereof mentioned.

Appoints first mentioned.

Remembrancer to give Receipts given, Penalty.

VIII.  
Collectors to demand Rates as they become due: Of whom Demand made.

Collectors to pay to Receivers General.

IX.  
Receiver General to give Notice of Payment to Commissioners, &c.

Receipt of Receiver General, &c. a Discharge to Collectors.  
Collectors travelling.

<p><b>X.</b> First Quarterly Payment to Receiver General, April June Sept &amp; Second Quarterly Payment; Third Quarterly Payment;</p>	<p>And be it further enacted That the Sum of Four hundred ninety nine thousand four hundred and thirty Pounds Fifteen Shillings Ten Pence and One Eighth Part of a Penny for the First Quarterly Payment shall be collected, levied and paid unto the Receiver General of the said several Counties Cities or other Places who shall be appointed as aforesaid on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six and the Sum of Four hundred ninety nine thousand four hundred and forty Pounds Fifteen Shillings Ten Pence and One Eighth Part of a Penny for the Second Payment of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Fifth and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and six and the Sum of Four hundred ninety nine thousand four hundred and forty Pounds Fifteen Shillings Ten Pence and One Eighth Part of a Penny for the Third of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and six and the Sum of Four hundred ninety nine thousand four hundred and forty Pounds Fifteen Shillings Ten Pence and One Eighth Part of a Penny for the Fourth and last of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven in full of the said Sum of One million nine hundred ninety seven thousand seven hundred sixty and three Pounds Three Shillings and Two Pence Haltpenny</p>
<p><b>XI</b> Receiver General to give Comptrolleers &amp; Receipts for Money received by them</p>	<p>And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Receiver General from time to time within the Space of One Month next after he shall have received the full Sum that shall be charged on any Hundred or Division for such particular Payment first to be made to such Receiver General by virtue of this Act shall give to such Comptrolleers as shall act in such Hundred or Division a Receipt under his Hand and Seal acknowledging the Receipt of the full Sum charged upon such Hundred or Division for such particular Payment which Receipt shall be a full Discharge to such Hundred or Division for such particular Payment against the Majesty His Heirs and Successors which said Receivers General are hereby required forthwith or at further within Twenty Days after the Receipt of any Money of the Taxes or Duties by this Act granted to transmit a warrant to be paid the Money by them received into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer And the Lord High Treasurer or Lords Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury for the Time being are hereby authorized to allow the said Receiver General of each County Riding City and Town respectively a Salary for his Pains not exceeding Two Pence in the Pound for so much as he shall pay into the Exchequer upon the clearing of his Accounts</p>
<p><b>XII.</b> Collectors to have jcts in the Pound.</p>	<p>And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Collectors of the Rates and Assessments hereby granted for gathering the particular Sums charged upon the Parish or Place for which they shall be appointed Collectors by virtue of this Act shall upon Collection of the whole Sum appointed to be collected by them and Payment thereof as is hereby before appointed have and receive for their Pains in collecting and paying the Money Three Pence in the Pound which the said Collectors are empowered to demand out of the last Payment of the Money of their several and respective Quarterly Payments And the said Receiver General upon the Receipt of the whole Assessments of the County Riding City or Town for which he is appointed Receiver General is once he shall have received the several Duplicates of such Parish or Place therein and that Duplicates shall be returned to the Office of Her Majesties Remembrancer of the Exchequer as aforesaid and not otherwise shall allow and pay according to such Warrant as shall be in that Behalf given by the said Commissioners in any Two or more of them Three Half pence in the Pound and as more for the Comptrolleers Clerks for the Pains in Fair Writing the Assessments Duplicates and Copies hereto before directed and for all Warrants Orders and Instructions relating thereto</p>
<p><b>XIII.</b> Persons refusing to pay Rates upon Demand;</p>	<p>And be it further enacted and declared That if any Persons shall refuse or neglect to pay any Sum of Money whereof he shall be rated and assessed by this Act upon Demand by the said Collectors of that Place according to the Precept or Exports in this or them delivered by the said Commissioners that then and in all and every such Case and Cases it shall and may be lawful so and for the said Collectors or any of them and they are hereby authorized and required to levy the Sums assessed by Division and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of such Persons so refusing or neglecting to pay or detain upon the Messuages Lands Tenements and Premises so charged with any such Sums or Sums of Money and the Goods and Chattels then and there found and the Debtors so taken to keep by the Space of Four Days in the Court and Charges of the Owners And if the said Owners do not pay the Sums or Sums of Money so rated or assessed within the said Space of Four Days then the said Debtors shall be appraised by Two or more of the Justices where the same shall be taken or other sufficient Persons and to be sold by the Collectors for Payment of the said Money and the Overplus coming by such Sale (if any be) over and above the Tax and Charges of taking and keeping the said Debtors to be immediately returned to the Owners thereof And moreover it shall be lawful to break open in the Day time any House and upon Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners any Chest Trunk Box or other Thing where any such Goods are藏着 to their Assistance the Constables Tythingmen or Headboroughs within the Counties Ridings Cities Towns and Places where any Relief Neglect or Resistance shall be made which said Officers are hereby required to be aiding and assisting in the Premises as they will answer the contrary at their Perils And if any Question or Difference happen upon taking such Debtors the same shall be ended and determined by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them And if any Person or Persons assessed by this Act shall neglect or refuse to pay his or their Assessment by the Space of Ten Days after Demand as aforesaid or convey any his or their Goods or other Personal Estate whereby the Sums of Money so assessed cannot be levied according to this Act in every such Case any Two or more of the Commissioners aforesaid for any City County</p>



## Procedures

Mining and the Commissioner present at such General Meeting or the major Part of them in case the Modes detailed by any such Collector or Collectors be not paid and satisfied as it ought to be according to the Directions of this Act shall and are hereby required and empowered to sell and dispose of all such Estates which shall be for the Cause aforesaid seized and secured or any Part of them and to satisfy and pay out the Moneys of the Remainder General or his Deputy for such County, Riding or Place the Sums which shall be demanded in the Hands of such Collector or Collectors their Heirs Executors and Administrators respectively.

XVII.  
Communicate to  
and before them.  
Collectors, and  
examine Treasury  
bill Paymaster of  
Accounts.

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That at the Expiration of the respective Terms in the Act prescribed for the full Payment of the said Four Quarterly Assessments the several and respective Commissioners or any Two or more of them within their Division or Divisions shall and are hereby required to call before them the Collectors within each respective Division or Hundred Parish and Place and to examine and receive themselves of the full and whole Payment of the particular Sums and Sums of Money charged upon the same Division or Hundred and every Parish and Place therein and of the due Return of the same into the Hands of the respective Receiver General their Deputy or Deputies of the said County Riding City Town and Place respectively and by such Receiver General into the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer to the End there may be no Failure in the Payment of any Part of the Assessment by virtue of this Act to be assessed and paid nor any Arrears remaining chargeable upon any of the said Counties Ridings Cities Towns and Places respectively And in case of any Failure in the Premises the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the same to be forthwith levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act.

and as your all  
Wishers are here.

**XVIII**  
Has any controversy  
concerning spiritu-  
al Christianity,  
Christianity  
emerged in  
withdrawal  
in detail,  
Pachy

And it is hereby enacted and declared That in case any Controversie arise concerning the said Association or the dividing appoyning or payment thereof which concerns any the Commissioners by this Act appointed for the Commissioners so concerned in the said Controversie shall have no Vote but shall withdraw at the Time of the Debate of any such Controversie until it be determined by the rest of the Commissioners And in default thereof that the Commissioners then present shall have Power and are hereby required to impose such Fine as they see as them shall be thought fit upon such Commissioners so referring to withdraw not exceeding the Sum of Twenty Pounds and to cause the same to be levied and paid as other Fines to be imposed by virtue of the Act are to be levied and paid And all Questions and Differences which shall arise touching any the said Laws Duties or Assessments or the collecting thereof shall be heard and finally determined by the Commissioners a such Manner as by this Act is directed upon Complaint thereof made to them by any Person or Persons thereby grieved without further Trouble or Suit to Law

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Sponsored by  
Economic

XIX.  
Privileged Classes  
or Persons not  
excepted.  
The State and  
other Funds, &c.  
&c.

And be it further enacted and declared That no privileged Place or Person Body Politick or Corporate with the Countess Ridings Gites and Towns aforesaid shall be exempted from the said Assessments and Taxes and the duty and every of them and also all For Farm Rents and all other Rent Payments Sum and Sums of Money or Annuities issuing out of or payable for any Lands shall be liable towards the Payment of every Sum by the Act to be used and levied and all the Towns are hereby directed and authorized to pay them proportionally according to the Rates and Assessments by this Act approved and directed and all such Towns shall be held seised and kept harmless by the Authority of this Act from any further Payment of any such Proportion of or such Rent Rents Sums of Money or Annuities to any Person or Persons to whom any such Rent Rents Sum of Money or Annuities as aforesaid should or ought to be paid to all Interest and Persons whatsoever as fully and simply as if they had paid the same to any Person or Persons to whom the same is or are assessed or become due.

<sup>11</sup>Travis is not personally responsible, and is dismissed.

IX.  
Forms for  
Colleges, etc., in  
the Universities of  
Woolwich, Exeter,  
Manchester, and  
Worcestershire, and  
for Hospitals in  
respect of Status of  
Colleges, etc.,  
and for Church's  
Hospitals, and other  
Hospitals and  
Alms-houses.

PROVIDED That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to charge any College or Hall in either of the Two Universities or the Colleges of Windsor, Eton, Westminster or Westminster as the Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the poor Widows and Children of Clergymen or the College of Bramley or any Hospital for or in respect of the Rents of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any of the Buildings within the Walls or Limits of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any Master Fellow Scholar or Exhibitioner of any College or Hall or any Rector Officer or Minister of the said Universities Colleges or Halls or any Masters or Scholars of any Schools for or in respect of any Stipends Wages Profits or Emoluments whatsoever arising or growing due to them in respect of the said several Places and Employments in the said Universities Colleges or Schools or to charge any of the Houses or Lands which on or before the Fifth and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred thirty and three did belong to the Rents of any College or Hall or to Christ Hospital or St Bartholomew Newdwell St Thomas and Bethlehem Hospitals in the City of London and Borough of Southwark or any of them or the said Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the poor Widows and Children of Clergymen or the College of Newdell or shall extend to charge any other Hospital or Almshouse for or in respect only of any Rents or Resources which on or before the said Fifth and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred thirty and three were payable to the said Hospitals or Almshouses being to be received and disbursed for the immediate Use and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Almshouses only.

XXX.  
Lauda, Rec. sold  
by Lane from  
Hampshire, N. to  
be used at their  
own Value.

PROVIDED That no Tenant shall hold and enjoy any Lands or Houses by Lease or other Grant from the said Corporation or any of the said Hospitals or Almshouses do claim or enjoy any Freedoms Exemptions or Advantages by this Act but that all the Houses and Lands which they so hold shall be rated and assessed for so much



as they are yearly worth over and above the Rents reserved and payable to the said Corporation or to the said Hospitals or Almshouses to be received and disbursed for the immediate Support and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Almshouses.

PROVIDED always That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed or taken to discharge any Tenant of any of the Houses or Lands belonging to the said Colleges Halls Hospitals Almshouses or Schools or any of them who by their Leases or other Contracts are and do stand obliged to pay and discharge all Rents Taxes and Impositions whatsoever but that they and every of them shall be bound and pay all such Rents Taxes and Impositions any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

AND in case any Question hath [been] or shall be made how far any Lands or Tenements belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse not exempted by Name out of this Act ought to be assessed and charged with the Land Tax he is enacted and declared That the same shall be determined by the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them Two of the said Commissioners who signed or allowed such Assessment being of that Number upon Appeal before them at the Day or Days by them appointed for the hearing and determining of Appeals whose Determination in such Case shall be final.

PROVIDED always and it is hereby enacted That all such Lands Revenues or Rents belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse as were assessed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary shall be and are hereby adjudged to be liable to be charged towards the Payment of this present Aid and not to other Lands Tenements Hereditaments Revenues or Rents whatsoever belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse as aforesaid shall be charged taxed or assessed by virtue of this present Act: Any thing herein contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

AND it is hereby further enacted That all and every Auditor Receiver Recorders and their Deputy and Deputies who audit or receive any Fee-Farm-Rents or other Chief Rents due to Her Majesty or the Queen Dowager or to any Person or Persons claiming by any Grant or Purchase from or under the Crown shall allow Four Shillings for every Pound of the said Rents and proportionally for any greater or lesser Sum to the Party or Parties paying the same without any Fee for such Allowance upon the Penalty of Twenty Pounds to the Party grieved And if any Auditor of the Revenues or any of them belonging to Her Majesty or to Her Majesty Katherine the Queen Dowager or any Deputy or other Person acting for or on the Behalf of any such Auditor shall in the Account of any Receiv Recorders or otherwise not keep any Tenant or other Person or make any such Tenant or other Person or his or their Estate liable to any Unlawful Exaction or Vexation whatsoever for any Sum or Sums of Money which by the true Issue and Meaning of this Act ought to be allowed after the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound or shall refuse neglect or delay to allow and fully discharge the same in the proper Accounts wherein the same ought to be allowed or discharged that then and for every or any such Offence every such Auditor or Deputy or Person acting for such Auditor shall forfeit the Sum of Two hundred Pounds to the Party grieved to be recovered as aforesaid and shall be also incapable to enjoy his Office or Place or any other Office or Place of Trust or Profit under Her Majesty or the Queen Dowager.

AND it is enacted That the Officers of the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer and in other the Publick Offices upon Request to them made by the respective Accountants shall deliver yearly true Lists or Accounts of all Pensions Annuities Sinecures or other annual Payments and of all Fees Salaries and other Allowances payable at the said Receipts in the said Publick Offices to any Commissioner or Commissioners Officer or Officers for the Execution of this Act for the better Guidance of the said Accountants in the charging of the same and that in all Cases where any Pensions Annuities Sinecures or other annual Payments or the Fees Salaries Wages or other Allowances or Profits charged by this Act shall be payable at the Receipt of Exchequer or by the Collector of Her Majesty's Writheold or out of any other Publick Office or by any Her Majesty's Receivers or Paymasters the Tax or Payment which in pursuance of this Act shall be charged for or in respect of such Annuities Pensions Sinecures Fees Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits shall and may in Case of Nonpayment thereof be demanded and stop out of the same or out of any Money which shall be paid upon such Pension Annuities Fee Salary Wages Allowances or Profits or for Assure thereof and be applied to the Satisfaction of the Rates and Duties not otherwise paid as aforesaid: And the proper Officers in the said Exchequer and other the Publick Offices aforesaid shall keep true Accounts of all Monies kept and (upon Request) shall give Copies of such Accounts to the proper Collectors of such Monies for the respective Parishes or Places where the said Monies are assessed by this Act.

PROVIDED That where any Person inhabiting within the City of London or any other City or Town Corporate hath his Dwelling House in One of the Parishes or Wards therein and hath any Goods Wares or Merchandises in One or more of the other Parishes or Wards within the same That then such Person shall be charged taxed and assessed for such his Goods or Merchandises in the Parish or Ward where he dwelleth and not elsewhere within the said City or Town Corporate.

XXII.  
Tenants of said Hospitals Colleges &c. not exempt from Taxation.

XXIII.  
If Question not arising Assessment of Hospitals, &c. Commissioners in discretion make.

XXIV.  
Lands, &c. belonging to Hospitals, &c. exempt by Statute 4 W. & M. c. 1. and no other, liable to be charged by this Act.

XXV.  
Proviso for Allowance in respect of Rents due to Her Majesty, or the Queen Dowager, without Fee Penalty due.

Auditors unable to pay any Pensions excepted.

Penalty of Office, and Incapacity of Office.

XXVI.  
Officers of the Exchequer to deliver Lists of Pensions, &c. given to the Accountants.  
Payment may be stopped out of Tax, &c.

Officers, as the Exchequer, &c. to keep Accounts of Monies stopped.

XXVII.  
Inhabitants in London, &c. to be taxed in the Parishes where they dwell.

XXVIII.  
No Clause in this  
Act to extend to  
beyond the Rates.

PROVIDED nevertheless That no Clause or Provision in this Act shall extend to the lessening or Abatement of the full Sum appointed by this Act to be used levied collected and paid [but that the same be fully assessed levied collected & paid] in the several and respective Counties Cities and Towns aforesaid in such Manner and Form and to such Uses as herein is before mentioned and declared

XXIX.  
Proviso for Con-  
sistency between  
Landlords and  
Tenants.

PROVIDED That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to alter change determine or make void any Contracts Covenants or Agreements whatsoever between Landlord and Tenant or any other Persons touching the Payment of Taxes and Assessments Any thing herein before contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXX.  
Proviso as to be  
assessed to pay as  
herebefore.

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That for avoiding all Obstructions and Delays in assessing and collecting the Sums by this Act to be used and assessed upon any Mines Lands Tenements Rents Tythes or other Hereditaments all Places Constabularies Divisions and Allocations which have been used to be taxed and assessed shall pay and be assessed in such County Hundred Rape Wapentake Constabulary Division Place and Allocation as the same have heretofore been usually assessed in and not elsewhere

XXXI.  
Proviso as to  
assessing West  
Berkshire, North-  
ampton, Cheshire,  
Fulham, Furness,  
Leeds, and Forest  
of Dean.

PROVIDED nevertheless That the Hundred of West Berkshire formerly rated and assessed as the Lathes of Abingdon in the County of Kent may for the Space of the Commencement think fit be rated and assessed in the Lathes of Stuy in the County aforesaid and the Hundred of Litch or Looes in the Hundred of Blackheath in the County of Kent as heretofore may the Tything of Northampton in the County of Oxon be assessed in the Hundred of Burston in the said County and the Tythings of Cheshire Fulham and Furness in the Hundred of Cheshire in the said County as also the whole Town and Parish of Leeds in the County of York in the Hundred of Skipton in the said County and the Forest of Dean shall be assessed and pay where the same was assessed for the Five Aids of Four Shillings in the Pound granted to Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary

XXXII.  
In Actions for  
assessing Act,  
General Issue  
may be pleaded.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Pleint Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance or Execution of this Act such Person or Persons so sued in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue (Not Guilty) and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence And if the Plaintiff or Prosecutors shall become nonsuit or forbear further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendants shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in Case where Costs by the Law are given to Defendants

XXIII.  
Tithes Costs

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted That in case any Lands or Houses in any Parish Place or Constabulary shall be unoccupied and no Distress can be found on the same by Reason whereof the said Parish Place and Constabulary are forced to pay and make good the Tax assessed upon such Land lying unoccupied That then it shall and may be lawful at any Time after for the Collectors Constables or Tythingmen of the said Parish Place or Constabulary for the Time being to enter and distrain upon the said Land or Houses when there shall be any Distress thereupon to be found and the Distress or Distresses if not collected within Four Days by Payment of the Tax and Charge of the Distress to all rendering the Overplus to the Owner or Owners of such Distress and the said Collector Constable or Tythingman is hereby enjoined to distribute the Money raised by the said Distress and Sale proportionably to the Parties who contributed to the Tax of the unoccupied Land and Houses

XXXIV.  
When Wood  
Lands assessed,  
to Distress,  
Wood may be cut  
and sold

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That where any Wood Lands shall be assessed and no Distress can be had that in such Case it shall and may be lawful to and for any Collector Constable Headborough or Tythingman by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of Two or more of the Commissioners of that Hundred or Division at reasonable Times of the Year to cut and sell to any Person or Persons so much of the Wood growing in the Wood Lands so assessed (Timber Trees excepted) as will pay the Assessment or Assessments on behalf and against and the Charge incident thereto and that it shall and may be lawful for the Person or Persons and he and their Assigns to whom such Wood shall be sold to fell cut down dispose and carry away the same to his own Use rendering the Overplus if any be to the Owner Any Law to the contrary notwithstanding

XXXV.  
When Rates are  
Taxes are paid,  
Officer may sue,  
&c.

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted That where any Tax or Assessment shall be charged or laid upon any Tythes Tithes Profits or Marked Fairs or Fairs or any other annual Profits not determinable in case the same shall not be paid within Six Days after such Assessment so charged or laid and demanded That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Collector Constable or other Officer thereunto appointed by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the Commissioners authorized by this Act to seize take and sell so much of the said Tythes Tithes and other Profits so charged as shall be sufficient for the paying of the said Tax or Assessment and all Charges occasioned by such Non payment thereof rendering the Overplus to the Owner (if any be)

XXXVI.  
Recovery General  
enjoining Moneys

And for the better preventing such unjust vexations as might be occasioned by such Persons as shall be appointed Recovery General of any the Sums of Money granted by this Act and to the Issue the said Recovery

General may retain a true Account into Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer of any Sum of Money as shall be received by them and every of them their and every of their Deputy and Deputies Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any such Receiver General shall remove or certify into the said Court any Sum or Sums of Money to be in Arrears and unpaid after the same have been received either by such Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies at any of them, or shall cause any Person or [Persons or] Places to be set inager in the said Court for any Sum or Sums of Money that hath been so received that then every such Receiver General shall be liable to pay to every Person or Persons that shall be molested wrong or damaged by reason of such unjust Certificate Return or Setting inager Twice the Damages that shall be thereby occasioned to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Pleine or Information in which no Exceuse Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed or any more than one Imparance and shall also forfeit to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors Double the Sum that shall be so unjustly certified or returned or cause to be set inager

to be due when the same have been paid:

Penalty to Party.

Penalty to the Queen.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners that shall be within any County City or Place within the respective Limits or the major Part of them shall tax and assess every other Commissioner joined with them for and in respect of their Ready Money Debts and Personal Estates as also for and in respect of the Office and Employment of Profit that shall then be held and enjoyed by such Commissioners so as the Residence and usual Dwelling Place of such [Commissioners'] so to be taxed be within the Division of such Commissioners by whom he is taxed and so as the Office or Employment held or enjoyed by such Commissioners so to be taxed be likewise exercised within the Division or Limits of such Commissioners by whom he is to be taxed And the Commissioners within their Divisions shall also assess every Assessor within their Division for all and singular the Musters and Things for which by this Act he ought to be rated and assessed and as well all sums assessed upon every the said Commissioners and Assessors as the Assessments made and set by the Assessors thereof shall be within assessed levied and gathered as the same should and ought to have been if such Commissioners had not been made Commissioners

XXVII. Commissioners to assess each other.

Commissioners to assess Assessors.

Provided also That no Person inhabiting in any City Borough or Town Corporate shall be compelled to be any Assessor or Collector [of] or for any Part of the Rates and Assessments lawfully granted in any Place or Place out of the Limits of the said City Borough or Town Corporate

XXVIII. Solicitors of Crown, &c. not compellable to act out of Limits.

Provided always and be it enacted That every Rate Tax or Assessment which shall be made or imposed by virtue of this Act in respect of any House or Tenement which an Ambassador Resident Agent or other Publick Minister of any Foreign Prince or State now dead or hereafter shall inhabit or occupy shall be paid by the Landlord or Owner of the said House or Tenements respectively

XXIX. Landlords to pay or House where Foreign Ministers reside.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Privileged and other Places being Extrajurisdiction or not within the Countdowns or Pradoms of the respective Assessors to be appointed by virtue of this Act (although in any assembly or other Tax they have not been rated heretofore) the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall and are lawfully required to nominate and appoint Two fit Persons living in or near the said Privileged or other Places as aforesaid to be Assessors for the said Places and to make and return the said Assessments in like Manner as by this Act is appointed in any Parish Tything or Place and also to appoint Two or more Collectors who are lawfully required to collect and pay the same in the Manner appointed by this Act for collecting and paying all Sums of Money chargeable by this Act

XX. Persons residing in Extrajurisdiction and Privileged Places.

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Commissioner Assessor or Collector who shall be employed in the Execution of this Act shall be liable for or by reason of such Execution to any of the Penalties mentioned in an Act made in the Five and twentieth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second For pursuing Damages which may happen from Popish Recusants or in one other Act made in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for abrogating the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy and appointing other Oaths or in [one] other Act made in the Parliament holden in the Thirtieth and Fourteenth Years of the Reign of the late King William the Third intitled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for the extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Adherers

XLI. Commissioners not liable to Penalties of Stat. 25 Geo. II. c. 2. (W. & M. c. 1. c. 2. or 12 W. 3. W. 11. c. 2.)

Provided always and be it enacted That no Person shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or executing any of the Powers therein contained (unless it be the Power lawfully given of administering Oaths) until such Time as he shall have taken the Oaths appointed by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the [Reign of King] William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the abrogating the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths and also in the said Act intitled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Adherers which Oaths it shall and may be lawful for any Two or more Commissioners to administer and are lawfully required to administer the same to any other Commissioners

XII. Commissioners to take the Oaths of Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 2. & 12 W. 3. c. 2.

which Two Com. administer any administrator

<sup>1</sup> Inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> Commissioner of

**XLIII.**  
Commissioners  
acting before  
saying Oaths,  
Penalty fifteen

Provided always That if any Person hereby appointed a Commissioner shall presume to act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act before he shall have taken the Oaths which by this Act he is required to take and in the Manner hereby prescribed he shall forfeit to Her Majesty the Sum of Two hundred Pounds.

**XLIV.**  
Persons in Office  
shall where Office  
situate.

Provided also That every Person named or assumed for his Office or Employment shall be named and pay for his said Office or Employment in the County City or Place where the same shall be exercised although the Revenue or Profits arising by such Office or Employment are payable elsewhere.

**XLV.**  
Where Officers in  
Chancery within  
the Rolls to be  
assessed;  
Assessments payable  
to Officers;

Provided always That the Right Honourable the Masters of the Rolls the Masters in Chancery the Clerks of the Petition Bag Examiners Register Clerks of the Insolencies Clerks of the Affidavit and Subpoena Offices and all other the Officers of the Court of Chancery that exercise their Offices within the Liberty of the Rolls shall [there be] assessed for their respective Offices Salaries and other Profits and not elsewhere And that all Annuities Stipends and Pensions payable to any Officers in respect of their Offices shall be taxed and assessed where such Officers are named and assumed for their Offices and not elsewhere and that all other Pensions Stipends and Annuities not charged upon Lands shall be charged and assessed in the Parishes or Places where they are payable and every Person who is or shall be named for or in respect of any Personal Estate to him any ways belonging shall be rated at such Place where he or she shall be resident at the Time of the Execution of this Act and all Persons not being Householdiers nor having a usual Place of Residence shall be rated at the Place where they shall be resident at the Execution of this Act and if any Person who ought to be rated by virtue of this Act for or in respect of his Personal Estate shall at the Time of this Assessment be out of the Realm such Person shall be rated therefore in such County City or Place where he was last abiding within this Realm.

**XLVI.**  
Goods in County  
other than where  
Goods reside.

Provided That where any Person shall have any Goods Wares and Merchandises in any County or County other than the County where he shall be resident or last his last Residence it shall be lawful to rate and assess such Person for such Goods Wares or Merchandises in the County or Counties where the same shall be and every Person who shall be rated or assessed for or in respect of any Manner Messuages Lands or Tenements or other the Premises according to this Act shall be rated and assessed in the Place where such Manner Messuages Lands and Tenements or other the Premises respectively do lie and not elsewhere.

**XLVII.**  
Persons having  
several Messuages  
doubly charged in  
respect of Personal  
Estate, returned on  
Certificate of  
Commissioners,  
general returns  
Five, and on Oath  
before Justice of  
Peace.

Provided always That if any Person or Persons by reason of his her or their having several Mansion Houses or Places of Residence or otherwise shall be doubly charged for any Personal Estate Office or otherwise by Occasion of this Act then upon Certificate made by any Two or more of the Commissioners for the County Riding City or Place of his her or their last Personal Residence under their Hands and Seals of the Sum or Sums charged upon him her or them (which Certificate the said Commissioners are required to give without Delay Fee or Reward) and upon Oath made of such Certificate before any Justice of the Peace of the County or Place where the said Certificate shall be made (which Oath the said Justice of the Peace is hereby authorized and required to administer) then the Person or Persons so doubly charged shall for so much as shall be so certified be discharged in every other County City or Place.

**XLVIII.**  
Persons for  
Scotland, Ireland,  
Jersey or Guernsey,  
Persons charged  
their Residents;  
do to escape being  
taxed, charged  
twice.

Provided also That this Act shall not extend to the Inhabitants of Scotland Ireland Jersey or Guernsey for assessing any such Personal Estate which they or any in their Use have within the said Kingdoms and Islands and if any Person that ought to be taxed by virtue of this Act for or in respect of his Personal Estate shall by changing his Place of Residence or by any other Fraud or Collusion escape from the Taxation and not be taxed and the same be proved before the Commissioners or any Two of them or before One or more Justice or Justices of the Peace of the County where such Person dwelleth or resident at any Time within One Year next after such Tax made every Person that shall so escape from the Taxation and Payment shall be charged (upon Proof thereof) at the Treble Value of so much as he should or ought to have been charged at by this Act at the said Treble Value upon Certificate thereof made into the Exchequer by the Commissioners Justice or Justices (before whom such Proof shall be made) to be levied of the Goods Lands and Tenements of such Person.

**XLIX.**  
Householdiers to  
give an Account  
of Houses;  
Penalty fifty.

And for the better Discovery of Personal Estates intended to be charged by this Act It is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Householdier shall upon Demand of the Assessors of the respective Parishes or Places give an Account of the Names and Qualities of such [Persons] as shall again or lodge in their respective Houses under the Penalty of forfeiting to Her Majesty the Sum of Five Pounds to be levied and recovered in such Manner as any other Penalties in this Act mentioned shall and may be levied and recovered.

**L.**  
Shares in the New  
River, Thames,  
Marston, or  
Hampstead Waters,  
Officers for  
insurance from  
Fire, Cattle or

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Shares or Interest in any Fresh Stream or Running Water brought in the North River of London commonly called the New River or in the Thames Water Works or in Marston or Hampstead Waters or any River or Ponds arising thereby and all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Interest in any Office or Stock for insuring of Houses in Case of Fire or in the Cattle or other Lights or in the Stock or Stocks for plowing



LXVIII.  
Prison for Queen's  
Bench, Marshalsea,  
Newgate, &c. and  
how assessed.

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Prison of the Queen's Bench Prison House Lands Gardens and Common Side and all the Rent Office Profits and Perquisites of the Marshal and all other Officers of the said Queen's Bench Prison and also the Prison House Lands and Gardens of the Prison of the Marshal and of the Marshalsea Prison and also the Office Perquisites and Profits of the Marshalsea Court and Prison lying and being in the Parish of St. George the Martyr in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey and Judges of the said Court and all Constables [and] Attorneys practicing or having a Right to practice in the said Marshalsea Court and all Profits and Fees accruing to them or any of them respectively shall be charged and assessed in the Assessment in the Parish of St. George aforesaid and not elsewhere as and after the Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound Any thing to the contrary in any way notwithstanding.

LXIX.  
Prison for the  
High Court, where  
and how assessed.

Provided also That the Prison of the Fleet Prison House Lands Gardens and the Common Side and all the Rent Office Profits and Perquisites of the Office of the Warden of the Fleet lying and being in the Parish of St. Bride alias Bride London shall be charged and assessed in the Assessment in the said Parish of St. Bride alias Bride London and not elsewhere Any thing in this Act to the contrary in any way notwithstanding.

LX.  
Officers, &c. at  
Stoke Newington shall  
be assessed as  
Physicians, &c. in  
the same Proportion  
from 1705 to 1709.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers of Her Majesty's Dock Yard now at Stoke Newington near Plymouth shall be assessed upon this Act for the Salaries and other Profits of their Places within the Town and Parish of Plymouth [where the Salaries of the Old Dock Yard at Plymouth] in the Year One thousand six hundred [and] twenty three were assessed and not elsewhere so as the full Proportion which was assessed upon the said Town and Parish of Plymouth in the said Year One thousand six hundred twenty three be again assessed thence by virtue of this Act and so as the said Parish of Stoke Newington be not charged with a greater Proportion in respect of the said Salaries and Profits than they were in the said Year One thousand six hundred twenty three Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

LXI.  
Southwark Water  
Works, by whom  
and how assessed.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Water Works in the Borough of Southwark shall be rated and assessed towards the Sum by this Act granted by the Commissioners and Assessors of the County of Surrey and not by the Commissioners or Assessors of the City of London Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

LXII.  
The City or the  
Westminster  
Water Works.

Provided always and be it enacted That the Water Works in the City or Liberty of Westminster shall be rated and assessed by the Commissioners or Assessors of the said City and Liberty of Westminster towards the said Sum by this Act granted and not by the Commissioners and Assessors of the City of London Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding. And all Commissioners Collectors Head Clerks and Receivers are hereby required and enjoined to apply themselves with all Diligence to the exact speedy and efficient Execution of these several and respective Duties and to use their utmost Endeavours that all Estates and other Things herein charged may fully and duly pay the Rates and Assessments according to the Direction of this Act and so as Her Majesty's Service herein may not be delayed or hindered through any of their wilful Neglect or Default.

LXIII.  
No Person, which is  
Pound Rate whose  
Land is under  
ass.

Provided That no [poor] Person shall be charged with or liable to the Pound Rate imposed by this Act upon Lands Tenements and Hereditaments whose Lands Tenements or Hereditaments are out of the full yearly Value of Twenty Shillings in the whole.

LXIV.  
Collectors of  
Pound keeping  
Money in their  
Hands unless  
or surely paying  
away within  
Twenty days.

And be it further enacted That if any Collector of any Parish or Place shall keep in his Hands any Part of the Money by him collected for any longer Time than is by this Act directed [other than the Allowance made unto him by this Act] or shall pay any Part thereof to any Person or Persons other than to the Receiver General of such County or Place or his respective Deputy that every such Collector shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Forty Pounds And in case any Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the Money paid to him or them by any Collector by virtue of this Act to any Person or Persons whatsoever other than the Receiver of Her Majesty's Exchequer and at or within the respective Times limited by this Act as in case such Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the said Money by any Warrant of the Lord Treasurer Commissioners of the Treasury or Under Treasurer for the Time being or upon any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation or other Way or Device whatsoever whereby to divert or hinder the actual Payment thereof unto the Receipt of Exchequer as aforesaid that then such Receiver General shall for every such Offence of himself or his Deputy forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pounds to him or them that shall sue for the same in any Court of Record by Bill Plea or Information whereby no Exemption Privilege or Wager of Law is to be allowed.

LXV.  
Treasury Act to  
direct any Warrant  
to Collectors or  
Receiver General  
for Payment of  
Money, otherwise  
than as herein  
mentioned, &c.

And it is hereby further enacted That the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury or Under Treasurer for the Time being or any of them do not direct any Warrant to any of the Collectors or Receivers General or their Deputies for the Payment of any Part of the Money hereby given to any Person or Persons other than into the Receipt of Exchequer as aforesaid nor shall they see any of them direct any Warrant to the Officers of the Exchequer for making any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation nor do any other Matter or Thing whereby to divert the actual Payment of the said Money into the Receipt of Exchequer nor shall the Officers of

the Exchequer order or docket or record the striking of any Talley of Pre or Talley of Anticipation upon any of the said Money upon any Account or Warrant whatsoever nor shall any Talley shew down any Bill whereby to charge himself with any of the said Money until he shall actually have received the same

Provided also and be it enacted That no Stay of Prosecution upon any Command Warrant Motion or Order or Decree by any such officers provided shall be had made admitted received or allowed by any Court whatsoever in any Suit or Proceeding by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information or otherwise for the Recovery of all or any the said Penalties or Forfeitures upon any Person by this Act inflicted or therein mentioned or for or in Order to the Conviction or Disability of any Persons offending against this Act

Provided always That if any Person or Persons who shall be charged or assumed by this Act to or with a Pound Rate upon his or their Manors Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises shall upon Complaint made to the Commissioners in such Manors and within such Times as are herein directed in Cases of Appeal make it appear to the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Proof upon Oath that such Assessment doth exceed the equal Pound Rate that ought to be charged on him or them in such Case upon every such Proof and due Examination thereof the Commissioners of the Hundred Lathes Wapentake or other Division where such Overcharge doth happen or any Three or more of them within Twenty Days after such Complaint made are hereby empowered to share and lessen the said Assessments so much as the same shall exceed the equal Pound Rate that ought to be charged on him or them and shall cause the Money so abated to be reassessed and charged and levied in such Manner as they or any Three or more of them in their Judgments and Discretions shall judge most equal just and reasonable within the whole Hundred Lathes Wapentake or other Division where such Overcharge or Charge doth happen although the Pound Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound be thereby exceeded or if any particular Part or Parts of the same or any Persons therein shall appear to them to be undercharged then the Money so abated shall and may be raised upon such particular Part or Persons so undercharged so that the whole then payable to Her Majesty for such Hundred Lathes Wapentake or other Division shall be fully and duly answered and paid without being diminished by reason of any such particular Abatement Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Receiver General of each County shall nominate continue and appoint fit and proper Persons for whom he shall be answerable to be his Deputy or Deputies to receive from the said Subsheriffs all and every the Rates Dues and Assessments by them respectively collected or received and the said Receivers General are hereby required to nominate and appoint as many of such Deputies in their respective Counties that no Subsheriff may be forced to travel above the Space of Ten Miles from the usual Place of his Abode for the Payment of the said Money due shall be by him collected or received and if any Receiver General shall neglect or refuse to nominate and appoint such Deputies in Manner aforesaid or shall wilfully neglect to amend by himself or Deputy at the Time and Place by him appointed for his respective Receipts such Receiver General shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds the one Moiety to His Majesty His Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to him or them that shall sue for the same by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster in which Action or Suit no Foreign Protection Privileges or Wager of Law shall be allowed

Provided nevertheless That in case there shall not be a sufficient Number of Commissioners for any City Borough Town Cinque Port or Place (for which by this Act Commissioners are particularly appointed) capable of acting according to the Qualifications required by this Act for putting the Act in Execution that in every such Case any the Commissioners appointed for the County at large within which such City Borough Town Cinque Port or Place doth stand or which is next adjoining thereto may act as Commissioners in the Execution of the Act within such City Borough Town Cinque Port or Place

And whereas several Members of Parliament by reason of their Attendance in Parliament have by the Assent of London Westminster and Middlesex and the Suburbs of the same been taxed for their Personal Estates and to the Payment of the Poll Money and have been put to unreasonable Vexation and Charge be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Members of Parliament who at the Election of this Act during this Session of Parliament shall abide within the said Cities of London and Westminster and the Suburbs of the same or within the County of Middlesex shall for as in respect of their Ready Money or Debts or any other Tax which may be laid on their Persons or Personal Estates during this Session of Parliament be assessed only in the Places where such Members have their Manors Houses or other Place where they most usually reside during the Interval of Parliament Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the West Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Poindrect and the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the North Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Thirsk and the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the East Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Beverley Any thing in this Act before mentioned or any former Oases to the contrary notwithstanding

LXVI.  
No stay of Prose-  
cution in Actions  
for Penalties, &c.

LXVII.  
Commissioners in  
Cities, or Ports,  
where Lands are  
undercharged, charge  
up to the Pound

and Money charged  
reassessed as they  
shall judge most  
equal

or raised on Per-  
sons under charged  
The whole sum to  
be fully answered.

LXVIII.  
Receivers General  
answerable for  
Deputies, and to  
appoint as many of  
them that Sub-  
sheriffs be not  
forced to travel  
above Ten Miles  
to pay Money  
collected.

Penalty aforesaid.

LXIX.  
When not Great  
enough for City, &c.  
Commissioners  
for County or  
adjoining County  
may act.

LXX.  
Members of  
Parliament to be  
assessed for Per-  
sonal Estates where  
their Manors  
Houses or other  
Place of Abode  
usually are.

LXXI.  
Where First  
General Meetings  
are to be of Com-  
missioners for the  
several Ridings of  
the County of  
York





And whereas the Rents and Revenues belonging to the Rectories of the Cathedral Churches are chargeable to the Land Tax granted by this present Act and in some Cases the Outhouses of the said Rents and Revenues above such Tax Rents and other Charges is to go in Shew for the Maintenance of the said Rectories which places are denominated by the said Land Tax it is hereby provided and enacted That in such Cases the said Rectories shall not by this Act or any the Clauses therein contained be further chargeable as any Office of Profit out of the said Rents and Revenues Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided That this Act or any of the several Clauses therein contained shall not extend to charge a certain Portion of One hundred Pounds per Annum granted by the late King Charles the Second to the Poor Clergy of the Isle of Man

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to lay any Charge or Duty upon the Persons or Salaries of Her Majesty's Masters of Honour Pages of Honour and Waiters of Her Majesty's Bedchamber commonly called Drovers

And whereas some Doubts may arise whether Mayors Bailiffs and other Chief Magistrates of Cities Boroughs Towns Corporate and Cinque Ports for which Commissioners are specially appointed by virtue of this Act can act as Commissioners for executing this Act in the said Cities Boroughs Towns Corporate and Cinque Ports be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Mayors Bailiffs and other Chief Magistrates who are appointed Commissioners for executing this Act shall be and have Power to act as Commissioners for executing this Act within and for any City Borough Town Corporate or Cinque Port wherein they reside at the Time of executing this Act as well where Commissioners are specially appointed by this Act as where they are not

Provided always That all Offices and Places which were rated and assessed with the Palaces of Whitehall and St. James's in or for the Tenth One thousand seven hundred and [three & One thousand seven hundred &c.] four or other of them (except such as are exempted by this Act) shall be rated and assessed within the said Palaces and in no other Place whatsoever

Provided always and be it hereby enacted That in case there hath been or shall be any Failure of raising and paying the several Sums of Money charged upon any County City Riding or Place by this or any other former Acts for granting an Aid to His late Majesty King William or Her present Majesty by a Land Tax the Receiver General of such County City Riding Division or Place respectively of such Tax or Assessment or the Receiver General to be appointed in pursuance of this Act of the same County Riding Division City or Place shall make Oath before One of the Barons of the Court of Exchequer of the particular County Division Riding City or Place (where such Failure of Payment hath happened together with the Names of the Commissioners suing in such County Division City or Place) which Commissioners and no other Persons as Commissioners appointed by the said Acts shall be liable to Process for such Neglect in raising and paying the same according to the Direction of the said Acts

Provided always That the Commissioners appointed for the County of the City of Lincoln may act as Commissioners in Execution of this Act at any Powers therein contained within the Bail and Close of Lincoln Any thing in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided always That the Commissioners appointed for the County of Lincoln may act as Commissioners in Execution of this Act at any Powers therein contained within the Parish of St. Martin's Standard Bacon in the County of Northampton as usually Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And whereas in the Execution of several former Acts of Parliament for Land Taxes granted as well to Your Majesty as to Your late Royal Brother King William the Third of Glorious Memory and which were to be raised by certain Proprietors had on the several Counties Cities Boroughs and other Places therein mentioned (that is to say) One Act made and passed in the Ninth Year of His late Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty the Sum of One million four hundred eighty four thousand and fifteen Pounds One Shilling Eleven Pence Three Farthings for discharging Persons paying Season and other Uses therein mentioned One Act of the Tenth Year of His Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty the Sum of One million four hundred eighty four thousand and fifteen Pounds One Shilling Eleven Pence Three Farthings for discharging the Army pending for the Navy and for other necessary Occasions One Act of the Eleventh Year of His Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by Sale of the Parcelled and other Houses and Interests in Ireland and by a Land Tax in England for the several Purposes therein mentioned One Act of the Twelfth Year of His Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty for defraying the Expence of His Majesty's Guards and Customs for One Year and for other necessary Occasions One Act made and passed in the First Year of Your Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by direct Subsidies and a Land Tax One other Act of the First Year of Your Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty a Land Tax for carrying on the War against France and Spain One Act of the Second Year of Your Majesty's

LXXIX.  
Endowments of  
Cathedrals, the  
not chargeable as  
any Office of Profit.

LXXX.  
Power for Persons  
to give Clergy  
of Isle of Man

LXXXI.  
Masters of Houses,  
Pages, &c.

LXXXII.  
Mayors, Bailiffs,  
&c. Commissioners  
to act as Com-  
missioners specially  
appointed, &c.

LXXXIII.  
Offices, but not  
Whitehall and  
St. James's (except  
what are exempted)  
there to be assessed.

LXXXIV.  
Commissioners  
liable to Process,  
&c.

LXXXV.  
Commissioners, &c.  
to act in Lincoln  
Close.

LXXXVI.  
and in St. Martin's  
Standard Bacon,  
&c.

LXXXVII.  
Clause for propo-  
sition of Standard  
Bacon, &c.

Reign intitled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and four and One Act of the Third Year of Your Majesties Reigns intitled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and five several Lands and Houses which were unoccupied and where no Distress could be found were assessed and the respective Parish Places or Constablenicks were forced pursuant to the said Acts to make good the Tax assessed upon such Lands or Houses lying unoccupied and by virtue and colour of the said several Acts or some of them the Collectors Constables or Tythingmen of the said Parishes [Places] or Constablenicks have afterwards levied the Tax upon such Land and Houses and ought to have distributed the Monies raised thereby proportionally to the Parties who contributed to the Tax of the unoccupied Land and Houses but have neglected, as to do or to render any Account thereof and in some Parishes Towns Places or Constablenicks the respective Collectors by or under Colour of the said Acts or some of them have collected or levied more Monies than the just Proportions set upon such Parish Town Place or Constablenick respectively by or in pursuance of the said Acts or some of them did amount unto or was payable to the Receiver General for the same and have converted the Overplus thereof to their own private Use without rendering any Account of such Overplus Monies For Remedy whereof he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Commissioners appointed by this Act for every Hundred Division City Borough Town or Place respectively or any Three or more of them to call before them all and every such Collectors Constables or Tythingmen as aforesaid their respective Heirs Executors and Administrators within their Divisions respectively and upon their Appearance (or making Default without reasonable Excuse) to examine what Sums and Rates of Money were raised and levied by or under Colour of the said former Acts or any of them by the said Collectors Constables and Tythingmen or any of them for the Taxes or any of them upon the said unoccupied Lands and Houses made good by the Parish or Place as aforesaid or by any Collector of any Parish Town Place or Constablenick [as aforesaid or] over and above the Monies payable to the Receiver General as aforesaid and to adjust and distribute the same and to require such respective Collectors Constables or Tythingmen their Heirs Executors and Administrators respectively to distribute the Money so raised upon the same Houses and Lands formerly unoccupied proportionally to the Parties who contributed to the Taxes thereon and to require the said Collectors having such Overplus Monies in their Hands as aforesaid their Heirs Executors and Administrators respectively to pay the said Overplus Money to the Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall direct for the Benefit or Use of such Parish Town Place or Constablenick respectively And in case any such Collector Constable or Tythingman or any of his Heirs Executors or Administrators shall make Default therein the said Commissioners or so many of them as to by this Act empowered to do or execute any Matter or Thing for Recovery of any Monies hereby given to the Queen's Majesty which shall be deemed by any Collector by Commitment of his Person Sale of his Estate or otherwise shall and may do execute and perform the like Matters and Things for Recovery of such Overplus Monies and also the said Monies which were paid to make good the Tax for the said unoccupied Houses and Lands deemed by any Collector Constable or Tythingman as aforesaid Any thing in the said former Acts in any of them contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Commissioners to call before them Collectors, &c.

**LXXXVIII.**  
Persons may lend Money to Her Majesty exceeding  $\text{£}50,000$  at  $\frac{1}{2}\%$  per Cent. per Annum, Tax Free.

Provided also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Masters or Forepersons Bodies Politick or Corporate to advance and lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer upon the Credit of the said several Rates Assessments and Sums of Money by this Act granted as aforesaid any Sums which shall not exceed in the whole the Sum of One million eight hundred and fifty thousand Pounds and to have and receive for the Forbearance thereof Interest after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum and moreover that no Money to be lent upon the Security of this Act shall be raised or assessed by virtue of this Act or any other Act of Parliament whatsoever

**LXXXIX.**  
Tallies of Loans to London, and Westminster for Interest.

And it is hereby further enacted That all and every Person or Persons who shall lend any Money upon the Credit of this Act and pay the same into the said Receipt of Exchequer shall immediately have a Tally of Loan struck for the same and an Order for his her or their Repayment bearing the same Date with his her or their Tallies in or upon which Order shall be also contained a Warranty for Payment of Interest for the Forbearance thereof at the Rate aforesaid to be paid every Three Months until the Repayment of the Principal and that all such Orders for Repayment of Money to be lent shall be registered in Chancery according to the Dates respectively without other Preference of one before another and that all and every Person and Persons shall be paid in Course according to their Orders shall stand registered in the said Register Books so as the said Person Parties or Forepersons Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns who shall have his or their Order or Orders first entered in the said respective Books of Register shall be taken and accounted the first Person to be paid out of the Monies to come in by virtue of this Act and he or they who shall have his or their Order or Orders next entered shall be taken and accounted to be the Second Person to be paid and so successively and in Course and that the Monies so come in by this Act or for the said several Rates and Assessments as aforesaid shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the Monies to be lent as aforesaid to the respective Parties their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns respectively without any Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or distributable to any other Use Interest or Purpose whatsoever and that no Fee Reward or Gratuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesties Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Vouchers or Receipts in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Forfeiture of Table

Orders for Repayment registered according to Date of Tally, and paid in Course.

Money to come in by this Act liable to satisfy Loans.

No Fees for providing Books, or for Payment of Money lent.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> and not above the Proportion which was charged upon such Parish Town Place or Constablenick &c.

Damage to the Party aggrieved by the Party offending with Triple Costs of Suits or if the Officer himself take or Demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place also And if any undue Preference of One before another shall be made either in point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meeting of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party grieved and shall be disqualified of his Place or Office and if such Preference be unduly made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Direction or Privily of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever incapable of his Place or Office And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct the Order or the Clerk of the Peble Record or the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as before directed then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputy and Clerks herein offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid all which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be incurred by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputy or Clerks shall not may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of his Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Esquire Protection Privilege Wager of Law Inquisition or Order of Retraint shall be in any wise granted or allowed.

Provided always and be it hereby declared That if it happen that several Teller's of Loans or Orders for Payment be presented here Daily or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted no undue Preference which of those be entered first as as be entered them all the same Day.

Provided also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to issue any Penalty in Point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerk of the Peble Record and the Teller do pay subsequent Orders to Persons that come and demand their Money and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take their Money and bring their Orders in their Courts so as there be so much Money reserved to well settle precedent Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them hereafter upon Loans being to come from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them.

And be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans to be registered by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Registry as aforesaid his Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Writs of Assignment to be endorsed and written upon his Order may sue or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being noted in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and in Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall entitle such Assignee his Executors Administrators and Assigns to the Receipt thereof and Payment thereof and such Assignee may in like Manner sue and receive quodam and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignments to make void release and discharge the same or any the Manner thereby due or any Part thereof.

## CHAPTER II.()

An Act for making the River Swere Navigable from the Town of Masingtree in the County of Essex to the Town of Sudbury in the County of Suffolk.

WHEREAS the closing and stopping of a Passage for Barges Boats and other Vessels by the River Stower from the Town of Masingtree in the County of Essex to the Town of Sudbury in the County of Suffolk will be very beneficial to Trade advantageous to the Poor and convenient for the Conveyance of Cords and other Goods and Merchandise to and from the said Town and Parts adjacent and will very much tend to the Growth and increase of Waxmen and Seamen and be a Means to preserve the Highways in and near the said Towns and Towns be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Mayor and Aldermen of Sudbury aforesaid for the Time being and Thomas Carter Roger Bourke John Parsh Robert Gilling Henry Crossman Robert Spenser Thomas Hall Thomas Fierce Daniel Hesel and Thomas Robinson all of Sudbury aforesaid Gentlemen their Heirs and Assigns or such Person and Persons as they or any Seven or more of them shall nominate and appoint under their Hands and Seals their Deputies Agents Officers Workmen and Servants shall be and are hereby authorized and empowered in their proper Coats and Charges to make the said River of Swere navigable possible and passable for Barges Boats Kells Lighters and other Vessels from the said Town of Masingtree to the Town of Sudbury aforesaid and from time to time to continue support maintain and use such Navigation in such Manner as they shall think fit and for that Purpose to close some open or enlarge or strengthen the said River of Swere and to dig and cut the Banks thereof and to close some out open or dig the Banks of any other Stream Brook or Beck that shall to them seem and to close some out open or dig the Banks of any other Stream Brook or Beck that shall to them seem convenient for bringing Water into the said River Swere and thereby making the said River more navigable possible and passable for Boats Barges Lighters and other Vessels and to make new and larger Cuts Trenches or

Penalty  
Preference  
Undue Preference  
by Officer  
Penalty.

by Deputy.  
Penalty.

Auditor, Clerk of  
the Peble, or Teller  
not making Pay-  
ments in due Order  
Penalty.

How Penalties  
recovered.

XC.  
Persons who  
accept Teller's  
Orders must Day.

XCI.  
Paying subsequent  
Orders, if first  
demanded, in what  
Case no undue  
Preference.

XCI.  
Orders for Payment  
of Money lent may  
be assigned by  
Indemnity.

Monies thereof  
without Fee.

Assigns may  
sue.

Act Parl.  
p. 2. c. 1.

Reason for passing  
the Statute.

Mayor and Aldermen  
of Sudbury,  
and other Persons  
before named, to  
appoint Deputies,  
Agents, &c. to  
make the River  
Swere navigable.

To make Navigable.

Remove Impediments.

To make Ways, &c.

To make Towing Paths, &c.

Making Bridges.

Passages for Water in upon or through the Lands or Grounds adjoining or contiguous to the said River and to such other Streams and Brooks as run into the same as they shall think fit or necessary for the more convenient use and better carrying on and effecting the said Works and Navigation being the Soil or Ground of the Queens most Excellent Majesty Her Heirs and Successors or of any other Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate their Heirs or Successors and to remove and take away all Trees Roots Gravel Beds or any other Impediments whatsoever which may any ways hinder navigating any Boats Barges Lighters or other Vessels in or upon the said River either in sailing or baling thereof with Men Horses or otherwise and to build erect and as ay and make upon any of the Lands adjoining to the said River Locks Weirs Turnpikes Piers for Wharfs Quay Wharfs and Warehouses where they the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns shall think fit and to alter repair and amend the same in often as they shall think convenient and to make any Ways Passages and other Communications for carrying or conveying of Commodities and other Things to and from the said River with free Liberty of Ways for carrying and conveying all Manner of Timber Stone and other Materials for making the said Works Locks Weirs and Turnpikes and for repairing the same from time to time as there shall be Occasion and to do all other necessary Matters and Things for the Improvement and maintaining of the said Navigable Passages Streams and Ponds and any Part thereof and for ascending and Hauling any Weirs or Dams now upon the said River or ascending and altering any Bridges whatsoever or raising or altering any Highways in and upon the said River as may any ways hinder the said Passage and Navigation as also to make cut out and amend Towing Paths and Ways convenient for towing and drawing of Boats Barges and Lighters passing in through and upon the said River (the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns first giving Satisfaction to the Owners and Proprietors of the Weirs Mills Lands Hereditaments and Premises respectively for any Damage or Injury they shall or may happen to such Mills Weirs Lands and Hereditaments by making or continuing the said Works) as shall or may happen to such Mills Weirs Lands and Hereditaments respectively for that Purpose shall direct and appoint And such Satisfaction shall be likewise given for the said Towing Paths as the said Commissioners shall in [the?] like Manner appear in case the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns shall not before hand have agreed with the Proprietors of such Weirs Mills Lands and Hereditaments respectively concerning the same

II.  
Commissioners  
appointed for  
ascertaining  
Differences  
between the  
Undertakers and  
Proprietors of  
Lands, &c.

And for the better effecting the Premises and due rating the Value of the Mares and Thighs to be composed for according to the true Issue and Meaning of this Act if the Persons concerned as aforesaid shall not agree amongst themselves as is enacted by the Authority aforesaid that the Right Honourable the Earl of Dyseret of the Kingdom of Scotland The Right Honourable Henry Lord Walpole The Right Honourable the Lord Hastinges The Honourable Spencer Compton Esq. The Honourable Benjamin Milsam Esq. Sir Thomas Hanmerre Sir Peter Mordaunt Sir Robert Darnley Sir Thomas Felton Sir George Eliot Sir Charles Barrington Sir Dudley Collier Sir Robert Barrington Sir Samuel Barnardiston Sir Thomas Robinson Sir Robert Kepp Sir Edmund Bacon Sir Charles Bligh Sir Henry Dutton Col. Sir Thomas Webster Sir Cate Jones Sir James Dwyer Sir Philip Parker Barrington Sir Isaac Robson Sir Thomas Dorell Sir John Marshall Sir Edward Turner Sir Joseph Jekyll Sir Henry Johnson Sir Joseph Brand Sir Richard Glynne Sir Thomas Cook Knight Henry Foley John Bennet Philip Shippen Anthony Foxe William Johnson John Compton Sergeant at Law Thomas Will George Debbow Harvey Elven John Robins John Gauden Thomas Wilkins George Golding John Bennet Robert Honeywood John Tyndale Thomas Kersley Thomas Brand Joseph Brand John Elford Junior John Cushman Samuel Warner Samuel Gibbs Bartholomew Young Samuel Brand John Elford Jun. Andrews Warner of Wickham Brook Samuel Barnardiston Edward Clarke Edmund Waterson Tho. Gardner John Bullock John Cressener William Pack Richard Andrews John Lancel William Pack Bartholomew Bault Robert Mazon John Moor John Ellis Charles Whittaker Sergeant at Law George Brewster John Elford of Sackham Richard Norman Joseph Thomson William Foley William Clapton Lemuel Below William Byet Walter Cradlock Stephen Piper George Gout Jun. Anthony Collins George Goodley John Sparrow of Silt Hingham Christopher Colledge Francis Barnardiston Samuel Huckerby William Hamond Thomas Pack William Churchill John Bessingham Samuel Percy Compton Felton Joseph Abbot Andrew Kerrington William Revett Thomas Millington Edmund Coleman Robert King Clement Comerce Thomas Felton Thomas Aldrich John Thorogood of Kersey Richard Bulle

Coleman of Borely Ely William Turner John Avery John Turner John Dalton Robert Blin Robert Darnley George Coltham Bennet Dove Thomas Hunt Thomas Barnardiston of Barry Ralph Gifford Newman Berwell Samuel Rawstorne Thomas Whorley Junior Edward Clarke of Barfield Robert Kellingford Dr

Gibson Dr Foley Clapton David Smith Thomas Macroe James Harvey Esquires Dr Thomas Dent Herbert Fellman Robert Clarke George Goe Junior Nicholas Jekyll George Greener Joseph Ussie John Joseph Thomas Knowles Edward Andrews Doctor

Thomas Ralph Bennett Jasper Elytham Richard Mordaunt Samuel Sparrow Joseph Chaplin Thomas Parr of Nayland James Nelson Edward Johnson Clement Ray Timothy Felton Thomas Wheeler Junior John Lamb

Bar of Maddington John Rayburn William Hart John Bennet of Loughan Greenham shall be and are hereby constituted and appointed Commissioners for settling ascertaining and adjusting in Manner hereafter mentioned all Matters about which any Difference may arise between the said Undertakers their Heirs or Assigns and the said Proprietors of the said Lands Hereditaments and Premises and they as say Nine or more of them are hereby empowered and authorized and shall have full Power and Authority to settle between the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns and the Owners and Occupiers of such Lands Tenements and Hereditaments Weirs Mills and Premises lying in upon or near unto the said River as shall be intended to be made use of for making the said River navigable or for the bringing in any other Stream Brook or Watercourse into the same or that way or shall remain or receive any Loss or Damage thereby and to settle



General Intendment. shall think fit: And this Act shall be sufficient to indemnify as well the said Commissioners as the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns and all Persons lawfully or authorized by them against the said Owners or Occupiers their Heirs Successors Executors Administrators or Assigns in all Issues and Purposes whatsoever.

**VI.** PROVIDED always That no Commissioner or Commissioners shall sit or act in any Case where he or they are any ways interested or concerned.

**VII.** How Valuations of Commissioners required. **And** be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for supplying the Number of the said Commissioners (in case of Death or of any of their refusal to act) the surviving or other Commissioners or any Fifteen or more of them shall from time to time by Instrument in Writing under their respective Hands and Seals nominate and appoint some other Person or Persons within the said Counties of Suffolk and Essex having an Estate in Land of the yearly Value of One hundred and fifty Pounds at the least or a Personal Estate of Three thousand Pounds in the Place of him or them so dying or refusing which said new Commissioner or Commissioners so nominated and appointed shall from thenceforth have like Power and Authority in all Things relating to the said Navigation and Matters aforesaid as if he or they had been expressly named in this Act: And every such Instrument and Nomination of new Commissioners shall from time to time be recorded by the Clerk of the Peace for One of the said Counties at the Election of the Commissioners who shall sign the same and true Transcripts thereof shall be also delivered to the Clerk of the Peace of the other of the said Counties and also to the Clerk of the Peace for the said Town and Borough to [be] by each of them also kept upon Record.

**VIII.** Undertakers may demand the Tolls herein mentioned. **And** be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for and in Consideration of the great Charges and Expenses the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns will be at not only in making the said River navigable as aforesaid but also in repairing and keeping up the Weirs Locks and other the Premises so to be made as aforesaid and making them fit and useful for the said Navigation it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Undertakers their Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns and no others from time to time at as all Times hereafter to ask demand receive and take from all and every Person and Persons that shall sail and down or receive up any Goods Merchandises Wares or Commodities whatsoever that shall be carried or conveyed up or down the said River or Shewer the Rates and Duties hereafter mentioned and at such Place or Places adjoining to the said River as the said Undertakers their Heirs or Assigns or any Seven or more of them shall think fit (viz) For every Chaldron of Coale Maningrove Measure any Boat not exceeding Five Shillings and for every Ton Weight of other Goods Wares Merchandises or Commodities that shall be landed or conveyed in any Boat Barge or Vessel up the said River Shewer from Maningrove aforesaid to the said Town of Sudbury or down the said River from the said Town of Sudbury to Maningrove aforesaid any Boat not exceeding Five Shillings and so proportionably for every greater or lesser Weight or for a less Distance of Place to or from which any Cask Goods Wares or Merchandises shall be carried or conveyed in any Boat Barge or Vessel upon the said River Shewer or any Part thereof as aforesaid: And in case of Refusal Neglect or Default of Payment or Default of the said several Rates or Prices above mentioned the said Undertakers their Heirs or Assigns or any other Person or Persons as they shall nominate and appoint respectively and their respective Heirs and Assigns shall and may sue for the same by Action of Debt or upon the Case in any Court of Record or Pleas and make any of any Goods or any Vessels carrying such Goods for which the said Rates or Prices ought to be paid until they shall be [satisfied] and paid the same.

**IX.** Burgeens, &c. may set up Engines, &c. **And** whereas it will be necessary in some Places to hale or tow up Barges Boats Lighters and other Vessels by the Strength of Men Horses Engines and other Means be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for Watermen Boatmen and Burgeens passing or navigating upon the said River and their Helpers and Assistants to set up and make use of Windmills and other Engines in convenient Places and with the same by Strength of Men Horses or Beasts going upon the Banks or Lands near the said River in convenient Manner without the Hindrance Trouble or Interruption of any Person or Persons whatsoever to hale or tow up any Barges Boats Lighters or other Vessels.

**X.** Masters and Owners of Barges, &c. to answer for Damages, &c. and may be sued, &c. **And** for the preventing of Damages or Mischief that may be done or committed by any rude or dissolute Persons sailing navigating or managing Boats Barges or other Vessels in or upon the said River and to the End that the Owners and Masters thereof may be more careful therein to be enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Master or Owner of every Barge Boat or other Vessel shall be and is hereby made answerable and responsible for any Damage or Mischief that shall be done by his Barge Boat or Vessel or any of the Crew of his Burgeens Boatmen or Watermen to any of the Weirs Locks Dams and Engines in upon or near the said River or for any Trespasses or Damage which shall be done to the Owners or Possessors of any Lands or Tenements adjoining to the said River otherwise than is provided for by this Act and the said Master or Owner of such Barge Boat or Vessel shall and may be sued and prosecuted for the same in any Court of Record and if found guilty or a Verdict given against him or Judgment be given against him upon Demurrer the Plaintiff in any such Case shall not only recover his Damages thereby sustained but full Costs of Suit.



Nomination of  
Underwriters to  
be recorded.

more of them in such Instrument of Nomination that then and in every such Case the said Commissioners or any Eleven or more of them shall nominate appoint and empower in Manner aforesaid some other Person or Persons to carry on and perfect the said Works and Navigation upon the Terms and Limitations in this Act mentioned and so order queries so often in the Nomine or Nomination of the said Commissioners shall happen to fall in beginning and perfecting the said Works and Navigation as and by each respective Town as shall be for that Purpose limited and appointed by the said Commissioners or any Eleven or more of them in Manner as aforesaid And every such Instrument of Nomination shall be recorded by the respective Clerks of the Ports for the said Counties of Suffolk and Essex and Town Clerk for the said Town and Borough of Sudbury and the Porten or Porten and his and their Heirs and Assigns who shall by virtue of [say] such Nomination as aforesaid of the said Commissioners be constituted and made Undertaker or Undertakers for carrying on and perfecting the said Works and Navigation shall have the full Benefit and Advantage of all and every the Powers granted by this Act And in case they make the said River navigable portable and passable for Boats Barges and other like Vessels from Manningtree to Sudbury aforesaid shall have successfull execution and enjoy to his and their own proper Use and Behoof all and every the said Rates Tolls Duties Powers Privileges Profits and Emoluments granted by this present Act to the said first named Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns subject to the several Clauses and Provisions in this Act contained

XIX.  
Persons to be Tolls  
for certain Mill  
Stairs, Timber, &c.  
being withdrawn

Provision always and be a further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Undertakers their Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns or any of them or any Person or Persons to be by them or any of them nominated for that Purpose their Heirs or Assigns shall not ask demand take or receive payment one for or less from any Person or Persons any of the Rates or Duties herein before mentioned or any Sum or Sums whatsoever by virtue of this Act for any Mill stones carried or conveyed up or down the said River for the Use of any of the Mills upon the said River between Manningtree and Sudbury aforesaid or for any Timber Lime Stone or other Materials to be used in or about the Building or Repair of the said Mills or any of them Any thing [to the contrary] before contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

XX.  
Reasons for giving  
the Rivermen

And whereas it does appear by Survey That the said Navigation may be prejudicial to certain Sea Walls and Banks of the Marsh Lands and Grounds belonging to Linstead Hall in the County of Essex now the Estate of the Reverend Thomas Dent Doctor of Divinity to remove which the said Undertakers and the said Doctor Dent are come to this Agreement that the said Sea Walls and Banks and the Bridge called Cradon Bridge leading to the said Grounds shall from Time to Time be well and sufficiently repaired and maintained and the said Sea Walls and Banks kept up as high in the same now are as the Costs and Charges of the said Undertakers and that the said Doctor Dent and his Heirs and Assigns shall therefore pay and allow them Five Pounds per Annum for or Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after such Time as the said River is made navigable and shall be navigated by virtue of this Act and the Powers and Authorities hereby given the Costs and Charges of maintaining and repairing of the Sea Walls and Banks Part of and adjoining to certain Lands known by the Name of the Fifty Acres Marsh beginning near the East Gate which opens out of the same on Hild Hall Lands and extending as the Course of the River lies to the aforesaid Cradon Bridge and ending in a Place called Jacks Copp in the Westward being the Sea Walls or Banks belonging to the Estate of the said Doctor Dent together with the said Bridge called Cradon Bridge or such other convenient and sufficient Bridge as the said Undertakers shall build for the Use of the said Grounds in stead thereof shall be from time to time wholly born and sustained by the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns and the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns shall from time to time when ever there shall be Occasion repair and amend the said Sea Walls and Banks or cause the same to be repaired and amended immediately or within One Month next after Notice for that Purpose left in Writing with them or any of them or with their Principal Clerk or other Manager of the said Navigation or Collector of the Duties thereof by the said Thomas Dent his Heirs or Assigns and in default of their repairing the same within One Month after Notice as aforesaid or in case by any sudden Accident or otherwise there shall happen to be any considerable Decay or any apparent Danger or actual Breach in the said Sea Walls and Banks or in the Wharfe or Piling for Preservation thereof that then and in such Case it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Doctor Dent his Heirs and Assigns forthwith the same to repair and amend or cause to be repaired and amended

XXI.  
Persons for  
Commissioners  
examining and  
allowing the  
Accounts of  
Doctor Dent, &c.

And for their better being reimbursed the Costs and Charges of their so doing be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Commissioners for the Time being or any Five or more of them upon Application to them for that Purpose to be made and Notice given to the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns or the Collectors of the Duties of the said Navigation to examine state and allow the Accounts of the said Thomas Dent his Heirs and Assigns in making such Repairs and Amendments and in case that any Part thereof be disputed to impound a Jury to try the same in such and the like Manner as is herein before directed touching the allowing Satisfaction of Damages to be done by any Act in order to making the said River navigable as aforesaid and in case the said Sum or Sums to be by the said Commissioners or any Five or more of them to be assessed and allowed for such Repairs be not paid within the Space of One Month after the same shall be [so] assessed and allowed and Demand thereof made of the Collectors of the Duties of the said Navigation that then the said Thomas Dent his Heirs and Assigns or such Person or Persons to whom the Sum and Sums so assessed and allowed shall be respectively due and his and their respective Executors Administrators and Assigns shall



have received and take the Rents and Duties payable by virtue of this Act and the Profits of the said intended Navigation to his and their own Use and such Time as the said Rents and Sums so as aforesaid allowed, and to Men and them due and payable shall be fully satisfied and paid together with all Charges and Expenses in collecting and receiving the same and the said Commissioners or any Five or more of them shall have full Power and Authority to put the said Thomas Dent his Heirs and Assigns or each Person or Persons to whom such Rents and Sums to be assessed and allowed as aforesaid shall be due into the Possession and Receipt of the Profits of the said Navigation and likewise to remove them again from the same and for that Purpose to take and seize the said Assessors touching the same and to examine such or any other Person or Persons as they shall see Cause upon Oath to be administered by the said Commissioners or any Five or more of them touching the Matters aforesaid.

And he is likewise further exacted That the said Thomas Debt his Heirs and Assigns shall therefore pay to the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns and Successors fees and after the Time that the said River shall be made navigable and shall be navigated by virtue of this Act as aforesaid the yearly Rent or Sum of Five Pounds out of the said Estate belonging or reputed to belong to Lewford Hall situated at Metchenhouse and Lady Day by Two equal Payments in each Year so long as the said River shall be navigated by virtue of this Act for which the said Undertakers their Heirs and Assigns and Successors their Agents and Servants in case the said Rent or any Part thereof shall at any Time or Times be in Arrear shall and may from time to time distrain in any Part of the Estate aforesaid and each Ducesse toll in such Manner as if the said yearly Rent or Sum of Five Pounds were reserved upon a Decree of the said Lands

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Provided always That if the said River shall not be made navigable and assigned by virtue of this Act and the Powers and Authorities hereby given and the said Undertakers shall in endeavouring to make the said River navigable any way else eat down or prejudice any of the said Sea Walls or Banks they shall at their own Costs and Charges make the same good again and put the same into as good a State and Condition as the same were at the Time of such altering eating down or prejudicing thereof as aforesaid.

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Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Undertakers their Executors Administrators or Agents or any Person or Persons by them or any of them deputed or authorized shall not take demand receive or receive any the Rates or Duties herein before mentioned or any Sum or Sums of Money whatsoever for any Musk Daag Marle Line or other Marage which shall be brought carried or conveyed upon the said River by any of the Owners Farmers or Occupiers of any Lands within the District of Three Miles from the said River their Servants or Agents to be used and employed for the Manning and Improvement of their respective Lands and not otherwise Any thing in the said Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

EXIV.  
 Received of Mr. John  
 Doe, Treasurer.

Previous always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall not be lawful for any Owner or Occupier of any Wharf or Landing place adjoining to the said River within the Borough of Southey aforesaid or the Lands thence to take demand recover or receive from any Person or Persons for the Wharfedale or Landing of any Coals or other Goods or Commodities at any such Wharf or Landing place any Sum of Money not exceeding Three Pence for a Chaldron of Coals Minutring Measure or for a Ton Weight of other Goods or Commodities and so proportionally and pro Rata for a greater or lesser Quantity of Coals or other Goods or Commodities.

EXV.  
Bain to be  
disputed by  
Owners of Wharf  
on Sadkore.

And for the better Protection of all Private against this Act be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Boat Barge or Vessel which shall use the Navigation of the said River [sic] Stower shall be assigned to a Hook or Register to be kept for that Purpose by the Town Clerk of Sudbury aforesaid and shall have some Mark of Distinction by Figure or otherwise as the said Commissioners or any Nine of them shall think fit upon Pain that the Master of every Boat Barge or other Vessel using such Navigation and not being so assigned and marked shall forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds and the said Figure or other Mark or Distinction shall be placed on every such Boat Barge or [other] Vessel in the most convenient Place to be taken Notice of and no Person shall put the same Figure or Mark upon his Boat Barge or Vessel which is appointed for any other Boat Barge or Vessel nor put nor alter or deface the Figure or Mark of Distinction appointed by the said Commissioners for his Boat Barge or Vessel under the Forfeiture of Five Pounds for every such Offence one Moiety of which said Forfeiture shall be to the Informer and the other Moiety to the Use of Her Majesty to be recovered with Costs of Suit as in any other Penalties or Forfeitures are to be recovered by this Act.

KEVI.  
Boat, the name of  
the Navy, to be  
registered and  
numbered.

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Delaware Number

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## CHAPTER III. (1)

An Act for the Amendment of the Law and the better Advancement of Justice.

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p. 1. 1. 1.Upon Demurrer  
joined, Judges to  
give Judgment  
without regard to  
Imperfection in  
Writ, &c.

But, if Error &amp;c.

No Exception to  
be taken hereafter  
Treason, &c.

Exception

II.  
Statute of Justices  
extended to Judgments  
entered upon  
Confession, &c.III.  
How Attorney for  
Plaintiff and De-  
fendant to be Warranted  
of Attorney.IV.  
Defendant or Plai-  
ntiff to Replevy  
may plead several  
Matters.V.  
Cases how givenVI.  
Where Issues  
averred County  
where Issue is triedVII.  
Process for Indict-  
ments of Treason  
&c.

FOR the Amendment of the Law in several Particulars and for the better speedier and better Advancement of Justice be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the First Day of Trinity Term which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six where any Demurrer shall be joyned and entered in any Action or Suit in any Court of Record within this Realm the Judges shall proceed and give Judgment according to the very Right of the Cause and Matter in Law shall appear unto them without regarding any Imperfection Omission or Defect in any Writ Return Pleas Declarations or other Pleading Process or Course of Proceeding whatsoever except those only which the Party demanding shall specially and particularly set down and express together with his Demurrer as Causes of the same notwithstanding that such Imperfection Omission or Defect might have heretofore been taken to be Matter of Substance and not void by the Statute made in the Twentieth seventh Year of Queen Elizabeth entitled An Act for the Furtherance of Justice in case of Demurrer and Pleadings as in sufficient Matter appear in the said Pleadings upon which the Court may give Judgment according to the very Right of the Cause and Matter and therefore from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term no Advantage or Exception shall be taken of or for an unreturned Taver or of or for the Default of setting Pleadings upon any Bill or Declaration or of or for the Default of lodging the bringing into Court any Bond Bill Indenture or other Deed whatsoever mentioned in the Declaration or other Pleading or of or for the Default of lodging of the bringing into Court Letters Testamentary or Letters of Administration or of or for the Omission of VI et Arre et costs Pains or other of them or of or for the want of (1) Averment of Hoc paratus est verificare or Hoc paratus est verificari per Recordum or of or for not alledging great point per Recordum but the Court shall give Judgment according to the very Right of the Cause as aforesaid without regarding any such Imperfections Omissions and Defects as any other Matter of like Nature except the same shall be specially and particularly set down and shewn for Cause of Demurrer

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term all the Statutes of Justices shall be extended to Judgments which shall at any Time afterwards be entered upon Confession shall dict or non vera informatus in any Court of Record And no such Judgment shall be reversed nor any Judgment upon any Writ of Enquiry of Damages awarded thereon be void or reversed for or by reason of any Imperfection Omission Defect Matter or Thing whatsoever which would have been aided and cured by any of the said Statutes of Justices in case a Verdict of Twelve Men had been given in the said Action or Suit as in them be an original Writ or Bill and Writings of Attorney duly filed according to the Law as is now used

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Attorney for the Plaintiff or Defendant in any Action or Suit shall file his Warrant of Attorney with the proper Officer of the Court where the Cause is depending the same Term he delivers And the Attorney for the Plaintiff or Tenant shall file his Warrant of Attorney as aforesaid the same Term he appears under the Penalties inflicted upon Attorneys by any former Law for Default of filing their Warrants of Attorney

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term it shall and may be lawful for any Defendant or Tenant in any Action or Suit or for any Plaintiff or Replevin in any Court of Record with the Leave of the same Court to plead as many several Matters therein as he shall think necessary for his Defence

Provided nevertheless That if any such [Matter] shall upon a Demurrer joyned be judged insufficient Cause shall be given at the Discretion of the Court or if a Verdict shall be found upon any Issue in the said Cause for the Plaintiff or Defendant Cases shall be also given in like Manner unless the Judge who tried the said Issue certify that the said Defendant or Tenant or Plaintiff or Replevin had a probable Cause to plead such Matter which upon the said Issue shall be found against him

And whereas great Delays do frequently happen in Trials by reason of Challenges to the Assays of Panels of Jurors and to the Trials for Default of Appearance for Perjury thereof for the future be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term every Verge facias for the Trial of any Issue in any Action or Suit in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster shall be awarded at the Body of the proper County where such Issue is triable

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act before contained shall extend to any Writ Declaration or Suit of Appeal of Felony or Murder or to any Indictment or Prosecution of Treason Felony or Murder or other Matter or to any Process upon any of them or to any Writ Bill Action or Information upon any Penal Statute

(1) This is Chapter XVI. in the Common ground Edition

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Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term in any Action brought in any of His Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster where it shall appear to the Court or any such Action are depending that it will be proper and necessary that the Jurors who are to try the Issue in any such Action should have the View of the Messuages Lands or Places in Question in order to their better understanding the Evidence that will be given upon the Tryals of such Issues in every such Case the better understanding the Evidence that will be given upon the Tryals of such Issues in every such Case the respective Courts in which such Actions shall be depending may order special Writs of Distringas or Habere Corpus to issue by which the Sheriff or such other Officer to whom the said Writs shall be directed shall be commanded to have Six out of the First Twelve of the Jurors named in such Writs or some greater Number of them at the Place in Question some convenient Time before the Tryal who then and there shall have the Matters in Question placed to them by Two Persons in the said Writs named to be appointed by the Court and the said Sheriff or other Officer who is to execute the said Writs shall by a special Return upon the same certify that the View hath been had according to the Command of the said Writs

VIII.  
Registres re-  
specting View by  
Juries

Sheriff to certify

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term all Grants or Conveyances thereafter to be made by Fine or otherwise of any Messuages or Houses or of the Reversion or Remainder of any Messuages or Lands shall be good and effectual in all Issues and Proceedings without any Attornment of the Tenants of any such Messuages or of the Land out of which such Rent shall be issuing or of the particular Tenants upon whose particular Estates any such Reversions or Remainders shall and may be exigent or depending as if their Attornment had been had and made

IX.  
Appointment of  
Tenants in what  
Cases not neces-  
sary.

Provided nevertheless That no such Tenant shall be prejudiced or damaged by Payment of any Rent to any such Grantor or Convee or by Breach of any Condition for Non-payment of Rent before Notice shall be given to him of such Grant by the Convee or Guarant

X.  
Process for Pay-  
ment of Rent

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term no Delivery Plea shall be received in any Court of Record unless the Party offering such Plea do by Affidavit prove the Truth thereof or show some probable Matter to the Court to induce them to believe that the Fact of such Delivery Plea is true

XI.  
Delivery Plea

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the [said<sup>st</sup>] First Day of Trinity Term where any Action [of Debt shall be brought upon any single Bill or where Action<sup>st</sup>] of Debt or Score issue shall be brought upon any Judgment if the Defendant hath paid the Money due upon such Bill or Judgment such Payment shall and may be pleaded in Bar of such Action or Suit and where an Action of Debt is brought upon any Bond which hath a Condition or Deforcance to make void the same upon Payment of a lesser Sum at a Day or Place certain if the Obligor his Heirs Executors or Administrators have before the Action brought paid to the Obligee his Executors or Administrators the Principal and Interest due by the Deforcance or Condition of such Bond though such Payment was not made strictly according to the Condition or Deforcance yet it shall and may nevertheless be pleaded in Bar of such Action and shall be as effectual a Bar thereof as if the Money had been paid at the Day and Place according to the Condition or Deforcance and had been so paid

XII.  
Time of Payment  
in Bar of Action  
of Debt, &c.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if at any Time pending an Action upon any such Bond with a Penalty the Defendant shall bring into [the<sup>st</sup>] Court where the Action shall be depending all the Principal Money and Interest due on such Bond and also all such Costs as have been expended in any Suit or Suits in Law or Equity upon such Bond the said Money so brought in shall be deemed and taken to be a full Satisfaction and Discharge of the said Bond and the Court shall and may give Judgment to discharge every such Defendant of and from the same accordingly

XIII.  
Principal, Interest,  
and Costs brought  
into Court pending  
Action upon Bond

Also whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Twentieth ninth Year of King Charles the Second intituled An Act for Prevention of Frauds and Perjuries it is enacted That no Nonsuitor Will shall be good where the Estate thereby bequeathed shall exceed the Value of Thirty Pounds that is not proved by the Oaths of Three Witnesses at the least that were present at the making thereof it is hereby declared That all such Witnesses are and ought to be allowed to be good Witnesses upon Tryals at Law by the Laws and Customs of this Realm shall be deemed good Witnesses to prove any Nonsuitor Will or any thing relating thereto

XIV.  
Record of Test  
of Cui-Dei - 2.  
14th.

What Witnesses  
good upon Trial

And whereas it hath been doubted whether since the making of the said last mentioned Act of Parliament the Declarations or Creations of Uses Trusts or Conferences of any Fines or common Recoveries confirmed by Dead writs after the laying or suffering of such Fines or Recoveries are good and effectual in Law it is hereby declared That all Declarations or Creations of Uses Trusts or Conferences of any Fines or common Recoveries of any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments confirmed and proved [or which hereafter shall be confirmed and proved] by any Dead already made or hereafter to be made by the Party who is in Law enabled to declare such Uses or Tenements after the laying or suffering of any such Fines or Recoveries [or] are and shall be as good and effectual in the Law as if the said last mentioned Act had not been made

XV.  
Provision for Decla-  
ration of Uses, &c.  
of Fines and Recov-  
eries, &c.

XVI.  
In what Cases  
Enters or Claims  
not good unless  
Action brought  
within a Year, and  
prosecuted.

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XVII.  
Limitation of Suits  
for Sums of Money  
Wages.

XVIII.  
Process for Plaintiffs  
in Cases of  
Tortious, &c. in  
such Suits.

XIX.  
And as to Defences  
beyond Sea in  
such Suits, and  
also as to Action of  
Tortious, Detention,  
&c.

XX.  
Process for Defendants  
in such Suits by Sheriff  
in Plaintiff's Case  
without Bail, and for  
such Plaintiff proceeding  
thereon, &c.

XXI.  
Warranties by  
Tenant for Life  
and Coloured  
Warranties by  
Ancestor having  
an Estate in Fee-  
simple, and as  
against Reversion  
&c. &c.

XXII.  
Subpoena, &c. in  
Equity suits in cases  
after Bill filed  
Ex parte.

XXIII.  
Order upon Plaintiff  
dissolving Bill, or

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term no Claim or Entry so be made or upon any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments shall be of any Force or Effect so avoid any Fine letted or to be letted with Procheinement according to the Form of the Statute in that Case made and provided in the Queen's Court of Chancery First at Westminster or in the Courts of Sessions in any of the Counties Palatine as in the Courts of Grand Sessions in Wales of any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments, or shall be a sufficient Entry or Claim within the Statute made in the Twenty first Year of King James the First inserted An Act for Limitation of Actions and for avoiding of Suits in Law unless upon such Entry or Claim an Action shall be commenced [within One Year next after the making of such Entry or Claim] and prosecuted with Effect

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Suits and Actions in the Court of Admiralty for Seamen Wages which shall become due after the said First Day of Trinity Term shall be commenced and sued within Six Years next after the Cause of such Suits or Actions shall accrue and not after

Provided nevertheless and be it further enacted That if any Person or Persons who is or shall be sued to any such Suit or Action for Seamen Wages he or shall be at the Time of any such Cause of Suit or Action accused fallen or come within the Age of Twenty one Years Four-Corner Men compass Maims imprisoned or beyond the Seas then such Person or Persons shall be at Liberty to bring the same Action so as they take the same within Six Years next after their coming to or being of full Age Discover of some Moneys at large and received from beyond the Seas

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons against whom there is or shall be any such Cause of Suit or Action for Seamen Wages or against whom there shall be any Cause of Action of Tortious Detention Adultery for Tresspass or Rape or for taking away Goods or Cattle or of Action of Account or upon the Case or of Debt grounded upon any Landing or Contract without Specialty of Her for Arrears of Rent or Assault Maim Battery Wounding and Imprisonment or any of them be or shall be at the Time of any such Cause of Suit or Action given or accused fallen or come beyond the Seas that the such Person or Persons who is or shall be so sued to any such Suit or Action shall be at Liberty to bring the said Actions against such Person and Persons after their Return from beyond the Seas [so as they take the same after their Return from beyond the Seas] within such Times as are respectively limited for the bringing of it and Actions before by this Act and by the said other Act made in the One and twentieth Year of the Reign of King James the First

Also be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Person shall be arrested from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term by any Writ Bill or Process issuing out of any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster at the Suit of any common Person and the Sheriff or other Officer deliver Bail from such Person against whom such Writ Bill or Process is taken out the Sheriff or other Officer at the Request of Court of the Plaintiff in such Action or Suit or his lawful Attorney shall weigh to the Plaintiff in such Action the Bail Bond or other Security taken from such Bail by endorsing the same and attesting it under his Seal and Seal in the Presence of Two or more credible Witnesses which may be done without [any] Stamp provided the Assignment so endorsed be duly stamped before any Action be brought thereupon And if the said Bail bond or Assignment or other Security taken for Bail be endorsed the Plaintiff in such Action after such Assignment made may bring an Action and Suit thereupon in his own Name and the Court where the Action is brought may by Rule or Rules of the same Court give such Relief to the Plaintiff and Defendant in the original Action and to the Bail upon the said Bond or other Security taken from such Bail as is agreeable to Justice and Reason and that such Rule or Rules of the said Court shall have the Nature and Effect of a Deforcance to such Bail Bond or other Security for Bail

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Warranties which shall be made after the said First Day of Trinity Term by any Tenant for Life of any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments the same described or coming to any Person in Reversion or Remainder shall be void and of none Effect and likewise all coloured Warranties which shall be made after the said First Day of Trinity Term of any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments by any Ancestor who has an Estate of Inheritance in Possession in the same shall be void against his Heir

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Subpoena or any other Process for Appearance do issue out of any Court of Equity till after [the Bill] is filed with the proper Officer in the respective Courts of Equity except in Cases of Bills for Equations to stay Writs or stay Suits at Law commenced and a Certificate thereof brought to the Subpoena Office or to him who usually makes out Subpoenas or other Process in the several Courts of Equity under the Hand of the Six Clerk or other Clerk or Officer who usually files Bills in Equity for which Certificate he shall receive no Fee

Also for the better preventing needless Suits in Courts of Equity be it [further] enacted That upon the Plaintiff dissolving his own Bill or the Defendant dissolving the same for want of Process the Plaintiff in

each Debt shall pay to the Defendant or Defendants his or their full Costs to be taxed by a Master and that no Copy *Abeyant* or Tenor of any Bill in Equity do go with the Defendant or Commission for taking the Defendants Answer but as in and recompence thereof the sworn Clerks of the Court of Chancery shall take to their own Use in all Cases the whole Term Fee of Three Shillings and Four Pence and also for whole Fee or Part of and for all small Writs made by the said sworn Clerks

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term this Act and all the Statutes of Justices shall extend to all Suits in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster for Recovery of any Debt immediately owing or any Revenue belonging to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors and shall also extend to all Courts of Record in the Counties Palatine of Lancaster Chester and Durham and the Principality of Wales and to all other Courts of Record within this Kingdom

And for the preventing great Trouble from suing out defective Writs of Error Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon the quashing any Writ of Error to be sued out after the said First Day of Trinity Term for Violence from the original Record or other Defect the Defendants in such Error shall recover against the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs banking out such Writ his Costs as he should have had if the Judgment had been affirmed and to be recovered in the same Manner

[And whereas great Trouble and Expence is frequently occasioned to the Widows and Orphans of Persons dying Intestate in Mortuaries or Wages due for Work done in Her Majesties Yards and Docks by Disputes happening about the Authority of granting Probate of the Wills and Letters of Administration of the Goods and Chattels of such Persons and for preventing such unnecessary Trouble and Expence Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Power of granting Probate of the Wills and Letters of Administration of the Goods and Chattels of such Persons and Persons respectively is and is hereby declared to be in the Ordinary of the Diocese or such other Persons to whom the ordinary Power of Probate of Wills or granting Letters of Administration do belong where such Persons and Persons shall respectively die and that the Salary Wages or Pay due to such Person or Persons from the Queens Majesty Her Heirs or Successors for Work done in any of the Yards or Docks shall not be taken or decreed to be bona rotunda whosoever to hinder the Jurisdiction of the Prærogative Court]

[And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of Trinity Term Actions of Account shall and may be brought and maintained against the Executors and Administrators of every Guardian Bailiff and Receiver and also by one Joynt Tenant and Tenant in Common his Executors and Administrators against the other as Bailiff for receiving moneys then comes to his joint Share or Proportion and against the Executor and Administrator of such Joynt Tenant or Tenant in Common and the Auditors appointed by the Court where such Actions shall be depending shall be and are hereby impowered to administer an Oath and examine the Parties touching the Matters in Question and for their Pains and Trouble in seeking and taking such Accounts have such Allowance as the Court shall judge to be reasonable to be paid by the Party on whose Side the Balance of the Account shall appear to be]

## CHAPTER IV. (1)

An Act to prevent Frauds frequently committed by Bankrupts.

See Part p. 1. 1. 1.

WHEREAS many Persons have and do daily become Bankrupt not so much by reason of Losses and unquenchable Misfortunes as to the Intent to defraud and hinder their Creditors of their just Debts and Deins so them due and owing For the Prevention thereof be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if any Person or Persons who from and after the Year and twentieth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six shall become a Bankrupt within the several Statutes made against Bankrupts or any of them and against whom a Commission of Bankrupts under the Great Seal of England shall be awarded and issued out shall not within Thirty Days next after Notice thereof in Writing shall be left at the Place of the usual Abode of such Person or Persons and Notice given in the Gazette that such Commission or Commissions is or are issued forth and of the Time and Place of a Meeting of the said Commissioners surrender him [her<sup>1</sup>] or themselves to the Commissioners named in the said Commission or some of them and submit to be examined from time to time upon Oath by and before the said Commissioners or the major Part of them by the said Commissioners authorized and in all Things conform to the several Statutes already made concerning Bankrupts and also upon such Examination fully and truly declare and discover how and in what Manner and to whom and upon what Consideration he she or they hath or have disposed assigned or transferred any of his [her<sup>2</sup>] or their Goods Wares Merchandises or any other Effects or Estates and all Books Papers and Writings relating thereto of which he she or they were possessed or is or to which he she or they were any way interested or entitled or which any Person or

Persons found Bankrupt, not upon Notice surrendering, &c.

and ought to be examined, and not making a full Declaration of their Estate.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule  
<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>3</sup> This is Chapter XXVII. in the Common printed Edition.

and deliver up  
the same to  
Commissioners.

Exemption.

Prison without  
Chargt.

III.  
Lord Chancellor  
may enlarge the  
Time.

III.  
Commissioners  
enabled to call  
before them Persons  
who are given an  
Account of  
Bankruptcy, &c.

and examine upon  
Oath, &c.

IV.  
Persons refusing  
to appear.

or to answer.

compelled to  
appear.

Commissioners may  
issue Warrants to  
arrest such Persons.

V.  
Upon Certificate  
of Commissioners,  
Judges, &c. may  
issue Warrants to  
apprehend Bank-  
rupts.

Guards to give  
Notice to Com-  
missioners.

Procecdings  
thereon.

Person had or have had in Trust for him, her or them or for his her or their Use at any Time before or after the making out of the said Commission, and also deliver up unto the said Commissioners or the major Part of the Commissioners by the said Commission authorized all such Part of his her or their the said Bankrupts Goods Wares Merchandises Effects and Estate and all Books Papers and Writings relating thereto as at the Time of such Examination shall be in his her or their Possession Custody or Power (his her or their and his her and their Wives and Childrens necessary wearing Apparel only excepted) then he she or they the said Bankrupts in case of any Default or wilful Omission therein or in any the Premises and being thereof lawfully convicted by Indictment or Information shall suffer as a Felon without the Benefit of Clergy.

Provision always and it is hereby declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper or Commissioners of the Great Seal of England for the Time being to enlarge the Time for such Person or Persons surrendering him her or themselves and declaring and discovering his her or their Estate and Effects as aforesaid to the Lord Chancellor Lord Keeper or Commissioners shall think fit not exceeding thirty Days so as such Order for so enlarging the Time be made by the said Lord Chancellor Lord Keeper or Commissioners five Days before the Time on which such Person or Persons was or were so to surrender him her or themselves and make such Discovery as aforesaid.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if from and after the said Year and twentieth Day of June a Commission of Bankruptcy under the Great Seal of England shall issue forth against any Person or Persons that then the Commissioners therein named or the major Part of them authorized to put the said Commission in Execution shall by virtue hereof and of the said Commission have full Power and Authority to send for and call before them by such Process Ways or Means as they in their Discretions shall think convenient all and every such Person and Persons as they shall be informed and believe can give any Account or Information of any Act or Acts of Bankruptcy committed by such Person or Persons against whom such Commission shall issue forth and upon their Appearance to examine them and every of them as well upon their Oaths as otherwise by such Ways and Means as the said Commissioners or such major Part of them are by Law authorized to examine touching or concerning such Bankrupts Estate touching any Act or Acts of Bankruptcy committed by such Person or Persons against whom such Commission shall issue forth.

And if any Person or Persons upon Payment or Tender and Refusal to accept of such reasonable Charge shall refuse or neglect to come and appear not having a lawful Excuse to be made known to the said Commissioners and by them allowed or being come before them shall refuse to be sworn or being of the People called Quins to take the solemn Affirmations by Law appointed for such People or being sworn or having taken such Affirmance shall refuse to answer all such Questions as by the said Commissioners shall be put unto him her or them relating to any Act of Bankruptcy committed by the Person or Persons against whom such Commission is awarded according to the true Intent and Meaning of the Act that then it shall and may be lawful for the said Commissioners or such major Part of them to commit to such Prison as to them shall be thought meet all such Person or Persons and also to direct their Warrants or Warrants to such Person or Persons as the said Commissioners or greater Part of them shall think meet to apprehend and arrest such Person or Persons as shall so refuse to appear and to commit such Person or Persons to such Prison as the said Commissioners or such major Part of them shall think meet there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until such Time as such Person or Persons shall submit him or her self to the said Commissioners and be by them examined according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act Provided that no Person shall be obliged to travel above Twenty Miles to be so examined.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon Certificate made and granted under the Seals and Seals of the said Commissioners or such major Part of them that such Commission is issued forth and such Person or Persons proved before them to become Bankrupt that then it shall and may be lawful to and for all or any of the Judges of Her Majesties Courts of Queens Bench Common Pleas or Court of Exchequer and to and for all and every the Justices of the Peace within the Kingdom of England Duchy of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed (and they are hereby empowered and required upon Application to them for that Purpose made) to grant his or their Warrants or Warrants under his or their Hands and Seals as well for the taking and apprehending such Person or Persons and him her or them to commit to the Common Goal of the County where he she or they shall be so taken and apprehended there to remain until he she or they shall be there removed by Order of the said Commissioners or such major Part of them by Warrant under their Hands and Seals and the Goaler or Keeper to whose Comdty such Person or Persons shall be committed is hereby required forthwith to give Notice to some One of the said Commissioners in the said Commission named of such Person or Persons being in his or their Custody to the Intent the said Commissioners may send their Warrants to the said Goaler or Keeper (which they are hereby empowered and required forthwith to send) for the delivering such Bankrupt or Bankrupts to the Person or Persons named in such Warrant and thereby authorized to receive such Person to the said Commissioners in order to such Examination and Discovery is aforesaid as also to take and seize any the Wares Goods Merchandises or Effects of such Person or Persons or any of his her or their Books Papers or Writings or any other his [his'] or their Real or Personal Estate.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if such Person or Persons so apprehended and taken within the said Thirty Days shall submit to be examined and in all Things conform as if he had surrendered himself so by this Act such Bankrupt or Bankrupts is or are required that such Person or Persons so submitting and conforming shall have the Benefit of this Act in all Intents and Purposes as if he had voluntarily come in and surrendered himself Any thing herein to the contrary notwithstanding

VI  
Bankrupt apprehended submitting to be examined, to have the Benefit of voluntary Surrender

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall by reason of this Act incur the Penalty of Felony that then such Felons Goods and Estate shall go to and be divided amongst the Creditors asking Relief by such Commission Any Law Usage or Custom to [the contrary in] any way notwithstanding

VII  
Felons Goods to go to Creditors

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons so becoming Bankrupt as aforesaid who shall within the Time limited by this Act surrender him or themselves to the major Part of the Commissioners therein named and in all things conform as in and by this Act is directed shall be allowed the Sum of Five Pounds per Centum out of the next Proceed of all the Estate that shall be recovered and returned on such Discovery which shall be paid unto him by the Assignee or Assignees of the said Commissioners as in the said Five Pounds per Centum shall not amount to the whole to above the Sum of Two hundred Pounds and shall be discharged from all Debts by him or her or them due and owing at the Time that he or she or they did become Bankrupt and in case any such Bankrupt shall afterwards be arrested prosecuted or imprisoned for any Debt due before such Time as he or she or they became Bankrupt such Bankrupt shall be discharged upon Common Bail and shall and may give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and if a Verdict pass for the Defendant or the Plaintiff shall become sanctioned or Judgment be given against the Plaintiff the Defendant shall recover his Costs as in other Cases

VIII  
Allowance to Bankrupt duly surrendering.

and Discharge from Debts and Issues Arising.

Provided always and be it hereby declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if the next Proceed of such Bankrupt Estate so to be discovered recovered and received together with what shall be otherwise recovered and received shall not amount to so much as will pay all and every the Creditors of such Bankrupt the Sum of Eight Shillings in the Pound after all Charges first had and deducted that then and in such Case such Bankrupt shall not be allowed the [said] Sum of Five Pounds per Centum of such Estate as shall be so recovered but shall be allowed and paid by the Assignees to such Money as the said Assignees and the major Part of the said Commissioners shall think fit to allow to such Bankrupt and no more

IX  
Persons whose Effects do not produce to in the Pound

Act for the better Discovery of the said Bankrupt Estate in case he or she or they shall refuse or neglect to surrender him or themselves and conform to this Act as aforesaid be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons who shall have accepted of any Trust or Trusts and concealed or prevent any Estate either Real or Personal of any Person becoming Bankrupt as aforesaid from his or her or their Creditors and shall not within Thirty Days next after such Commission shall move forth and Notice thereof given to such Person or Persons [discover and] declare such Trust and Estate in Writing to some One of the Commissioners and submit himself to be examined by the Commissioners or such major Part of them as by the said Commissioners shall be authorized and truly discover the same shall forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds and Double the Value of the Estate either Real or Personal so concealed to and for the Use and Benefit of the said Creditors to be recovered by Action of Debt in any of His Majesties Courts of Record in the Name of the Assignees of the said Commissioners in which Case Costs shall be allowed to either Party as in other common Cases

X  
Persons hiding Bankrupts Estate in Trust, to not discovering upon Notice.

Penalty.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons who shall within Sixty Days next after the Time allowed to such Bankrupt to surrender himself and conform as aforesaid voluntarily come in and make Discovery of any Part of such Bankrupts Estate before the major Part of the said Commissioners shall be allowed the Sum of Three Pounds per Centum out of the next Proceed of all that shall be recovered on such Discovery which shall be paid to the Person or Persons so discovering the same by the Assignee or Assignees to whom the same shall be assigned

XI  
Allowance to Person discovering so within Sixty Days after Time allowed for Surrender of Bankrupt.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where there shall appear to the Commissioners or the major Part of them that there hath been mutual Credit given between such Person or Persons against whom such Commission shall issue forth and any Person or Persons who shall be Debtor or Debtors to such Person or Persons and due Proof thereof made and that the Accounts are open and unbalanced that then it shall be lawful for the Commissioners in the said Commission named or the major Part of them or the Assignee or Assignees of such Commission to adjust the said Account and to take the Balance due in full Discharge thereof and the Person Debtor to such Bankrupt shall not be compelled or obliged to pay more than shall appear to be due on such Balance

XII  
Provision for Cases of mutual Credit between Bankrupt and his Debtor.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act shall be construed to extend to grant any Privilege Benefit or Advantage to any Bankrupt whatsoever against whom a Commission under the Great Seal shall issue forth who hath for or upon Marriage of any of his or her Children given

XIII  
To what Case no Benefit to Bankrupt who has advanced alone

given to his Child  
or Marriage

advanced or paid above the Value of One hundred Pounds unless he or she shall prove by his or her [Books fairly kept or otherwise and upon his or her] Oath before the major Part of the Commissioners in such Commission named that he or she had at the Time thereof over and above the Value so given advanced or paid remaining in Goods Wares Debts ready Money or other Real or Personal Estate sufficient to pay and satisfy unto each and every Person to whom he or she was any way indebted their full and entire Debts

XIV.  
Commissioners to  
appoint Meetings

PROVIDED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Commissioners or the major Part of them shall appoint within the said Thirty Days not less than Three several Meetings for (") the Purposes aforesaid the last of which shall be on the said Thirtieth Day lastly limited for such Bankrupts Appearance

XV.  
In Actions for  
receiving Debt,

PROVIDED always and be it hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall be sued or prosecuted by any Action Bill Plea or Information for any Thing done or to be done by him her or them in Prosecution of this Act it shall and may be lawful to and for each Person or Persons to plead the General Issue and to give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence

General Issue.

XVI.  
Bankrupt having  
lost Money or  
Goods, as before  
mentioned, not  
incapable to Benefit

PROVIDED also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to give or grant any Liberty Privilege Benefit or Advantage in this Act mentioned to any Person whatsoever against whom a Commission of Bankruptcy shall be awarded who shall have lost in any one Day the Sum or Value of Five Pounds or in the whole the Sum or Value of One hundred Pounds within the Space or Term of Twelve Months next preceding his or her becoming a Bankrupt in playing at or with Cards Dice Tables Tennis Bowles Shovel board or in or by Cock Fightings Horse Races Dog Matches or Foot Races or other Pastimes Games or Games whatsoever or in or by leaving a Share or Part in the Stocks Wagers or Adventures or in or by being on the Sides or Bands of such as do or shall play act ride or run as aforesaid

XVII.  
Continuance of  
Act.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall continue and be in Force for the Space of Three Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament and no longer

XVIII.  
Process for  
discovery, and  
allowance to be  
examined by  
Persons declared  
Bankrupt before  
such Month 1705

AND for the better Encouragement of such Persons as already are become Bankrupts to make a true and full Discovery of their Estates and to deliver the same up for the Use and Benefit of their Creditors be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons who are become Bankrupts and again when a Commission of Bankruptcy hath issued before the Twelfth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five who shall voluntarily on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six surrender him her or themselves to the Commissioners in such Commission named or the major Part of them and submit to be examined from time to time upon Oath by and before the said Commissioners or the major Part of them and in all Things conform to the several Statutes already made concerning Bankrupts and in this present Act shall to all Intents and Purposes have the Benefit of this Act

XIX.  
Such Persons  
surrendering to  
discover Estates.

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if such Person or Persons voluntarily surrendering him her or themselves shall afterwards neglect or omit to discover and deliver his or her or their Estates and Effects and in every Thing set and do as in this Act is directed every such Person or Persons shall be taken and adjudged to be a fraudulent Bankrupt within the true Intent and Meaning of the Act and thereof being lawfully convicted shall suffer as a Felon without the Benefit of Clergy

Telery.

XX.  
Bankrupt not to  
sue, unless Creditors  
consent, as before  
mentioned.

[<sup>1</sup> FURTHER also and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Discovery upon Oath to be made by any Bankrupt of his or her Estate and Effects pursuant to this Act shall entitle such Bankrupt to the Benefit allowed by this Act unless the Commissioners of Bankrupts or the greater Part of them that shall be named in the Commission named or to be named against him or her shall in Writing under their Hands and Seals certify to the Lord Chancellor of England Lord Keeper or Commissioners for the Custody of the Great Seal of England for the Time being that such Bankrupt hath made Discovery of his Estate and Effects and in all Things conformed himself according to the Directions of this Act and that there doth not appear to them any Reason to doubt of the Truth of such Discovery or that the same is not a full Discovery of all such Bankrupts Estate and Effects and unless such Certificate shall be allowed and confirmed by the Lord Chancellor Lord Keeper or Commissioners for the Custody of the Great Seal of England for the Time being as by such Two of the Judges of the [Court] of Queen's Bench Chancery Pleas and Court of Exchequer as Witnesses to whom the Consideration of such Certificate shall be referred by the Lord Chancellor Lord Keeper or Commissioners for the Custody of the Great Seal of England for the Time being and the Creditors of such Bankrupts are to be allowed to be heard if they shall think fit before the respective Persons aforesaid against the making such Certificate and against the Confirmation thereof.]

and Certificate  
allowed.

Creditors may be  
heard against  
Admission.

XXI.  
Persons not to Com-  
missioners, but  
may sue and drinking.

[<sup>2</sup> AND whereas Commissions of Bankruptcy have been often executed with great Expence in suing and drinking at the Meetings of the Commissioners or some of them (which named) to the great Prejudice of the Bankrupts and their Creditors be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall not be paid or allowed by the Creditors or out of the Estate of the Bankrupts any Monies whatsoever for Expences in suing or drinking of the Commissioners or of any other Persons at the Times of the Meetings of the said Commissioners or of

<sup>1</sup> inserted on the Bill

<sup>2</sup> for G.

<sup>3</sup> inserted to the Original Act in a separate Schedule

<sup>4</sup> Court G.



any of the Creditors or others in order to execute or prepare Writs for the Execution of such Commission And if any Person or Persons named or to be named as a Commissioner or Commissioners in any such Commission shall order any such Expenses to be made or out or drunk at any such Meeting at the Charge of the Creditors or out of the Estate of such Bankrupt every such Commissioner so offending shall be disabled for ever after to sit as a Commissioner in such or any other Commission founded on the Statute made against Bankrupts]

Commissioner  
offending, disabled.

## CHAPTER V. (1)

An Act for enlarging the Pier and Harbour of Patten in the County of Cumberland.

Est. Post  
§ 3 & 4.  
Reasons for  
passing the Act.

WHEREAS the Harbour at Patten in the County of Cumberland is not capable of receiving Ships or Vessels sufficient for the Coal Trade which might be carried on there but might be so enlarged by carrying the Pier further into the Sea as to make it capable of receiving Ships sufficient for the same which would not only tend much to the better supplying [of] the Maritime Ports of Cumberland Westmoreland and Lancashire and the Kingdom of Ireland with Coals but also advance Her Majesty's Customs be of Improvement to the Coal Trade of considerable Advantage to that Part of the Country a Means of increasing Safety and a Place of Safety to Ships and Vessels when they cannot reach the neighboring Harbours or when the neighboring Harbours have a greater Number of Ships than can lie there without great Hassel and Damage to both Ships and Loading but inasmuch as to effect the same would cost more than the Inhabitants of Patten can raise Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the First Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six the Pier and Wharf and wharf the full End and Term of Eleven Years then next ensuing and fully to be completed and ended there shall be paid unto the Trustees hereinafter named their Collectors or Deputies (that is to say) To Thomas Fletcher of Morelby and Thomas Lamplugh of Lamplugh both of the said County of Cumberland Esqrs and their Heirs for the Time being Sir William Pennington Baronet Sir Richard Mayne Baronet Sir James Mountrayne Knight George Fleisher Richard Mayne Thomas Setwin The Honourable James Stables Robert Lamplugh and Thomas Addison Esquires Richard Senhouse senior Peter Senhouse William Perry Rowland Jackson Robert [Blacklock] Clement Nicholson Thomas Lawridge Elmer Gale Hulse Gale John Gale junior Nathaniel Dixon Reel Mallock Robert Warren William Dixon of Morelby John Dickson of Lamplugh Richard Sanderson John Shephard and Peter Walker Gent all of the said County for and towards the enlarging deepening cleansing maintaining and repairing the said Pier and Harbour by every Coal Owner or Proprietor of Coals that shall deliver or put or cause to be delivered or put any Coals on board any Ship or Vessel there Two Pence for every One hundred and ninety two Gallons of Coals to be paid within Ten Days after such Coals are shipped and also by every Master or Owner of any Ship that shall load or take any Coals on board any Ship or Vessel there Two Pence for every One hundred and ninety two Gallons of Coals to be taken and from and after the End and Expiration of the said Term of Eleven Years One Farthing for every One hundred and ninety two Gallons of Coals which shall be shipped or taken on board any Ship or Vessel there to be paid by the Master or Owner of the Ship or Vessel [so] shipping or taking such Coals on board there the said respective Sums of Two Pence for Eleven Years and One Farthing for ever hereafter to be paid upon reasonable Demand after the Shipping the said Coals and before each respective Ship go out of the said Harbour or proceed upon any such Voyage

Duties upon Coal  
to be paid to  
Trustees hereinafter  
named.

And to the End the said Duties and Payments aforesaid may be duly collected levied and paid to the Uses and Purposes aforesaid be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Trustees or the major Part of them from time to time and at all Times hereafter to [choose nominate] and appoint such Person or Persons to be Collector or Collectors of all and every the Duties Sums or Sums of Money payable by this Act as they or the major Part of them shall think fit

II.  
Trustees to appoint Collectors  
of Duties.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such Sums and Sums of Money so to be collected and paid as aforesaid shall be paid to such Collector and Collectors as aforesaid and shall be by such Collector and Collectors from time to time paid over into the Hands of such Person or Persons as shall be appointed by the Trustees aforesaid or the major Part of them to be the Receiver or Receivers of the same so and for the Uses Intents and Purposes aforesaid

III.  
Collectors to pay  
over to Receiver.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such Money as shall be from time to time and at all Times received gathered and collected by virtue or in pursuance of this Act shall be used and employed for and towards the enlarging deepening cleansing and repairing the said Harbour and keeping the same continually in good Repair and shall not be employed or directed to any other Use or Purpose whatsoever except the necessary Charge of collecting the same which shall not exceed Six Pence in the Pound Sterling and the Charge of passing this Act of Parliament

IV.  
Duties to be  
applied to Harbours.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XVIII. in the Common printed Edition.    <sup>2</sup> inserted in the Revis.    <sup>3</sup> Blacklock G.    <sup>4</sup> persons chosen G.

V.  
Trustees to take  
Security for  
Revenue and  
Collectors.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Trustees for the said several Duties and Sums aforesaid shall take of the said Receiver or Receivers Collector or Collectors good and sufficient Security as well for the answering and paying the Money that shall be by him or them respectively collected or received and for every Part thereof unto such Person [and] Persons and in such Manner and Form as the Trustees aforesaid or the major Part of them under their Hands and Seals shall order direct and appoint and so otherwise as they for their giving and making a true Account of all the Money by him or them respectively received and of when and of all the Money by him or them disbursed and to whom and by what Order

VI.  
Trustees to meet  
in the Harbour

Also that the said Trustees or the major Part of them shall meet at least Once every Year at Parson's Wharf the first and last Days of May or otherwise if they think fit to take the Accounts order regulate and examine the Affairs of that Harbour according to the Powers given them by this Act and keep an Account of the same in Writing Provided [that] the said Collector and Collectors to be nominated and chosen as aforesaid shall from time to time be allowed for their Pains in executing the said Office out of the said Sums or Sums of Money by him or them received so much as the said Trustees or the major Part of them shall think fit not exceeding the Price in the Pound

VII.  
If Duty not paid,  
Collector may  
distress, but

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case the Sums or Sums of Money ordered and appointed as aforesaid to be paid by such Proprietor or Owner of Coals which shall ship or cause to be shipped any Coals on board any Ship or Vessel at Parson's Wharf shall not be paid by such Owner or Owners Proprietor or Proprietors respectively within Ten Days next after such Coals shall be shipped on board such Ship respectively according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act then and so often it shall and may be lawful to and for the Collector and Collectors for the Time being and every or any of them from time to time and at all Times hereafter convenient and reasonable by Warrant first obtained from Two of the Trustees under their Hands and Seals to take and distress all such Coals of or belonging to such Owner or Owners Proprietor or Proprietors as shall come to Parson's Wharf and the Coals House or Houses drawing or carrying the same and the said Cart or Wagon containing the same and the same to seize and keep until he or they be satisfied and paid the said Sums or Sums of Money imposed by this Act and in case of Neglect or Delay of or in Payment of the said Sums or Sums or any of them or any Part thereof within Those Days next after such Distress or Distresses as to be taken that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the Collector or Collectors and every or any of them to sell the said Distress or Distresses so taken and therewith to satisfy him or themselves as well for and concerning the said Duty so neglected or delayed to be paid and for which any Distress or Distresses shall be so taken as aforesaid and also for his and their reasonable Charges in taking or keeping such Distress or Distresses rendering to the Master or Owner of such Coals Cart Wagon Sack or Haul of or from whom such Distress shall be taken the Overplus if any shall be

and sell Distress,  
for

VIII.  
Collector may seize  
Ship and take  
account of Coals,  
and if Duty not  
paid, he distress,  
&c.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Collector and Collectors for the Time being and every or any of them from time to time and at all Times convenient and reasonable to enter into any Ship or Vessel within the said Port or Harbour of Parson to take Account of what Coals shall be shipping or loading aboard any Ship or Vessel there and in case the Sums or Sums of Money ordered and appointed as aforesaid shall not be paid by the Master or other Person or Persons having the Rate or Command of any Ship or Vessel which shall load there as aforesaid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act then and so often as the said Duty or Duties shall be unpaid for Ten Days after the Ship or Vessel is laden it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collector and Collectors and every or any of them by Warrant first obtained from Two of the Trustees under their Hands and Seals to take and distress every such Ship and all Tackle Apparel and Furniture thereunto belonging or any Part thereof and the same to seize and keep until he or they be satisfied and paid the said Sums of Money imposed by this Act and in case of Neglect or Delay of or in Payment of the said Sums or Sums or any of them or any Part thereof within Those Days next after any such Distress or Distresses so to be taken that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the Collector or Collectors and every or any of them to sell the said Distress or Distresses so taken and therewith to satisfy him or themselves as well for and concerning the said Duty so neglected or delayed to be paid and for which any Distress or Distresses shall be so taken as aforesaid and also for his and their reasonable Charges in taking or keeping such Distress or Distresses rendering to the Master or other Person or Persons having the Rate or Command of the Ship or Vessel of or from which such Distress shall be so taken the Overplus if any shall be

Proceedings  
thereon

IX.  
Officers of the  
Customs to be  
paid Comptrol or  
take Report  
whereof, and  
Duty paid, &c.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Comptrol of Her Majesty's Customs Comptrols Receiver of Entries of Ships Surveyor Searcher Water or other Officer whatsoever of or concerning the said Customs of the said Harbour of Parson shall hereafter give or make any Cocher or other Discharge or take any Report Overboard for any Ship Bark or Vessel so loaded with Coals as aforesaid as or in the said Harbour aforesaid until the Duties and Payments hereby granted due and payable by the Master or other Person taking Charge of such Ship Bark or Vessel according to the Tenor and true Meaning of this Act shall be paid unto the respective Collectors Deputies or Assigns appointed to receive the same as aforesaid and that such Master or Masters or other Persons taking Charge of such Ship Bark or other Vessel do produce and shew forth an Acquittance under the Hand of such Deputy or Officer testifying the Receipt thereof which Receipt such Collector

or Officer is hereby obliged to give without Fee or Reward otherwise to furnish Ten Pounds to the said Trustees or any seven of them to enter into Contracts and make Bargains with any Workmen Artificers Masons Smiths or other Persons bona fide for the making and doing all and every or any Part of the Work or Business of or about repairing deepning enlarging or cleaning and keeping in Repair the said Pier and Harbour

Penalty 40s.

Penalty 40s.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Trustees or any seven of them to assign the Place for building and carrying on the said Pier for enlarging the said Harbour upon such Ground between High and low Water Mark as they or any seven of them shall think fit or necessary for the better effecting and carrying on the same and to order the getting digging removing or taking away any Stones Gravel Sand or other Impediment which might hinder or obstruct the said Harbour or the making or supporting thereof and the same to remove from any one Part to any other Part of the said Ground as Purges lowest high and low Water Mark and to have free Liberty for the doing all necessary Things there for the improving the said Harbour and Pier

X.  
Trustees may contract for Works.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Trustees or any seven of them to assign the Place for building and carrying on the said Pier for enlarging the said Harbour upon such Ground between High and low Water Mark as they or any seven of them shall think fit or necessary for the better effecting and carrying on the same and to order the getting digging removing or taking away any Stones Gravel Sand or other Impediment which might hinder or obstruct the said Harbour or the making or supporting thereof and the same to remove from any one Part to any other Part of the said Ground as Purges lowest high and low Water Mark and to have free Liberty for the doing all necessary Things there for the improving the said Harbour and Pier

XI.  
Trustees may assign Place for carrying on Pier.

And for as much as the Money to be collected by such Collection and Receipt as aforesaid may not at present raise such a Stock or Sum of Money as may be sufficient for the speedy enlarging cleaning deepning and repairing the Pierment it is hereby further enacted That the said Trustees or any seven of them may and are hereby empowered to mortgage the Profits arising by the said Duties for such Sum or Sums of Money by them to be borrowed for the Purpose aforesaid and by Indenture under their Hands and Seals or any seven of them to grant and transfer the said Profits and convey the same to any Person or Persons that shall advance any present Sum or Sums of Money as lent with Interest for the same after the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum for every One hundred Pounds which Money shall be employed in and about the enlarging cleaning deepning and repairing the said Pier and Harbour and not otherwise

XII.  
Trustees may mortgage Duties.

40s per Cent per Annum

Provided always That the Trustees shall not mortgage the Profits arising from or by the Duties aforesaid nor borrow upon the same above the Sum of Fifteen hundred Pounds Sterling

XIII.  
Profits as to Amount.

And if the Duties of Two Pence for every One hundred and ninety two Gallons to be paid by the Proprietors of Coals and Two Pence for every One hundred and ninety two Gallons to be paid by the Masters or Owners of Ships hereby granted for Eleven Years shall raise the Sum of Sixteen hundred Pounds one and above the necessary Charge for collecting the same and Interest for so much as shall be advanced at the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum and also over and above the Expenses of passing this Act of Parliament in less than Eleven Years for which they are granted that then from and after the Time that so much Money is or shall be raised the several Duties of Two Pence for every One hundred and ninety two Gallons of Coals to be paid by the Proprietors and Two Pence for every One hundred and ninety two Gallons of Coals to be paid by the Masters of Ships as aforesaid shall cease and determine Any thing herein before contained to the contrary notwithstanding and only the Duty of One Farthing for every One hundred and ninety two Gallons of Coals as aforesaid to continue for ever after

XIV.  
In what case and at what Time Duties to cease.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Accounts voted by the Trustees or the major Part of them relating to the said Pier shall at the next General Quarter Sessions to be holden for the County of Cumberland after the making the said Accounts if thereto required be laid before the Justice of the Peace of the said County by the Trustees or any seven of them or by some other Person appointed by them and the said Justice are hereby empowered to examine the same and if they shall find any Person guilty of mispending or misapplying any Part of the Money which shall be raised by virtue of this Act they shall and are hereby empowered to impose any Fine not exceeding Twelve the Money so misapplied upon the Person that is guilty of it And if the said Accounts shall not be laid before the Justice of the Peace if thereto required it is hereby directed that then it shall and may be lawful for the said Justice of the Peace in open Session to impose any Fine not exceeding Forty Pounds for every such Defect of the said Trustees One Money whereof shall be to the Use of the Queen Her Heirs and Successors and the other Money to the repairing and mending the said Pier and Harbour

XV.  
Accounts of Trustees laid before Justice Sessions for Cumberland.

Penalty.

And be it further enacted That as any of the said Trustees shall depart this Life other than the said Thomas Fletcher and Thomas Langley the Executors or the major Part of them are required and are hereby authorized

XVI.  
How Executors of Trustees supplied.

within Forty Days next after such Death to elect and choose another or others into the Place or Places of him or them so dying who is and are to have the same Power and Authority and are hereby required to act in the Premises in the Person or Persons so dying should or ought to have done

XVII.  
Thames Dock,  
Sec. 1705 the  
Harbour.

Penalty.

AND for the keeping the said Harbour clean he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First Day of September next no Person or Persons whatsoever shall presume to throw or carry any Rubbish or Dirt Ashes Earth Rubbish Stones or do any other Annoyance to the said Harbour the Matter of which Annoyances shall be examined and determined by the said Trustees or any Seven of them who are hereby empowered to impose such Fine or Fines upon any Person or Persons so offending the said Fine or Fines not to exceed Forty Shillings to be applied towards the building and keeping in repair the said Pier and Harbour to be recovered as aforesaid

XVIII.  
In Action for  
receiving Act,

General Issue

Full Costs

Public Act.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for any Thing that he or they shall do or cause to be done in pursuance of this Act and executing any of the Powers and Authorities or any of the Orders or Directions therein mentioned all and every Person and Persons so sued in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and if in any such Suit the Plaintiff or Prosecutor shall become Nonsuit or forbear Prosecution or discontinuance the Suit or if a Verdict shall pass against him or Judgment given against him upon a Demurrer then in any of the said Cases the Defendant or Defendants shall recover full Costs for which he and they shall have the like Remedy as where Costs by Law are awarded and this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts within this Kingdom as a Publick Act and all Judges and Justices are hereby required to take Notice thereof as such without special Pleading [of] the same

#### CHAPTER VI. (\*)

Sec. 1705 & 6. An Act for the Encouragement and Encouragement of Seamen and for the better and speedier Manning Her Majesties Fleet.

Mayors, Justices,  
Sec. to make Search  
for Seamen, and  
seize them for  
His Majesty's  
Service.

FOR the better providing of Seamen, and able bodied Landmen for the Service of Her Majesties Navy Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every the Justices of the Peace within the several Counties Ridings and Places of this Realm and the Division of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed and all the Mayors Bailiffs and other Chief Magistrates of the respective Cities Boroughs and Towns Corporate within the same and every of them shall and they and every of them respectively is and are by this Act authorized and required from time to time until the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six to make and cause to be made Diligent Search for all such Seamen and Seafaring Men as lie hid withdrawn or conceal themselves and shall cause all such Seamen and Seafaring Men so aforesaid which shall be found or discovered to be taken up secured and delivered over for Her Majesties Service at Sea to this Act directs.

II.  
Two Justices may  
upon Application  
to issue Warrants  
to make Search  
for Seamen.

AND for the more effectual doing thereof it is hereby enacted That any Two or more of the Justices of the Peace of the several Counties and Ridings aforesaid within their respective Divisions and the Mayor Bailiff Head Officer or Officers of every City or Town Corporate having Jurisdiction of the Peace together with One or more Justices of the Peace [of the same City or Town Corporate respectively or in Default of such Justices then with One or more Justices of the Peace] of the County wherein the said City or Town is situate within their several Jurisdictions at any Time or Times before and until the said First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six (upon any Application or Applications to them respectively to be made by such Person or Persons who shall be authorized by Her Majesty under Her Royal Sign Manual or by the Lord High Admiral of England or by any Three or more of the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of England for the Time being to receive and conduct such Seamen) shall issue their Warrants to all and every the High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs and Tythingmen or other Officers and Inhabitants or any of them within their respective Jurisdictions or to the High Constables for sending their Procees to the Petty Constables and other Officers aforesaid (who have hereby Power to call to their Assistance such and so many of the other Inhabitants as may be needed to enable them to perform this Service to make a general Privy Search or so many [general] Privy Searches as may most conduce to Her Majesties Service within every Hundred Division City Corporation and in every Parish Village Hamlet and Place therein every such Search to be made in such Night as shall be specified in the said Warrants respectively for the finding out taking and securing all such Seamen and Seafaring Men so aforesaid and for bringing them before the said Justices of the Peace or Magistrates at such Time and Place as shall be prefixed in the said Warrants within Five Days at the furthest after the making forth of such Warrants respectively and the said High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs Tythingmen Officers and others who

(\*) inserted in the Roll.

\* This is Chapter XXX. in the Quaker printed Edition.

shall be charged with the Execution of the said Warrants or Precepts shall carefully and diligently perform their Duties therein according to the Tenor thereof and of this Act at all Times before and until the said First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six under such Pain and Penalties as are herein after expressed.

And it is hereby enacted That the said Justices of the Peace and Magistrates respectively shall assemble and meet together at the Times or Times and Place or Places to be prefixed in the said Warrants and they together with such other Justices of Peace of the same Hundred Division City Place or Portwich as shall then be present or the major Part of them that present shall examine the Persons which shall be so brought before them and if they find them to be such Seamen or Seafaring Men as aforesaid shall cause them forthwith to be delivered over to the Person or Persons appointed to receive and conduct them as aforesaid to be conveyed into Her Majesty's Service at Sea.

And it is hereby declared That in the making of such general Search or Searches as aforesaid within the Time before limited it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Officers appointed to make the same or any of them to enter into any House Outhouse or other Place where such Officer or Officers shall suspect any such Seamen to be concealed and if Entrance be not readily admitted then to open the Doors to make such Search.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That at the said Day or Days of Meeting of the said Justices and Magistrates respectively the High Constables of the respective Hundreds or Divisions and all and every the Petty Constables Headboroughs and Tythingmen of every Township and Place shall appear before the said Justices and Magistrates respectively and give account of the Execution of the respective Warrants and Precepts to them directed as aforesaid and of their Doings in the Performance of Her Majesty's Service in the Premises and the said Justices of the Peace and Magistrates respectively as the major Part of them present have hereby Power to examine them or any of them or any others upon Oath concerning the same and to impose a Fine not exceeding Five Pounds upon any of them respectively for not appearing or for any Neglect Contrivance or other Offence in the Premises and to levy such Fine by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods for the Use of the Poor of the Parish where such Offence shall be committed.

Provided always That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to the sending into the Sea Service any Seafaring Men who hath not actually been employed at Sea since Her Majesty's happy Accession to the Crown.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Seaman or Seafaring Man who shall be taken and delivered as aforesaid shall have his Pay commencing from the Time of such Delivery and also from the same Time shall be deemed a Seaman or Mariner in Her Majesty's Service as much as if he had received Wages or been mustered.

And if such Seaman or Seafaring Man shall wilfully desert or run away from his Conductor such Desertion or running away shall be judged Felony without Benefit of Clergy and the Justice of every County Riding Division City Town or Place or any of them where any such Seaman shall be taken shall have full Power by virtue of this Act to commit such Offender to the Common Goal in order to be tried and punished for the said Offence.

And it is hereby further enacted That upon the Delivery of every such Seaman or Seafaring Man as aforesaid to the respective Persons that shall be appointed to receive and conduct them as aforesaid such Persons as appointed shall out of the Money given for the Service of the Navy to be put into their Hands for this Purpose pay for every such Seaman or Seafaring Man the Sum of Twenty Shillings as a Reward to the Constable or other Officer who discovered and secured the said Seaman and for detraying his Charges in the said Service and if more than One shall be concerned in the Discovery taking or securing of the said Seamen then the said Rewards shall be distributed amongst them at the Discretion of the said Justice or Chief Magistrate respectively which said Constables or Persons receiving the said Rewards shall give Receipts for the same to the said Conductors which shall be allowed upon their Accounts and the said Conductors shall likewise give Receipts under their Hands to the said Constables or other Officers respectively for every Seaman so delivered.

And it is hereby declared That Conduct Money for conveying and subsisting the said Seamen till they are on board some of Her Majesty's Ships or Vessels in Sea Pay shall be furnished and allowed according to the present Usage of the Navy.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons whatsoever shall procure to harbour or conceal any Seaman or Seafaring Man liable to be taken upon this Act or shall wilfully do any Act or Thing whereby the Execution of this Act in the searching for taking securing or conducting such Seamen is aforesaid shall be hindered or frustrated or shall suffer any Seaman to run away from his Conductor such Offenders for every such Offence shall forfeit Five Pounds to the Use of the Poor of the Parish where such Offence shall

III.  
The said Justices to meet to examine Persons brought before them.

Proceedings.

IV.  
Officers appointed to make Searches may enter Houses, &c.

V.  
At each Meeting High Constables, &c. to appear and give account of Execution of Warrants, &c.

Oath.

Fines.

VI.  
Persons.

VII.  
Compensation of Pay for Seamen.

VIII.  
Desertion.

Penalties.

IX.  
Rewards to Constables, &c. taking Seamen.

Of money by some Persons (not Clerg.) Rewards distributed.

X.  
Conduct Money furnished.

XI.  
Conducting Seamen liable to be taken, &c.

Penalty &c.

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Offences may be  
determined by Two  
Justices.

be committed: And all and every the Offences last mentioned shall and may be enquired of heard and finally determined by any Two or more of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace dwelling in or near the Place where such Offence shall be committed who have hereby Power as aforesaid to cause the said Penalty to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels reaching the Sum due if any be and if the Offender have no such Goods or Chattels sufficient to answer the said Penalty then to commit him or her to the County Goal there to remain for the Space of Three Months without Bail or Mainprize.

XII.  
Power to Wages  
to Seamen turned  
overboard.

AND for the Encouragement of all Seamen who are or shall be in Her Majesties Service at Sea it is hereby declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Seaman who from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and one shall be turned over from one Ship to another in Her Majesties Service or turned ashore as not being fit for Her Majesties Service shall be paid his Wages which shall appear to be due to him in the Ship from which he was turned over before such Ship to which he shall be turned over or do go to Sea either in Money or by a Ticket which shall enable him as his Assigns to Paymaster within One Month after the said Ticket shall be presented to the Commissioners of the Navy at their Office.

XIII.  
Power to  
renewing Acts of  
the Statute.

AND for the better Encouragement of Seamen and supplying the Want of them it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Powers Authorities Directions Customs Manners and Things contained in to be contained in any Act of this Session of Parliament for recruiting Her Majesties Land Forces and Marines for the Year One thousand seven hundred and six shall and may be extended practised and put in Use for supplying Her Majesties Navy with able bodied Landmen being such Persons as are liable to be raised for Land Service by such other Act and Her Majesties Service in raising such able bodied Landmen shall and may be performed and carried on by such Justices Magistrates and other Persons and in such Manner and Form (the reading of any Articles of War excepted) and under such Rules and Restrictions as are or shall be prescribed by such Act for the Land Service.

XIV.  
Rewards for  
seizing able-  
bodied Landmen.

Provided always That such able bodied Landmen shall be delivered to such Conductors as aforesaid who shall receive and deliver them on board some of Her Majesties Ships or Vessels in Sea Pay and shall out of the Money given for the Navy and to be put into their Hands for this Purpose pay for every such able bodied Landman that shall be impressed the Five Pounds or Encouragement as are to be paid for the Man to be rated by such other Act for the Land Service Any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XV.  
Power to arrest  
of Seamen and to  
Gild Process.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Master or other Person who is or shall be entered in Her Majesties Sea Service and hath been mustered on board any of Her Majesties Ships or Vessels of War and doth continue entered in Pay on any of the said Ships Books shall during this present War be arrested or detained in Prison or taken out of the said Service by any Process whatsoever in any Civil Action Suit or Cause wherein the Debt or Damages shall not appear (by an Affidavit to be filed in the Court out of which such Process shall issue before the taking out such Process) to exceed the Sum of Twenty Pounds.

XVI.  
Power to bring  
a common Apprear-  
ance for such  
Persons.

Provided always That upon Notice given in Writing of any Action or Actions to such Person or Persons (entered in Her Majesties Sea Service and exempted from being arrested and detained in Prison for any Debt or Damages which shall not exceed the Sum of Twenty Pounds as aforesaid) or left at his or their last Place of Residence and Oath thereof made in the Court where the Suit shall be commenced for such Debt or Damages in default of such Person or Persons entering a common Appearance for the Space of Ten Days after such Notice given or left it shall and may be lawful for the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs to file a common Appearance for such Person or Persons in any Action to be so brought for or upon the Account of any such Debt or Damages as as to suffice such Plaintiff or Plaintiffs to proceed therein to Judgment and to have any Execution thereupon other than against the Body or Bodies of him or them so entered as aforesaid this Act or any thing herein or any former Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding.

XVII.  
Adjourn to exhibit  
an Account before  
their Justices and  
Seals of Process  
imposed, and by  
whom imposed,  
to be kept  
amongst the  
Records by Clerk  
of the Peace, to  
be sent without  
Fee, and Copies  
sent to the  
Admiralty.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Justices of the Peace and Magistrates of every respective County Riding Division Liberty City or Place before whom any Persons shall be impressed for the Sea Service in pursuance of this Act do and shall at every General Quarter Sessions for such County Riding Division Liberty City or Place exhibit an Account under their Hands and Seals of the Names of the several Persons by them so impressed at any These preceding such respective General Quarter Sessions together with the Names of the Hundred Parish or Place from whence and the Parish Officers or other Officers by whom and Times when such Persons were brought and impressed and of the Names of the Conductors to whom such Persons were delivered and that such Accounts shall be kept by the Clerk of the Peace or Town Clerk of such County Riding Division Liberty City or Place among the Records thereof to which Accounts all Persons may have resort at reasonable Times without any Fee or Charge and the Clerk of the Peace or Town Clerk for every such County Riding Division Liberty City or Place is hereby required from time to time within Twenty Days after such Quarter Sessions to transmit two Copies thereof annexed by himself to the Secretary of the Lord High Admiral of England or of the Commissioners for executing the Office of the Lord High Admiral of England.



**I** A. B. do solemnly swear that I have not any Estate Real or Personal in Possession Reversion or Remainder or in Trust to the Value of Five Pounds in the whole or sufficient to pay the Debt or Damage for which I am imprisoned and that I have not directly or indirectly sold leased or otherwise disposed of or retained all or any Part of my Estate thereby to secure the same or receive or expect any Profit or Advantage thereof or to defend or discharge any Creditor or Creditors whatsoever to whom I stand indebted

So help me GOD

Or who not being able to take the said Oath by reason of his having some Estate Goods Debts or Effects which the said Prisoner or Prisoners has or may have left which not being sufficient to pay his or their Debts the said Prisoner or Prisoners is willing to yield surrender and give up to the Use of all his Creditors equally to be divided amongst them and shall actually yield surrender and give up the same accordingly to Two Persons or more such as the Majesty of his or their Creditors shall appoint by Writing under their Hands to receive the same and shall after such Surrender and before the said First Day of May take (before any Three or more of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace within their respective Jurisdictions where such Prisoner or Prisoners shall be imprisoned) an Oath in the Effect following viz.

**I** A. B. do solemnly swear that the Goods Debts and Effects which I have delivered assigned and made over to in Trust for the Use of my Creditors is the whole Estate whether Real or Personal which I have at late any Title to in the World and that I have not any Estate Goods or Effects of any Kind whatsoever left either in Possession Reversion or Remainder (the recovery whereof I depend for my self Wife and Children only excepted) and that I have not directly or indirectly sold leased or otherwise conveyed disposed of or retained all or any Part of my Estate thereby to secure the same or receive or expect any Profit or Advantages thereof

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and Certificates by Justices of Peace taken may be discharged.

Such Prisoner and Prisoners as soon as they shall have taken either of the said Oaths in Manner aforesaid being an able bodied Seaman or Landman shall immediately enter him or themselves into Her Majesties Service in the Royal Navy to serve therein during the present War and the Justices before whom such Oath was taken shall forthwith make a Certificate thereof and by their Order or Warrant annexed thereto shall discharge such Prisoner out of Prison and such Prisoner thereby shall be actually free and discharged from all Debts Damages Actions and Actions Quare Judgments Executions and Process whatsoever for or by reason of any Debt or Damages due or owing or contracted before the said Day of his Discharge as aforesaid And such Justices by their said Order of Discharge shall direct the Sheriff Gaoler or other Officer or Person in whose Custody such Prisoner or Prisoners so entered into Her Majesties Service as aforesaid shall happen to be forthwith to deliver such Prisoner or Prisoners into the Custody of such Officer or Officers of Her Majesties Navy as shall be impowered by the Lord High Admiral or Commissioners of the Admiralty for the Time being to receive the same And the said Certificate and Order of the said Justices or a Duplicate thereof together with a Receipt thereupon from such Officer of the Navy shall be a full Discharge to such Sheriff Gaoler or other Officer of and for such Prisoner or Prisoners so discharged and delivered as aforesaid.

and Prisoners may order Sheriff to deliver such Prisoners, but no Officer empowered by the Admiralty.

**XXII.**  
Justices of Peace willing to surrender his Prisoner, willing to appoint Trustee, Prisoner may appoint.

Provided also That if the Creditors of any poor Prisoner who is willing to surrender all his Goods Debts or Effects as aforesaid shall refuse or omit after due Notice in Writing given to the major Part of them as left at their usual Places of Abode to nominate and appoint Trustee to receive such Goods Debts and Effects and such Assignments Bonds Writings Powers or Proclamations as the said Prisoner ought to make for their more effectual receiving such Goods Debts and Effects that then the said Prisoner or Prisoners shall and may appoint any Two of their Creditors who are willing to receive the said Trust and may make the said Surrender of his or their Goods Debts and Effects to them in the Name and for the Use of all the Creditors

**XXIII.**  
Prisoners may send Writings to Gaoler to bring Prisoners with a Copy of his Cause before them

AND be it further enacted That for the more speedy and effectual Discharge of such Prisoner or Prisoners as desire to be discharged by this Act the said Justices of the Peace are hereby impowered to send their Warrant to the Gaoler or Keeper of such Prison where the said Prisoner or Prisoners to be discharged are imprisoned to bring the said Prisoner with a Copy of his Cause before them or any other Her Majesties Justice of the Peace in the same County Riding Division City or Town where the said Prison is situate which Warrant the said Gaoler Keeper or Keepers of the said Prison is hereby required to obey without any Fee Demand or Reward for the said Prisoner or Prisoners (other than actual Expence or Expences in travelling or conveying the said Prisoner or Prisoners which Expence shall be referred to and is hereby referred to the said Justice of the Peace to adjust and appoint)

No Fee, but Expence of Gaoler to be paid.

**XXIV.**  
Justices may examine Prisoners taking the said Oaths, as to his Poverty, &c.

AND be it further enacted That upon taking the said Oaths or either of them by any Prisoner as aforesaid (which Oath the said Justice of the Peace are hereby impowered to administer) the same Justice may also examine upon Oath the Prisoner or any other Person about the Poverty of the Prisoner or about the Truth of his Surrender and upon Proof of any Fraud may refuse to discharge the said Prisoner or Prisoners but on Default of such Proof the said Justice may discharge the said Prisoner or Prisoners as aforesaid

**XXV.**  
Prisoners arrested after Discharge as before mentioned, may be committed to Jail.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons who shall be discharged by virtue of this Act shall at any Time after the said Discharge be again arrested and attached or in any Manner molested or disturbed for any Debt or Damage contracted or done before the said Seventh Day of February



One thousand seven hundred and five the said Person so arrested or retained shall not be held to Bail or detained in Custody but may file Complaint and plead the General Issue and give this Act in Evidence and upon Trial shall receive Twelve Deniers.

**PROVIDED** That if any Prisoner shall be guilty of wilful Perjury to gain any Advantage by this Act such Person being thereof lawfully convicted shall suffer as a Person convicted of wilful Perjury according to the Statute of the 22th Year of Queen Elizabeth in that behalf made.

XXVII.  
Perjury Punish.

**AND** be it further enacted That if any Officer of Her Majesty's Navy who shall be appointed to receive or take any Prisoner or Prisoners into Her Majesty's Service shall instead of the Persons so to be entered take receive or accept of any Fee Reward or Sum of Money whatsoever to excuse such Person or Persons from being actually served in Her Majesty's Service and delivered on board the Fleet the Officer so offending shall forfeit all Wages or Pay due to such Officer and be discharged from Her Majesty's Service and shall also forfeit for every Person or Persons the Sum of Fifty Pounds one Moiety to the Queen's Majesty the other Moiety to him or them who shall sue for the same in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster.

XXVIII.  
Officer of the Navy appointed to receive Prisoners taking Fee, &c. to forfeit Wages.

Petty dys.

**AND** be it further enacted That to prevent Frauds in the due Execution of this Act a Registrar shall be appointed to be kept in the Navy or Admiralty Office where the Names of every Person so entered shall be entered and the day they were to serve in that so upon the Masters of the said Ships Company it may appear if such Person or Persons were actually entered in Her Majesty's Service and continue in the same.

XXIX.  
Registrar to be kept of such Persons entered.

**AND** be it further enacted That Three or more Justices of the Peace whereof One to be of the Quorum may go to any Prison and [Persons] within their respective Counties Riding Cities and Towns and examine what Prisoner or Prisoners are there imprisoned for any Debt or provided Debt or Debts not exceeding the Sum of twenty Pounds in the whole in principal Money and Damages to any One or more Person or Persons and where the said Justices shall find that any such Prisoner or Prisoners as is aforesaid do declare entering themselves into Her Majesty's Service being able and fit for the same of which the said Justices are hereby empowered to determine such Justices may grant their Warrants for the sending such Person and Persons (being Seamen) on board Her Majesty's Fleet and also to send on board Her Majesty's Fleet such other Prisoner and Prisoners aforesaid not being Seamen and the Gaoler upon Warrants from such Three Justices so aforesaid shall forthwith deliver the said Prisoner or Prisoners into the Custody of such Officer or Officers of Her Majesty's Navy as shall be empowered by the Lord High Admiral or Commissioners of the Admiralty for the Time being to receive the same.

XXX.  
Three Justices may examine Persons for the Purpose of this Act.

Prisoners declining to enter.  
Proceeding.

**PROVIDED** no Person shall receive any Benefit by this Act unless he shall continue in the said Service during the Continuance of this present War.

XXXI.

**PROVIDED** nevertheless That no Person shall be discharged out of Prison or have any Benefit or Advantage by force or virtue of this Act who shall be really and lawfully indebted in more than the Sum of Sixty Pounds principal Money for Debt or Damages or shall stand charged with any Debt to Her Majesty nor shall the same extend to any Person or Persons in Execution for any Fine on him or them imposed for any Offence by him or them committed or to release or discharge any Person or Persons who have committed any Felony or Robbery and in which any Action hath been brought to recover Damages for the same though the Damages be under Sixty Pounds principal Money.

XXXII.  
Discharge of Prisoner not a Discharge of the Debt or Duty, or of Executions, &c.

**[PROVIDED** always That the Discharge of any Prisoner or Prisoners by virtue of this Act shall not discharge him or them of any Debt or Duty nor any other Person or Persons jointly or severally bound with him or them nor any other Person or Persons in Securities but only the Person or Persons of such Prisoner or Prisoners and that all Actions Process Suits and Demands and all and every Judgment or Judgments against him or them shall stand good to all Intents and Purposes against the Lands Tenements Household Goods and Chattels of the said Prisoner or Prisoners as well as against the Lands Tenements Household Goods and Chattels of the said Prisoner or Prisoners as their Executors Administrators or Assigns to take out any new Execution or Executions against the Lands Tenements Household Goods and Chattels only of such Prisoner or Prisoners And where no Judgment against such Prisoner or Prisoners hath been yet obtained such Creditors or Creditors may proceed to get and obtain a Commission Apprehension or Committment by such Means and in such Manner as in and by this Act is provided where any Person is to be free from being arrested in case where the Debt or Damages shall not exceed the Sum of Twenty Pounds Any Law Usage or Custom or any Thing in this Act to the contrary thereof in any way notwithstanding.]

XXXIII.  
Discharge of Prisoner not a Discharge of the Debt or Duty, or of Executions, &c.

Prison where Debt due not served after.

<sup>1</sup> Prison D.

<sup>2</sup> inserted to the Original Act is a separate Schedule.

CHAPTER VII.<sup>(\*)</sup>

*Rec. Pol. p. 116. 6.* AN ACT for the better enabling the Master Wardens and Assistants of Trinity House to rebuild the Light-House on the Edystone Rock.

*Rec. of Stat.  
8 Eliz. c. 11. 4.*

WHEREAS we and by One Act of Parliament made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of our late Sovereign Lady Queen Elizabeth intended An Act to enable the Master Wardens and Assistants of Trinity House at Deptford Strand to erect Sea-Marks for the said Master Wardens and Assistants are impowered to erect and set up Beacon Marks and Signs for the Sea useful for avoiding of Dangers and to remove cautions and maintain the same in such Manner as in the said Act is mentioned And whereas there now is and Time out of Mind hath been a very dangerous Rock called the Edystone lying off of Plymouth in the County of Devon upon which divers Ships and Vessels have been cast away and the Lives and Goods of many Subjects of the Kingdom lost and destroyed And whereas upon Application some Time since made to the said Master Wardens and Assistants by great Numbers of Masters and Owners of Shipping to have a Light House erected upon the said Rock offering and agreeing in consideration of the great Charge Difficulty and Hazard of such an Undertaking to pay to the said Master Wardens and Assistants One Penny per Ton Outwards and the like Inwards for all Ships and Vessels which should pass by such Light House (Customs excepted) who should pay Twelve Pence only for each Voyage they the said Master Wardens and Assistants having a due Regard to the Safety and Preservation of the Shipping and Navigation of this Kingdom did in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred sixty six cause a Light House to be begun to be erected on the said Rock and in Three Years Time a Light was placed therein and the said Light-House in the Term of Five Years [was<sup>†</sup>] with much Hazard and Difficulty and a very great Expence fully built and completed to the great Satisfaction of the Fleet Officers and Commanders of the Fleet and Ships of War and of all others concerned in Trade and Navigation the same being not only useful for avoiding that dangerous Rock upon which it was built but also a Guide and Direction to Ships passing through the Channel from and to all Parts of the World And whereas the said Light House was preserved and kept up for several Years notwithstanding the great Force and Violence of the Wind and Sea (to which it was exposed) until the late dreadful Storm in November One thousand seven hundred and three when the same was blown down and destroyed And whereas it was found by Experience that the said Light House (during the standing thereof) was of Publick Use and Benefit to the Kingdom a Means to preserve the Majesty's Ships of War and the Shipping Lives and Estates of Her Subjects and was useful and beneficial in Navigation and Seaworth as the speedy rebuilding the said Light House is absolutely necessary for avoiding the Dangers attending the Navigation and Trade of this Kingdom and in regard the same is a Work of great Charge Labour and Expence and all due and proper Encouragement ought to be given therunto To the End therefore that the said Master Wardens and Assistants may be encouraged to new erect and build or cause to be so erected and built the said Light House with all convenient Speed and constantly to keep and maintain the same for the Benefit of the Navigation and Trade of this Kingdom Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same at the humble Petition of the [said<sup>†</sup>] Master Wardens and Assistants That from and after the building or placing a Light useful for Shipping in the said Light House so intended to be rebuilt as aforesaid there shall be paid to the said Master Wardens and Assistants of Trinity House at Deptford Strand their Successors and Assigns by the Masters and Owners of all English Ships Barks and Boats which shall pass by the said Light House so intended to be erected as aforesaid (except Customs) the Duty of One Penny per Ton Outward bound and also One Penny per Ton Inward bound (that is to say) Of the Merchant One Moiety and of the Owner of the Ship Hay or Bark the other Moiety and of all such Strangers as Aliens Ships and Vessels as shall happen to pass by the said Light House or Broom the Sum of Two Pence for every Ton of the Burthen of the said Ship or Vessel and that every Coaster passing by the said Light House so to be erected shall pay the Duty of Two Shillings and no more for each Time they shall pass by the said Light House the said several Duties to be collected and received by such Person or Persons as the said Master Wardens and Assistants or their Successors shall appoint in that Behalf in such Port or Place where such Ship Hay or Bark shall set forth or where such Ship Hay or Bark shall arrive before they load or unload the Goods thereof the said Duties to be recovered by Action of Debt in any Court of Record at Westminster where the Foreign Wages of Law or Protection shall be allowed not more than One Impignage

*Reason for passing  
this Act.*

*Duty upon English  
Ships passing the  
said Light House  
to be paid by  
Merchant and  
Owners of Boats.*

*How received.*

<sup>\*</sup> This is Chapter XX. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>†</sup> amended on the Roll

## CHAPTER VII. (1)

*An Act for the Encouragement and better Preservation of Salmon and other Fish in the Rivers within the Counties of Southampton and Wilts.*

**W**HILEAS the Salmon and Salmon kind of Fish resorting to spawn within the Rivers and Freshes in the County of Southampton and Southern Parts of Wiltshire are in danger of utter Decay to the great Loss of the Kingdom and the Royalties and Fisheries in the said Counties are in great Measure consumed and destroyed by placing divers Engines and other Devices in and upon the main Rivers and in the new Channels Dikes and Cuts which now are or shall be cut out of the same Rivers by Means whereof the Salmon [Stripes] or Kippers as well as the young Fry or Smelts are taken and destroyed and are prevented from returning to the Sea in Season And whereas the Owners and Occupiers of the Salmon Fisheries within the said Counties regarding only their private and greedy Profits do destroy the Stock of the said Fisheries by preventing the Breed of good Fish to pass in Season through their Fishing Wyres and Fishing Handways from the Sea into the said Rivers to spawn and by killing such as are under Size and by fishing continually out of Season at and in the said Fishing Wyres and Cuts of the Rivers with Nets and other Devices whereby not only the Encouragement of the Species of the said Fish but also the Growth thereof is in great Measure destroyed And whereas notwithstanding the many good Laws before this Time made and still in Force with Penalties to prohibit unlawful killing or otherwise destroying the Game of this Kingdom divers sturdy and disorderly Persons (through defect in the said Laws for sufficiently punishing of Offenders and neglecting their lawful Employments) do push with Nets and Angles Guns and other unlawful Engines and by unlawful Means in the Night and at other Times do take kill and destroy the Fish to the great Detriment of the Lords of Manors and the other Owners and Occupiers of Fisheries in the said County of Southampton and Southern Parts of Wiltshire For Remedy whereof be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Statute made in the Fourth and Fifth Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary now in Force for the better Preservation of the Game relating to Salmon Fishing and every Article and Thing therein contained shall be duly put in Execution according to the Tenor of the same and that the Statute made in the Thirteenth Year of King Edward the First whereby it is provided that the Waters of Hamble Ouse Yare Trent Dover Arve Derwent Wharfe Niddore Swale Yoxe Tine Eden and all other Waters wherein Salmon be taken shall be in Defence from taking Salmon from the Nativity of our Lady unto Saint Martin Day And likewise that young Salmon shall not be taken nor destroyed by Nets nor by other Engines at Mill Pools from the middle of April unto the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist and in Places where Fresh Waters be shall extend and be in full Force as well to all and every the Rivers Cuts and Waters in the County of Southampton and Southern Parts of Wiltshire as to the Waters in the last mentioned Act here above expressed and contained and in like Manner and under the same Penalties and Possibilities as therein mentioned and expressed

Reason for passing this Act.

See 4 W. & M. c. 49. Intended.

See 13 E. I. Stat. 1. c. 1. to be in force, and extended to lands mentioned.

Fishes.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be assigned Overseers of this Statute by any Two or more Justices of the Peace residing within Five Miles of the respective Rivers within the said Counties of Southampton and Wiltshire under their Heralds and Seals from time to time who being sworn before the said Justices of the Peace shall when and as often as they shall think fit take and destroy all Nets and other Cuts and Engines where they shall find the same being kept used or in being contrary to this or any other Act now in Force relating to fishing and all and every Offender and Offenders so taken or apprehended by the said Overseers or any of them or by any other lawful Means shall be brought before some Justice of the Peace of the said Counties to answer for every such Offence and being convicted before any such Justice of the Peace for the said Counties by One or more Witnesses upon Oath which Oath the said Justice [jurat] hereby Power to administer or Confession of such Offender shall for the First Trespas or Offence forfeit a Sum to be secretiated by such Justice of the Peace before whom such Conviction shall be made not under Twenty Shillings nor more than Five Pounds and for the Second Trespas or Offence shall forfeit a Sum not under Forty Shillings to be secretiated as aforesaid nor more than Two Pounds and as the Trespas or Offence shall increase so Double the Penalty to be secretiated as aforesaid One Half thereof to be paid to the Informer and the other Half thereof to the Poor of the Parish where the said Offence or Offences shall be committed and in case the Offender or Offenders shall not be able or do not so Demand pay the said Penalty or Penalties then he or they shall be sent by such Justice of the Peace before whom such Conviction shall be made as aforesaid to the House or Houses of Correction within the said respective Counties where such Offender or Offenders shall be taken and there kept for the Space of Three Months

11. Overseers to be appointed by Justices as herein directed to be sworn.

How Offences to be dealt with.

Penalty.

If Penalty not paid, Imprisonment.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person or Persons (not being by Law duly qualified) shall hereafter kill destroy or wilfully hurt any Salmon or Salmon kind or any other Fish and that neither they nor any other Person or Persons whatsoever shall use any Time or Times after the Thirtieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six take kill or destroy

111. Disqualified Persons destroying Fish, and other Persons destroying wilfully.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXXI. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> Statute G.

<sup>3</sup> Statute G.

any Salmon Salmon Puke or Salmon Kind by Hooks Racks Gills Nets Angles or other Devices whatsoever used after the Eleventh Day of November in every Year or offer to Sale any of the said Fish so taken under the like Pains Penalties Forfeitures and Imprisonments as are herein before mentioned]

*Fishes.*

IV.  
Owners of Dikes,  
&c. to prevent Fish  
coming from the  
ponds in the River

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Salmon or Salmon Kind shall go into any of the Dikes Cuts or Water Carriages then all Owners and Occupiers of Meadow Grounds to and upon the Banks of any Waters or Rivers in the said Counties within the Time limited and contained by the said Act shall permit the said Fish to pass or go out of the said Cuts or Dikes or Streams into the main Rivers again and not by any wilful Means to destroy them for Sale or otherwise under the like Pains Penalties Forfeitures and Imprisonment as aforesaid.

V.  
Regulate and to be  
observed by Owners  
of Corn and other  
Mills upon Rivers,  
&c.

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Owners and Occupiers of Corn Felling and Paper Mills and other Mills upon any the Waters or Rivers in the said Counties shall constantly keep open one Scourie or small Hatch of a Foot Square in the Waste Hatch or Water course in the direct Stream wherein no Water Wheel is sufficient for the Salmon to pass and open freely up and down the said Rivers in the said Counties from the Eleventh Day of November to the One and thirtieth Day of May in every Year during which Season the said Salmon and the young Fry of the preceding Year come to the Sea and the breeding Salmon come from the Sea to spawn and shall not make Use of any New Pits Racks Hooks Gills or other Devices whatsoever to be placed in the said Scourie or small Hatch of a Foot Square in the said Water Hatch in or about the said Mills respectively during the said Term to kill or destroy or take any Salmon or Salmon Kind upon the like Pains Penalties Forfeitures and Imprisonment as aforesaid And in case they shall lay any Pots or Nets to catch Eels after the First Day of January to the Tenth Day of March in every Year (which they may do) they shall [not] Racks before then to keep out of the said Pots or Nets the said Salmon or Eels which during that Season are out of Kind and returning to the Sea And after the Tenth Day of March to the One and thirtieth Day of May in every Year they shall lay no Pot Net or Engine but what shall be wide enough to let the Fry of Salmon pass through to the Sea or shall take or keep or offer to Sale any of the young Fry that during the Season aforesaid are returning from the said Rivers to the Sea upon the like Pains Penalties Forfeitures and Imprisonment as aforesaid

*Fishes.*

VI.  
Telling Sea Trout  
lawfully  
Fishes.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Boats otherwise called Sea Trouts shall be taken in any of the said Rivers Creeks or Arms of the Sea in the Counties before mentioned after the Thirtieth Day of June to the Eleventh Day of November every Year upon the like Pains Penalties Forfeitures and Imprisonments as aforesaid

VII.  
No Person to keep  
Nets, &c. contrary  
to Stat. 4 & 5 W.  
& M. c. 42.

AND whereas divers disorderly idle and loose Persons have and keep Nets Angles [Leaps] Fishes and other Engines for the taking and killing of Fish out of Ponds Waters Rivers and Fishes in the said Counties to the Damage of the Owners thereof Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person or Persons whatsoever shall have or keep any Net Angle Leap Fish or other Engine for taking of Fish other than [the] provided for and allowed of by an Act made in the Second Year of King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for the more exact Discovery and Conviction of such as shall destroy the Game of this Kingdom and the subsequent Acts made in the Third Fourth and Fifth Years of the said King William and Queen Mary for the more exact Conviction of such as shall destroy the Game of this Kingdom none of which Acts or any Part or Matter therein contained or in any other Act relating to the Preservation of the Game of this Kingdom is hereby intituled or deemed to be repeated

VIII.  
Duly selling Sea  
Salmon  
Fishes.

AND be it enacted That if any Person or Persons shall sell or expose to Sale any Salmon or Salmon Kind in the said Counties from the Thirtieth Day of June to the Eleventh Day of November in every Year such Person or Persons shall for every Salmon or Salmon Kind so sold or exposed to Sale be subject to the like Pains Penalties Forfeitures and Imprisonment as aforesaid

IX.  
Fishes levied by  
Officers.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Forfeitures and Penalties arising by Conviction of any Offender or Offenders against this Act shall be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of the Justice before whom the Offender or Offenders shall be convicted rendering the Occupier if any be and for want of Distress the Offender or Offenders shall be committed to the House or Houses of Correction in the said Counties as aforesaid

X.  
To what Places  
only Act is extended

PROVIDED always That this Act or any thing herein contained shall not extend or be construed to extend to any County or Place in this Kingdom save only to the said County of Southampton and the Southern Part of Wiltshire Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

\* Stat. 4.

\* Leaps O.

\* Intituled in the Roll

\* No such Act in 5 W. & M. appears.

## CHAPTER IX. (1)

An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to issue out of the Moneys arising by the Coyage Duty any Sum not exceeding Five hundred Pounds over and above the Sum of Three thousand Pounds yearly for the Use of the Mint.

WHEREAS in and by one Act of Parliament made in the Eighteenth Year of the Reign of His Majesty King Charles the Second intituled An Act for encouraging of Coyage It is (amongst other Things) enacted that there should not be issued out of the Exchequer of the Moneys arising by the said Act in any one Year for the Fees and Salaries of the Officers of the Mint or Mints and towards the providing maintaining and repairing of the Houses Offices and Buildings and other Necessarys for employing coining down and coining above the Sum of Three thousand Pounds Sterling which said Act has been continued and is still in force And whereas for and Three thousand Pounds has been by Experience found not to be sufficient and the Residue of the Moneys arising by the said Coyage Act is appropriated as in the same Act is contained Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lord Treasurer and Under Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being by Warrants to issue out of the Exchequer or depose of the Moneys arising by the said Coyage Duty yearly and every Year from and after the Twenty fifth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five any Sum as far as Money not exceeding the yearly Sum of Five hundred Pounds over and above the yearly Sum of Three thousand Pounds above mentioned for the Fees or Salaries of the Officers of the Mint or Mints and towards the providing maintaining and repairing the said Houses Offices and Buildings and other Necessarys before mentioned the said recited Act or Acts or any other Law Statute or Usage to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

Recall of Stat.  
21 & 22 Car II.  
c. 11 & 12.

Treasury reg.  
one out of the  
Exchequer of 1700  
yearly for the  
Treasury for the  
minted

## CHAPTER X. (1)

An Act for raising the Militia for the Year One thousand seven hundred and six notwithstanding the Months Pay formerly advanced be not repaid and for an Account to be made of Trophy Monies.

Stat. Parl.  
4th & 5th Ann. c. 10

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intituled An Act for ordering the Forces in the several Counties of this Kingdom It was amongst other Things enacted that in case of Invasions Insurrections or Rebellions whereby Occasions should be to draw out the Soldiers mentioned and appointed in and by the said Act into actual Service the Persons charged by the said Act with Houses Horses and Arms should provide such their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Months Pay as should be in that Behalf directed by the respective Lieutenants of the several Counties and in their Absence or otherwise by their Deputies or any Two or more of them for Repayment of which said Months for Satisfaction of the Officers for their Pay during such Time not exceeding One Month as aforesaid as they should be with their Soldiers in actual Service It was thereby declared that Provision should be made for the same by the said Majesty His Heirs and Successors out of his or their Publick Treasury or Revenue Nevertheless it was thereby further provided and enacted that in case a Months Pay should be provided and advanced as aforesaid that no Person who should have advanced his Proportion thereof should be charged with any other like Months Payment and he or they should be reimbursed the said Months Pay and so from time to time the said Months Pay by him or them last before provided and advanced as aforesaid And whereas upon the Invasion of the Coast of this Kingdom [by the French<sup>1</sup>] in the late War it was found necessary for the Publick Defence and Safety to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to charge the said Persons to provide such their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand altho the Months Pay by reason of their being at that Time provided and advanced was not nor could be reimbursed And whereas it may be necessary for the Publick Safety and Defence of this Realm to draw the said Forces into actual Service Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if at any Time or Times before the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and seven it shall be found by Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors to be necessary for the Defence and Safety of this Kingdom to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and the same shall be declared and signified to the respective Lieutenants or Deputy Lieutenants and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two Ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants by Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors It shall be lawful for the said Lieutenants or their Deputies or any Two or more of them as aforesaid and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two Ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants in presence of such Officers from Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors notwithstanding One or more Months Pay before this Time advanced be not reimbursed to raise and draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and so cause the Persons charged as aforesaid to provide such their Soldier with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Months Pay in such Manner as if all the Pay before this Time advanced and provided had been fully reimbursed and paid

Recall of Stat.  
14 Car II. c. 3.  
14.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXIII. in the Common printed Edition.

<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXIII. in the Common printed Edition.

<sup>3</sup> Interlined on the Roll

II.  
Provision for issuing  
Warrants for Tro-  
phy Money.

AND be it further enacted That the said Lieutenant or other Depu- ties shall not issue out Warrants for the raising any Trophy Money till the Justices of the Peace or the major Part of such Justices at their several and respective General Quarter Sessions for their respective Counties Riding Divisions and Places shall have examined [assented] and allowed the Accounts of the Trophy Money last raised levied and collected for any preceding Year and certified such Examination of the said Accounts under the Hands and Seals of Four or more such Justices

III.  
and the Coroners,  
&c. whose Trea-  
sures they are  
warranted.

PROVIDED always That nothing in this or any former Act contained shall extend to any County City or Place where it shall appear to the Justices at their Quarter Sessions that the Treasurer hath absconded failed or [is] dead and thereby such Account cannot be passed.

#### CHAPTER XL (')

Act for  
4th Ann. p. 1.  
c. 10.

AN ACT to enlarge the Time for registering unsatisfied Debentures upon the Banked Estates in Ireland and for securing of other Debentures which have been lost burnt or destroyed.

Reason for passing  
this Act

Stat. 4 & 5 Ann.  
c. 10.

Time for register-  
ing Debentures  
enlarged until  
24th March 1706.

WHEREAS several Officers and other Proprietors of Debentures made forth by the late Paymaster of the Army Commissioners for Transport and by the Commissioners of Accounts in that behalf authorized respectively have omitted to register the said Debentures within the Time limited by Act of Parliament for that Purpose made and passed in the Third Year of Her present Majesties Reign intitled An Act for enlarging the Time for the Purchasers of the Banked Estates in Ireland to make the Payment of their Purchase Money for the Relief thereof of all such Officers and other Proprietors of the said unsatisfied Debentures Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful to and for all such Officers and other Proprietors of any of the said Debentures who have not registered the same to register their Debentures on or before the Twenty fourth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six which said Debentures so being registered shall and are hereby entitled to all the Benefit of Interest and other Advantages as if registered on or before the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four

II.  
Provision for Deben-  
tures appearing by  
Affidavit before a  
Barrister of the  
Exchequer, to be  
lost &c.

AND whereas several Debentures made forth for Arrears due to the Army and for Transport Services not being applied to the purchasing of any of the Banked Estates in Ireland or otherwise discharged are by Casualty or Misfortune lost burnt or otherwise destroyed Be it hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where it shall appear by Affidavit to be made before any of the Barristers of the Exchequer for the Time being before the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six that such Debentures have been and are lost burnt or otherwise destroyed it shall and may be lawful for the respective Officers or Persons appointed to make and make forth the said Debentures or to bear any Merces due and payable thereon upon the producing a Certificate from any of the said Barristers of such Affidavit made before him (which Affidavit he and he is hereby required to make and grant without Fee or Reward) and on Security given to the said respective Officers and Persons to indemnify them against all other Persons whatsoever for or concerning the Monies specified in or due on such Debentures or Debentures they the said Officers and Persons respectively shall and are hereby required to make forth Duplicates thereof at the Request of the respective Owners and to pay and discharge the said Debentures and all such Interest as is or shall be due thereon as he or they should have paid and discharged the original Debentures at the Interest due or to be due thereon if the same had been produced and if there still not be any proper Officer or Persons to make forth Duplicates of such Debentures the High Treasurer of Her Majesties Exchequer or Secreterary or the Commissioners of the Treasury or any Three or more of them for the Time being shall and are hereby authorized and required upon such Affidavit and Security as aforesaid to make and direct Duplicates of such Debentures to be made forth in such Manner as he or they shall judge to be best Any thing in this or any other Act of Parliament contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

<sup>1</sup> continued on the Roll

<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXIV. in the Common printed Edition.

## CHAPTER XII (\*)

As Act for the paying and clearing the several Regiments commanded by Lieutenant General Sewart Colonel Hill and Brigadier Eliot and for supplying the Defect of the Muster Rolls of those and several other Regiments.

See Post  
4 & 5 Annæ, p. 4  
s. 12.

WHEREAS the Regiment of Foot commanded by Lieutenant General Sewart or the greatest Part of them were on or about the Month of June [in the Year of our Lord:] One thousand seven hundred and four made Prisoners of War at Castle D'Oro in the Kingdom of Portugal and the Regiment of Foot now commanded by Colonel John Hill or the greatest Part of them were also on or about the Month of May in the same Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four made Prisoners of War at Port O'Leary in the said Kingdom and so continued Prisoners for the Space of Twelve Months or thereabouts by reason whereof no Masters could be made of the several Companies in the same Regiments whereby the said Regiments might be regularly cleared And whereas the Regiment of Marines commanded by Brigadier General Eliot or the greatest Part of them in the Year One thousand seven hundred and four by reason of Disputes arising between the Commanding Officers at Gibraltar in the Kingdom of Spain and other Accidents were not regularly treated so that the Officers and Soldiers of the said several Regiments cannot be paid and cleared nor in a Condition to raise Recruits So it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful for Her Majesty to issue out Her Warrants or Warrants under Her Royal Sign Manual for paying to and for the Use of the said several Regiments and their Officers and Soldiers or any of them such Sum and Borne of Money not exceeding the full creditable Pay of the said Regiments respectively as upon Examination before the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall be found reasonable for the paying and clearing the said Regiments respectively or any of them (that is to say) As to the Regiment commanded by Lieutenant General Sewart from the Time of the last Muster Rolls taken of them in Portugal to the Twenty fourth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and five And as to the Regiment commanded by Colonel Hill from the Time of the last Muster taken of them in Portugal to the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and five And as to the Regiment commanded by Brigadier General Eliot from the Twenty fifth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and four to the Twenty fourth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five and so far as to the said Regiments may be speedily required Any Want (\*) or Defect or Imperfection in the Muster Rolls for such respective Year or Years notwithstanding And that such Warrants or Warrants shall be to all Intents and Purposes a sufficient Voucher and Vouchers to the Auditors of the Imprests for passing the Accounts of the Paymaster General and all other the Paymasters in that Behalf Any Law or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding

Reason for passing the Accounts.

The Queens may issue Warrants under Her Royal Sign Manual for paying the said Regiments as herein mentioned.

Such Warrants a sufficient Voucher.

And whereas the Companies commanded by Major James Besh and Captain William Bennet in the Regiment of Marines commanded by Major General Seymour and the Companies of Captain Henry Centre and Captain S. John With in the Regiment of Marines commanded by the Lord Shannon and the Companies of Major Richard Colburn Captain Humphrey Corey and Captain John Ramsey in the Regiment of Marines commanded by Colonel John Bar were not regularly cleared between the Twenty fifth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and four and the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and five be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said several Companies may be paid and cleared in Manner as aforesaid Any Law or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding

II.  
Companies herein mentioned as to be paid as herein mentioned.

And whereas by One Act made in the First Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty intitled An Act for making good Defalcations and for preserving the Publick Credit it is amongst other Things therein enacted That the Comptrollers for auditing the Accounts of the Army or any Three or more of them shall have Power and are thereby required and authorized to certify to the Paymaster General such Sums as shall appear due to any Troops or Companies in the last Army in the Name of and payable to such Person or Persons as the [Colonel] and the Majority of the Captains of such Regiments to which such Troop and Company belonged have or shall import to receive the said Certificates previous to such Certificates the said Paymaster General shall make out and issue Debentures payable out of the forfeited Estates in the Kingdom of Ireland to such Person or Persons as are authorized as aforesaid to receive such Debentures which said Person or Persons receiving such Debentures are hereby required to issue the same unto all Non commissioned Officers and Soldiers of Horse Foot or Dragoons their Wives or Children or such other Persons to whom they have assigned their Pay for Debt by them due and their contracted on account of the same such Share or Proportion of such Debentures or the Benefits thereof as shall be made appear to be justly due to such Non commissioned Officer and Soldier by Certificate under the Hand of the Captain in whose Troop or Company they served or in case of such Captains Death under the Hand of the Colonel or next surviving Field Officer or other Captain of the Regiment and further the Person or Persons so receiving such Debentures as aforesaid upon Receipt thereof are required to give Security to the Paymaster General of double the Value of what he shall receive and also at the End of Twelve Months to return unto him the said [Paymaster] an Account upon Oath to how the said Paymaster of all the Debentures by him or them issued as aforesaid being and returning back to the Hands of the said Paymaster such Debentures as shall remain not issued out to the End of the Twelve Months And whereas Colonel William Careless of Brigadier Stanhope Regiments

III.  
Recital of Stat.  
1 Ann. c. 7. § 30.

\* This is Chapter XXV in the Common printed Edition

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Reason for passing  
this Enactment

now Colonel Hill's and formerly Sir John Hennes's being authorized by the Colonel and the Majority of the Captains of the said Regiment to receive the said Debetures for the Non-commissioned Officers and private Men of the said Regiment pursuant to the said Act but being taken Prisoner at Port O'Leary in Portugal together with the said Regiment and losing his Effects and all his Papers has not Vouches to produce to the Earl of Ranelagh (then Paymaster General of Her Majesties Forces) for the Sums issued to the said Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers but is ready to give an Account upon Oath of all Disbursements by him issued in pursuance of the said stated Act and to return back to the Hands of the said late Paymaster such Debetures as remained not issued at the End of the said Twelve Months &c. & therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Earl of Ranelagh be and is hereby required and authorized to take an Account upon Oath from the said Colonel Carrillo of the Debetures by him issued in pursuance of the said Act and upon his giving such Account and returning back into the Hands of the said Earl the Debetures by him not issued as aforesaid to allow of and pay his Account and deliver up the Security by him given pursuant to the said Act.

Earl of Ranelagh  
to take an Oath  
upon Oath from  
Col. Carrillo of  
Debetures issued  
by him.

## CHAPTER XIII.

A. D. 1706, p. 16.  
A. 17.

An Act for making effectual a Grant of These late Majesties King William and Queen Mary of the Town and Lands of Sarsfield to the Archbishoprick of Dublin and for raising the same to the said See.

Reason for passing  
this Act

WHEREAS by the Acts of Settlement and Explanation heretofore made and passed in the Kingdom of Ireland it was enacted that so much of the then Forfeited Lands as were lawfully the Right and Inheritance of the See of Dublin but granted in Fee Farm by the former Arch Bishops of that See in the Time of Popery under Reservation of Chief Rent from the then Inhabiting Peasants or those under whom they claimed should be as now in Augmentation to the said See as should complete the Revenue thereof to the Sum of Two thousand Pounds per Annum and pursuant therunto the late Commissioners for putting in Execution the said Acts did as well to the then Arch Bishop of Dublin and his Successors several Lands and as Part thereof the Lands of Sarsfield Newtown Blackhall Gardens Sarsfield and several other Lands and Tenements in and about the Town of Drogheda amounting together Four hundred thirty seven Acres lying in the Barony of Nethercross in the County of Dublin (being formerly the Propriety of Christopher Russell a Forfeiting Person)

And whereas the said Arch Bishop and his Successors remained in full and quiet Possession of the said Town and Lands till the Year One thousand six hundred eighty and eight when Bartholomew Russell Son of the said Christopher Russell set up a pretended Title to the said Town and Lands and the late Earl of Tyrconnell being Chief Governor of the Kingdom of Ireland and the Judges being Irish gave Judgment was given against the said Arch Bishop of Dublin in Favour of the said Bartholomew Russell and he obtained Possession of the said Town and Lands and continued in the Possession thereof until the Restoration of the said Kingdom of Ireland by His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory And whereas the said Bartholomew Russell being actually engaged in the said Rebellion he was indicted and attained by Outlawry of Treason and died as attainted

16.  
Recall of Letters  
Patent of this Reg.  
4 W & M.

And whereas Their late Majesties by Their Letters Patent bearing Date on or about the Eighth Day of September in the Sixth Year of Their said late Majesties Reign did give grant and confirm unto Nathaniel then Lord Arch Bishop of Dublin and his Successors the Arch Bishops of Dublin for ever all that and those the aforesaid Town and Lands and also all the Estate Right Title and Interest which Their said late Majesties then had or might or ought to have had of in and to the Premises or any Part or Parts thereof by Force of the aforesaid several Acts of Settlement or Explanation or either of them or otherwise howsoever To hold unto the said Arch Bishop and his Successors for ever paying therefore thenceforth yearly unto Their said late Majesties and Their Successors the several yearly Rents therein particularly mentioned amounting in the whole to the Sum of Nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Half penny to be paid unto the Archbishop of the Kingdom of Ireland at the Feast of Saint Michael the Archdeacon and the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Half yearly

17.  
Further Reasons  
for passing this  
Act.

And whereas by Reason the late Arch Bishop of Dublin did not prosecute a Claim made of the said Premises in the Right of his Church before the Persons named and appointed Trustees for the putting in Execution the Powers and Authorities relating to the Forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland as and by an Act made in the Eleventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty by Sale of the Forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland and by a Land Tax for the several Purposes therein mentioned) the said Arch Bishop of Dublin was put out of Possession of all and singular the said Premises and the same were exposed and put to Sale by the said Trustees as the Estate of the said Bartholomew Russell

17.  
Recall of Letters  
Patent of 1706  
1706.

And whereas by Indenture bearing Date on or about the Twenty third Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three made or mentioned to be made between Sir Cyprian Wych Knight Finance

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXVI in the Common printed Editions.



Ansley Esq; John Bagge Esq; John Trenchard Esq; John Malm Esq; Henry Langford Esq; James Hooper Esq; John Cary Gentlemen Sir Henry Shere Knight Thomas Harrison Esq; William Fellows Esq; and Thomas Rawlin Esq; surviving Trustees nominated and appointed for putting in Execution the Powers and Authorities relating to the Richard and other Estates and Interests in Ireland enacted in and by the aforesaid Act in relation to the said Act for granting an Act to His Majesty by Sale of the Forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland and by a Land-Tax for the several Purposes therein mentioned of the One Part and the most Reverend Father in God Doctor William King Lord Arch Bishop of Dublin of the other Part the said Sir Cypriell Wych Francis Ansley John Bagge John Trenchard John Malm Henry Langford James Hooper John Cary Sir Henry Shere Thomas Harrison William Fellows and Thomas Rawlin pursuant to the said Act of Parliament and to another Act of Parliament [then lately made] enacted An Act for advancing the Sale of the Forfeited Estates in Ireland and for vesting such as remained unsold by the then Trustees in His Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for such Uses as the same were before vested in the said Trustees and for the more effectual selling and setting the said Estates in Provisions and for explaining several Acts relating to the Lord Bishop and Sir Redmond Everard and in Execution of the Powers and Authorities to them thereby given and in Consideration of the Sum of Three thousand six hundred and five Pounds Sterling paid and secured to be paid by the said Doctor William King Lord Arch Bishop of Dublin in such Manner as therein is mentioned for the absolute Purchase of the Lands therein and hence after mentioned they the said Trustees did bargain and sell unto the said Doctor William King Arch Bishop of Dublin all that and those the Town and Lands of fourteen containing by Estimation Two hundred thirty four Acres and Thirty two Perches profitable Land Plantation Measure more or less Newcomen containing One hundred and seventeen Acres and like Land and Measure more or less Blackhall and Glanville containing One hundred and seventy Acres and like Land and Measure more or less and all those Lands known by the Name of Sandals Land with the several Gardens Plots and Cabbins in the Town of Swords and all that Parcel of Land in Broom Meadow containing Two Acres Three Rods and Sixteen Perches profitable Land Plantation Measure be the same more or less lately belonging to the said Bartholomew Russell situated as aforesaid with all Messuages Edifices Ways Waters Watercourses Woods Underwoods Commons and all other Rights Members Appendages and Appurtenances thereto belonging or in any way appertaining and the Revenues and Rents thereof To hold to the said Doctor William King Lord Arch Bishop of Dublin His Heirs and Assigns subject to a yearly Quit Rent of Nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings Eleven Pence Half penny reserved to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors as by the said recited Letters Patents Deeds and other Proceedings Relating thereto had may more at large appear

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And whereas by virtue of the said (') recited Indenture the Inheritance of the said Town and Lands [herein] last mentioned was vested in the said Lord Arch Bishop of Dublin and his Heirs in his natural Capacity the Benefit of which Grant and Conveyance (although the same is of very great Advantage) to the said William Lord Arch Bishop of Dublin is willing to quit so that the said Lands may be returned to the Church To the intent therefore that the poor brethren of Their his Majesty King William and Queen Mary in granting the said Town Lands and Provisions to the See of Dublin may take Effect May it please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Town and Lands of Swords and all and singular other the Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments herein before mentioned to be granted by the said Trustees for Sale of the said Forfeited Estates and Interests in Ireland as aforesaid to the said William Lord Arch Bishop of Dublin and his Heirs as aforesaid with their Appurtenances shall be and are hereby vested in the said William Lord Arch Bishop of Dublin and his Successors Arch Bishops of Dublin for the Time being and their Successors for ever in Augmentation of the Revenues of the said See and that the same Town Lands and Premises shall be for ever hereafter annexed to the same to be had and holden by the said Arch Bishop and his Successors in Right of the said See subject unto and under the said yearly Rent of Nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings Eleven Pence Half penny payable to Her said Majesty Her Heirs and Successors at Her Majesty's Exchequer in Ireland on the Feast of Saint Michael the Archangel and the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary by even and equal Portions

The said Town and Lands of Swords vested in the Archbishop of Dublin and his Successors in Augmentation of the Revenues of the said See

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the reimbursing the said William Lord Arch Bishop of Dublin his Executors and Administrators the said Sum of Three thousand one hundred and five Pounds or by him paid for the Purchase of the said Premises as aforesaid that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Right Honorable Richard Earl of Roselagh of the Kingdom of Ireland late Paymaster General of Her Majesty's Forces (who is hereby authorized and empowered directed and required forthwith so to do) to make out and deliver unto the said Lord Arch Bishop of Dublin or his Assigns One or more Debentures or Debentures for the Sum of Two thousand nine hundred and seventeen Pounds Five Shillings and One Penny Half penny to the End the Money due thereupon may be paid to the said Arch Bishop of Dublin or his Assigns with Interest after the Rate of Five Pence per Centum per Annum from the Twentieth day of September One thousand seven hundred and five to the same Effect and in as full large ample and beneficial Manner to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever as any Debentures have been heretofore made out and delivered for Services done and performed in Ireland to any Officer or Officers of the Army in pursuance of any former Act or Acts of Parliament

V1  
Proviso for money  
lending to the  
Archbishop of  
Dublin, as being  
paid by him for the  
Purchase of the  
said Premises.

And it is further enacted That all Leases for Life or Lives or for any Term of Years or otherwise which shall at any Time hereafter be made of any the Lands Tenements or Hereditaments hereby vested in the said Lord

VII  
Proviso and Regu-  
lation for Leases

for Lease or Years  
to be willy of the  
said Person(s)

If made in Paper,  
this need

Penalty.

VIII.  
Penalty for Leases  
of Cottages, &c.

IX.  
If Lease for less  
than full yearly  
Value, Successors  
may enter and  
evict.

Arch Bishop of Dublin and his Successors shall be made in the full improved Rent or yearly Value thereof without any Fine and to such Persons only as are of the Protestant Religion and to some other and if any Lease for Life or Years or for Years or otherwise shall in any Time hereafter be made of the Lands Tenements or Hereditaments appertaining to or in Trust for any Papist or if any Lease of any such Lands Tenements or Hereditaments shall be made to a Protestant and the same shall afterwards be assigned to or in Trust for any Papist every such Lease so made to or in Trust for any Papist and likewise every such Assignment shall be void and the same is and are hereby adjudged and declared to be ipso facto null and void to all intents and Purposes whatsoever and in such Case as well the Person making any such Lease or Assignment to the Person to whom or for whom Use or Benefit the same shall be made in case such Person shall accept such Lease or Assignment or shall occupy any of the Lands or Tenements therein contained shall forfeit within the full yearly Value of all the Lands as let assigned or occupied One Month thereof to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to such Person being a Protestant who shall sue for the same in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Dublin by any Bill Plea or Information wherein no Essoign Protection Wager of Law or Imparson shall be allowed

Provided always That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to make void any Lease that is or shall be made of any Cottage or Cabin under the yearly Value of Thirty Shillings per Annum to any Dry Labourer whatsoever

Provided also and be it enacted That if any Lease as aforesaid shall be made of any of the said Premises at less than the full yearly Rent or Value it shall and may be lawful for the Successors to the Arch Bishop who made or shall make such Lease to enter and evict the same

ITEM quædam Privilegia privata personarum concessiones in re foris Affili<sup>o</sup> concessiones exhibitis fact<sup>o</sup> predict<sup>o</sup> Danti Regi in Parlamento predict<sup>o</sup> temp<sup>o</sup> Thome subsecuturæ viz<sup>t</sup>.

i. AN ACT for Sale of the Estate of Thomas Chase Esquire in the County of Warwick and laying out in Monies arising thereby in the Purchase of other Lands and Hereditaments in the County of Norfolk to be sold to the same Uses as the Warwickshire Farms made saleable.

ii. AN ACT for naturalizing William Barrett Esquire.

iii. AN ACT for naturalizing Peter Sévénec Doctor of Physick.

iv. AN ACT for naturalizing Adolphe Dutton of Shrewsbury.

v. AN ACT for exchanging the Parsonage House and certain Glebe Lands belonging to the Rectory of Wrentham in the County of Hereford for a certain other House and Lands of greater Value lying in Wrentham some aforesaid of and belonging to Philip Beeley Esquire.

vi. AN ACT to enable Sir Thomas Care Barrett to sell certain Lands in the County of Northampton to raise Money to pay his Brothers and Sisters Portions and settle other Lands in the said County of Northampton and County of Leicestershire of better Value to the same Uses.

vii. AN ACT for confirming an Agreement made upon the Marriage of Charles Owen Esquire and Dorothy his Wife of Nash in the County of Pembroke.

viii. AN ACT for Sale of Part of the Estate of James Hardiston Esq; a Mortgage for Payment of his Debt and for raising Portions for younger Children and for making For Farms and Leases for Lives during his Majesty's

ix. AN ACT for supplying a Defect (by the Death of a Trustee) in the Appointment of Provision for the younger Children of Henry Southam Esquire deceased and for making the said Provision more effectual for such younger Children.

x. AN ACT to enable John Edwards Gentleman to sell certain Lands in the County of Norfolk for Payment of Debts.

xi. AN ACT to prevent the making up of Clothes with Buttons of Cloth for Exportation for clothing the Army of the Allies notwithstanding the Act against Cloth Buttons.

xii. AN ACT for Relief of Sir Stephen Evance Knight and Henry Cornish Esquire.

xiii. AN ACT for Relief of John Aysell Esq; in relation to his Purchase of Part of the forfeited Estates in Ireland.

xiv. AN ACT for naturalizing William Lewis Legend.

xv. AN ACT for the Relief of Colonel Samuel Vernon.

xvi. AN ACT for naturalizing Jacob Pichala and others.

xxxv. An Act for enabling James Duke of Ormond and Charles Earl of Arden to settle Two Farms Rents in the County of Tipperary in the Kingdom of Ireland pursuant to an Agreement upon the Marriage of the said Earl of Arden and for making good several Grants made by the said Earl in Fee Farm.

xxxvi. An Act for vesting the Inheritance of a Messuage and Gardens in Arden in the County of Middlesex purchased by the Right Honourable Evelyn Earl of Kingston upon Hall in Trust for the said Earl and his Heirs.

xxxvii. An Act for making the Execution of the Will of Edward Esq. Earl of Conway under the Seal of the Court of Chancery in the Kingdom of Ireland and the Depositions relating to the same Evidence on Hearings in Equity and Tryals at Law.

xxxviii. An Act for enabling George Lord Viscount Howe of the Kingdom of Ireland to make a certain Provision for his Daughters by his first Wife that which was intended being as expressed in the Marriage Settlements assets and contingent.

xxxix. An Act to enlarge the Power of Richard Lord Bally Viscount Cathells in the Kingdom of Ireland of leasing his Estates in Cheshire for Performance and Satisfaction of the Trust upon the said Estate.

xl. An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of Henry Lord Coleraine Baron of Coleraine in the Kingdom of Ireland and supplying the Want of Inrolment of a Deed concerning other Part of his Estate.

xli. An Act for the supplying the Defect of a common Recovery suffered by Philip Smith Esq. Viscount Greyford of the Kingdom of Ireland and George Smith Esq. his eldest Son and of the Dead which declared the Use of the said Recovery.

xlii. An Act for Sale of the Manor Temple Dinsley alias Dinsley and other Lands in the County of Hertford for the Payment of the Debts of Sir Edwin Sellsie Baronet and other Purposes.

xliii. An Act to enable Sir John Bantles Baronet and his Trustees to settle several Messuages Lands and Hereditaments lying in the Counties of Lincolnshire and Kent pursuant to the Articles and Agreements made upon his Marriage with Dame Sarah his now Wife.

xliiii. An Act for vesting the Estate of Richard Belb Esq. in Trustees to be leased sold or mortgaged for paying the said Debts and Matters to which the same is liable.

xlv. An Act for vesting certain Terms for Forty Years in Trustees which were granted by John Abington Esq. deceased and to empower them to grant leases and fill up Leases according to the Usage of the Manor therein mentioned and for raising Portions for the younger Children of the said John Abington.

xlv. An Act for vesting the Equity of Redemption of the Lands and Tenements lying in the County of Leicestershire the Estate of John Digby Esq. deceased in Trustees to the intent that the same may be sold for the discharging of the Mortgages and other Incumbrances thereon.

xlv. An Act to empower Thomas Cary and George Halsey of London Merchants to export the Remainder of a Quantity of French Wine from Copenhagen contracted for before the First Day of January One thousand seven hundred and four.

xlv. An Act to enable Trustees to make Provision for Payment of Debts of William Haggason Esq. and for selling Portions for his younger Sons and for making good the intended Settlements upon the Marriage of William Haggason the younger Gent.

xlv. An Act for Sale of Lands in the Counties of Southampton and Dorset late the Estate of Thomas Deane Esq. deceased for Payment of the Debts and Legacies charged thereupon and for other Purposes therein mentioned.

xlv. An Act for settling the Imperial Tythes of the Parish of St. Botolph alias Brides London.

xlv. An Act for augmenting the Number of Canons Residentiary in the Cathedral Church of Litchfield and for improving the Decency and Probands of the said Cathedral.

xlv. An Act for Relief of Non Commission Officers and Private Soldiers of the Lord Drogheda's and Colonel Goff's Regiments.

xlv. An Act for Sale of the Manor and Estate of and in Hatheredge and Dore in the County of Derby the Estate of Christopher Pegg Esq. and mortgaging Part of his Manor and Estate of and in Bouschiff and Strawberry Lea in the same County for raising Money for Payment of Debts and Incumbrances thereon and for making Provision for his Family.

xlv. An Act to enable William Gosselin Esq. to sell a Farm in Kent to discharge an Incumbrance upon the same and to apply the Residue of the Money arising by such Sale in Payment of the said William Gosselin's Debts.

xlv. An Act for vesting a Mortgage of Hampshire County Esq. deceased in Trustees to be sold to discharge the Mortgage Debts and Incumbrances on the said Estate.

xlv. An Act for vesting in Trustees the Estate of Morris Gosselin Esq. for the raising his Sisters Portions and Payment of Debts and other Purposes therein mentioned.

xxxiii. *An Act for vesting certain Mortgages and Lands in the Counties of Devon and Cornwall of Nicholas Row Esq;* in Trust to be sold and applying the greatest Part of the Purchase Money to the Use of his Marriage Settlement and the Residue for Payment of Debts.

xl. *An Act for the Relief of Colonel John Ross.*

xli. *An Act for the removing all Doubts touching the vesting Clause of one Act of Parliament intitled An Act for vesting divers Manors and Lands of Matthew Holworthy Esq; in Trust to be sold and purchasing other Manors or Lands of equal Value and Raising the Manors or Lands to be purchased to the same Use as the Lands to be sold are intended.*

xlii. *An Act for Sale of the Manor of Burwick Hall and other Lands in the County of Essex the Estate of William Forbes Esq; and for purchasing other Lands to be settled to the same Uses.*

xliii. *An Act to sell certain Lands and Tenements in the County of Kent the Estate of Richard Thornhill Esq; in Trust to be sold for the Payment of Debts and his Executors Persons charged thereupon and for applying the Residue of the Purchase Money to the Use of his Marriage Settlement.*

xliii. *An Act to enable John Brett Fisher Esq; and Judith his Wife to sell Lands for the Payment of his Debts and making Provision for his Wife and Children in case they shall have any.*

xlv. *An Act to enable John Williams an Infant notwithstanding his Infancy to renew a Lease of the Parsonage of Bagden held under One of the Prebendaries of the Cathedral Church of Lincoln and also for settling the Parsonage of Bagden as an Augmentation for the Vicar of Bagden and vesting the Ecclesiastical Jurisdiction of the Parsonage of Bagden in the Bishop of Lincoln.*

xlv. *An Act for the Sale of Lands in the County of Lincoln late the Estate of John Guallops Esq; deceased for Payment of his Debts.*

xlv. *An Act for taking the Estate in Law of a Mortgage made by John Sande Esq; which is decreed to the Daughters and Coheirs of John Purgar deceased (who are Infants) they being only Trustees for Henry Roper Merchants.*

xlv. *An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer of England or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with Thomas Tomkins and John Chappens and their Executors for the Debts owing by them respectively to Her Majesty.*

xlv. *An Act to enable Trustees to sell several Houses and Lands in and near Portsmouth late the Estate of Elizabeth Hicks for Payment of a Debt and Interest charged thereon and for laying out the Residue of the Money in other Lands to be settled to the same Uses.*

l. *An Act for vesting the Freehold and Copyhold Estate of Thomas Gower Gent<sup>d</sup> deceased in Trust to be sold for Payment of Debts and settling the Remainder for the Benefit of his Daughters.*

l. *An Act for vesting the Estate of Valentine Crome of Maiden Erbury in the County of Berks Gent<sup>d</sup> a Trustee to be sold for Payment of his Fathers Debts and making a Provision for himself and Brother.*

li. *An Act for the Sale of Lands late of John Boller Gent<sup>d</sup> deceased for the more speedy Payment of his Debts and raising Portion for his younger Children.*

li. *An Act for the more effectual issuing of Part of the Lands of Inheritance of William and Thomas Lushet in the County of Kent pursuant to a Decree of Settlement and for issuing (in lieu of other Part thereof) other Lands of Inheritance therein also mentioned and for better Provision for younger Children.*

li. *An Act for vesting the Capital Mortgages and other Lands and Tenements of Foulke Wynne in the County of Denbigh Gentlemen and Meredith Wynne his Son in Trust to the Intent that Part thereof may be sold for Payment of his Debts and the Residue settled pursuant to Marriage Articles.*

li. *An Act for vesting the Estate of Christopher Rose the Elder Clerk deceased and of Christopher Rose Clerk his only Son also deceased in certain Trusts to be sold for the Payment of their several Debts and Legacies and for making some Provision for Dorothy the Widow of the said Christopher Rose the Son and for Christopher Rose his only Child an Infant.*

lii. *An Act for vesting the Estate of Arthur Vaughan of Trebarnon in the County of Montgomery an Infant in Trust to be sold for Payment of such Debts and Indemnities to which the same or the said Infant or either thereof is liable.*

lii. *An Act for vesting the Estate of Elizabeth Here in the County of Bucks in Trust to be sold and the Money arising thereby to be applied for the Payment of Debts charged thereon.*

liii. *An Act for Sale of the Manor of Eversley and other Lands and Hereditaments in Shropshire in the County of Lincoln late the Estate of Christopher Fairfax Gent<sup>d</sup> deceased for Payment of his Debts and Benefit of his Children.*

liii. *An Act for vesting Part of the Real Estate of Ralph Baldwin Gent<sup>d</sup> in Trust for a Provision for his younger Children.*

*12. An Act for settling and securing Part of the Estate of Robert Barry Clerk and Anne his Wife for the Benefit of the said Anne and her Children and Sale of other Part of the Estate of the said Robert Barry for Payment of his Debts.*

*13. An Act for vesting the Sum of Two thousand Pounds in Trustees to be applied to and for the Payment of the Debts of John Holworthy Gent<sup>l</sup> pursuant to an Agreement with his Creditors.*

*14. An Act for the Sale of an Advowson in Sumner late the Estate of Michael Samsell Clerk deceased for Payment of his Debts and making Provision for his Widow and Child.*

*15. An Act for Sale of the Estate of John Vickary deceased in Rockhote in the County of Devon for Payment of his Debts charged thereupon and for Maintenance of his Widow and Children.*

*16. An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer of England or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with Francis Clyn as Surety for William Penneck late of Essex Merchant in Six several Bonds for Duties on Tobacco which the said William Penneck had at the Port at Falmouth in December One thousand seven hundred and one.*

*17. An Act to rectify a Mistake in and explain an Act passed in the last Session to empower the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury to compound with Richard Cobb Esq; as One of the Sureties for Thomas Cobb Gent<sup>l</sup> Receiver General for the County of Southampton and Isle of Wight.*

*18. An Act to make the Ship L'Amazon taken and condemned as a Prize and sold in the Island of Stedion Free.*

*19. An Act for naturalizing Paul Francis and Katherine Widow.*

*20. An Act for naturalizing of Vincent De Laynaud and others.*

#### CHAPTER XIV. (\*)

*An Act for establishing a Bill in this present Parliament for naturalizing the most Excellent Princess Sophia Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover and the Issue of Her Body.*

*Ext. Parl.  
4<sup>th</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> January 1705.*

**W**H<sup>EREAS</sup> the most Excellent Princess Sophia Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover and the Issue of Her Body are to be naturalized and by reason of Their being beyond the Seas They cannot qualify themselves in order thereto according to the Act made in the Seventh [ ] of King James the First which requires ev[er] [ ] the Sacrament of the Lords Supper with [ ] [ ]  
*1. Any Bill for Naturalization be exhibited [ ] the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance in the Parliament House before His or her Majesty be Twice read Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That a Bill for the Naturalization of the said most Excellent Princess Sophia Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover and the Issue of Her Body shall and may be exhibited and brought into this present Parliament and Twice Read. Any Law Statute Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary notwithstanding.*

*Reason for passing the Act.*

*Stat. 7 Jan. 1705.*

*A Bill for the Naturalization of the Electress of Hanover may be brought in.*

\* This is Chapter I. in the Common printed Editions. The Original Act is not among the Acts of this Year at the Parliament Office.

\* Read twice, Year of the Rege, King's Printer Copy.

\* Read twice, every Person so reads, King's Printer Copy.

\* Read twice, within One Month, King's Printer Copy.

\* Read twice, and also twice, King's Printer Copy.

## CHAPTER XV. (\*)

Re. Parl.  
487. 488. 489. 490.

AN ACT to repeal several Clauses in the Statute made in the Third and Fourth Years of Her present Majesty's Reign for securing the Kingdom of England from several Acts lately passed in the Parliament of Scotland.

Recd of Parl.  
24. 25. 26. 27.

94.

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WHEREAS in a Statute made in the Third and Fourth Years of Her present Majesty's Reign intended An Act for the effectual securing the Kingdom of England from the apparent Danagers that may arise from several Acts lately passed in the Parliament of Scotland, there are Clauses contained in those Writs following (that is to say) And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five no Person or Persons being a Native or Natives of the Kingdom of Scotland (except such as are now settled Inhabitants within the Kingdom of England or the Dominions thereto belonging and shall continue Inhabitants thereof and such as are now in Service in Her Majesty's Fleet or Army) shall be capable to inherit any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within the Kingdom of England or the Dominions thereto belonging or to enjoy any Benefit or Advantage of a natural born Subject of England but every [such] Person shall be deemed forthwith adjudged and taken as an Alien born out of the Allegiance of the Queen of England until such Time as the Succession to the Crown of Scotland be declared [and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland in the same Manner the Succession to the Crown of England] is now settled by Act of Parliament in England in case of Her Majesty's Decease without Issue of Her Body And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons whatsoever shall at any Time from and after the Twentieth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four until such Time as the Succession to the Crown of Scotland be declared and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland in the same Manner as aforesaid convey or send or cause to be conveyed or sent from any Part or Place in England or Ireland any Horsem Arms or Ammunition into the Kingdom of Scotland every such Person or Persons shall forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds and Twofold the Value of such Horsem Arms or Ammunition One Third Part thereof to the Queen's most Excellent Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Third Part thereof to him or them who will sue for the same in any of Her Majesty's Courts at Westminster by Action of Debt Bill Bill Plea or Information wherein no Assign Protection or Wager of Law shall lie: And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five until such Time as the Succession to the Crown of Scotland be declared and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland in the same Manner as aforesaid no goat Castle or Sheep shall be brought out of or into the Kingdom of Scotland into the Kingdom of England or Ireland Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed under the Penalty of forfeiting all such goat Castle or Sheep to him or them who will sue for the same in the same and also the Value of such goat Castle or Sheep One Third Part to the Queen's most Excellent Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Two Third Parts thereof to him or them who will sue for the same in the same as aforesaid: And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful so and for any Person and Persons whatsoever to take and take in any Place or Places whithersoever the goat Castle or Sheep brought contrary to the Act into the Kingdom of England or Ireland Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed and detain the same during the Space of Four Days in some publick or convenient Place where such Seizure shall be made within which Time if the Owner or Owners or any on his or their Behalf shall make it appear unto some Justice of the Peace of the same County where the same shall be so seized by the Oath of Two credible Witnesses (which Oath the said Justice of the Peace is hereby required and empowered to administer) that the same were not brought from Scotland after the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five then the same upon the Warrant of such Justice shall be forthwith redelivered: And be it further enacted That if any English or other Castle or Sheep shall be with the Fivity or Knowledge of the Owner or any Person employed by him driven or interchanged or cause to be driven or interchanged with goat Castle or Sheep brought out of or from Scotland and shall be seized with them such Castle and Sheep so interchanged and seized shall be deemed Scotch Castle and shall be subject to the like Forfeiture and ordered and disposed of in all respects as if they were brought out of or from Scotland contrary to this Act: And if any Person or Persons shall wilfully and fraudulently conspire confederate or agree together to avoid or evade the Statutes or Parliaments upon the bringing in of Castle in this Act particularly specified and the same shall put in Execution then every such Person and Persons being himself indicted or presented within One Year next after such Offence by him or them committed and being thereof lawfully convicted or attainted at any Time hereafter shall forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds to be recovered and distributed as aforesaid: And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action [Suit Bill Plea] or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for any Seizure or other Thing done or made in pursuance or Execution of this Act such Person or Persons shall not be obliged to give any more than a common Appearance and may plead the General Issue and give the special Matter in Evidence: And if the Plaintiff or Prosecutor shall become Nonsuit or forbear Prosecution or suffer Demurrance or if a Verdict pass against him in any such Action Bill Plea Suit or Information as aforesaid the Defendants shall have Twofold Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in any Case where Costs by Law are given to the Defendants: And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five until such Time as the Succession to the Crown of Scotland be declared and settled by an Act of Parliament in Scotland in the same Manner as aforesaid no Scotch Castle shall be imported out of the Kingdom of Scotland into the Kingdom of England or Ireland Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed under the Penalty

\* This is Chapter III. in the Common printed Editions.

† inserted in the Bill.

‡ Bill Plea Suit &c.







of forfeiting the Costs so imposed One Half to the Queen's most Excellent Majesty the other Half to such Person as shall advise in law for the same. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five until such Time as the Statute in the Crown of Scotland be declared and acted by an Act of Parliament in Scotland in like Manner as aforesaid no Scotch Lines shall be imposed or brought out of Scotland into the Kingdom of England Duchies of Wales Town of Berwick upon Tweed or Ireland under the Penalty of forfeiting the said Lines and Double the Value thereof to be recovered with Costs of Suit in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record One Moiety thereof to the Queen's Majesty the other Moiety to such Person as shall advise in law or sue for the same.

[Any whereas since the making the said Act an Act hath been made and passed in the Parliament of Scotland for enabling Her Majesty to appoint Commissioners to treat with Commissioners for the Kingdom of England of and concerning an Union of the said Kingdoms of England and Scotland Now to the End that the good and friendly Disposition of this Kingdom towards the Kingdom of Scotland may appear.] Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That the said Charters be from henceforth absolutely repealed and voided to all intents and Purposes whatsoever.

The altered  
Charters repealed.

## CHAPTER XVI. (\*)

An Act for the Naturalization of the most Excellent Princess Sophia Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover and the issue of her Body.

4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th.

WHEREAS the Imperial Crown and Dignity of the Realm of England France and Ireland and the Dominions thereto belonging after the Death of Your Majesty our most gracious Sovereign without issue of Your Body is limited by Act of Parliament to the most Excellent Princess Sophia Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover Granddaughter of the late King James the First and the Heirs of Her Body being Protestants And whereas Your Majesty by Your Royal Care and Concern for the Happiness of these Kingdoms reposes in the Honours and Affections of all Your People to their great Comfort and Satisfaction and will be a glorious Example to Your Royal Successors in future Ages And to the End the said Princess Sophia Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover and the issue of Her Body and all Persons lawfully descending from Her may be encouraged to become acquainted with the Laws and Constitutions of this Realm it is just and [highly] reasonable that they in Your Majesty's Life time (wherein God long preserve) should be naturalized and be deemed taken and received natural born Subjects of England We Your Majesty most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Lords Spiritual (\*) and Commons in Parliament assembled do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and therefore be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Princess Sophia Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover and the issue of Her Body and all Persons lawfully descending from Her born or hereafter to be born be and shall be to all intents and Purposes whatsoever deemed taken and received natural born Subjects of this Kingdom as if the said Princess and the issue of Her Body and all Persons lawfully descending from Her born or hereafter to be born had been born within this Realm of England Any Law Statute Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary notwithstanding.

Reason for passing  
the Act.

The Election  
of Hanover and  
Her Lord Deputy-  
Duchess naturalized.

Provided always and be it further enacted [and declared] by the Authority aforesaid That every Person and Person who shall be naturalized by virtue of this Act of Parliament and shall become a Papist or profess the Popish Religion shall not enjoy any Benefit or Advantage of a natural born Subject of England but every such Person shall be adjudged and taken as an Alien born out of the Allegiance of the Queen of England to all intents and Purposes whatsoever Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

II.  
Persons who  
become Catholics  
in this Act, being  
Papists.

1 inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

2 This is Chapter IV. in the Common printed Edition. The original Act is not numbered by the Act of this Year as the Parliament Office.

3 inserted in the Roll.

4 and Temporal, Kings Princes &c.

## CHAPTER XVII (\*)

*Act, Parl.  
4 & 5 Annæ, p. 3-4*

An Act for continuing the Duties upon Malt Mown Cyder and Perry for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and six.

*Stat. 1 Annæ Stat. c. 1-2*

*Stat. 2 & 3 Annæ c. 1*

*Stat. 3 & 4 Annæ c. 15.*

continued;

and Duties to be collected thereby.

The former Act to be in Force.

II.  
Provision for Loans by Exchequer.

Provision to be allowed the Duty for Malt taken by the Exchequer

III.  
Malt to be paid into Exchequer.

Clause of Act for all Exchequer to all per Cent.

payable every Third Month  
from First Term

IV.  
And here a Tally and Order.

MOST gracious Sovereign We Your Majesties most devoted and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to provide such Supplies as may be effectual for the aiding of His Majesty to carry on the present War and for other Your Majesties necessary and important Occasions have therefore freely and unanimously resolved to [give and grant and do by this Act] give and grant unto Your Majesty the Rates Duties and Impositions herein after mentioned and do most humbly (\*) Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen your Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the several and respective Rates Duties and Impositions which are and by One Act of Parliament made and passed in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for granting a Supply to Her Majesty by several Duties imposed upon Malt Mown Cyder and Perry) were granted to Her Majesty in the Manner therein mentioned and which by Act of Parliament made and passed in the Second Year of Her Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by continuing the Duties upon Malt Mown Cyder and Perry for One Year) were continued in the Manner therein mentioned until the Twenty fourth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five and which by another Act of the Third Year of Her Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for continuing the Duties upon Malt Mown Cyder and Perry for One Year) were continued in the Manner therein mentioned until the Twenty fourth Day of June which should be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six shall be further continued in like Manner for and upon all Malt which shall be made and all Mown which shall be made or imported and all Cyder and Perry which shall be made for Sale from and after the Thirtieth and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six and before the First and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven and shall be raised levied collected and paid unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors during the Term aforesaid by the same Ways Means and Methods and by such Rules and Directions and with such Allowances and under such Qualities and Forfeitures and with such Power of Mitigation and other Powers and in such Manner and Form in all respects as are prescribed mentioned or expressed in the said several former Acts for the said Duties: And that the same Acts severally made and passed for the said Duties and every Article Rule Clause Matter and Thing in them and every of them contained or thereby referred to and now being in Force shall be of full Force and Effect to all Intents and Purposes for raising levying collecting securing and accomplishing for mitigating and raising Allowances out of the said Rates Duties and Impositions hereby granted or continued and for levying the Qualities and all other Matters and Things during the Continuance of this Act as fully as if the same were particularly and at large repeated in the Body of this present Act.

And whereas in this Time of War several Losses happen to Persons who send Malt Coastwise by reason of Ships being taken by Enemies Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That above the Duty by this Act granted is paid or secured to be paid by the Maltster if any Quantity of Malt shall from and after the First and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six happen to be taken by the Enemy he shall and may be lawfully for the Proprietor or Proprietors of Malt so taken as aforesaid to make Proof thereof by Two credible Witnesses upon Oath and of his or their having paid or given Security to pay the said Duty before the Justice of the Peace of the County or Place from whence the same was shipped at the next General Quarter Sessions for such County or Place (who are hereby empowered to give Certificate under their Heeds and Seals of such Loss) and upon producing such Certificate to the Officer appointed to collect the said Duty he shall be obliged to repay or allow the said Proprietor or Proprietors so much of the said Duty as shall have been by him paid for the Quantity of Malt proved to be taken by the Enemy and lost as aforesaid

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Moneys which shall arise by this Act of the said Duties upon Malt Mown Cyder and Perry (over and above the necessary Charges of raising and paying the said Duties) shall from time to time be brought and paid into the Exchequer and that it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Citizens or Foreigners Bankers Tailors or Composite to lend to Her Majesty at the said Exchequer upon Credit of the said Duties any Sum as Sum of Money as shall not exceed in the whole the Sum of five hundred and fifty thousand Pounds which Lenders shall have Interest for the Redemption of their respective Loans not exceeding the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum to be paid every Third Month from the making of such Loans until Satisfaction of the Principal Sums respectively and that no Money so to be [lent] shall be raised or assessed to any Tax or Assessment whatsoever

And that every such Lender shall immediately have a Tally of Loan struck for the Money by him lent or then lent and an Order of the same Date for Repayment thereof with such Interest as aforesaid and that all such Orders shall be required in course according to their Date and all Persons thereupon shall be paid in course as their Orders shall stand registered

\* This is Chapter V. in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted in the Bill.

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And that the said Moties to come in by this Act of the said Duties shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the said respective Persons their Executors Administrators or Assignes successively without undue Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or divertible to any other Use than the Purpose whereunto.

And that no Fee Reward or Gratitude directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesties Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Searches in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party grieved by the Party offending with full Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place also.

And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Treble Costs to the Party grieved and shall be sequestrated of his Place or Office and if such Preference be actually made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Direction or Privity of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be ever after incapable of his Place or [Office].

And in case the Auditor of the Receipts shall not direct and the Clerk of the Pells record or the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as above directed then he or they shall be adjudged to satisfy and the respective Deputies and Clerks herein offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid all which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be incurred by any the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Excess Privilege Wager of Law Injunction or Order of Restraine shall be in any wise granted or allowed.

Providens always and he is hereby declared That if it happen that several Tullies of Loans or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipts to be registered then it shall be interpreted no undue Preference which of them be first entered so as he enters them all the same Day.

Providens also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to hear any Penalty in point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerk of the Pells record and the Tellers do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand their Monies and bring their Orders [before other Persons that did not come to take their Monies and bring their Orders] in their course so as there be so much Money reserved as will satisfy precedent Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for their Interest upon Loans being to come but the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them.

And he is further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Registry as aforesaid his or their Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Words of Assignment to be endorsed on his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall suffice such Assignee his Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereon and such Assignee may in like Manner assign again and so twice again and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignments to make void release or discharge the same or any the Monies thereby due or any Part thereof.

V.

VI.  
Taking Fee  
for making  
Registers, &c.  
Penalty.

VII.  
Undue Preference  
by Officers,  
Penalty.  
By Deputy.

VIII.  
Auditor offending.  
Deputy.  
Penalty.

IX.  
No undue  
Preference where  
Tellers, &c. hear  
Data the same Day.

X.  
Use of subsequent  
Orders in full  
before those not  
demanded in court.

XI.  
Orders assignible.  
Memorial thereof  
without Fee.

Assignee may  
assign.

\* Officers O.

\* mentioned on the Roll.

## CHAPTER XVIII. (\*)

*See Post.  
4th & 5th Ann. c. 18.*

An Act for continuing an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and certain Duties upon Coals, Cakes and Cyphers and additional Duties of Excise and for settling and establishing a Fund thereby and by other Ways and Means for Payment of Annuities to be sold for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and six and other Uses therein mentioned.

*Grant of  
4th & 5th Ann. c. 18.*

*Tonnage and  
Poundage, &c.  
granted.*

*Recital of Stat.  
9 W. III. c. 25.  
§ 1.*

*Stat. c. 2 Ann. c. 1.*

*Recital of Stat.  
9 W. III. c. 25.  
§ 1.*

*Schedule of  
Tonnage of Stat.  
9 W. III. c. 25.  
mentioned from  
8th March 1706,  
for 25 Years.*

**M**AY it please Your most Excellent Majesty We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled duly considering Your Majesties great Occasions for Money to carry on the present War and having Regard as well to the great Burthen of Taxes now lying upon Your Majesties Subjects as to the present Condition of the Publick Funds and the present Incumbrances thereupon are therefore desirous by such easy and effectual Ways and Means as in this Act are expressed and intended to raise a Summe of Money not exceeding in the Whole Two millions five hundred seventy five thousand seven hundred sixty one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence (Part of the Money necessary to be provided in this Session of Parliament for Your Majesty's Supply) and such further Sum of Money as will be sufficient during the time Two Years of the Terms herein after mentioned to complete the Payment of the Annuities to be purchased upon this Act and here for that End and Purpose cheerfully and unanimously given and granted and do by this Act give and grant unto Your Majesty the Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage upon Wines Goods and Merchandises and the several Duties upon Coals Cakes and Cyphers and upon Beer Ale Cyphers and other Liquors heretofore by this Act mentioned for such several and respective Terms and to continue at or from such respective Days Times and to be paid and payable in such Manner and Form as in this Act are afterwards expressed (that is to say) Whereas by an Act made and passed in the Ninth Year of the Reigne of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory (intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty a further Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage towards raising the yearly Sum of Seven hundred thousand Pounds for the Service of His Majesties Household and other Uses therein mentioned during His Majesties Life) it was enacted that ever and above the Subsidies Impositions and other Duties therein mentioned there should be raised and paid to His Majesty One other Subsidy called Tonnage for and upon all Wines which from and after the last Day of January in the Twelfth of our Lord One thousand six hundred sixty and nine at any Time and Times during His Majesties Life should be imported or brought into the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed and one further Subsidy called Poundage of all Manner of Goods and Merchandises imported or brought into the Realm or any His Majesties Dominions to the same belonging at any Time or Times after the said last Day of January One thousand six hundred sixty nine also during His Majesties Life by way of Merchandise (except such Goods and Merchandises as are therein excepted) and with such Abatement Regulations Directions for making Regrements or Allowances upon Exportation and subject to such Rules and other Matters and Things touching the said several Subsidies as in the last mentioned Act are expressed which said further Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wines Goods and Merchandises granted by the Act above recited are to be raised and paid to Her Majesty during Her Life by virtue of another Act of Parliament made and passed in the First Year of Her Reigne (intituled An Act for the better Support of Her Majesties Household and the Honour and Dignity of the Crown) And whereas by an Act made and passed in the Second Year of His Majesty's Reigne (intituled An Act for granting to Her Majesty an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage for Three Years and for laying a further Duty upon French Wines contained in huddled Pipes and for increasing the Value of untaxed Goods imported from the East Indies) it was enacted that there should be raised levied collected paid and received unto Her Majesty one other Subsidy called Tonnage for and upon all Wines which from and after the Eighth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three at any Time or Times within or during the Space of Three Years from thence next and immediately ensuing should be imported or brought into the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed (that is to say) One Third Part of such or the like several and respective Duties as by the Two Acts last recited or mentioned or either of them were imposed or payable for or upon any Kind of Wine or Wines respectively and one other Subsidy called Poundage of all Manner of Goods and Merchandises to be imported or brought into the Realm or any His Majesties Dominions to the same belonging at any Time or Times after the said Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three during the said Term of Three Years by way of Merchandise (that is to say) One Third Part of such or the like several and respective Duties as by the said Two Acts last before recited or mentioned or either of them are imposed or payable for or upon the said Goods and Merchandises respectively (except such Goods and other Merchandises as by the said Two Acts last mentioned or either of them are exempted from Payment of the Subsidies thereby granted) as in and by the said several Acts (Reliefes being therein respectively had) may more fully appear Now We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons in Parliament assembled for the Ends and Purpose sheweth do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by [the] Authority of the same That ever and above the Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage above mentioned and ever and above all other Subsidies additional Duties Impositions and Payments whatsoever by any Act or Acts of Parliament or otherwise heretofore already due or payable or which ought to be paid to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors for or upon any Wines Goods and Merchandises

\* This is Chapter VI. in the Common granted Editions.

whenever imported or to be imported shall be continued and be raised twice (") paid and settled into the Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and upon all Wines which from and after the Eighth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six at any Time or Times within or during the Term of Ninety and eight Years from thence next and immediately ensuing and fully to be complete and ended shall be imposed or brought into the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed the same or the like Subsidy of Tonnage as by the said Act of the Second Year of Her Majesty Reign was charged or imposed for or upon any Kind of Wine or Wines whatsoever (that is to say) One Third Part of such as the like amount and respective Duties as by the said Act of the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty Reign were granted to him during His Life and by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesty Reign are continued to Her during Her Majesty Life for or upon any Kind of Wine or Wines respectively and for and upon all Manner of Goods and Merchandises which from and after the said Eighth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six at any Time or Times within or during the said Term of Ninety and eight Years shall be imported or brought into this Realm or any Her Majesty Dominions to the same belonging by way of Merchandise there shall be continued and settled and collected to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors the same or the like Subsidy of Tonnage as by the said Act of the Second Year of Her Majesty Reign was laid or imposed for or upon any Goods or Merchandises whatsoever (that is to say) One Third Part of such or the like several and respective Duties as by the said Act of the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty Reign were granted to Him during His Life and by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesty Reign are continued during Her Majesty Life for or upon the same Goods and Merchandises respectively (except such Goods and other Merchandises as by the said Subsidy Acts made in the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty Reign and in the First and Second Year of Her said Majesty Reign or any of them are exempted from Payment of the said Subsidies thereby granted)

One Third Part, as by Stat. 9 W. III. c. 22 and 1 Ann. c. 1.

Privileges of Stat. 9 & 1 Ann. c. 22, continued as like Manner.

except Goods exempted from Payment by the said Acts.

And it is hereby enacted That in all Cases where by the said Subsidy Act of the Second Year of Her Majesty Reign or by any general or particular Clauses therein contained any Drawbacks or Abatement of the Whole or any Part of the Duties thereby granted or any other Allowances whatsoever are appointed to be made on goods in respect of the Subsidy thereby granted there shall be in the like Cases respectively the same or the like Drawbacks and Abatement of the Whole or Part of the Duties by this Act granted and other Allowances made and given in respect of the Subsidy hereby imposed. And that the said several Subsidies and Duties by this Act payable during the Continuance thereof and all Arrangements of the same shall be raised levied collected assessed and paid by the same Ways Means and Methods and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and subject to such Rules and Directions as in and by the said Subsidy Acts of the Ninth Year of His said late Majesty Reign and of the First and Second Years of Her said Majesty Reign or by any general relative or particular Clauses in Writs therein or in any of them contained and now in Force are prescribed or appointed touching or concerning the said several Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage which were thereby respectively granted as aforesaid. And that so much of the said Subsidy Act of the Second Year of Her Majesty Reign and such of the Branches and Clauses therein contained or thereby referred unto as do concern only the Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage thereby granted (being One Third Part of the Subsidies granted by the said former Acts as aforesaid) and are now in Force shall be used executed put in practice and observed as and for the raising levying collecting and receiving the Subsidies and Duties hereby before granted as fully and effectually as if the same were again promulgated and at large repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this present Act

II. Drawbacks, Abatements, &c. allowed by this Act.

The Duties to be raised as by Stat. 9 W. III. c. 22 and 1 Ann. c. 1, and 2 W. & A. c. 22.

Clauses in Stat. 9 & 1 Ann. c. 1, to be observed in collecting, &c. the said Duties.

And it is hereby declared and enacted That the Exemption contained in the Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty Reign entitled An Act for granting to Her Majesty a further Subsidy on Wines and Merchandises Imported whereby Carries imported in English built Shipping navigated according to the Laws then in Force are exempted from the Duties thereby granted shall be extended to all such Carries as after the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six shall be imported in Ships belonging to any of the Subjects of the Republic of Venice as fast they also shall be exempted from Payment of the Subsidy granted by that Act. Any thing therein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

III. Duty on Carries from Venice, exempted, as by Stat. 3 W. & A. c. 2, &c.

And Her Majesty and lawful and loyal Subjects the Commons in Parliament assembled do also hereby enact That Her Majesty that it may be enacted and be enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such and the like Importations Rates and Duties whatsoever as in and by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third (intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty several Duties upon Coal and Colic) were charged and imposed upon the several Sorts of Coals and Colic therein mentioned for the Term of Five Years which commenced from the Fifteenth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred thirty eight and the Duty and Duties upon Cynders which in and by an Act made and passed in the Parliament holden at Westminster in the Tenth and Eleventh Years of His late Majesty Reign (intituled An Act for laying further Duties upon Swarts and for lessening the Duties as well upon Vinegar as upon certain Low Wines and White-Fins and the Duties upon Brandy imported and for the more fully raising the Duties upon Leather and for charging Cynders and for punishing the Importation of Pearl Ashes and for punishing Abuses in the brewing of Beer and Ale and Frauds in Importation of Tobacco) were charged

IV. Export on Coal, Colic, &c. of the 9 W. III. c. 22, &c. continued from 1705 May 15th, to 1708 Sept. 1st, &c.

as Cynders, as by Stat. 10 W. III. c. 22.

as continued by  
Stat. 1 Ann. c. 4.

except Charcoal  
made of Wink,  
forther continued  
until July Sept.  
1704  
to be added to by  
the said former  
Act

or imposed upon such Cynders as are therein mentioned for Four Years commencing from the Fifteenth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred sixty nine which several Duties upon Coals Cokes and Cynders were by an Act made in the First Year of Her now Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for encreasing the Duties upon Coals Cokes and Cynders) continued from the Fourteenth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and three until the Fifteenth Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight (Charcoals made of Wood being always excepted) shall by force and virtue of this Act be further continued from the Fourteenth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight until the Thirtieth Day of September which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten for the Purposes in this Act expressed and shall during all that Time and Term be taxed levied collected and paid for and upon all such and the like Sorts of Coals Cokes and Cynders as by the said former Act touching the same or any of them were chargeable in such Manner and Form and according to such Rates and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as by the same former Act touching Coals Cokes and Cynders or the Duties thereof or any of them were prescribed for or concerning the Duties thereby granted or continued

V.  
Classes, &c. in  
former Acts  
repealed, for levying  
the Duties under  
this Act

And it is hereby enacted That the said Act (intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty several Duties upon Coals and Cokes) and so much of the said Act for laying Duties upon Swines and other Things as concern the said Duty upon Cynders and all and every the Powers Authorities Rules Directions Penalties and Forfeitures Classes Matters and Things therein contained now being in force for governing managing raising levying securing collecting receiving paying and accounting for the Duties upon Coals Cokes and Cynders by the said former Act granted or continued during the said several Terms therein mentioned shall be and are by force and virtue of (') these Act revised and shall be in full force and be duly observed practised and put in Execution in and for the governing managing raising levying securing collecting receiving paying and accounting for the Duties upon Coals Cokes and Cynders by this Act granted and during the Term hereby granted of and in the same and all Arrangements thereof as fully and effectually as all Intents and Purposes as if the same Powers Authorities Rules Directions Penalties and Forfeitures Classes Matters and Things were again expressed and particularly repeated as contained in the Body of this present Act

VI.  
Repeal of Stat.  
2W 3 Ann. c. 7. 1704.

And whereas in and by a certain Act of Parliament made in the Fifth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary (intituled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain Rates of Duties upon Salt and upon Beer Ale and other Liquors for securing certain Remissions and Advancements in the said Act mentioned in such Persons as shall voluntarily advance the Sum of Ten hundred thousand Pounds towards carrying on the War against France) certain Rates and Duties of Excise therein mentioned for and upon Beer Ale Vinegar Vanguer Beer Wines Spiders Aqua vitæ Meadgins and other Liquors then expressed were granted or made payable to Their said late Majesties Their Heires and Successors for and during the Term of Sixteen Years which commenced from the Seventeenth Day of May which was in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred sixty seven and several Annates therein mentioned were thereby made payable to such Persons as should contribute Money upon the same Act their Executors Administrators and Assigns respectively out of the Fond thereby provided and charged upon the Duties of Salt and the said Duties of Excise thereby granted for a certain Term of Sixteen Years which will expire at the Feast of St. Michael the Archbischop which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten or at the End of Twenty Day then next ensuing as by the Act last before recited (Relution being thereunto had) may more fully appear Her Her Majesties said dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons in Parliament assembled do likewise humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Seventeenth Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and thirteen there shall be within and throughout Her Majesties Kingdoms of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed raised levied collected and paid unto Her Majesty Her Heires and Successors for and during the Space and Term of Ninety five Years from thence next and immediately ensuing and fully to be complete and ended for Beer Ale Cyder and other Liquors herein after expressed by way of Excise over and above all Duties Changes and Impositions by any former Act or Act of Parliament act or imposed the several Rates and Duties of Excise herein after expressed (that is to say)

Barrel of Beer  
or Ale above the  
Excise exclusive,

For every Barrel of Beer or Ale above Six Shillings the Barrel exclusive of the Duty of Excise taxed by the common Brewer or any other Person or Persons who doth or shall sell or tap out Beer or Ale publicly or privately to be paid by the common Brewer or by such other Person or Persons respectively and so proportionally for a greater or lesser Quantity over and above the Duties payable for the same Three Pence

Barrel, Six of Six  
or under, brewed,

For every Barrel of Beer or Ale of Six Shillings the Barrel or under brewed by the common Brewer or any other Person or Persons who shall sell or tap out Beer or Ale publicly or privately to be paid by the common Brewer or by such other Person or Persons respectively as aforesaid and so proportionally for a greater or lesser Quantity over and above the Duties payable for the same Three Pence

Barrel of Vanguer,  
&c.

For every Barrel of Vanguer or Vanguer Beer or Liquors prepared for Vanguer which shall be brewed or made of any English or Foreign Maltsters by any Person or Persons whatsoever for Sale and so in Proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity (over and above the other Duties of Excise payable for the same) Two Shillings and Four Pence to be paid by the Maker thereof

For every Barrel of Beer Ale or Mead imported from beyond the Seas or from the Islands of Guernsey or Jersey and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity to be paid by the Importers before landing over and above the Duties payable for the same Three Shillings

For every Ton of Cyder or Perry imported from beyond the Seas and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity to be paid by the Importer before landing over and above the Duties payable for the same Four Pounds

For every Gallon of Single Brandy Spirits or Aqua vine imported from beyond the Seas to be paid by the Importer before landing over and above the Duties payable for the same Two Shillings

For every Gallon of Brandy Spirits or Aqua vine above Proof commonly called Double Brandy imported from beyond the Seas to be paid by the Importer before landing over and above the Duties payable for the same Four Shillings

For all Cyder and Perry made and sold by Retail upon every Hogshead to be paid by the Retailer thereof over and above the Duties payable for the same and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Measure One Shilling and Three Pence

For all Maltstall or Mord made for Sale whether by Retail or otherwise to be paid by the Maker for every Gallon Three Pence

Beer, &c. imported, paid by Importers.

Cyder, &c. imported, paid by Importers.

Brandy, &c. paid by Importers

Brandy, &c. above Proof, paid by Importers.

Cyder, &c. by Retail, paid by Retailer.

Maltstall, &c. paid by Maker

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said several Rates Duties and Impositions upon Beer Ale Cyder and other Liquors aforesaid and all Arrangements thereof be raised levied collected and paid unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors during the said Space and Term of Ninety five Years in the same Manner and Form and by such Rules Ways and Means and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Power of Molestation and other Powers as the like or the said Duties of Excise granted by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Their late Majesty's Reign are thereby or by any other Act or Acts or Law whatsoever for or concerning any the Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale or other Liquors now in force enacted or appointed to be raised levied collected and paid during the Remainder of the said Term of Ninety Years therein granted and that so much of the said Act of the Fifth Year of Their late Majesty's Reign as concerns only the said Duties of Excise and of the said other Laws of Excise relating thereto as are now in force for the raising levying collecting and answering the said Duties of Excise granted in the Fifth Year of Their late Majesty's Reign shall be continued and served and be practised put in Execution and observed in and for the raising levying collecting and answering the said Duties of Excise by this Act expressed for and during the said Term of Ninety five Years and all Arrangements thereof for the Purposes in this Act expressed as fully and effectually as if the same were particularly and at large mentioned in the Body of this present Act

And to the Intent that a good care and lasting Security and Fund may be settled and established for the constant Payment of all the Annuities to be paid upon this Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies arising from time to time by or for the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage upon Wines Goods and Merchandises by this Act granted and by or for the said several and respective Duties and Impositions by this Act imposed for or upon Goods Cakes and Cyders and by or for the said several Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors or by or for any other Duties by this Act granted or continued and every of them (the necessary Charges of managing raising levying collecting answering paying and accounting for the said several Subsidies Rates Impositions and other Duties only excepted) shall from time to time from the respective Commencements of the said Subsidies Rates Impositions and other Payments respectively [and] for and during the several Terms or Times therein severally granted or provided to be granted by this Act be brought and paid by the respective Commissioners Receivers General or such Persons as for the Time being shall have the Receipt thereof as the same shall be raised (who are hereby required and supposed to bring and pay the same accordingly) into the Receipt of Exchequer for the Purposes in this Act expressed distinctly and separately from all other Monies whatsoever that are or shall be payable by them into the said Receipt

And that all the Monies to arise by virtue of the said Act of the Fifth Year of Their said late Majesty's Reign or for the said Duties of Excise thereby granted after the said Lottery Annuities therein mentioned shall be or for the said sufficient Money shall be received in the Exchequer for paying off the same shall in like Manner from time to time be brought and paid into the Receipt of Exchequer for the Purposes in this Act expressed distinctly and upon as aforesaid and the respective Commissioners and Receivers General of the said several Impositions Rates Subsidies and other Duties hereby required to be paid into the Receipt of Exchequer as aforesaid shall make or cause to be made the Payments thereof into the said Receipt of Exchequer according to the true Meaning of this Act Weekly to wit on Wednesday in every Week if it be not an Holy day [and if it be thus on the next Day after that is not an Holy-day]

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be provided and kept in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer One or more Books in which all the Monies hereby appointed to be paid in Weekly as aforesaid and which shall be brought to the said Receipt shall be entered and distinct from all other Monies paid into the said Receipt on any other Account whatsoever

VII.  
The said Duties to be levied on by Stat. 5<sup>th</sup> W. & M. c. 3. and all other Acts;

the said Acts as to Excise, several and continued.

VIII.  
The Monies arising from said Duties,

to be paid into the Exchequer, separately

IX.  
Monies arising by Stat. 5<sup>th</sup> W. & M. c. 3. to be paid into the Exchequer separately,

Said Duties to be paid in weekly

X.  
Auditor to provide Books in which Monies entered upon.

**XI.**  
Commissioners, &c.  
appointed.

And to the End all the Monies by this Act appropriated for Payment of the Annuities to be purchased upon this Act may be duly and certainly raised and brought into the Receipt of Exchequer for that Purpose it is hereby further enacted That from time to time during the Continuance of this Act there shall be continued or appointed Commissioners Receivers General Comptrolers Collectors and other proper Officers for raising the several Duties by this Act granted and for keeping the Accounts of the same and that the respective Commissioners or Chief Managers thereof shall from time to time Weekly compute and ascertain the Monies of each Branch of the said Duties hereby granted or continued which ought to be paid into the Exchequer on every Wednesday or on the subsequent Day not being an Holy-day as aforesaid And that all Commissioners Receivers General Comptrolers Collectors and other Officers who are or shall be concerned in the managing raising levying receiving collecting or paying the same or in keeping the Accounts thereof shall perform their several and respective Duties therein as to them respectively shall appertain under such and the like Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities for any Offence or Neglect therein as for defaulting defaulting or misapplying any Part of the said Monies as are prescribed and to be inflicted by virtue of an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third (entituled An Act for raising a Sum not exceeding Two Millions upon a Fund for Payment of Annuities after the Rate of Eight Pence per Pound per Annum and for settling the Trade to the East Indies) for the like Offence or Neglect in relation to the Duties upon Salt and upon Stamp Value Parliament and Paper thereby granted or for defaulting defaulting or misapplying any Part of the Monies which were granted by the Act last mentioned.

**XII.**  
The Monies arising  
by this Act to be  
the general Fund  
for Payment of  
Annunities to be  
purchased under  
this Act, and not to  
be diverted, &c.

And it is hereby enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies arising of or for the said several Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and of or for the said Duties of Cooks Cutlers and Cyndlers and the said several Rates and Duties of Exche by this Act appointed to be paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer from time to time as aforesaid together with the Sum of Two hundred and eighty thousand Pounds (Part of the Contribution Monies to be received and applied as is herein after mentioned) or so much of the said Subsidies Contribution Monies to be received and applied as is herein after mentioned shall be sufficient for answering the full and due Payment of all the Annuities to be purchased upon this Act from time to time according to the true Meaning thereof it is and shall be the General Fund for Payment of the same and shall be charged therewith and liable thereunto and shall not be diverted or divisible to any other Use Intend or Purpose whatsoever unless the Parliament Parliament and Disabilities in this Act expressed.

**XIII.**  
And for the raising any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Two millions eight hundred fifty five thousand seven hundred sixty one Pence Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence (that is to say) Two millions five hundred seventy five thousand seven hundred sixty one Pence Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence thereof for carrying on the present War and other Her Majesties Goodness and Two hundred and eighty thousand Pounds Remainder thereof to be applied together with the Product of the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage to or towards the making good or completing the quantity Payments herein after mentioned to incur and grow due on and before the First and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigners Bodies Politick or Corporations to contribute advance and pay into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer for Her Majesties Use at or before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in that Behalf any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the said Sum of Two millions eight hundred fifty five thousand seven hundred sixty one Pence Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence for purchasing any Annuity or Annuities to be paid and payable during the full Term of Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the First and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six at the Rate of Fifty Pence per Pound Purchase which Rate doth amount to the Sum of One hundred fifty five Pence for every such Annuity of Ten Pence per Annum and proportionably for any greater Annuity and the same Rate or Condition of Money is hereby appointed to be paid into the said Receipt at or before the respective Days and Times herein after mentioned (that is to say) One Fourth Part thereof on or before the First Day of May (in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six) One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the First Day of July (in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six) One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the One and twentieth Day of August in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six and the remaining Fourth Part thereof on or before the First Day of November in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six all which Annuities so to be purchased shall not exceed in the whole the Sum of One hundred eighty four thousand two hundred forty two Pence Fourteen Shillings per Annum and shall be paid and payable at the Four equal annual Parts or Days of Payment in the Year (that is to say) the Feasts of the Nativity of Saint John Baptist Saint Michael the Archangel the Birth of our Lord Christ and the Ascension of the blessed Virgin Mary by even and equal Portions the First Payment thereof to be made at the Feast of the Nativity of Saint John Baptist which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six.

Any Person may  
advance the said  
Sum for purchasing  
Annunities for  
99 Years, from  
Eighth March 1705,  
at 31 Years and  
half Purchase.

And for the raising any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Two millions eight hundred fifty five thousand seven hundred sixty one Pence Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence (that is to say) Two millions five hundred seventy five thousand seven hundred sixty one Pence Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence thereof for carrying on the present War and other Her Majesties Goodness and Two hundred and eighty thousand Pounds Remainder thereof to be applied together with the Product of the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage to or towards the making good or completing the quantity Payments herein after mentioned to incur and grow due on and before the First and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigners Bodies Politick or Corporations to contribute advance and pay into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer for Her Majesties Use at or before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in that Behalf any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the said Sum of Two millions eight hundred fifty five thousand seven hundred sixty one Pence Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence for purchasing any Annuity or Annuities to be paid and payable during the full Term of Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the First and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six at the Rate of Fifty Pence per Pound Purchase which Rate doth amount to the Sum of One hundred fifty five Pence for every such Annuity of Ten Pence per Annum and proportionably for any greater Annuity and the same Rate or Condition of Money is hereby appointed to be paid into the said Receipt at or before the respective Days and Times herein after mentioned (that is to say) One Fourth Part thereof on or before the First Day of May (in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six) One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the First Day of July (in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six) One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the One and twentieth Day of August in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six and the remaining Fourth Part thereof on or before the First Day of November in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six all which Annuities so to be purchased shall not exceed in the whole the Sum of One hundred eighty four thousand two hundred forty two Pence Fourteen Shillings per Annum and shall be paid and payable at the Four equal annual Parts or Days of Payment in the Year (that is to say) the Feasts of the Nativity of Saint John Baptist Saint Michael the Archangel the Birth of our Lord Christ and the Ascension of the blessed Virgin Mary by even and equal Portions the First Payment thereof to be made at the Feast of the Nativity of Saint John Baptist which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six.

One Fourth on  
1st May 1705:  
One Fourth  
on 1st July 1705:  
One Fourth  
1st Nov 1705:  
and the other on  
1st Nov 1705:  
Annunities pur-  
chased not to  
exceed 400,000  
44s per Annum.

**XIV.**  
Commissioners  
Ratified to be  
named, &c. to  
Book in the  
Exchequer.

And it is hereby enacted That in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt and Clerk of the Rolls in the Exchequer severally there shall be provided and kept a Book or Books in which there shall be fully entered the Names of all who shall be Contributors and of all Persons by whose Hands the said Contributors shall pay in any of the said Sums upon this Act and also the Sums so paid and the Times when the same are respectively



paid to which Book it shall be lawful for the respective Contributors their Executors Administrators and Assigns from time to time and at all reasonable Times to have Access and to inspect the same without Fee or Reward

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Assesses whatsoever which shall be purchased upon or in pursuance of this present Act shall be and are hereby charged upon and shall be paid and payable from (time to time in the First Place and with Preference to all other Payments whatsoever out of the Monies arising from) time to time of and for the said several Subsidies of Tonnage and Preamble Impositions upon Casks Casks and Cypers and the said several Rates and Duties of Excise and all and every other Duty and Duty Sum and Sort of Money whatsoever by this Act appointed to be brought and paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer as aforesaid and every of them and also out of the said Sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty thousand Pounds by this Act allowed to be contributed for or towards the making good or completing the quarterly Payments for the First Two Years as aforesaid and so much of the said several Subsidies Duties Impositions Rates Sums and Sums of Money so appointed by this Act to be brought or paid into the Exchequer and so much of the said Sum not exceeding Two hundred and eighty thousand Pounds allowed by this Act to be contributed for the Purpose as aforesaid as are and shall be sufficient to satisfy and discharge all the Assesses to be purchased upon this Act according to the Purport and true Meaning of the same are and shall be by virtue of this Act appropriated and applied to and for the satisfying and discharging of the same Assesses accordingly and shall be used disposed and applied to that Use and to none other Use Intend or Purpose whatsoever Any thing in this or any other Act of Parliament contained or any other Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided always That if at the End of the said First Two Years of the said Term of Ninety nine Years there shall be an Overplus remaining in the Receipt of the Exchequer of the said Duties and Contribution Monies or any of them by this Act appointed for the Payment of the said Assesses which shall be more than what shall have been sufficient to discharge all the quarterly Payments of the said Assesses until and for the Quarter to end at Lady Day One thousand seven hundred and eight or if at the End of any subsequent Year of the said Term of Ninety nine Years the Monies brought into the Exchequer within such Year of the said several Subsidies Impositions Rates Duties and Monies by this Act appropriated for Payment of the said Assesses pursuant to this Act shall exceed all the Monies then due for or upon the said Assesses and all Arrearsages thereof then or at any one or more before that time incurred so that there shall be an Overplus remaining in the Exchequer such Overplus Monies shall be disposable from time to time for the Publick Use and Service by Authority of Parliament and not otherwise Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Contributor upon this Act duly paying the Consideration or Purchase Money at the Rate aforesaid at or before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in that Behalf for any such Assessee or Assesses as aforesaid or such as he or she or they shall appoint his her or their respective Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns shall have receive and enjoy and be entitled by virtue of this Act to have receive and enjoy the respective Assessee and Assesses so to be purchased out of the Monies by this Act appropriated or appointed for the Payment thereof during the said whole Term of Ninety nine Years as is above mentioned and that all and every such Purchaser their Executors Administrators and Assigns respectively shall have good and sure Estates and Interests in the said Assessee so by them to be purchased according to the Tenor and true Meaning of this Act and that all the said Assessee to be purchased upon this Act and every of them during the Term aforesaid shall be free from all Taxes Charges and Impositions whatsoever

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Contributor upon this Act for any Assessee or Assesses as aforesaid his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns upon Payment of the Consideration or Purchase Money for the same at the Rate aforesaid or any Part or Proportion thereof within the Time or Times in this Act limited in that Behalf shall immediately have One or more Talley or Talleys levied importing the Receipt of so much Consideration Money as shall be so paid and upon Payment of all the Purchase Money for any such Assessee or Assesses at the Rate aforesaid every such Contributor his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns respectively shall have an Order for paying of the said Assessee and Assesses for and during the said Term of Ninety nine Years which Order shall be signed by the Treasurer and Under Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being and after the signing thereof the same shall be full good valid and effectual as the Law according to the Purport and true Meaning thereof and of this Act and shall not be questionable by or upon the Doubts or Removal of any Treasurer or Under Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioners or Commissioners of the Treasury or by or upon the Determination of the Power Office or Offices of them or any of them nor shall any Lord High Treasurer of England Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioners of the Treasury now or for the Time being have Power to revoke countermand or make void such Orders as signed as aforesaid or any of them

And for the Inconvenience of the Contributors to advance and pay forthwith into the Receipt of the Exchequer the Sums by them intended to be advanced upon this Act it is provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid

**XV.**  
The Monies arising charged with the Assesses, preferable to all other Payments.

The Monies contributed for the quarterly Payments to be raised and applied to that Purpose.

**XVI.**  
If an Overplus at the End of the First Two Years, or any subsequent Year of the Term of 99 Years, the same to be disposed of by Parliament.

**XVII.**  
Contributors paying their Money as this Act limits, to have their Estates free from Taxes.

**XVIII.**  
All to have Talley, &c.

and Order for Payment.

Treasury not to revoke the same.

**XIX.**  
All for Cont. advanced for prompt.

Payment to 11<sup>th</sup> May  
1706.

That every such Contributor who shall advance and pay into the said Receipt of Exchequer all or any Part of the Purchase Money payable for any such Annuity or Annuitie as aforesaid before the said First Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns shall be allowed and paid out of the Consideration Money arising by this Act Interest after the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum for the prompt Payment of the Money so advanced from the Time of the actual advancing and paying the same until the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and six

XX.  
Contributors, for  
any annuity or  
annuity interest

And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Contributor or Contributors his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns at any Time or Times during the Continuance of his her or their Term Estate or Interest of and in any Annuity to be purchased upon this Act by any Writing under Hand and Seal or by his or her last Will in Writing to assign or devise such Annuity or any Part thereof or any Interest therein to any Person or Persons whatsoever and to make quotas and so such Assignments to be revocable so as an Entry or Memorandum of such Assignment or Will be made in Books to be kept for that Purpose in the said Office of the Auditor of the Receipts within the Space of Three Months after such Assignment or Death of the Donor and that upon producing such Assignments or Will or Probate thereof in the said Office of Receipt to be entered as aforesaid the Party so producing the same shall bring therewith an Affidavit taken before One or more of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace of the due Execution of the said Assignment or Will which Affidavit shall be severally filed in the said Office which said Entry or Memorandum the proper Officers in the receipt of Exchequer are hereby required to make accordingly and to file the said Affidavits and in default of such Assignment or Devote by Deed or Will the Interest of such Contributor shall go to his or her Executors or Administrators.

Entry to be made  
of Assignment or  
Will in the Office  
of Receipt

And to be  
filed.

If an Devote, Con-  
tributors Interest  
to go to Executors  
or Administrators.

XXI.  
Guardian may  
purchase for  
Infants, &c.

And it is hereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful for any Guardian or Trustee having the Disposal of the Money of any Infant under the Age of One and twenty Years for the Use and Benefit of such Infant to advance and pay the Sum of One hundred fifty five Pounds of the Money of such Infant to purchase an Annuity upon this Act for the Benefit of such Infant and the said Guardian or Trustee as to the said Sum of One hundred fifty five Pounds so advanced is hereby discharged

XXII.  
Exchequer Officers  
taking Fee.

And be it further enacted for the better Incouragement of Persons to advance the Monies on this Act the all Receipts and Issues and all other Things directed by this Act to be performed [in the Exchequer shall be done and performed] by the Officers there without demanding or receiving directly or indirectly any Fee Gratitude or Reward for the same and in case any of the Officers of the Exchequer shall take or demand any such Fee or Reward or shall direct or connive any of the Masters of the said Duties or Masters hereby appointed in any Part thereof which should make good the Payment of the said Annuities or shall pay or cause any of the same otherwise than according to the intent of this Act or shall not keep Books and Registers and make Entries and do and perform all other Things which by this Act they are required to perform every such Officer shall forfeit his Office and be for the future incapable of any Office or Place of Trust and shall answer and pay Treble Damages with Costs of 800 to every Contributor or Person who shall be prejudiced thereby to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Pleint or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster where no Assigns Protection Privilege of Parliament or other Privilege Waiver of Law Impunity Order of Respite or more than One Impunity shall be granted or allowed and in the said Action the Plaintiff upon Recovery shall have his full Costs One Third Part of which Sum to be recovered for Damages shall be to the Use of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Two Third Parts with the Costs shall be to the Use of the Prosecutor and in case there shall be any Collusion or False Prosecution between the Plaintiff and Defendant in such Action it shall be lawful for any other Contributor his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns to bring another Action wherein he or she shall recover as aforesaid to the like Uses as aforesaid

or supplying  
Duties.

or supply money  
into, or engaging  
Duty.  
Each of Officers,  
Incapacity, and  
Penalty.

full Costs

Where False  
Prosecutions, for  
another Contributor  
may bring in  
Action

XXIII.  
No Purchase unless  
One Fourth be  
paid by 11<sup>th</sup> May  
1706.

Provided always That no Person or Persons whatsoever shall or may purchase or obtain or be admitted to purchase or obtain any Annuity whatsoever upon this Act unless the Whole or One Fourth Part at least of the Consideration Money for the same in such Rate as aforesaid be advanced and paid into the said Receipt of Exchequer on or before the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and six

XXIV.  
One Fourth  
advanced, and the  
rest not paid in  
before, interest, to  
be forfeited, and  
applied as before  
mentioned.

Provided also That in case any such Contributor as aforesaid who shall on or before the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and six have advanced One Fourth Part of his or her Purchase Money or his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns do not advance and pay into the Receipt of the Exchequer One other Fourth Part of his or her Consideration Money so to be paid for such respective Annuity or Annuitie as aforesaid on or before the said First Day of July in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six and One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the said One and thirtieth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and the remaining Fourth Part thereof on or before the said First Day of November in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six then and in every such Case respectively an Order shall be drawn or agreed for such respective Annuity for which the Consideration Money shall not be fully paid as aforesaid but so much of the Consideration Money as shall have been actually paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer for such

respective Assembly shall be referred to His Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and be applied together with other the Monies to be raised by this Act for each publick Service as aforesaid. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided also and it is hereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful so and for the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury or any Three or more of the said Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being out of any the Monies of the said weekly Payments lawfully appointed to be paid into the Exchequer as aforesaid to employ the Officers Clerks and others to be employed in the Payment of the said Annuities or the Accrues thereof for their Labour Pain Charges and Service therein respectively and to delay all other the necessary Charges incident to the Payment of the said Annuities as to the said Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall seem<sup>d</sup> meet and reasonable in that behalf. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Strong Waters Brandy Aqua Vinæ or Spirit brought from the Islands of Guernsey Jersey Sark or Alderney shall continue to be charged with the Duty of Eight Shillings for every Gallon and no more to be paid to the Collector or Officer of Excise before landing And that all other Excisable Liquors brought from the said Islands or any of them (except Herr Ale and Beer) shall be charged and chargeable with such and the like Duties as are or shall from Time to Time be charged or chargeable on the like Liquors made in this Kingdom to be entered and paid as aforesaid. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Also whereas several Bonds pursuant to several Acts of Parliament in that behalf have been entered into by several Merchants and others for the Customs additional Duties Impositions and other Duties of Goods and Merchandises imported into the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed upon which Bonds the whole Monies or Part of the Monies specified in the Conditions of the same respectively have according to such Conditions been or become payable at several Days or Times of Payment before the Sixth Day of February in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five and do remain unsatisfied or such Bonds are not delivered up Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all and every Case and Cases when the Obligors in such Bonds (being Privileges or Sums) their Heirs Executors or Administrators or any of them have paid or shall have paid before the First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six to the proper Officer or Officers the Principal Monies so levied or grown due before the said Sixth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and five such Payment shall be of the same Force and Effect as if the same had been made at or before the respective Day or Days in such Condition or Conditions mentioned for Payment thereof and in all Cases where the whole Principal Monies due or to be due by the Conditions of such Bonds as are before mentioned are or shall be paid by the said First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six such [Bonds] and Bonds respectively shall upon Demand be delivered up to the Party or Parties who hath or shall have to pay the same his her or their Treasurers or Administrators without any further or other Demand whatsoever. Nevertheless it is hereby declared that in case any of the Bonds before mentioned shall not be satisfied within the Time by this Act limited as aforesaid or in case any Payment to tender or grow due after the said Sixth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and five by the Condition of any Bond taken or to be taken for the Customs additional Duties Impositions or other Duties of any Goods or Merchandises imported or brought to be imported as aforesaid shall not be duly paid according to Condition of every such Bond respectively in all and every such Case and Cases the Penalty of every such Bond shall not be discharged either in Law or Equity without the full Payment of the Principal Monies together with interest after the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum to be reckoned from the Day on which such Principal Monies become due until the several Payment thereof besides Costs of Suit unless the Lord Treasurer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of [the Treasury for<sup>1</sup>] the Time being upon any Representation of the Commissioners of the Customs for the Time being or any Three of them shall judge it reasonable in any particular Case or Cases to remit the said Interest and Costs or any Part thereof. This Act or any other Law or Statute whosoever to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided always That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to discharge the Interest upon any Bond or Bonds entered into for the Duties of any Goods or Merchandises imported by any Corporation or Company of Merchants trading by any Charter upon a Joint Stock. Any thing herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

XXV.  
Lord Treasurer to  
pay 8 Clarks, 40  
Treasury to pay  
Clarks and other  
Expenses of the  
said weekly  
Payments.

XXVI.  
Brandy, Aky from  
Guernsey, Jersey,  
Sark, or Alderney,  
to pay 8d per  
Gallon.  
Other Excisable  
Liquors except  
Beer, Ale, and  
Malt charged.

XXVII.  
Bond that certain  
Merchants Bonds  
for Customs,  
payable before  
the 6th June 1705,  
remain unsatisfied.

If Principal Money  
paid by 1st June  
1705, the Bonds to  
be delivered up.

If not paid as before  
mentioned, then to  
be to force off  
Imported and Costs  
paid.

Treasurer may  
rem. Interest  
and Costs.

XXVIII.  
Interest not  
discharged upon  
Bonds entered into  
by Corporations,  
Ac.

<sup>1</sup> Inserted in the Roll.

<sup>2</sup> Bonds &c.

## CHAPTER III. (1)

*Stat. Parl.*  
4th & 5th Annæ p. 3-6.

*An Act for making the Town of New Ross in the County of Wexford in the Kingdom of Ireland a Port for the exporting Wool from Ireland into this Kingdom.*

*Record of Stat.*  
4th & 5th Annæ  
c. 19 & 20.

**W**HILEAS by an Act passed in this Kingdom in the Tenth and Eleventh Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act to prevent the Exportation of Wool out of the Kingdoms of Ireland and England into Foreign Parts and for the Encouragement of the Woollen Manufactures in the Kingdom of England it is amongst other Things enacted That all the Wool and the Manufactures thereof in the said Act particularly specified as should from time to time be exported from the said Kingdom of Ireland into the Ports of this Kingdom or Division of Wales should be shipped off and entered at the Ports of Dublin Waterford Youghall Kingsale Cork and Drogheda in the said Kingdom of Ireland and at or from no other Port or Place within the said Kingdom under great Penalties to every Offender against the said Act And whereas the Town of New Ross in the County of Wexford in the said Kingdom of Ireland is in the same Harbour with the Port of the City of Waterford and before the passing of the said Act hath always had Liberty to export the said Commodities directly into this Kingdom but the said Town not being particularly named in the said Act some Doubt hath arisen whether the said Commodities may be exported thence Therefor to prevent all Doubt for the future concerning the same Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That at all Times from and after the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six it shall and may be lawful to and for all and every Person [and] Persons whatsoever to ship off over and export from the said Town of New Ross all the said Commodities in the said recited Act particularly mentioned and to import the same into any of the Ports of Biddford Barnstable Harbort Bridgewater Belmifford Haven Chester and Liverpool in the same Manner as if the said Town of Ross had been particularly named for Exportation of the said Commodities in the said former Act Any Law or Statute to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

*Reason for passing this Act.*

*Commodities in the said Act mentioned may be exported from New Ross, as if that Town had been named therein.*

## CHAPTER XX. (2)

*Stat. Parl.*  
4th & 5th Annæ p. 3-7.

*An Act for the better Security of Her Majesty's Person and Government and of the Succession to the Crown of England in the Protestant Line.*

**F**OR the better Security of our most Gracious Sovereign Person and Government and of the Succession of the Crown of England in the Protestant Line as it is now by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm said enacted and appointed Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and of the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if any Person or Persons from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March that shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six shall maliciously advisedly and directly by Writing or Printing declare maintain and affirm that our Sovereign Lady the Queen that now is is not the lawful or rightful Queen of these Realms or that the pretended Prince of Wales who now sits and is called King of England by the Name of James the Third hath any Right or Title to the Crown of these Realms or if any other Person or Persons hath or have any Right or Title to the same otherwise than according to an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary of ever blessed and glorious Memory intitled An Act declaring the Rights and Liberties of the Subject and setting the Succession of the Crown and one other Act made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject or that the Kings or Queens of England with and by the Authority of the Parliament of England are not able to make Laws and Statutes of sufficient Force and Validity to limit and bind the Crown of this Realm and the Descendants Inheritance and Government thereof every such Person or Persons shall be guilty of High Treason and being thereof convicted and attainted according to the Laws and Statutes of this Realm shall be deemed and adjudged Traitors and shall suffer Penalties of Death and all Losses and Forfeitures in or out of High Treason.

*Misleading by Writing that the Queen is not lawful Queen, or that any other Person has a Right, who have this tendency to that a Week before the 1<sup>st</sup> of 1705.*

*and Stat. 12th & 13th W III. c. 2. so that the King, with the Parliament, cannot bind the Descendants of the Crown.*

*Parliament.*

*31. The said Persons as in preceding, speaking, &c.*

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall from and after the said Five and twentieth Day of March maliciously and directly by preaching teaching or advised speaking declare maintain and affirm that our Sovereign Lady the Queen that now is is not the lawful or rightful Queen of these Realms or that the pretended Prince of Wales who now sits himself King of England by the Name of James the Third hath any Right or Title to the [Crown of these Realms or that any other Person or Persons hath or have any Right or Title to the] same otherwise than according to an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of their said late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act declaring the Rights and Liberties of the Subject and setting the Succession of the Crown and one other Act made in the

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter VII. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter VIII. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>3</sup> according to the Bill.

Twelfth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third inserted An Act for the further Extension of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject or that the Kings or Queens of England with and by the Authority of the Parliament of England are not able to make Laws and Statutes of sufficient Force and Validity to keep and hold the Crown of this Realm and the Decent Limitation Inheritance and Government thereof every such Person or Persons being thereof lawfully convicted shall incur the Danger and Penalty of Perjury mentioned in the Statute of Perjury made in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of King Richard the Second

Promissory.  
Stat. 12 R. II.

Persons always and he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person shall be prosecuted by virtue of this Act for any Words spoken unless the Information of such Words be given upon Oath to One or more Justices of the Peace within Three Days after such Words spoken and the Prosecution of such Offence be within Three Months after such Information and that no Person shall be convicted by virtue of this Act for any such Words spoken but by the Oath of Two credible Witnesses

115.  
Made and  
Limited of  
Perjury

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this present Parliament or any other Parliament which shall hereafter be summoned and called by His Majesty Queen Anne Her Heirs or Successors shall not be dissolved or dissolved by the Death or Demise of His said Majesty Her Heirs or Successors but such Parliament shall and is hereby enacted to continue and is hereby re-assured and required if sitting at the Time of such Demise immediately to [proceed to] sit notwithstanding such Death or Demise for and during the Time of Six Months and no longer unless the same shall be sooner prorogued or dissolved by such Person to whom the Crown of this Realm of England shall come next and be according to the Act for limiting and settling the Succession there mentioned and if the said Parliament shall be so prorogued then it shall meet and sit on and upon the Day next which it shall be prorogued and continue for the Residue of the said Term of Six Months unless sooner prorogued or dissolved as aforesaid

116.  
Parliament not  
dissolved by the  
Death of the Queen  
or Her Successors,  
may continue for  
Six Months, if not  
sooner prorogued,  
&c.

And he is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if there be a Parliament in being at the Time of the Death of His Majesty Her Heirs or Successors but the same happens to be separated by Adjournment or Prorogation such Parliament shall immediately after such Demise next convene and sit and shall act notwithstanding such Death or Demise for and during the Time of Six Months and no longer unless the same shall be sooner prorogued or dissolved as aforesaid

117.  
Parliament, if  
separated by Death  
of the Queen, &c.  
to meet and sit.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case there is no Parliament in being at the Time of such Demise that has met and sit then the last preceding Parliament shall immediately convene and sit at Westminster and be a Parliament to continue as aforesaid to all Intents and Purposes as if the said Parliament had never been dissolved but subject to be prorogued and dissolved as aforesaid

118.  
If no Parliament  
then last preceding  
Parliament to sit.

Persons always and he is hereby declared That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to alter or abridge the Power of the Queen Her Heirs or Successors to prorogue or dissolve Parliaments nor to repeal or make void any Act of Parliament made in the Sixth and Seventh Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third inserted An Act for the frequent meeting and sitting of Parliaments but that the said Act shall continue in force in every thing that is not contrary to or inconsistent with the Direction of this Act.

119.  
Power for Queen  
to prorogue, &c.  
Parliament

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Privy Council of His Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall not be determined or dissolved by the Death or Demise of His Majesty Her Heirs or Successors but such Privy Council shall continue and sit as such by the Space of Six Months next after such Demise unless sooner determined by the next Successor to whom the Imperial Crown of this Realm is limited and appointed to go remain or descend nor shall the Office or Place of Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England or of Lord High Treasurer of England Lord President of the Council Lord Privy Seal Lord High Admiral of England or of any of the Great Officers of the Queen or Kings Household for the Time being nor shall any Office Place or Employment Civil or Military within the Kingdom of England or Ireland Dominion of Wales Town of Berwick upon Tweed Isles of Jersey Guernsey Alderney Sark or any of Her Majesty's Plantations become void by reason of the Demise or Death of Her present Majesty Her Heirs or Successors Queens or Kings of this Realm but the said Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England the Lord High Treasurer of England the Lord President of the Council the Lord Privy Seal the Lord High Admiral of England the Great Officers of the Household and every other Person and Persons in any of the Office Place and Employment aforesaid shall continue in their respective Office Place and Employment for the Space of Six Months next after such Death or Demise unless sooner removed and discharged by the next in Succession as aforesaid

120.  
Privy Council not  
dissolved by Death  
of the Sovereign  
Six Months.

The like Process  
to the Officers herein  
mentioned.

for Six Months.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Great Seal of England the Privy Seal Privy Signet and all other Publick Seals in being at the Time of the Demise of His Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall continue and be made Use of as the respective Seals of the Successor until such Successor shall give Order to the contrary

121.  
Great Seal, &c.  
to be used

X.  
Proceedings by  
Privy Council upon  
the Death of Her  
Majesty's eldest  
Issue.

Members refusing  
to be present.

High-Treason.

Officers refusing  
Obedience.

High-Treason.

XI.  
Some Officers  
appointed to the  
Administration of  
the Government of  
the Kingdom of  
the Realm.

XII.  
The Person to  
succeed in Case of  
the Queen's  
Death without  
Issue, &c., during  
Her Majesty's Life,  
&c. to the said  
Seven Officers.

XIII.  
The said Three  
Instruments to be  
transmitted to  
England, and sent  
open, and deposited  
in certain manner.

XIV.  
Proviso for  
Execution by the  
next Successor, and  
the Manner thereof.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That whosoever Her Majesty (whom God long preserve) shall happen to demise (or) depart this Life without Issue of Her Body the Privy Council in being at the Time of such Demise of Her Majesty shall with all convenient Speed cause the next Protestant Successor entitled to the Crown of England by virtue of the Act before mentioned to be openly and solemnly proclaimed in England and Ireland in such Manner and Form as the preceding Kings and Queens of England respectively have been usually proclaimed after the Demise of their respective Protestantism and that all and every Member and Member of the said Privy Council wilfully neglecting or refusing to cause such Proclamation to be made shall be guilty of High-Treason and being thereof convicted and attainted according to the Laws and Statutes of this Realm shall be deemed and adjudged Traytors and shall suffer Pain of Death and all Losses and Forfeitures as in case of High-Treason and also all and every Officer and Officers within the said Kingdoms of England and Ireland who shall by the said Privy Council be required to make such Proclamations and shall wilfully refuse or neglect to make the same shall be guilty of High-Treason and being thereof convicted and attainted according to the Laws and Statutes of this Realm shall be deemed and adjudged Traytors and shall suffer Pain of Death and all Losses and Forfeitures as in case of High-Treason.

And because it may happen that such next Protestant Successor may at the Time of such Demise of Her Majesty be out of the Realm of England in Parts beyond the Seas Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the continuing of the Administration of the Government in the Name of such next Protestant Successor until Her or His arrival in England the Seven Officers hereafter named who shall be in the Possession of their Offices at the Time of such Demise of Her Majesty that is to say The Archbishop of Canterbury at that Time being The Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England at that Time being The Lord High Treasurer of England at that Time being The Lord President of the Council at that Time being The Lord Privy Seal at that Time being The Lord High Admiral of England at that Time being and The Lord Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench at that Time being shall be and are by virtue of this Act constrained and appointed to make Justices of England and are and shall be by virtue of this Act empowered in the Name of such Successor and in Her or His stead to use exercise and execute all Powers Authorities Writings and Acts of Government and Administration of Government in as full ample Manner as such next Successor could use or execute in case if She or He were present in Person within this Kingdom of England until such Successor shall arrive or otherwise determine their Authority.

NEVERTHELESS be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Person who by the Limitations aforesaid is or shall be next to succeed to the Crown of this Realm in Case of Her Majesty's Demise without Issue shall and is hereby empowered at any Time during Her Majesty's Life by Three Instruments under Her or His Hand and Seal revocable or to be altered at Her or His Will and Pleasure to nominate and appoint such and so many Persons being natural born Subjects of this Realm of England as She or He shall think fit to be added to the Seven Officers before named to be Lords Justices as aforesaid who shall be empowered by Authority of this Act to act with them as Lords Justices of England as fully and in the same Manner as if they had been herein particularly named which said Lords Justices or the major Part of them which shall assemble so as not major Part shall not be fewer than Five shall and may use and exercise all the Powers and Authorities before mentioned as fully and effectually to all Intents and Purposes as if all of them had been assembled together and concerning.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Three Instruments revocable and to be altered as aforesaid shall be transmitted into England to the Resident of such Person next to succeed as aforesaid whose Credentials shall be certified in the High Court of Chancery and to the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England close sealed up and after they are so transmitted shall be severally put into several Covers which shall be severally sealed up with the Three several Seals of each Resident and of the Archbishop of Canterbury and of the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England and One of them after it is so sealed up shall be lodged and deposited in the Hands of such Resident One other of them in the Hands of the said Archbishop of Canterbury and One other of them in the Hands of the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England.

[And that if the next Successor shall be minded to revoke or alter Her or His Nomination or Appointment made as aforesaid and shall by Three Writings of the same Tenor under Her or His Hand and Seal require the said Instruments deposited as aforesaid to be delivered up to some Person or Persons thereby authorised to receive the same then and in such Case the said Person or Persons with whom the said Instruments shall be deposited and every of them and in case of any of their Deaths their Executors or Administrators respectively and every other Person in whose Custody any of the said Instruments shall happen to be shall deliver up the said Instruments accordingly and they are hereby respectively authorised and required so to do And if any of the said Persons with whom the said Instruments shall be so deposited shall happen to dye or be removed from their respective Offices or employments during the Life of Her present Majesty such Person or Persons and in case of any of their Deaths their Executors or Administrators respectively and every other Person in whose Custody any of the said Instruments shall happen to be shall with all convenient Speed deliver such of them as shall be in his or their Custody to the Successor or Successors of the Person or Persons so dying or removed as aforesaid] which

and several Instruments so sealed up and deposited as aforesaid shall immediately after the Demise of Her Majesty without Issue be brought before the Privy Council where the same shall be forthwith opened and read and afterwards enrolled in the High Court of Chancery

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any of the said Persons with whom the said Instruments shall be deposited as aforesaid or any of these Executors or Administrators or any other Person in whose Custody the same shall happen to be after the Demise of any of the said Persons shall open any of the said Instruments or shall wilfully neglect or refuse to produce before the said Privy Council as aforesaid such of the said Instruments as shall be in his or their Custody as aforesaid every such Person so opening neglecting or refusing shall incur the Pains and Penalties of a Perjury inflicted by the said Statute of Perjury.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if all the said Instruments deposited as aforesaid shall not be produced before the said Privy Council as aforesaid then any One or more of the said Instruments so produced as aforesaid shall be as effectual to give such Authority as aforesaid to the Persons therein named as if all of them had been produced as aforesaid

And if there be not any Nomination by such Instruments then the said Seven Officers or any Five of them are constituted and appointed to be Lords Justices of England and be hereby invested with the Powers and Authorities mentioned in this Act

And it is hereby further enacted That the Lords Justices constituted as aforesaid shall not dissolve the Parliament continued and ordered to assemble and sit as aforesaid without express Direction from such succeeding Queen or King

And that the said Lords Justices shall be and are hereby restrained and disabled from giving the Royal Assent in Parliament to any Bill or Bills for the repealing or altering the Act made in the Thirtieth and Fourteenth Years of the Reign of King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the Uniformity of Publick Papers and Administration of Sacraments and other Rites and Ceremonies and for establishing the Form of making ordaining and consecrating Bishops Priests and Deacons in the Church of England and all and every the said Lords Justices concurring in giving the Royal Assent to any Bill or Bills for repealing or altering the said Act shall be guilty of High Treason and shall suffer and forfeit as in Case of High Treason

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Lords Justices before they act or intermeddle in their [said] Offices or any of the Authorities hereby to them given shall take the Oaths mentioned in an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for abolishing the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy and applying other Oaths and also the Oath herein after expressed which Oaths shall be taken before the Privy Council appointed to continue by virtue of this Act who are hereby required and empowered to administer the same

And that all the Members of both Houses of Parliament and every Member of the Privy Council and all Officers and Persons in any Office Place or Employment Civil or Military who are and shall be by this Act continued as aforesaid shall take the said Oaths and do all other Acts requisite by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm to qualify themselves to be and continue in such their respective Places Offices and Employments within such Time and in such Manner and under such Pain Penalties and Disabilities as they should or ought to do had they been [then] newly elected appointed constituted or put into such Offices Places or Employments in the usual and ordinary Way

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That all and every the Persons due shall be any of the Lords Justices by virtue of this Act shall be deemed and taken as Persons concurring Officers of Treason within the Kingdom and shall be required to do all Acts requisite by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm to qualify themselves to be and continue in their said Offices or Places of Treason within such Times and in such Manner and under such Pain Penalties and Disabilities as is and by the said Acts are required

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Demise of Her Majesty without Issue of Her Body instead of the Oath appointed to be taken by the Act made in the First Year of Her present Majesty's Reign intitled An Act to declare the Alterations in the Oath appointed to be taken by the Act intitled An Act for the further Security of His Majesty's Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their Open and Secret Abettors and for declaring the Association to be determined the following Oath shall be taken by all Persons required by the said Act to take the said Oath therein mentioned and hereby altered and changed that is to say

[A. R. do truly and sincerely acknowledge profess testify and declare in my Conscience before God and the World that our Sovereign is lawful and rightful of this Realm and of all other Majesty's Dominions and Countries thereunto belonging And I do solemnly and sincerely

The said Inverness is to be brought to the Privy Council.

XV.  
Persons with whom the said Instruments shall be deposited as aforesaid or any of these Executors or Administrators or any other Person in whose Custody the same shall happen to be after the Demise of any of the said Persons shall open any of the said Instruments or shall wilfully neglect or refuse to produce before the said Privy Council as aforesaid

Stat. 15 R II c. 5

XVI.  
If all the said Instruments deposited as aforesaid shall not be produced before the said Privy Council as aforesaid then any One or more of the said Instruments so produced as aforesaid shall be as effectual to give such Authority as aforesaid to the Persons therein named as if all of them had been produced as aforesaid

XVII.  
If no Nomination, then the said Seven Officers to act

XVIII.  
Power of Lords Justices to dissolve Parliament

XIX.  
Restrained from giving Royal Assent to any Bill for repealing, &c. Stat. 14 C II c. 4

High Treason.

XX.  
Lords Justices to take the Oaths of Stat. 1 W & M c. 5 & 6 & 7 & 8, and Oaths hereinafter mentioned, before the Privy Council.

XXI.  
Members of Parliament, Privy Council, Officers, &c. to take the said Oaths

XXII.  
Lords Justices taken in the Persons concurring Officers of Treason within the said Acts

XXIII.  
After Death of the Queen, renewal of the Oaths of Stat. 1 Ann. c. 16

The following Oath to be taken

declare That I do believe in my Conscience that the Person pretended to be Prince of Wales during the Life of the late King James and since his Decease pretending to be and taking upon himself the Style and Title of King of England by the Name of James the Third hath not any Right or Title whatsoever to the Crown of this Realm or any other the Dominions thereto belonging And I do renounce refuse and shure any Allegiance or Obedience to him And I do swear that I will bear Faith and true Allegiance to and will defend to the utmost of my Power against all traitorous Conspiracies and Attempts whatsoever which shall be made against Person Crown or Hierarchy And I will do my utmost Endeavour to discover and make known to Majesty and Successors all Treasons and traitorous Conspiracies which I shall know to be against or any of them And I do faithfully promise to the utmost of my Power to support maintain and defend the Limitation and Succession of the Crown against him the said James and all other Persons whatsoever as the same by an Act intituled An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject is and stands limited to the Princess Sophia Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hannover and the Heirs of Her Body being Protestants And all these Things I do plainly and sincerely acknowledge and swear according to these express Words by me spoken and according to the plain and common Sense and Understanding of the same Words without any Evasion or secret Reservation whatsoever And I do make this Recognition Acknowledgment Abjuration Renunciation and Promise heartily willingly and truly upon the true Faith of a Christian So help me GOD

The Blanks of which Oath shall be filled up with the Name of Her or Him as Queen or King who shall be next in Succession according to the said Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject when the said Oath is to take Place and with the other proper Additions of the Words His or His And from and after the Death of the said pretended Prince of Wales these Words following (I) [And I do solemnly and sincerely declare That I do believe in my Conscience that the Person pretended to be Prince of Wales during the Life of the late King James and since his Decease pretending to be and taking upon himself the Style and Title of King of England by the Name of James the Third hath not any Right or Title whatsoever to the Crown of this Realm or any other the Dominions thereto belonging And I do renounce refuse and shure any Allegiance or Obedience to him] shall be left out and also the Words (against him the said James and all other Persons whatsoever) shall be omitted and instead thereof shall be inserted (against all Persons whatsoever)

XXIV.  
In what Case my  
Seal used by next  
Successors to have  
the Effect of the  
Great Seal of  
England.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such next succeeding Queen or King shall and may make Use of any Seal to affix to any Writing or Instrument which She or He shall before Her or His Arrival in England make and put to execute as do or cease to be executed or done any Royal Act and it being signed by such Writing or Instrument that the same shall have the same Effect as if passed under the Great Seal of England or any other publick Seal used where the same shall be of the same Force and Effect as if it were actually sealed by the Great Seal of England or such other publick Seal which the same is declared to be intended to have the Force and Effect of in such Writing or Instrument

XXV.  
Parliament called  
by Lords Justices  
not dissolved by  
Arrival of Queen  
or King

And be it further declared and enacted That if after the Death of Her Majesty without Issue and before the Arrival of any succeeding Queen or King in England any Parliament shall be called by the Lords Justices by Writs tested in their Names by the Arrival of such succeeding Queen or King in England such Parliament shall not be dissolved but after such Arrival shall proceed without any new Summons

XXVI.  
Proviso for the  
said Great Officers,  
except Lord High  
Treasurer, being  
in Commission at  
the Death of the  
Queen.

[Provided always That if any of the aforesaid Seven Officers other than the Office of Lord High Treasurer of England shall be in Commission at the Time of such Decease of Her Majesty That then the First Commissioner of such respective Commission shall be One of the said Lords Justices of England and use exercise and execute all Powers Authorities Matters and Acts of Government by this Act vested in the said Lords Justices of England according to the Directions and Provisions of this Act in as full and single Manner as if such Office or Office were in the Hands of a single Person] [provided that if there be no Lord High Treasurer of England and the Office of Treasurer of the Exchequer shall be in Commission then the First in that Commission shall be One of the Lords Justices of England]

XXVII.  
Article of Bill  
to be in force  
as in & by

[And whereas in and by the said Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory intituled An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject it was amongst other Things enacted in the Words following that from and after the Time that the further Limitation by this Act shall take Effect all Matters and Things relating to the well Government of this Kingdom which are properly cognizable in the Privy Council by the Lords and Counsellors of this Realm shall be transacted there and all Resolutions taken thereupon shall be signed by such of the Privy Council as shall advise and consent to the same Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said recited Clause shall be and the same is hereby amended and repealed as if the same Act had never been made

XXVIII.  
But as in & by  
W. III c. 11

And whereas also in the said Act it was amongst other Things enacted in the Words following that no Person who has an Office or Place of Profit under the King or receives a Pension from the Crown shall be capable of serving as



a Member of the House of Commons and it appearing reasonable that the said revised Clause should be repealed Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said last revised Clause shall be and is hereby repealed, *repealed*  
and repealed as if the same Act had never been made

Provided always and he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Dissolution or Determination of this present Parliament no Person who shall have in his own Name or in the Name of any Person or Persons in Trust for him or [sic] his Benefit any new Office or Place of Profit whatsoever under the Crown which at any Time hereafter shall be created or extend nor any Person who shall be a Commissioner or Sub-Commissioner of Prisons Secretary or Receiver of the Prisons nor any Comptroller of the Accounts of the Army nor any Commissioner of Transports nor any Commissioners of the Sack and Wounded nor any Agent for any Regiment nor any Commissioner for Wine Licenses nor any Governor [sic] Deputy Governor of any of the Plantations nor any Commissioner of the Navy employed in any of the Outposts nor any Person having any Position from the Crown during His Majesty's shall be capable of being elected or of sitting or voting as a Member of the House of Commons in any Parliament which shall be hereafter summoned and holden

Provided always That if any Person being chosen a Member of the House of Commons shall at any Time after the Dissolution or Determination of this present Parliament accept of any Office of Profit from the Crown during such Time as he shall continue a Member his Election shall be and is hereby declared to be void and a new writ shall issue for a new Election as if such Person so accepting was naturally dead provided nevertheless that such Person shall be capable of being again elected as if his Place had not become void as aforesaid

Provided also and he is enacted That in order to prevent for the future too great a Number of Commissioners to be appointed or constituted for the executing of any Office that no greater Number of Commissioners shall be made or constituted for the Execution of any Office than have been employed in the Execution of such respective Office at some Time before the First Day of this present Session of Parliament

Provided also That nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to extend to any Member of the House of Commons being an Officer in Her Majesty's Navy or Army who shall receive any new or other Commission in the Navy or Army respectively

And he is further enacted That if any Person hereby disabled or declared to be incapable to sit or vote in any Parliament hereafter to be holden shall nevertheless be returned as a Member to serve for any County City Town or Cinque Port in any such Parliament such Election and Return are hereby enacted and declared to be void in all Intents and Purposes whatsoever

And if any Person disabled or declared incapable by this Act to be elected shall at any Time after the Dissolution or Determination of this present Parliament presume to sit or vote as a Member of the House of Commons in any Parliament to be hereafter summoned such Person so sitting or voting shall forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pounds to be recovered by such Person as shall sue for the same by Action of Debt Bill Pleint or Information wherein no Ensign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed and only One Impetunet\*]

XXXI.  
After the Dissolu-  
tion of this Parlia-  
ment, Persons  
having any new  
Office, or any of  
the Offices herein  
mentioned, inap-  
pability of sitting in  
Parliament.

XXX.  
Member accepting  
Office of Profit  
from the Crown,  
Election void.

XXXII.  
Member of Com-  
missioners for exe-  
cuting Offices  
limited.

XXXIII.  
Person for Officers  
in the Army and  
Navy.

XXXIII.  
Persons incapable  
elected, Election  
void.

XXXIV.  
Such Persons  
sitting and voting,  
Penalty imposed.

# CHAPTER XXI. (\*)

AN ACT for the better regulating Her Majesty's Army and Marines.

See Pref.  
c. 13, p. 13, 14, 15.

WHEREAS for a Supply of Men to recruit Her Majesty's Land Forces and Marines it is judged necessary that Soldiers should be forthwith raised throughout the several Counties Ridings Cities Towns and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed by common Consent and Grant in Parliament Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Peace of every County and Riding Liberty or Place within this Realm or any Three or more of them as also the Mayor or Head Officer or Officers of every City or Town Corporate within this Realm having Jurisdiction of the Peace together with any Two or more Justices of the Peace of the same City or Town Corporate respectively as in Default of such Justices then with Two or more Justices of the Peace of the County wherein the said City or Town is at any Time or Times between the last Day of February One thousand seven hundred and five and the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six within their several and respective Limits and Jurisdictions to raise and levy such able bodied Men as have not any lawful Calling or Employment or visible Means for their Maintenance and livelihood to serve as Soldiers for the Purposes aforesaid and to regulate and command all and every the High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs and Tythingmen or any of them within their respective Jurisdictions to

Three Justices of  
Peace of County,  
City or Riding, &c.,  
of Towns, &c. may,  
between last Day  
of Feb. 1705 and  
1st of March 1706,  
raise able bodied  
Men as before-  
mentioned.

and regulate Constables,  
&c. See, &c. 1705, p. 13.

\* Inserted on the Roll.

\* This is Chapter X. in the Common printed Edition.

\* inserted in the Original Act as a separate Schedule

be aiding and assisting to them in putting this [present] Act in Execution and for that Purpose to send one of their Witnesses under the Hands and Seals of any Three or more such Justices or Magistrates as are hereby authorized to levy and raise such Soldiers thereby requiring and commanding such High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs Tythingmen and other Parish Officers as aforesaid every or any of them to make search or cause to be made search within their respective Parishes Townships Constablewicks or other Places for all such Persons as they can find who are within the Description of this Act and to bring before such Justices and Magistrates as aforesaid or any Three or more Justices or Magistrates who have Power to execute this Act in such County Riding Liberty or Place City or Town Corporate respectively any such Person or Persons described in aforesaid at such Time and Place as shall be prefixed in the said Warrants respectively

II. And in case the Justices and Magistrates hereby authorized to put this Act in [Execution upon the] Examination of the Persons brought before them in pursuance of this Act shall find them to be such as are hereby intended to be enlisted as Soldiers in Her Majesties Service they shall cause such Persons to be delivered over by the said High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs Tythingmen or other Parish Officers unto such Officer or Officers belonging to Her Majesties Forces as shall be appointed to raise and receive such Men within every County Riding Liberty City or Place respectively upon such Officer or Officers giving a Receipt under his or their Hands acknowledging what Men are so delivered to him or them and the respective Officers who shall receive such new raised Men shall out of the Levy Money pay to every Person so raised Twenty Shillings out to the Constable or other Officer employed in raising of them any Sum not exceeding Ten Shillings a Man to be accounted by the Justices and Magistrates authorized to put this Act in Execution and shall then cause the Fourteenth and Twenty third Articles of War against Mutiny and Desertion to be read to them as the Penalties of such Justice or Magistrates by Article the Fourteenth No Man shall presume so far as to raise or raise the least Mutiny or Sedition in the Army upon pain of Death and if any Number of Soldiers shall presume to assemble to take Counsel amongst themselves for the demanding their Pay as shall at any Time demand their Pay in a riotous Manner any Indecent Officers accessory thereto shall suffer Death for it as the Heads and Ring-leaders of such riotous and seditious Meetings and the Soldiers shall be punished with Death And if any Captain being Petty thereunto shall not suppress the same or compass of it he shall likewise be punished with Death Article the Twenty third All Officers or Soldiers that shall desert either in the Field upon a March or Quarters or in Garrison shall die for it And all Soldiers shall be required and suffice as Deserters who shall be found a Mile from their Garrison or Camp without Leave from the Officer commanding in Chief which said Justices or Magistrates shall cause an Entry or Memorial thereof to be made together with the Names of the Persons raised and a Certificate thereof in Writing under the Hands and Seals of such Justices or Magistrates to be delivered to the Officer appointed to receive them And from and after Payment of the said Twenty Shillings or Tender and Refusal thereof and reading the said Articles of War every Person so raised shall be deemed a fixed Soldier to all Intents and Purposes and shall be subject to the Discipline of War and in case of Desertion shall be proceeded against tried and punished by Death or otherwise as a Deserter by any Law now in Force or by any Act to be made this Session of Parliament in to be proceeded against tried and punished

III. Allowance to Person raised, and to Constable, for 14<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> Articles of War to be read to the Men

Entry thereof made; and thereupon Person raised, deemed to be listed.

IV. Everying Officer to pay out to each Volunteer;

such Volunteer not liable to Civil Process

V. Common Appearance may be taken, and proceeded upon by Plaintiff, in Action against such Volunteer.

VI. Magistrate having Military Employment not to act.

VII. Persons having Vote in Parliament not to be liable

And for the Encouragement of fit and able Persons voluntarily to enter themselves in Her Majesties Service it is hereby farther enacted and declared That the Officer who is to raise such Recruits shall out of the Levy Money further pay to every Person who shall voluntarily enter himself in Her Majesties Service the Sum of Forty Shillings and such Officer shall take a Discharge under the Hand of such Volunteer signed in the Presence of Two or more Witnesses testifying his Payment of the said Forty Shillings and no Person so listed under the Hands and Seals of Three or more Justices of the Peace or having himself voluntarily according to the true Meaning of this Act as aforesaid shall be liable to be taken out of Her Majesties Service by any Process other than for some Criminal Matter

Provided always That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Plaintiff or Plaintiffs (upon Notice first given in Writing of the Cause of Action to such Person or Persons so voluntarily listed or left at his or their last Place of Residence before such Listing) to file a common Appearance in any Action to be brought for or upon the Account of any Debt whatsoever so as to enable such Plaintiff or Plaintiffs to proceed therein to Judgment and Outlawry and to have any Execution thereupon other than against the Body or Bodies of him or them so voluntarily listed as aforesaid This Act or any Thing therein or any former Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided always and it is hereby declared That no Justice of the Peace or Magistrate which now hath or at any Time during the Continuance of this Act shall have any Military Office or Employment other than at the Miths of this Kingdom shall execute any Power or Authority by this Act given to Justices of the Peace or Magistrates as aforesaid

Provided also That this Act shall not extend to the taking or levying any Person to serve as a Soldier who hath any Vote in the Election of any Member or Members to serve in Parliament in any County City Borough Town Port or Place within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tyne

And be it further enacted That the Justices of the Peace and Magistrates of every respective County Riding Liberty City or Place before whom any Persons shall be tried in pursuance of this Act do and shall at every General Quarter Sessions for such County Riding Liberty City or Place exhibit an Account under their Hands and Seals of the Names of the several Persons by them so tried at any Time proceeding such respective General Quarter Sessions together with the Names of the Parishes or Places from whence and the Parish Officers or other Officers by whom and Times when such Persons were brought and listed and of the Names of the Officers to whom such Persons were delivered and of the Regiment and Company to which each Officer belonged And that such Account shall be kept by the Clerk of the Peace of such County Riding Liberty City or Place among the Records thereof to which Accounts all Persons shall and may at all reasonable Times have free Access and Perusal without any Fee or Charge And the Clerk of the Peace for every such County Riding Liberty City or Place is hereby required from time to time within Twenty Days after each General Quarter Sessions to transmit one Copy and Duplicate thereof annexed by himself into the Office of Her Majesty's Secretary of War for the Time being to be compared with the Muster Rolls

VIII.  
Justices to exhibit  
at Quarter Sessions  
an Account of  
Persons tried, &c.  
of Parishes, &c.

Account kept by  
Clerk of the Peace  
among the County  
Records

Provided and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if One Justice or Two Justices of the Peace shall without the full Number of the Justices by this Act empowered levy any Man and deliver him over to any Officer under Colour of this Act such Justice or Justices offending therein shall forfeit One hundred Pounds to be partly granted to be recovered by Action of Debt or on the Case Bill Suit or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record wherein no Immunity Protection Privilege Wager of Law or more than One Imparance shall be granted or allowed

VIII.  
One or Two  
Justices only  
levying Man,  
Forfeiture of fine

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Plea Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance or in Execution of this Act such Person or Persons so sued in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue Not Guilty and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Prosecutors shall because Manner or forbear further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendants shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in any Case where Costs by Law are given to Defendants

IX.  
In Action for  
enforcing Act,  
General Issue  
Treble Costs

And whereas so great Numbers of Hardest Labourers have been imprisoned during the Time of Harvest and many others being under an Apprehension of being imposed have [accused] themselves whereby the Hardest hath been got in with great Difficulty and Charge and such few Harvest men that did work did exact exorbitant Fines from their Masters for such their Work For the Prevention thereof be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six until the Twenty fifth Day of September following all Harvest Labourers and all Persons working at Hay Harvest and Corn Harvest Work in the Time aforesaid within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Towns of Berwick upon Tweed shall not be imposed by virtue of this Act but shall be free and exempted from the same during the Time aforesaid provided they have a Certificate under the Hands of the Minister and Churchwardens of the Parish where they live allowed under the Hands and Seals of Two Justices of the Peace of the same County Riding [City or Place]

X.  
Fines for Hardest  
Labourers, &c.

And whereas some Doubts have arisen whether the Justices of the Peace or any Three or more of them within their several and respective Limits and Jurisdictions have Power and Authority by their Warrants issued to the several High Constables to command them to send their Warrants to the several and respective Petty Constables within their several and respective Hundreds commanding them to make Search for all such Persons as they could find who were within the Description of any former Act for the better recruiting Her Majesty's Land Forces and Marines in the Obstruction of the Execution of the said Acts and may tend to hinder the Execution of this present Act For Remedy whereof be it further enacted [by the Authority aforesaid] That it always was and is now declared That the said High Constables then might and now shall and are hereby required to issue one only Warrant pursuant to the Warrants issued to them by the said Justices or Three or more of them to the several and respective Petty Constables within their several and respective Hundreds who are hereby commanded and required to make Search for all such Persons as they can find who are within the Description of this present Act as well as if the said Justices or Three or more of them had issued their Warrants to the said Petty Constables themselves

XI.  
Petty Constables  
for passing the  
Enactments.

High Constables  
required to issue  
Warrants pursuant  
to Justice's Warrants  
for Search.

And whereas several Soldiers being daily listed do afterwards desert and are [often] found wandering or otherwise showing themselves illegally from Her Majesty's Service it is hereby further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Constable Headborough or Tythingman of the Town or Place where any Person who may reasonably be suspected to be such a Deserter shall be found to apprehend or cause him to be apprehended and to cause such Person to be brought before any Justice of Peace living in or near such Town or Place who hath hereby Power to examine such suspected Person and if by his Confession or by Testimony of One or more Witnesses or Warrants upon Oath or by the Knowledge of such Justice of the Peace it shall appear

XII.  
Constables, &c.  
suspecting Deserters,  
may apprehend  
and carry him  
before Justice.

<sup>1</sup> amended G

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Bill.

If it appear to be  
a listed Soldier,

Proceedings.

or be found that such suspected Person is a *listed Soldier* and ought to be with the Troop or Company to which he belongs such Justice of the Peace shall forthwith cause him to be conveyed to the Goal of the County or Place where he shall be found and transmit an Account thereof to the Secretary at War for the Time being in the End such Person may be proceeded against according to Law Provided always that this Power of imprisoning Deserters shall not extend to any Person who hath not been actually in Her Majesty's Service as a Soldier since the English Day of March One thousand seven hundred and one

# CHAPTER. XII. (C)

For Part  
4th & 5th Annæ c. 21

An Act for continuing an Act made in the Session held in the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty's said Majesty's Reign (intituled An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and false Money and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters.

Reason for passing  
the Act.

WHEREAS it is necessary in this Time of War that the Forces which are on Foot should be continued and others raised for the Safety of the Kingdom and for the carrying on the common Cause for the Preservation of the Liberties of Europe and that as well Officers as Private Soldiers should be rewarded in full Duty and such as transgress be punished in a more exemplary and speedy Manner than the usual Form of the Law will allow and it is also necessary that good Order should be taken for the Payment of the said Forces and their Quarters He is therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Act made in the Session of Parliament holden in the Third and Fourth Year of Her said Majesty's Reign (intituled An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and false Money and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters) shall be and the same is hereby continued and shall stand resolute and be in force from and after the Four and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five until the Five and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven and that all and every the Clauses Articles Matters and Things in the said Act contained shall be observed and performed practised and put in Use by the same Ways Means and Methods and by the same Rules and Directions and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Powers and in such Manner and Form in all Respects as are prescribed mentioned or expressed in the said Act from the said Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five to the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven and that the said Act and every Matter and Thing therein contained shall during the Time aforesaid be of as full Force and Effect as if the same were particularly and at large repeated in the Body of this present Act

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3 & 4 Ann. c. 21.  
(11).

AND whereas by the said Act it is enacted That no Commissary shall muster any Forces within the City of Westminster Borough of Southwark and Liberties thereof but in the Presence of Two Justices of the Peace not being Officers of the Army under the Penalty mentioned in the said Act and although due Notice hath been given to Justices in order to their being present at such Musters yet several of them have neglected and often refused to come whereby the mustering of such Regiment Troops and Companies have been delayed and hindered Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case such Justices of the Peace shall not upon Forty eight Hours Notice given them attend such Musters that then such Commissary may proceed to muster such Regiment Troop or Company although such Justices do not attend without incurring the Penalty in the said Act Provided that Oath be made before any of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace within Forty eight Hours after such Muster was taken that such Notice was given to Six of Her Majesty's Justices of Peace residing within the City and Liberties aforesaid respectively.

Justices not upon  
Notice attending  
Musters, Commissary may proceed.

Oath of Notary  
1705.

\* This is Chapter XI. in the Common printed Editions.

## CHAPTER XIII. (')

AN ACT for laying further Duties on Low Wines and for preventing the Damage to Her Majesty's Revenue by Importation of Foreign Cuts Whilstone and for making some Provisions as to the Sundry Duties and the Duties on Tincts, Barkins and Murrings and the Salt Duties and touching Millen Lacey Tickets and for enabling Her Majesty to dispose the Effects of William Kald a notorious Thieve to the Use of Greenwich Hospital and for appropriating the Publick Monies granted in this Session of Parliament.

Rev. Par<sup>t</sup>.  
4th & 5th Ann<sup>o</sup>.  
p. 3 & 10.

**M**AY it please Your most Excellent Majesty Whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of Your Majesty his Royal Brother King William the Third of glorious Memory (intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty several Duties upon Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction and containing several additional Duties upon Coffee Tea Chocolate Spices and Flowers and certain Impositions upon Hewen Pedlars and Petty Chapmen and the Duty of Fifteen per Centum upon Molasses and for improving the Duties upon (spiced and hipped) Goods and for continuing the Coyage Duty for the several Towns and Ports (herein mentioned) certain Duties upon Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction were granted for a Term to continue until the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six and by another Act made in the Third Year of Your Majesty's Reign (intituled An Act for continuing Duties upon Low Wines and upon Coffee Tea Chocolate Spices and Pictures and upon Hawkers Pedlars and Petty Chapmen and upon Molasses and for granting New Duties upon several of the said Commodities and also upon Collicies China Ware and Drugs) the said Duties upon Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction are continued from the Twenty fourth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six until the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten as by the said several Acts may appear Now we Your Majesty's faithful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled have given and granted and do by this Act give and grant to Your Majesty the several Duties herein after mentioned over and above all Duties already granted upon Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction and do humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by [the'] Authority of the same That all and every such of the like Duties for or upon all Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction as by the said Act of the said Twelfth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign was continued or granted until the said Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six shall by virtue of this Act be continued from the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five until the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven.

Statute of Rev. 11  
4th & 5th Ann<sup>o</sup>.

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and of Stat. 4th & 5th Ann<sup>o</sup>.

§ 1.

Duties granted over and above the former.

the said Duties, &c.  
as far continued to  
24th March 1707.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for every Gallon of Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction which at any Time or Times during the Term of Five Years to commence from the said Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five shall be made or drawn from any Foreign or Imported Materials or any Mixture with Foreign Materials there shall be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors over and above all other Duties charged or chargeable thereupon by this or any other Act in Acts of Parliament the Sum of Two Pence to be paid by the Distiller or Malter thereof.

II.  
Distillers, &c. to  
pay 2d. per Gallon  
for Spirits drawn  
from Foreign or  
imported Materials.

And it is hereby enacted That all the respective Duties on Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction by this Act granted or continued shall during the Continuance of the same respectively be ascertained secured raised levied recovered and paid by such Rules and Methods and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and subject to such Drawbacks and Allowances and under such Power of Mitigation as the Duties upon the like Commodities by the said Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign or any Law relating thereto are enacted or appointed to be ascertained secured raised levied recovered and paid respectively and are and shall be appropriated and applied to and for the same Uses and Purposes to which the Duties upon Low Wines by the said Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign are appropriated and ought to be applied.

III.  
Distillers, &c. to be  
taxed by the said  
Act: 1d. 4d. Ann<sup>o</sup>.  
to 1d.

And whereas it is found by Experience That any Quantity of Wash made of Drink brewed or made from malted Corn or from unmalted Corn will upon Distillation produce One Fourth Part of the same Quantity into Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction and that such Low Wines or Spirits upon the Second Distillation will produce Three Fifth Parts of the Quantity of the same Low Wines or Spirits into Proof Spirits or Spirits of the Second Extraction and that any Quantity of Wash made of Cyder or Perry will produce One Fifth Part of the same Quantity into Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction and that the same Low Wines or Spirits upon the Second Distillation will produce One Half Part of the Quantity of the same Low Wines or Spirits into Proof Spirits or Spirits of the Second Extraction And whereas many Distillers do hide and conceal great Quantities of such Low Wines and Spirits from the Sight and View of the Gauge before he can come to take an Account of the same by Means whereof Her Majesty may be very much defrauded in Her Duties on such Low Wines and Proof Spirits granted by this or any other Act or Acts of Parliament for the Duties on Low Wines and Spirits Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five it shall and may be lawful to and for the Gaugers and Officers of Excise to keep an Account of all the said several sorts of Wash which shall from time to time be

IV.  
Gaugers for proving  
the Excise.

Gaugers to take an  
Account of  
Wash, &c.

found by him or them in the Hands of any Distiller and upon any Decrease of such Wash brewed or made  
 from malted Corn or Corn starched to charge such Distiller with as much Low Wines or Spirits of the First  
 Extraction as One Fourth Part of the same Wash so decreased shall amount unto and also with so much Proof  
 Spirits or Spirits of the Second Extraction as Three Fifth Parts of the said Low Wines so charged as aforesaid  
 shall amount unto and also upon any Decrease of Wash made from Cyder or Perry to charge such Distiller upon  
 whom such Decrease shall be found with as much Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction as One Fifth Part  
 of the same Wash so decreased shall amount unto and likewise with so much Proof Spirits or Spirits of the  
 Second Extraction as One half Part of the same Low Wines or Spirits of the Second Extraction shall amount  
 unto and such Distiller shall pay the Duties of the Low Wines and Spirits so charged as by the Acts relating  
 to the said Duties on Low Wines and Spirits or any of them are directed and appointed.

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V,  
Persons for Powers  
of Officers of  
the House.

Provided always That nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to extend to take away or lessen any of the Powers or Authorities heretofore given to any of the Officers of Excise by any Law or Laws now in force touching or concerning the said Duties on Low Wines and Spirits

VI.  
Revised ed.  
Oxon. g<sup>2</sup>W. III. 1. 10.

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And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third (entitled An Act for granting to His Majesty a further Sole Privilege of Tonnage and Poundage towards raising the yearly Sum of Seven hundred thousand Pounds for the Service of His Majesties Household and other Uses therein mentioned during His Majesties Life) it is enacted that if any Person or Persons Merchant or Foreigners Bodies Politick or Corporate shall import or bring into this Kingdoms Dominions of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed any Cat Whalebone (other than in Fins only) he she or they shall forfeit the Goods and Double the Value of the Cat Whalebone so imported: One Moiety thereof to His Majesty His Heirs and Successors and One other Moiety to him or them that shall sue for or use for the same in any of His Majesties Courts of Record yet it is found by Practice and Experience that the said Penalty is not sufficient to deter the designing Persons from confining fraudulently so import great Quantities of Foreign Cat Whalebone in the Lengths and small Pieces in Detraction of Her Majesties Revenue and to the great Loss and Discouragement of the Manufacturers employed in cutting of Fin Whalebone in this Kingdom: Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five any Persons Persons whatsoever trading or dealing in Whalebone laving in his her or their County any such Foreign Cat Whalebone (other than in Fins regularly imported) shall forfeit the Sum of Thirty Pounds and also be subject to the like Penalties and Forfeitures as the Importers thereof by the aforesaid recited Act are liable unto and also that the Masters of such Ships and Vessels knowingly lading or importing any Foreign Cat Whale Fin or Whalebone so aforesaid shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds One Moiety of the aforesaid Penalty to His Majesty His Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to such Person or Persons as shall sue and sue he is the same in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no English Privileges or Wages of Law or more than One Imparance shall be allowed And if any Dispute Question or Doubt shall arise while any cat Whalebone found seized or received so aforesaid were out in Parts beyond the Seas the Proof shall be incontestible only upon the Importer Claimer Owner Proprietor or such Person or Persons in whose Hands or Custody such cat Whalebone shall be found respectively and not upon the Seizer Informer or Prosecutor Any Day to the contrary notwithstanding

Report on painting  
the windows.

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Whiskers found  
in their Country  
after 24th March  
1705  
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Minors of Skye  
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VII  
Reasons for passing  
the Amendment.

And whereas several Persons have (since the Double Duties upon Stamp Vellum Paper and Parchment) (consequently) been admitted to their Presidencies in divers Corporations and such their Admissions have nearly by Mistake or Misconstruction been entered upon Paper or Parchment stamped for a last Duty than ought to have been paid for the same And whereas in other Cases several Persons Presidencies have been admitted and their Admissions entered upon Paper or Parchment without any Stamp at all or any Thing paid or received for the same And whereas divers other Persons Clerks Stewards or Bailiffs keeping at holding inferior Courts of Record County Courts Gaucm Barons and Courts Lect have through the like Mistake or Misconstruction of the Law as aforesaid omitted the making entry Inrolment or filing of divers Actions Pleads Bills Apppearances and other Process and Proceedings upon Double Stamp Vellum Paper or Parchment Wherefore for settling the Minds of so many of Her Majesties good Subjects Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the said Persons so admitted and all and every the said Clerks Stewards and Bailiffs and all other Persons and Persons so concerned and forbidding as aforesaid shall be and they herby are bound and discharged of and from all and every the Fines Penalties and Forfeitures not already recovered and by them respectively incurred for or in respect of the Presidencies before the First Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five provided that such Person or Persons forbidding as aforesaid pay or cause to be paid the several Duties directed to be paid by the several Acts for granting Duties upon Stamp Vellum Paper and Parchment to the Receiver General of the Stamp Duties before the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and six and in Default thereof such Persons respectively shall lose the Benefit of the Indemnity granted by this Act

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Penitence, etc. and  
received before  
1st Dec. 1905,  
signifying the  
Shrine, &c.; before  
19th Dec. 1905.

VIII.  
Treatment of Ad-  
ministration, Not  
before a Dec. 1795  
reading Law.

Prove also That the Admissions of all such Free-men as were admitted into any Corporation or Company before the said First Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five and all the said other Proceedings before that Time had shall be good and valid in Law notwithstanding any Neglect or Omission before that Time with relation to the said Statute Duties and that all Possibles and Preferences for any Officer mentioned in

should which shall not be discharged by paying such Duties before the said Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and six shall and may be used for prosecuted and recovered as in the Prosecution be contained at any Time within One Year after the said Nine and twentieth Day of September

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That the Duties made payable by the said Acts relating to exempt Valious Purchases and Paper for or in respect of Apperances and other the Matters in the said Acts or any of them contained relating thereto shall be construed to extend to Apperances in such Actions wherein no Bail is filed or put in and not otherwise Any thing in the said Acts contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And whereas by several Acts of Parliament relating to the Duties on Marriages Births and Burials all Persons Vicars Curates and other Ecclesiastical Persons are required to take an exact and true Account and keep a Register in Writing of all and every Person or Persons (married buried christened or born in his or their respective Parishes or Precincts and likewise in the same Registers together with the Name of every Person so) married buried christened or born to set down and express in Writing the respective Degree Condition and Quality according to which the Duty to the Crown ought to be paid and in case of Burials the Heirs Executors Administrators Tutors Mothers Guardians Churchwardens or others who by the said Acts ought to pay for the same and where they dwell respectively and in case of Births the Names of the Fathers Mothers or those that take in them the Guardianship or Care of such Children so born and where they live respectively and in case of Marriages the Place of Abode of the several Husbands under the Penalty of One hundred Pounds for some of the said Offences all other great Penalties for the rest And whereas several Persons Vicars and Curates and other Ecclesiastical Persons not being sufficiently apprised of the full Import of the said Acts of Parliament have not exactly observed the Directions therein as aforesaid given and thereby incurred the Penalties in the said Acts respectively mentioned and they and their Families remain therefore exposed to Ruin although the said Duties have been duly answered to Her Majesty Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons in Holy Orders Parson Vicar and Curate and his and their Substitute having neglected to keep a Register in Writing as aforesaid of all and every or any Person or Persons so married buried christened or born as aforesaid or to set down and express together with the Name of such Person so married buried christened or born the respective Degree Condition or Quality according to which the said late Kings or Her present Majesties Duties ought to be paid on the Name or Place of Abode of any Person or Persons who ought to pay the same in case the said Duty for such Marriage Birth or Burial be really answered and paid or notified and brought in charge to the Collector of the said Duties shall be indemnified against and discharged from all the Penalties and Forfeitures in the said Acts or any of them contained for or upon Account of such Negligence only.

And whereas by an Act made in the First Year of Her present Majesties Reign intituled An Act for passing Funds in the Duties upon Salt and for the better Payment of Debentures in the Customs House it is enacted that no Debenture shall be made or granted or Discharge allowed to be paid for or upon the Account of the Expiration of any Salt or Rock Salt for Ireland unless the Treasurer of the said Salt or Rock Salt shall produce to the Officer appointed to make such Debenture a Certificate under the Hand of the Collector of the Customs of the Port in which where such Salt or Rock Salt shall be landed as the Person executing his Office of the particular Quantity of Salt or Rock Salt actually landed And whereas 'tis equally reasonable that for Salt and Rock Salt shipped in order for Exportation for Ireland though the same perish by sinking of the Ship or be taken by the Enemies there should be made and allowed a Discharge as in the Case where Salt and Rock Salt is exported and landed Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Salt or Rock Salt hath been or shall be shipped in order for Exportation to Ireland and the same hath perished or shall perish by sinking of the Ship or Vessel on which the same was or shall be shipped and laid on board or is or shall be taken by the Enemies then and in such Case the Treasurer or Proprietor of such Salt or Rock Salt so perishing or lost shall upon Proof made before the Justices of the Peace at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the County City Riding Division or Place from whence the same was so exported of the Loss of such Salt so shipped or to be shipped return from the said Justices a Certificate that such Proof was made before them and upon producing the said Certificate to the Officer of the Place where the Duty on such Salt shall have been paid or secured to be paid such Security shall be discharged and so much Money as was actually paid for the Duty of the said Salt shall be repaid upon Demand by the said Officer without Fee or Reward Provided such Proof so to be made as aforesaid as to all Salt lost or taken before the Twentieth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and five shall be made by Two credible Witnesses upon Oath before the Twentieth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six and as to all Salt which shall be lost after the said Twentieth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and five the said Proof shall be made within Six Months after such Loss or Taking as aforesaid

And whereas in and by One Act of Parliament made in the Second and Third Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty intituled An Act for the better securing and regulating the Duties upon Salt it is amongst other Things provided that nothing therein contained should extend to prohibit the importing and landing any Colish Ling at Hake which had been caught and cured at Newfoundland or Ireland upon sinking such Oath before the landing of the cooking and curing the same and upon Tender thereof upon landing and before the same

IK.  
Duties on  
Apperances, &c.  
see aforesaid.

K.  
Reasons for passing  
this Enactment.

Persons for  
Registers on  
registering, &c.  
see aforesaid.

where the Register  
has not been paid.

XI.  
Record of this  
Act, &c. &c. &c.

Reasons for passing  
this Enactment.

Exportation, &c.  
where Salt  
is lost, or taken by  
the Enemy.

upon Proof as  
herein mentioned

Proof of Salt  
lost, &c. before  
such Fifth 1706,  
as to be made before  
such Fifth 1707,  
after such Fifth  
1707, within five  
Months.

XII.  
Record of this  
Act, &c. &c. &c.  
14.

\* intended on the Roll.

Proviso for  
rescuing Colliish  
&c. under the  
said Act.

be removed from the Shore and under such Penalties for not rendering the same to have Part of the Tallow  
off as in and by the said Act is directed and appointed. And whereas North Sea Colliish Lings and Shales are  
ordered in the said Act to be further granted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing therein contained shall extend  
to prohibit the importing and landing any Colliish Ling or Shales which have been or shall be caught and cured  
at or in the North Sea upon saving the like Oath and being subject to and under the same Restrictions and  
Penalties as by the above recited Act is directed and appointed for Colliish Ling and Shales caught and cured at  
Newfoundland or Ireland and that no Allowance be granted had or obtained upon Exportation thereof Any thing  
therein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

XIII.  
Recital of the  
3<sup>d</sup> of M. c. 7.

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On Affidavit before  
16. Dec. 1705, of  
loss of Tickets, &c.  
Amount to be  
paid, &c.

Certificate of  
Affidavit granted  
without Fee.  
Indemnity.

Such Provisions  
allowed, &c.

AND whereas in and by One Act made in the Fifth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William  
and Queen Mary of blessed Memory intitled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain Rates and Duties upon  
Salt and upon Beer Ale and other Liquors for raising certain Revenues and Advantages in the said Act  
mentioned to such Persons as shall voluntarily advance the Sum of Ten hundred thousand Pounds towards carrying  
on the War against France it is (amongst other Things) enacted that the Sum of One hundred and forty thousand  
Pounds should be a yearly Fund for answering the Annuities therein mentioned. And whereas certain Tickets were  
issued out to the Proprietors of the said Annuities many of which said Tickets are since burnt lost or otherwise  
destroyed whereby the said Proprietors are in Danger of losing their Money contained in such Tickets Be it enacted  
by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where it shall happen by Affidavit to be made on or before the first  
Day of May One thousand seven hundred and six before any of the Barons of the Exchequer that any Ticket or  
Tickets for any Payment or Payments on the said Annuities is or are burnt destroyed or otherwise lost it shall and  
may be lawful for the Office or Offices appointed to pay and discharge the said Annuities on producing a  
Certificate from the said Barons of such Affidavit made before him which Affidavit the Barons or any One of them  
is and are hereby authorized to take and which Certificate he or they are hereby required to grant without Fee  
or Reward and on Security given to the said Office to his good doing to indemnify him against all Persons  
whosoever for or concerning the Monies contained or specified in such Ticket or Tickets or which was or  
shall be due thereon be the said Office is hereby required to pay and discharge the said Annuities by the said  
Tickets issued and given due or which shall hereafter issue or give due as aforesaid as if the said Tickets  
had been produced and shall be allowed such Payments in his Accounts Any thing in this or any other Act  
contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

XIV.  
d. 16. 1705. 16.  
Claims to Green-  
wich Hospital.  
Friends of Officers  
of William III.

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for Her Majesty if she please  
to dispose as a Charity to and for the Use and Benefit of the Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich the Sum  
of Six thousand four hundred Seventy two Pounds One Shilling which was paid into the Receipt of Exchequer  
on or about the One and thirtieth Day of January One thousand seven hundred and four for Publick Use by  
Richard Cuswry Esquire Receiver of the Goods of Francis and other Perquisites of the Admiralty being Money  
on the Proceed of Goods and Merchandises which were taken with William Kidd a notorious Pirate who was taken  
and executed several Years since

XV.  
The Monies  
remaining after  
60 Items, &c.  
settled, and upon  
Set-off, p. 100 c. 1

4<sup>th</sup> of Ann. c. 12

4<sup>th</sup> of Ann. c. 18.

(Exemption)  
is proposed to  
be continued

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies which shall be lent to Her Majesty  
on Two Acts of this Session of Parliament the one (intituled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a  
Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and six) and the other (intituled An Act for  
continuing the Duties upon Salt Meas Cyder and Perry for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and six)  
and so much of the several Taxes and Duties thereby granted as shall remain (after all the Loans made or to be  
made upon the said respective Acts and the Issues thereof and the Charges thereby allowable for raising the  
Taxes and Duties thereby granted shall be satisfied or Money sufficient shall be reserved to discharge the same)  
And all the Monies to be contributed or advanced upon another Act of this Session of Parliament (intituled An  
Act for continuing an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and certain Duties upon Goods Cakes and  
Cynders and additional Duties of Excise and for settling and establishing a Fund thereby and by other Ways and  
Means for Payment of Annuities to be sold for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the  
Year One thousand seven hundred and six) except as therein is excepted and reserved shall be appropriated most  
and applyed and the same are hereby appropriated for or towards the several Uses and Purposes therein  
expressed (that is to say)

For or towards the defraying the Charges of the Ordinary of Her Majesties Navy

And for Victuals Wages Wear Tear and other Services of the Navy and the Victualling thereof performed  
and to be performed

And for the Sea Service in the Office of the Ordnance performed and to be performed

And for or towards the making of a Wharf and Storehouse at Portsmouth

And for paying for Stores and Carriages for Eight Ships now built in Her of these last in the Great Dock

And for or towards the Land Service performed and to be performed by the Office of the Ordnance

And to and for Subsistence Officers and Clergymen for One Year from the Third and twentieth Day of  
December One thousand seven hundred and five to Her Majesties Guards and Garrison in England and the  
Dominions thereunto belonging (Ireland excepted) and the contingent Charges of the same

And for Payment of Invalids for the said Year beginning from the said Third and twentieth Day of December  
One thousand seven hundred and five



And for or towards the defraying the Charges of Her Majesties Army and such Forces as are or shall be added thereto in the Low Countries or Germany within or for One Year to be reckoned from the said Third and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and five and the contiguous Charges thereto belonging.

And for or towards the defraying Her Majesties Part of the Charge of the Forces acting or to act in Conjunction with the Forces of the King of Portugal and as at any Time before the First and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and six.

And for or towards the Pay of the Five thousand Land Forces now in Catalonia which are ordered to be continued for the Year One thousand seven hundred and six.

And for or towards Her Majesties Proportion of the further Charges necessary to prosecute the Succession already gained by King Charles the Third for Recovery of the Monarchy of Spain to the House of Austria.

And for or towards the Payment of Her Majesties Proportion of the Subsidies due upon Yresents made or to be made with Her Majesties Allies and other Charges for the Service of the War for any Time before or until the said First and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and six.

And for or towards the making good the Payment of Her Majesties Share of the Subsidies payable to the King of Prussia which was not provided for in the last Session of Parliament.

And for or towards the making good the Payment of the Bounty Money bestowed by Her Majesty on the Land Forces that served in the Campaign in Germany in the Year One thousand seven hundred and four pursuant to the Address of the House of Commons.

And for making good an additional Charge to the Troops of Hesse and Zell which was not provided for in the said last Session.

And for making good the Charge of General Officers and Contingencies in the Expedition to Spain which was not provided for in the said last Session.

And to answer the Levy Money to make good the Horses of the English Horse and Dragoons that were killed and died of the common Distemper in the last Campaign in the Low Countries between the First of May and the One and thirtieth Day of October One thousand seven hundred and five.

And to make good the Horses that were lost by the Officers of the English Troops during the last Campaign in the Low Countries.

And for or towards the Transportation of Land Forces preferred and to be performed.

And for or towards discharging of the Penalties and other Charges for circulating the Bills commonly called *Kidnaping Bills*.

And for Payment of Interest after the Rate of Five Pounds per Cent per Annum for the unsatisfied Debts now charged on the Irish Postoffice and to no other Uses Interest and Purposes [wherever].

Provided always That out of the Monies to be issued to the Guards and Gendrons as aforesaid there shall not any be taken and applied any Sum not exceeding Eighty seven thousand five hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings towards the Charge of maintaining the Soldiers raised and to be raised for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges thereto belonging and out of the Monies to be issued for the Service of the Navy and Sea Service as aforesaid there shall be taken and applied such Sums as together with the said Sum not exceeding Eighty seven thousand five hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings shall be necessary for the Charge of maintaining the said Soldiers for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges thereto belonging. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XVI.  
20<sup>th</sup> 1713 now may  
be applied for the  
Navy, &c.

#### CHAPTER XXIV. (\*)

As Act for the better ordering and governing the Watermen and Lightermen upon the River of Thames.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of the late King James the First entitled An Act concerning Wherry-men and Watermen it is amongst other Things enacted that no Wherryman or Waterman shall take any Apprentices unless he shall be then of the Age of Eighteen Years at the least except the Son of a Waterman who by the said Act may be taken Apprentice at the Age of sixteen Years And whereas by one other Act of Parliament made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for the Explanation and better Execution of former Acts made touching Watermen and Wherry-men rowing on the River of Thames and for the better ordering and governing the said Watermen Wherry-men and Lightermen upon the said River between Gravesend and Windsor the said Watermen Wherry-men and Lightermen are empowered to make reasonable and lawful Rules Orders and Constitutions for their Government in such Manner as in the same Act is contained And whereas several of the Rules Orders and Constitutions which have been made under Colour of the said last mentioned Act especially the Fourth which directs that no Waterman shall have any more than One Apprentice at one Time nor shall be capable of taking an Apprentice until such Man hath been a Freeman seven Years nor shall take a Second Apprentice until his First be dead or the Term expired And that not any Lighterman shall

See Parl.  
4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Ann.  
c. 23, 24.  
Second of Stat.  
1 Geo. 5. c. 18. § 5.

and of Stat.  
10 Will. 3. c. 1. § 4.

\* wherryman G

\* This is Chapter XIII. in the Common printed Edition.

take any Apprentice until he is a real Owner of Two Lighters not shall have more than One Apprentice at one Time under the Penalties therein intended have by Experience been found to be prejudicial and destructive to the breeding of Seafaring Men and a great Barren upon the Navigation and Trade of the said River [of] Thames and of this Kingdom in general and the same not being alterable otherwise than by the Authority of Parliament or by the Consent of the said Company of Watermen and Lightermen who have a long Time refused to give their Consent thereto For Remedy whereof and for the better Increase of Seamen for Her Majesties Service and the Trade the which is of so great Importance to this Kingdom Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Clause or Clauses in the said first recited Act of Parliament that restrain the taking of Apprentices till they shall arrive to the second year of Eighteen and Sixteen Years as aforesaid and also the said recited Rule Order and Constitution and all and every other Rule Order and Constitution made for restraining of any Waterman Wherryman or Lighterman that now are or hereafter shall be free of the said Company from taking and breeding of Apprentices shall be and is hereby repealed and declared to be void and of none effect

Stat. 1 Geo. I. c. 15.  
17.

II.  
Lord Mayor and  
Aldermen of  
London, may  
make Rules,  
&c. as before  
mentioned.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the Cause of Lord Mayor and Aldermen of the City of London for the Time being and they are hereby authorized and empowered from time to time and at all Times hereafter to review re-examine alter or amend all such Rules and By Laws which relate to the Apprentices of Watermen and Lightermen and all other Orders and Constitutions which have been heretofore or which shall hereafter be made for the Government of the said Company of Watermen and Lightermen which said Alterations and Amendments shall be subject nevertheless to the Approbation of the Chief Justice of Her Majesties Court of Queens Bench for the Time being and all such Rules Orders and Constitutions as shall be hereafter renewed re-examined altered or amended by the said Court of Lord Mayor and Aldermen shall from time to time and at all Times hereafter be approved of as aforesaid and well and duly observed and put in Execution The said recited Acts or Rules or any other Act Clause Rule Order or Constitution to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

III.  
Persons for the  
Rights of the  
Duke of the Duke  
of Richmond, to  
Lord of the Manor  
of Grosvenor, &c.

PROVIDED always That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend [or be construed to extend] to the issuing taking away abridging hindring prejudicing or otherwise howsoever impeaching of any Right belonging to or lawfully claimed by the late Charles Duke of Richmond and Lenox Lord of the Manor of Grosvenor His Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns for the holding a certain Coast within the said Manor called Curle Carras Aquae on the Coast of the Water course for the better Government of Barges Boats and Vessels using the Ferry or Passage from the Town of Grosvenor to London and of the Persons owning or working the same or of any other Rights Liberties Powers and Privileges whatsoever belonging to the said late Duke his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns relating to the said Ferry or Passage or to the Barges [Dilboats] or other Boats and Vessels using the said Ferry or Passage or plying at the Bridge of the said Town of Grosvenor or the Persons owning or working the same or otherwise howsoever

IV.  
Persons for the  
Mayor, Jurats, and  
Capital Inhabitants  
of Grosvenor and  
Milton.

PROVIDED always That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend [or be construed to extend] to the issuing taking away abridging hindring prejudicing or impeaching of any Grants Liberties Franchises Customs Privileges or Usages now or heretofore lawfully used held or enjoyed by the Mayor Jurats and Capital Inhabitants of the Villages and Parishes of Grosvenor and Milton in the County of Kent touching concerning or relating to the Passage and Ferry upon the said River of Thames from the said Villages and Parishes of Grosvenor and Milton to the said City of London or touching or concerning the Government or Regulation of the said Passage and Ferry but that the said Mayor Jurats and Inhabitants and their Successors shall and may do and execute all and every such lawful Act and Acts Powers and Authorities touching the said Passage and Ferry and the Government thereof as they might or could have done if this Act had not been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

## CHAPTER XXV.(\*)

AN ACT for the better collecting Charity Money on Briefs by Letters Patents and preventing Abuses in relation to such Charities.

En. For.  
4 & 5 Annæ,  
p. 2 & 10.

WHEREAS many Inconveniences do arise and Frauds are committed in the common Method of collecting Charity Money upon Briefs by Letters Patents to the great Trouble and Prejudice of the Objects of such Charity and to the great Dismagement of well disposed Persons For Remedy whereof be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the First and twelfth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six upon the issuing forth of Letters Patents for collecting of Charity Money commonly called British Copies thereof to the Number required by the Petitioners for such Briefs or their Agents and no more shall be printed by the Printer of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors only at the usual Rate for printing and by each Printer the whole Number of such Copies shall be delivered to such Person or Persons only as shall by and with the Consent of the Petitioners for such Brief or the major Part of them undertake the lying or disposing of such printed Copies in order to the Collection of the Money to be received thereon or to some or One of them who or One or more of them shall give a Receipt for the same expressing the Number thereof in such Receipt which Receipt or an attested Copy thereof such Printer shall forthwith deliver to the [Register of the'] Court of Chancery or be filed in the Register Office and thereupon the Person or Persons so undertaking such Collection or some or One of them shall cause [all] the said printed Copies to be indorsed or marked in some convenient Part of such printed Copy with the Name of One or more of the Trustees or Commendatories named in such Letters Patent written with his or their own Hand and the Time of signing the same and also cause the said printed Copies to be stamped in the Manner hereafter more particularly mentioned And the said whole Number being so signed shall be with all convenient Speed by the said Undertaker or Undertakers sent and delivered to the respective Church wardens and Chapel wardens of the respective Churches and Chapels and to the respective Teachers and Ministers of every separate Congregation and to any Person who hath taught or preached in any Meeting of the People called Quakers in the Counties and Places to be comprised in each Letter Patent to be read and published and the Charity thereon to be collected in the several Churches Chapels or Places of Meeting to which they belong who shall so receive the same

Number of Copies and Rates of Sale.

Receipt to Printer of Copies to be filed in Chancery.

Sign of Trustees indorsed, &c.

Copies signed, delivered to Churchwardens, &c.

to be read, and Money collected.

Also that the said Church wardens Chapel wardens Preachers Teachers and Quakers having taught as aforesaid immediately after such Receipt shall indorse the Time of his or their receiving the same and set his or their Names thereto and the said Church wardens and Chapel wardens shall forthwith deliver over the said printed Briefs by them received to the several Ministers and Curates of the said Churches or Chapels who shall receive the same

II.  
Churchwardens to indorse and deliver Briefs to Ministers

And the said respective Ministers and Curates shall on Receipt thereof indorse the Time they respectively received the same and set their respective Names thereto And the said respective Ministers and Curates Teachers Preachers and Persons called Quakers qualified as aforesaid shall on some Sunday within Two Months after Receipt of such Copies immediately before the Service preaching or teaching shall begin openly read or cause to be read such printed Briefs in their respective Churches Chapels and Places of Meeting to the Congregation there assembled and the respective Church wardens Chapel wardens and the Teachers of every such separate Congregation and such [Persons] called Quakers to whom the Briefs shall have been as aforesaid shall collect the Sum of Money that shall be freely thereon given either in the said respective Assemblies or by going from House to House of the Members of their respective Congregations in the Briefs shall require in that Behalf

III.  
Minister to indorse and publicly read Briefs.

and Churchwardens, &c. to collect

And on every such Collection made the Sum that shall be collected with the Place where and Time when the same was collected shall be indorsed fairly written in Words at Length on such respective printed Briefs and signed by the Minister or Curate and the Church wardens in Churches Chapels and by the Teacher and Two Elders or Two other substantial Persons of every separate Congregation and that thereupon the said respective Church wardens and Chapel wardens and the respective Teachers or Preachers or other Persons required to make the Collection as aforesaid on Request of such Person or Persons as shall undertake to place and dispense the Briefs as aforesaid or of any Person by them or any of them lawfully authorized shall deliver to such Person or Persons on Request the respective printed Briefs as indorsed as aforesaid and the Monies thereon collected taking a Receipt for the same from the Person so receiving such Monies in some Book to be kept for that Purpose on pain that every the said Ministers Curates Teachers Preachers Church wardens Chapel wardens and Quakers qualified and required as aforesaid who shall refuse or neglect so to do any of the Matters or Things before respectively required of them shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds to be recovered and applied as herein after is directed

IV.  
Money collected, and other Particulars herein mentioned, to be indorsed and delivered over as herein mentioned.

Penalty after

And the said Person or Persons who shall so undertake to place and dispense the said Briefs as aforesaid shall within Six Months next after the respective placing or delivering such Copies in the respective Parishes as aforesaid by themselves or some or One of them or by some Person or Persons by them or the major Part of them to be

V.  
Undertakers to demand from Churchwardens, &c. the Briefs and Monies within Six Months.

\* This is Chapter XXV. in the Common printed Edition.

† inserted in the Bill.

‡ Perpetuo G

appointed as aforesaid demand from the respective Church wardens and Chapel wardens of Churches and Chapels and from the Preacher and Teacher of separate Congregations or from such teaching Quaker to whom the said printed Briefs shall [here] be respectively delivered as aforesaid the printed Briefs as left with him or them respectively and the Monies respectively by them received thereon and on Delivery and Payment made shall give to them respectively as aforesaid a Receipt for the same on pain to forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds to be recovered and disposed of as herein after is directed

Penalty also

VI.  
Undertakers to  
make such Receipts  
returning to the said  
Monies as herein  
mentioned in a  
Book, and printed  
Copies returned  
back to be left by  
them with the  
Register of the  
Court of Chancery.

AND to the intent a speedy regular and satisfactory Account may be rendered of the Sum of Money collected by virtue of such Briefs as is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Person or Persons so undertaking to place or dispose the said printed Briefs or the greater Part of them shall make or cause to be made a like Entry in a Book for that Purpose by them to be kept (to which all Persons concerned may at all Times resort) of the Number of the printed Briefs they so received and also when signed and sent away and to what Parish and Place and the Time of their receiving the same back and the Monies thereon collected and the said printed Copies so received back shall be deposited and left with the Register of the Court of Chancery with whom the Receipts given to the Preacher for the same as aforesaid was registered to the End it may appear that the whole Number received of the said Printer is duly received and that the same may be from time to time made use of as well by the Sufferers and their Agents as by the said Undertakers and their Agents or Solicitors in paying the Accounts in the Method herein after prescribed. And if the whole Number of printed Copies of such Briefs so received of the Preacher shall not be duly returned as hereby required the Undertaker or Undertakers shall for every printed Copy which shall be found wanting and not returned as aforesaid by default of them or their Agents forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds to be recovered and applied as herein after mentioned unless he or they shall make a sufficient Proof to the Satisfaction of the Court of Chancery of the said Briefs as wanting being lost or destroyed by inevitable Accident and of what Money was really and truly collected thereon and fully account for and pay the same

Penalty also

VII.  
Register of Monies  
collected, to be kept  
in each Parish.

AND that in each Parish or Chapelry and separate Congregation a Register shall be kept by the Minister or Teacher there or by some teaching Quaker of all Monies collected by virtue of such Briefs therein also having the Occasion of the Brief and the Time when the same was collected to which all Persons at all Times may resort without Fee

VIII.  
Form of Indorse-  
ment prescribed to be  
back of the Briefs

AND for the better endorsing what Money is collected on the Back of the printed Briefs and for the more regular Examination thereof and for the preventing the counterfeiting printed Copies of the Briefs by which great Frauds have been put in practice as is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That on the Back of every printed Copy of such Briefs there shall be printed the Form of Indorsement with the necessary Words for Time Past and Sum of Money to be filled up by the respective Persons aforesaid. And each printed Copy of such Briefs shall before it be carried to the respective Parishes wherein the Collection is to be made be stamped or marked with a proper Stamp to be made for that Purpose and kept by the Register of the Court of Chancery who is to see that no greater Number of printed Copies be stamped or marked than what is in the Receipts given to the Preacher and left with the Register as aforesaid specified and declared. And if any Person or Persons shall forge or counterfeit such Stamp such Person being thereof lawfully convicted shall be publicly set on the Pillory for the Space of One whole Hour

Stamp.  
 duty of Register.  
 Paying Stamp.  
 Pillory.

IX.  
Undertakers to  
account for Monies  
received as herein  
mentioned, before  
Master of Chancery.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Undertakers or Undertakers shall within Two Months after the Monies respectively received and after due Notice thereof to the Sufferers (who are to be admitted to concur at the same) account before One of the Masters of the Court of Chancery to be for that Purpose appointed by the Lord Chancellor Lord Keeper or Commissioners for the Custody of the Great Seal of England for the Time being for all the Monies by them received on account of such Letters Patents and Brevets and shall produce before him an exact Account of the respective printed Briefs by them delivered out and received back and left with the Register as aforesaid and thereupon the said Master shall proceed to make his Report of what shall be found due on such Account. And the said Report being confirmed by the said Court of Chancery as usual shall be a Charge on the said Undertaker or Undertakers and shall be carried into Execution against him or them as if decreed in a Suit there depending in making which Accounts such Masters shall make all just Allowances to such Undertakers for their Trouble and Pains of Management over and besides the Charge to be expended for the said Letters Patents and Copies thereof

Master to report.

Allowances.

X.  
Master may re-  
ceive into Treasury  
and report thereon.

AND such Master shall also have Power by the common Methods of the Court of Chancery to examine into all Frauds and Ill Practices that shall be committed by the said Undertakers or their Agents or any others concerned for or under them in such Collection and report the same to the Court which Report being confirmed by the said Court it shall be in the Power of the Lord Chancellor Lord Keeper or Commissioners aforesaid for the Time being to impose such Fine and Costs on every such Offender as the Masters of the Court shall require which said Fine and all other Forfeitures incurred by the said Undertakers or their Agents shall be only for the Benefit of the Sufferers for whose Benefit such Briefs shall be granted and shall and may be recovered by the Order of the said Court of Chancery founded on such Report so confirmed as aforesaid and carried into Execution as the Decrees of that Court usually are

Penalty and Costs.

Persons always That where any Penalties are by this Act inflicted on any Person or Persons other than the Undertakers their Agents Deputies Subordinaries or Servants such Penalties shall be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information.

And whereas there hath been an evil Practice in selling and purchasing for a Sum of Money the Charity Money that should or might be collected on such Bells to the very great Hindrance and Discouragement of Alms giving on such Occasions Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid and it is hereby declared That all selling and purchasing of such Charity Money is unlawful and that from and after the aforesaid Five and twentieth Day of March if any Person or Persons shall purchase or agree for any Charity Money so to be collected on any Bell or Letters Patents or by any Instrument of Covenant or Agreement by way of selling shall or may pretend to appropriate such Charity Money or any Part thereof to his or their Use contrary to the Intent and Meaning of such Letters Patents by which such Charity Money shall be collected and contrary to the Intent and Meaning of this Act such Purchase and Instrument of Covenant and Agreement shall be void and such Person agreeing to purchase the Benefit of such Bell shall forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pounds to be applied for the Benefit of the Sufferers in such Letters Patents mentioned and to be recovered as before last mentioned.

XL.  
Furnish or purchase Charity Money void.

Penalty 500*l*.

#### CHAPTER XXVL<sup>(\*)</sup>

An Act for Repairing the Highways between Hamhill and Hinton Heath in the County of Chester.

WHEREAS the greatest Part of the Highway between Hinton Heath in the County of Chester and a Place called Fiddle Stands in the same County leading through the Townships of Gallowest David Handley cum Milne and Chowley being above Three Miles and an Half in Length and being an ancient Road for Coachmen Carts and other Carriages as well between London and Chester as also between Chester and Shrewsbury in the County of Shrop by reason of the great and many Loads and heavy Carriages of Cheese and other Goods which are weekly drawn through the same and do relate not only to the Trade of the City of Chester and adjacent Counties but also of Ireland and being in several Places thereof very narrow is become very ruinous and obstructs passable inasmuch that it is become very dangerous to all Persons Horses and Cattle that pass that Way and for that the ordinary Courts appointed by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm is not sufficient for the effectual repairing and mending the same neither are the Inhabitants of the several Townships in which the said ruinous Places of the said Roads do lie of Ability to repair the same without some other Provision of Matters to be raised towards the putting the same into good and sufficient Repair there being also no Statute Grant or other Manors doing for the mending thereof to be had but at great Distance from the said respective Towns For Remedy whereof and to the intent the same [may] be forthwith effectually repaired and amended and from time to time hereafter kept in good Repair May it please Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That in the surveying ordering repairing and keeping in Repair the said ruinous Places in the said Road the Justices of Peace at the Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said County of Chester next after the passing of this Act shall and may them and so from time to time in every Year nominate and appoint a convenient Number of sufficient and able Persons residing and inhabiting in or near the respective ruinous Places of the said Road so to be amended as aforesaid to be the several and respective Surveyors of the respective Places aforesaid for the Year from thence next ensuing and that the said Justices shall cause Notice to be given to the several Surveyors so chosen in Writing of [the] said Choice which said Surveyors and every of them having no lawful Impedance to be allowed by the said Justices by whom they shall be chosen in Manner aforesaid or any Two of them within One Week next after such Notice to him or them given of their Election shall and are hereby required respectively to meet in some convenient Place within their several and respective Divisions for the which they are respectively appointed Surveyors to the intent to view and survey the said respective ruinous Places and consider the Defects thereof and the best Method and Means that can be used for the repairing and also the several Sums that will be necessary for making good the same and make their respective Communications thereof in Writing under their Hands to the Justices of Peace at the next Quarter Sessions to be held for the said County of Chester who thereupon shall and may make such Orders and Orders in and about the same as to them shall seem good which said Order or Orders so to be made shall be by the said respective Surveyors and all other Persons concerned in passing this Act in Execution duly observed and performed. And the said respective Surveyors are hereby empowered to appoint and require such Carts and Persons who are fable to work in the Highways by the Statute already in Force from time to time to come and work in the said respective Places as they shall think needful and appoint for which the said respective Surveyors shall pay unto such Laborers and to the Owners of such Teams Carts and Wains according to the usual Rate of the Country wherein if any Difference happen the same to be settled by the two next Justices of the Peace which is to be conclusive to all Parties Provided nevertheless That no Person be compellable by this Act to travel above Four Miles from his Dwelling House nor to work above Three Days in any One Week nor at any Time in Seed Time Hay Time or Corn Harvest.

Re. Paul.  
4 & 5 Anne,  
p. 10-15.  
Reason for passing  
this Act.

Quarter Sessions to  
appoint Surveyors  
of the Places herein  
mentioned.

who are to meet  
and not to be  
mentioned.

To make the  
warrants, &c.

Proviso as to  
overriding, and  
Time of working.

<sup>\*</sup> This is Chapter IX, in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>\*</sup> inserted on the Roll.

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II.  
Barren any dig  
for Gravel, &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Surveyors and such Persons as they shall appoint to dig take and carry away Gravel Sand or Stones Gravel or Heath out of the Waste or Common of any of the Parishes Towns Hamlets or Villages where any of the said various Places shall or do be or in any other Parishes Towns Hamlets or Villages next adjacent for the ascending thereof without paying any thing for the same or where there is not sufficient of such Materials in any such Common or Waste Ground to dig in the several Grounds of any Person or Persons in the Parish Town Villages or Hamlets aforesaid not being an House Garden Orchard Yard Pervious Meadow or Park sowed with Deer Armes and planted Walks where any such Materials are or may be found and from time to time to carry away such and so much thereof as the Surveyors shall adjudge necessary for the said Repairs without paying any thing for such Materials save only reasonable Satisfaction to the Owner or Occupier of the Ground where the same shall be so digged and carried away for the Damage he or they shall thereby sustain to be assessed and adjudged by the said Justices or the major Part of them at the next or any other Quarter Sessions for the said County of Chester in case of Difference concerning the same and that the Fees and Places where and from whence such Materials shall be digged and carried away for the Repairs aforesaid shall with all convenient Speed to be adjudged by the said Justices or the major Part of them as aforesaid if desired by the Party owning such Ground be filled up and levelled with Earth or other Materials

To make Satisfaction to Owners of private Grounds. Difference to be determined in Quarter Sessions.

III.

And whereas the greatest Part of the said Way between Hutton Heath and Pickle Sands aforesaid is so very narrow that during the Time of the ascending of the said Ways there will not be Room sufficient for the Passage of Carts and Carriages that shall be then driven through the same without Minding and disturbing the Workmen that shall be there employed and prejudicing and diminishing their Work before it be perfected and completed it is therefore further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Justices of the Peace of the said County of Chester or the major Part of them being Five at the least at their Quarter Sessions shall have Power to enlarge or widen any Part of the said Highway between the Places aforesaid so that the Ground to be taken into the said High Way do not exceed Ten Yards in Breadth and that the said Power do not extend to pull down any House or to take away the Ground of any Garden Orchard Court or Yard and for the Satisfaction of the Persons who own Owners of or may be interested in the said Ground that shall be laid into the said Highways the said Justices are hereby empowered to appoint a Jury before them and to administer an Oath to the said Jury that they will assess such Damages to be given and Recompence to be made to the Owners and others interested in the said Ground Rent or Charge respectively for their respective Interests as they shall think reasonable either for the absolute Purchase of such Land to become Part of the said High way for ever or for the Use only of such Land or Ground during the Time of the Amendment and Repair of the said High ways as aforesaid and in case the said Justices shall think it reasonable so by such Land in the said High way for ever then such Jury shall assess any Price for the use not exceeding Twenty five Years Purchase for the Lands so laid out and likewise such Recompence as they shall think reasonable for the making of a new Ditch and Fence to that Side of the Highway that shall be so enlarged and also Satisfaction to any Person that may be otherwise injured by the enlarging of the said Highways and not Payment of the said Money so awarded or levied it is in the Hands of the Clerk of the Peace of the said County of Chester for the Use of the Owner or [of] others interested in the said Ground the Interest of the said Person in the said Ground Rent or Charge shall be for ever directed out of them and the said Ground and all other Grounds that shall be laid into any Highway by virtue of this Act shall be assessed and taken to be a public Highway to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever unless after the Amendment of the said Highways are finished the Justices of the said County shall think it reasonable and the said Party or Parties so directed shall desire to take back their Lands that shall be so laid into the said High ways as aforesaid on such Terms as any Jury so appointed as aforesaid shall think fit to allow them for the Damage they have sustained by Reason of the Passage of the Carts and Carriages going over their Lands during the Time of the Amendment of the said Highways as aforesaid

There is Five Justices, Majority in Quarter Sessions, to widen Road between Hutton Heath and Pickle Sands

Jury empowered

IV.  
Quarter Sessions  
to appoint Collectors  
of Tolls, &c.

And for defraying of the Charges in and about the Repairs to be done in the Places aforesaid Be it further enacted That the said Justices at the Quarter Sessions aforesaid shall and may choose and appoint One or more of the Persons or Persons to be Recorder or Receiver Collectors or Collectors of such Gate or Gates of Money in the Name of Toll to be paid for all such Horses Carts Coaches Wagons Drays and Gangs of Cattle as it. Tax to come shall pass be lead or driven in or through the said Way as are hereafter in this Act Enacted (that is to say)

Tolls.

For every Horse One Penny  
For every Coach Chariot Calash Chaise and Wagon One Shilling  
For every Cart Six Pence  
For every Score of Sheep or Lambs Four Pence and so proportionally for every greater or lesser Number  
For every Score of Calves Four Pence  
For every Score of Hogs Six Pence and so for every greater or lesser Number of Calves or Hogs proportionally not being under Five  
For every Score of Oxen and Neat Cattle Eight Pence and so for every greater or lesser Number proportionally

And that from and after the passing of this Act all and every Person and Persons who shall travel with Horse Coach Chariot Calash or Chaise Cart or Wagon or shall lead or drive any Oxen or other Cattle before mentioned

in and through the Highway aforesaid shall and are hereby required to pay unto the said Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers of Toll in that behalf from time to time [to<sup>1</sup>] be appointed as aforesaid after the Rate aforesaid the Place or Places for collecting the said Toll to be upon the said Highway in or between Elston Heath and Puckle Church aforesaid by setting up a Turnpike or Turnpike or otherwise as the Justice of the Peace at the next or any future Quarter Sessions to be held for the said County of Chester after the passing of this Act shall direct and appoint.

Place for collecting the said Toll.

And in case any Person or Persons upon Demand made of Toll as aforesaid by the Collector or Receiver in the behalf to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to pay the same that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collector or Receiver appointed for the Receipt of the said Toll upon such Refusal to detain and detain such Horse Cart Coach Chariot Calash Cabriolet Wagon Oxen or other Cattle before mentioned or any of them until the said Toll shall be satisfied and paid according to the Tenor of this Act together with such Charges as the Party or Parties so detaining shall incur in and about the making of the said Detention as by the keeping thereof and in case the same shall not be satisfied and paid within the Space of Five Days next after such Detention made that then and not sooner it shall and may be lawful to and for the Party making the said Demand to sell the same including the Overplus (if any be) to the Owner which said Money so to be received for Toll as aforesaid shall be paid to the said Surveyors for and towards the Amendment of the said mainway Place in the said Highway according to the true Meaning hereof and not elsewhere.

V.  
Persons refusing to pay Toll.  
Collector may detain and detain Horse, &c.

Proceedings

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Surveyors and every of them and also the said Collector [and<sup>2</sup>] Receiver at the Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said County of Chester to be holden next after Easter in every Year shall yearly make [and yield<sup>3</sup>] up unto the said Justice of the Peace there to be assembled a perfect Account in Writing signed by every of them respectively of all the Monies which they or any of them have respectively received for the said Toll by virtue of this Act and likewise of all their Disbursements in and about the said Highway or otherwise by reason of their Office and shall then and there upon their respective Corporate Oaths which the said Justices are hereby impowered to administer depose that the Account so delivered in by them is a true Account as to what relates to every of them respectively and in case any Overplus of Money so received remains in their Hands shall pay the same to the Surveyors to be chosen for the Year ensuing to be disbursed and laid out in mending the said Road according to the true Meaning of this Act and not elsewhere or otherwise.

VI.  
Surveyors and Collectors to account yearly.

upon Oath.

Overplus paid to Surveyors

Where said Justices to whom such Account shall be given at the said Quarter Sessions shall out of the Benefit of the said Toll make such Allowance unto the said Surveyors for and in Consideration of their Care and Pains taken in Execution of their Office and to such Person or Persons who have been or shall be assisting in and about procuring the said Highway to be mended as aforesaid by advancing or laying out any Monies or otherwise relating thereto as to them shall seem good.

VII.  
Quarter Sessions to make Allowance to Surveyors, &c.

And in case the Collector or Receiver of the aforesaid Toll so to be paid as aforesaid shall not upon Request duly pay the same unto the said Surveyors for the Time being so to be appointed as aforesaid or in case the said Surveyors or any of them shall not make such Account and Payment unto the several Persons and Persons according to the Order Direction and Appointment of the said Justice at aforesaid that then the said Justice at any Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said County of Chester shall make Enquiry concerning such Defaults as well by Confession of the said Parties themselves as by Testimony of One or more credible Witnesses upon Oath which Oath they are hereby impowered to administer and if any Person or Persons shall be thereof convicted he and Justice upon such Conviction shall commit the Party or Parties so convicted to the Common Goal of the said County there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until he or they shall have made a true and perfect Account and Payment as aforesaid and shall appoint each other Person or Persons to act in his or their Place or Places in the said Justice shall think fit.

VIII.  
Collectors not paying to their respective Surveyors not paying as here is intimated, Quarter Sessions may commit and detain and Pay them.

And for as much as the Monies so to be collected by such Receipt of the said Toll will not at present raise such a Stock or Sum of Money as may be sufficient for the speedy repairing of the Premises it is hereby further enacted That the said Surveyors or the major Part of them for the Time being may and are hereby enabled by Order of the said Justice to be made at the Quarter Sessions and not otherwise to engage the Profits arising by the said Toll for such Sum and Sum of Money by them to be borrowed for that Purpose and by Indenture under the Hands and Seals of the said Surveyors for the Time being or the major Part of them to transfer the said Profits of the said Toll and to grant and convey the same for any Time or Term during the Continuance of this Act unto any Person or Persons that shall or will upon that Security advance any Sum or Sums of Money with Interest for the same not exceeding the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum for every Hundred Pounds which said Money so to be advanced shall be distributed by the Justice at the Quarter Sessions in the Premises and for the Purposes aforesaid and not otherwise.

IX.  
Surveyors, by order of Quarter Sessions, may borrow Money.

Interest at six per Cent. per Ann.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons not having any lawful Excuse to be allowed as aforesaid shall neglect or refuse to take upon him or them the said Office of Surveyor being thereunto nominated and chosen as by this Act is appointed or so to do and perform his or their Duty in

X.  
Refusing to act as Surveyors.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> or Or.

## Penalty

the due and speedy Execution of this Act the said Justices at their Quarter Sessions shall and may and lawfully have Power to impose on each Person or Persons so refusing or neglecting any Fine or Fines not exceeding Five Pounds upon each Person so refusing and so cause the same to be levied by Distress and Sale of his and their Goods reaching to the Party the Overplus if any shall be. And then and in each Case or in case of the Death of any of the said Surveyors some other Person or Persons shall be appointed by Two or more Justices of Peace that live nearest to the Party or Parties so dying neglecting or refusing and such other Person or Persons so to be appointed by the said Justices are hereby required to execute their said Office in such Manner and under such Penalties as if they had been chosen by the Justices at their Sessions of the Peace as aforesaid.

XI.  
How Penalties  
paid and applied

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Fines and Forfeitures to be imposed or incurred by virtue of this Act shall be paid to the Surveyors for the Time being for and towards the repairing of the said ruinous Places in the said Highway according to the true Meaning of this Act and not to any other Person or Persons or to or for any other Use or Uses Intent or Purpose whatsoever.

XII.  
In Action for  
executing Act.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Suit shall be commenced against any Person for any thing done in pursuance of this present Act that in every such Case the Action shall be brought in the Court of Great Sessions held for the said County of Chester and not elsewhere and the Defendant in such Action so brought may plead the General Issue and give that Act and the special Matter in Evidence in any Trial to be had thereupon and that the same was done in pursuance and by the Authority of this present Act. And if a shall so appear to be done or that such Action shall be brought in any other County than then the Jury shall find for the Defendant. And upon such Verdict or if the Plaintiff shall be nonsuited or discontinue his Action after the Defendant shall have appeared or if upon Demurrer Judgment shall be given against the Plaintiff the said Defendant shall have and recover Double Costs and have the like Remedy for the same as any Defendant hath in other Cases by Law.

XIII.  
Proviso as to  
paying Toll Twice  
in the same Day.

Provided always That no Person or Persons having occasion to pass the Place where the Toll is taken at or within the same Day before Eight of the Clock at Night between the Months of September and February at before Ten of the Clock at Night during the other Months of the Year with the same Horse Cart or Coach Calash Chaise Wagon or other Carriage or with the same Cattle shall be compelled the same Day to pay the said Toll a Second Time.

XIV.  
Proviso for  
Inhabitant in Place  
having no house,  
carriage, horse,  
cattle, &c.

And further also That all and every Person and Persons passing through the Place appointed for receiving the Toll aforesaid and inhabiting in any of the Townships of Golborne David Handley cum Milne or Cheshire aforesaid shall have Liberty to carry away any Quantities of Stone Sand Limestone or Gravel Day or Night or Compost of any Nature or Kind soever or any Wood or Brick not going to any Market.

XV.  
For Hay Carts, &c.  
wherein nothing  
is to be carried.

Also that all Carts with Hay not going to any Market or Corn in the Straw or Hay Time or Harvest Plows Harrows and other Implements of Husbandry and all Horses carrying or drawing the same and all other Things whatsoever employed in the husbanding stocking and manuring of the several and respective Lands in the said several and respective Townships shall pass to and fro through the said Place where the said Toll is to be received as aforesaid without paying any thing for their respective passing through the same.

XVI.  
And for Soldiers,  
&c. on March.

Also that it shall and may be lawful also for all and every Soldier and Soldiers upon their March and all Cows and Wagons attending them and all Persons riding Post to pass through the said Place where the said Toll is to be collected without paying any thing for their passing. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

XVII.  
Proviso always  
to be paid to  
the Surveyors.

Provided also That all and every Person and Persons who by Law are chargeable towards the repairing of the said Highway shall still remain so chargeable and do their respective Works in the said Highway as before they used to do therein according to the Direction and Appointment of the ordinary Surveyors of their respective Townships. Any thing herein to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

XVIII.  
Commencement of Act.

Provided also That neither this Act nor any thing herein contained shall extend to any further Time or be of force any longer than the Term of One and twenty Years to be accounted from the passing of this Act. And also that if at any Time before the Expiration of the said One and twenty Years the ruinous Places in the said Highway shall be sufficiently amended and repaired and so adjudged by the Justices of the Peace of the said County of Chester at their Quarter Sessions that then from and after each Adjournment made and Repealment of such Statutes as shall have been honored the aforesaid Toll shall cease and determine. Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.



Anno 6<sup>o</sup> ANNÆ, A. D. 1706.

STATUTES MADE IN THE PARLIAMENT,  
BEGUN AT WESTMINSTER, ON THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF JUNE,  
IN THE FOURTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF  
QUEEN ANNE,  
AND FROM THENCE CONTINUED TO THE EIGHTH DAY OF APRIL,  
IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE SAME QUEEN.

Ex Rotulis Parliamenti de Anno Annæ Reginæ Sextæ.

IN PARLIAMENTO Inchod<sup>o</sup> apud Westmonaster<sup>um</sup> Decimo quarto Die Junij Anno Regni Septuaginta sex, Excellentissime Dñe nre Annæ Dei Grat<sup>ia</sup> Angl<sup>i</sup> Scot<sup>i</sup> Franc<sup>i</sup> & Hib<sup>erniæ</sup> Regine Fidei Defensor<sup>is</sup> Ac Quamvis Annos, DIE Milleſimo Septingentesimo quarto et per septem Proterograt<sup>um</sup> et Adjournat<sup>um</sup> continat<sup>um</sup> seq<sup>ue</sup>nt<sup>ur</sup> et Durum Decem Aprilis Anno Regni oct<sup>avo</sup> Dñe nre Annæ R<sup>egine</sup> Sextæ General<sup>iter</sup> conat<sup>um</sup> Edict<sup>um</sup> nre Spem<sup>us</sup> quæ Tempore h<sup>ab</sup>ere solent<sup>ur</sup> Constat<sup>um</sup> et Regis Majestati Assensu<sup>us</sup> sanctis statutis ordinat<sup>is</sup> et stabilit<sup>is</sup> fuerint sequenda hæc Statuta ad verbum et singular<sup>iter</sup> vlt<sup>ima</sup>

FOREIGN ACTS.

CHAPTER I (1)

An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven.

See Post  
Edict<sup>um</sup>, p. 5. & 1.

MOST Gracious Sovereign We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous to unite Your Majesty with such Supplies of Money as (with the Continuance of Gods Blessing upon Your Majesties most glorious Undertakings) may be sufficient to enable Your Majesty to bring the present War to a happy Conclusion in establishing the future Safety and Tranquillity of Your Subjects and the Security of the Prince and State in Alliance with Your Majesty have cheerfully and unanimously given and granted unto Your Majesty the Rates and Assessments hereafter mentioned and We do humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Summe of One million nine hundred thirty seven thousand seven hundred sixty three Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence Half penny shall be raised levied and paid unto Her Majesty within the Space of One Year from the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven and shall be assessed and raised in the several Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed according to the Proportions and in the Manner following that is to say

At 1,000,000 p.  
400,000 to be paid to  
Her Majesty, from  
25th March 1706,  
to 25th March 1707,  
in Manner  
following

FOR the Town of Bedford the Sum of Six hundred thirty two Pounds Eleven Shillings and One Penny

For the rest of the County of Bedford the Sum of Twenty seven thousand eight hundred sixty two Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Halfpenny

For the Borough of New Windsor and Castle there the Summe of Nine hundred seventy eight Pounds Ten Shillings

For the rest of the County of Berks the Summe of Forty thousand seventy five Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Borough of Bucks with Boston Barton Hold Prebend End Gawcott and Loddborough the Summe of Six hundred and threescore Pounds Five Pence Half penny

For the Borough of Wiccomb the Sum of Three hundred fifty eight Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence

1 This is inserted g. & 6 Ann. Chapter I. is the Common printed Edition

For the rest of the County of Bucks the Sum of Forty six thousand six hundred fifty nine Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Eight Pence Half penny

For the University and Town of Cambridge the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred forty six Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny

For the Isle of Ely the Sum of Eight thousand and eight Pounds Five Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny

For the rest of the County of Cambridge the Sum of Twenty one thousand nine hundred seventy one Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Three Pence Half penny

For the City and County of the City of Chester the Sum of Fifteen hundred eighty four Pounds and Seven Shillings

For the County of Chester the Sum of Twenty seven thousand and four hundred Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Two Pence Half penny

For the County of Cornwall the Sum of Thirty one thousand nine hundred seventy five Pounds and Six Shillings

For the County of Cumberland the Sum of Three thousand seven hundred and thirteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Two Pence Half penny

For the County of Derby the Sum of Twenty four thousand ninety three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny

For the City and County of the City of Exeter the Sum of Four thousand seven hundred and Eight Pounds and Five Pence Half penny

For the County of Devon the Sum of Seventy seven thousand eight hundred seventy five Pounds Two Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny

For the Town and County of the Town of Poole the Sum of Three hundred twenty eight Pounds and Ten Shillings

For the County of Dorset the Sum of Thirty two thousand seven hundred eighty eight Pounds Five Shillings & Six Pence Half penny

For the County of Durham the Sum of Ten thousand five hundred ninety seven Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Five Pence Half penny

For the West Riding of the County of York the Sum of Thirty nine thousand three hundred sixty two Pounds One Shilling and One Penny

For the North Riding of the County of York the Sum of Twenty six thousand four hundred and fifty Pounds Seventeen Shillings

For the East Riding of the County of York the Sum of Nineteen thousand one hundred twenty seven Pounds Two Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the City of York and County of the same City the Sum of Four thousand six hundred thirty nine Pounds and Eight Shillings

For the Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull the Sum of Two thousand fifty three Pounds Two Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town of Malden in the County of Essex the Sum of Five hundred ninety six Pounds and Eighteen Shillings

For the Town of Colchester the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred forty five Pounds Six Shillings and Three Pence

For the Town of Harwich and Dover Coast the Sum of Four hundred and three Pounds Thirteen Shillings

For the rest of the County of Essex the Sum of Eighty six thousand six hundred Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Five Pence

For the City and County of the City of Gloucester the Sum of Thirteen hundred ninety six Pounds Four Shillings and Eight Pence

For the whole County of Gloucester the Sum of Forty six thousand one hundred and sixteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Two Pence

For the City of Hereford the Sum of Seven hundred sixty three Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Borough of Leicester the Sum of Three hundred thirty three Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the whole County of Hereford the Sum of Nineteen thousand three hundred and Eleven Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Borough of Saint Albans in the County of Hertford the Sum of Seven hundred seventy four Pounds and Two Shillings

For the rest of the whole County of Hertford the Sum of Forty one thousand eight hundred forty five Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Town of Huntingdon the Sum of Four hundred thirty two Pounds Twelve Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the County of Huntingdon the Sum of Fifteen thousand sixty four Pounds Twelve Shillings and Four Pence

- For the City and County of the City of Canterbury the Sum of Seventeen hundred sixty two Pounds Five Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the Town and Liberty of Dover the Sum of Nineteen hundred twenty three Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Nine Pence
- For the Town of Folkestone the Sum of One hundred forty four Pounds and Nineteen Shillings
- For the Town of Faversham the Sum of Seventy seven Pounds Eight Shillings
- For the Town of Faversham the Sum of Five hundred and Nineteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Three Pence
- For the Town of Tonbridge the Sum of One thousand thirty two Pounds and Six Shillings
- For the Town and Liberty of Sandwich the Sum of Nine hundred ninety one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Town and Port of New Romney the Sum of Two hundred forty nine Pounds and Seventeen Shillings
- For the Town of Lyd the Sum of Seven hundred sixty nine Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Town and Port of Hith and Worthing within the Liberty of the said Town and Port the Sum of Two hundred forty six Pounds and Two Shillings
- For the rest of the whole County of Kent the Sum of Seventy two thousand six hundred seventy one Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the County of Lancaster the Sum of Twenty thousand nine hundred eighty nine Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny
- For the Borough of Leicester the Sum of Six hundred thirty nine Pounds and Twelve Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Leicester the Sum of Thirty four thousand one hundred and Twelve Pounds One Shilling and Seven Pence Half Penny
- For the County of Lincoln the City and County of the City of Lincoln the Sum Seventy two thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds Ten Shillings and Four Pence
- For the City of London the Sum of One hundred twenty three thousand three hundred thirty four Pounds Two Shillings and Seven Pence
- For Serjeants Inn in Fleet Street the Sum of Sixty five Pounds and Four Shillings
- For Serjeants Inn in Chancery Lane the Sum Thirty one Pounds Four Shillings
- For the Inner Temple and Inns of Chancery thereto belonging the Sum of Four hundred Pounds
- For the Middle Temple and Inns of Chancery thereto belonging the Sum of Two hundred seventy two Pounds Sixteen Shillings
- For the Society of Lincoln's Inn and Inns of Chancery thereto belonging [the Sum of] Three hundred forty one Pounds Seven Shillings and Six Pence
- For Gray's Inn and the Inns of Chancery thereto belonging the Sum of Two hundred fifty two Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Palaces of Whitehall and Saint James's the Sum of Thirty thousand seven hundred fifty four Pounds Six Shillings and Three Pence
- For the City of Westminster and Liberties thereof and Offices executed in Westminster Hall the Sum of Sixty three thousand ninety two Pounds One Shilling and Five Pence
- For the rest of the County of Middlesex the Sum of One hundred and eight thousand seven hundred forty eight Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Seven Pence
- For the County of Monmouth the Sum of Nine thousand eight hundred and twelve Pounds Six Shillings and Five Pence Half Penny
- For the City and County of the City of Norwich the Sum of Eight thousand five hundred and Eighteen Pounds Eleven Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the Borough of Great Yarmouth the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred and twenty Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny
- For the Borough of Kings Lynn the Sum of Eighteen hundred and Fourteen Pounds Fourteen Shillings
- For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in the County of Norfolk the Sum of Two hundred thirty nine Pounds
- For the rest of the whole County of Norfolk the Sum of Seventy one thousand two hundred sixty eight Pounds Three Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Town of Northampton the Sum of Eight hundred and Thirty Pounds Seven Shillings and Ten Pence
- For the rest of the County of Northampton the Sum of Forty seven thousand one hundred and ninety Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Three Pence
- For the Town and County of the Town of Newcastle upon Tyne the Sum of Two thousand five hundred and eighty Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Town of Berwick upon Tweed the Sum of One hundred forty six Pounds Three Shillings
- For the County of Northumberland the Sum of Eleven thousand eight hundred twenty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings
- For the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham the Sum of Sixteen hundred and fourteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny

- For the County of Northampton the Sum of Twenty five thousand six hundred sixty two Pounds and Two Pence
- For the University of Oxon the Sum of One hundred and eleven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Two Pence
- For the City of Oxon the Sum of Three thousand six hundred and thirteen Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the rest of the County of Oxon the Sum of Thirty five thousand four hundred forty eight Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Seven Pence
- For the County of Rutland the Sum of Five thousand five hundred twenty five Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny.
- For the Town of Ludlow the Sum of Two hundred twenty six Pounds and Two Shillings
- For the County of Salop the Sum of Twenty eight thousand eight hundred thirty four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Three Half pence.
- For the City and County of the City of Bristol the Sum of Seven thousand three hundred ninety one Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the City of Bath the Sum of Four hundred forty three Pounds Six Shillings
- For the City of Wells the Sum of Four hundred eighty one Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Bridgewater with Haygrove Tyding the Sum of Three hundred [fifty] six Pounds Five Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Somerset the Sum of Sixty three thousand seven hundred and ninety Pounds Four Shillings and Four Pence
- For the Town and County of the Town of Southampton the Sum of Seven hundred ninety four Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny
- For the Isle of Wight the Sum of Six thousand two hundred seventy three Pounds and Sixteen Shillings
- For the rest of the County of Southampton the Sum of Forty eight thousand one hundred and sixteen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Half penny
- For the City and County of the City of Litchfield the Sum of Four hundred and twenty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Four Pence
- For the County of Stafford the Sum of Twenty six thousand seven hundred Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence.
- For the Town of Ipswich the Sum of Two thousand sixty one Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Bury Saint Edmunds the Sum of Two thousand one hundred twenty six Pounds and Fifteen Shillings
- For the Borough of Dunwich the Sum of Forty Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence
- For the Borough of Eye the Sum of Five hundred and two Pounds
- For the Borough of Sudbury the Sum of Five hundred and six Pounds Eight Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the rest of the County of Suffolk the Sum of Sixty eight thousand five hundred and three Pounds Ten Shillings and Six Pence
- For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in Suffolk the Sum of Seventy nine Pounds Four Shillings
- For the County of Surrey the Sum of Sixty six thousand seven hundred and thirteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny.
- For the Town and Part of Hastings and Liberty thereof the Sum of Three hundred seventy eight Pounds Six Shillings
- For the Liberty of Sturford the Sum of One hundred forty one Pounds Eighteen Shillings
- For the Liberty of Povey the Sum of One thousand eighty eight Pounds Ten Shillings
- For the Town and Parish of Eps the Sum of Four hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings
- For the Town of Wincoburn the Sum of Four hundred and five Pounds
- For the rest of the County of Sussex the Sum of Fifty eight thousand one hundred forty eight Pounds Eight Shillings and Seven Pence.
- For the City and County of the City of Coventry the Sum of Two thousand four hundred sixty three Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Nine Pence
- For the County of Warwick the Sum of Thirty seven thousand four hundred Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the City and County of the City of Worcester the Sum of Ten thousand two hundred thirty nine Pounds Nine Shillings and Eight Pence
- For the County of Worcester the Sum of Thirty one thousand four hundred fifty seven Pounds Eight Shillings and Eleven Pence
- For the City of New Sarum the Close of the same and Clarendon Park the Sum of Nineteen hundred thirty five Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence
- For the rest of the County of Wilt the Sum of Forty nine thousand seven hundred thirty six Pounds Eleven Shillings and Five Pence.
- For the County of Wiltshire the Sum of Three thousand forty five Pounds Three Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny.
- For the Isle of Anglessea the Sum of Sixteen hundred thirty three Pounds Seven Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the Borough of Brecon the Sum of One hundred seventy seven Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eight Pence  
 For the rest of the County of Brecon the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence  
 For the County of Cardigan the Sum of Thirteen hundred seventy two Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence  
 For the County Borough of Carmarthen the Sum of Two hundred twenty nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight Pence  
 For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Four thousand one hundred and forty Pounds Three Shillings and Eleven Pence Half penny  
 For the County of Carmarvon the Sum of Two thousand three hundred thirty seven Pounds Six Shillings and Seven Pence  
 For the County of Denbigh the Sum of Six thousand eight hundred Pounds.  
 For the County of Flint the Sum of Two thousand three hundred and fourteen Pounds Seventeen Shillings.  
 For the County of Glamorgan the Sum of Seven thousand nine hundred and six Pounds Nine Shillings and Ten Pence  
 For the County of Merioneth the Sum of Two thousand four hundred thirty two Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Ten Pence.  
 For the County of Montgomery the Sum of Five thousand eight hundred fifty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence.  
 For the County of Pembrokeshire the Sum of Two thousand nine hundred ninety seven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Eight Pence Half penny.  
 For the County of Radnor the Sum of Two thousand six hundred sixty two Pounds Six Shillings  
 (1) For the Town and County of the Town of Hereford-West the Sum of One hundred seventy four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That towards the raising the said several and respective Sums of Money hereby charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places as aforesaid all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate Goods and Possessions within the same respectively having any Estate in ready Money or in any Debt whatsoever owing to them within this Realm or without or having any Estate in Goods Wares Merchandises or other Chattels or Personal Estate whatsoever within this Realm or without belonging to or in Trust for them (except and out of the Profits and deducted such Sums as he or they do bona fide owe and such Debts owing to them as shall be adjudged due by the Commissioners appointed by this Act and also except the Stock upon Land and such Goods as are used for Household Staff and also except such Loans or Debts as are or shall be owing from Her [Majesty] to any Person or Persons) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings in the Pound according to the true yearly Value thereof for One Year (that is to say) for every Hundred Pounds of such ready Money and Debts and for every Hundred Pounds Worth of such Goods Wares Merchandises or other Chattels or Personal Estate the Sum of Four and every Shillings and so after that Rate for every greater or lesser Sum or Quantity to be assessed levied and collected in Manner hereafter mentioned

And that all and every Person and Persons and all and every Commissioner [or] Commissioners having taking or receiving any publick Office or Employment of Profit and all and every their Agents Clerks Secretaries Substitutes and other Inferior Ministers whatsoever (such Military Officers who are or shall be in Service by the Master General of Her Majesties Army or in Pay in Her Majesties Army or Navy in respect of such Offices only excepted) shall towards raising the said respective Sums before in this Act charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places as aforesaid yield and pay to Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings which he or they do receive in One Year by virtue of any Salaries Commissions Bounties Money Reward Fees Profits Perquisites or Advantages whatsoever to him her or them according for or by Reason or Occasion of their several Offices or Employments

And that all and every Person and Persons Guilds Fraternities Bodies Politick & Corporate having any Pension Annuity Stipend or other yearly Payment either out of the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer or out of any Branch of Her Majesties Revenue at payable or secured to be paid by any Person or Persons whatsoever (not being issuing out of any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or charged upon the same touching which other Direction are given by this Act and not being Annuities or yearly Payments which by any Act or Acts of Parliament made or to be made are or shall be specially exempted from the Payment of Tithes or Aids) shall towards raising the said respective Sums before in this Act charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places as aforesaid yield and pay to Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for every such Pension Annuity Stipend or yearly Payment respectively and after that Rate for One whole Year the said several Rates and Sums of Money hereby granted to be assessed imposed levied and collected in such Manner as hereafter is mentioned

II.  
Personal Estates  
excepted deposits  
Bills, Bonds on  
Land, Household  
Goods and Loans  
to Her Majesty (a  
part of it) in the  
Hundred Pounds.

III.  
Employments of  
Profit except  
Military Officers of  
the Army or  
Navy to pay 4s.  
in the Pound

IV.  
Pensions and  
Annuities out of  
the Exchequer, &c.  
to pay 4s.

V.  
Leads, Tenements,  
Houses, &c. to be  
charged with Rents,  
Taxes, &c. and with  
other Duties.

Also to the said full and true Sum by this Act charged upon the several Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively as aforesaid may be fully and completely raised and paid to Her Majesty Use by the several Rates and Taxes enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Messuages Messuages Lands and Tenements and also all Quarries Mines of Coal Tin and Lead Copper Mordick Iron and other Mines Iron Works Salt Springs &c. &c. Works all Alms Houses or Works all Parks Chase Warrens Woods Underwoods Coppices [ &c. ] Fisheries Tythes Tolls Annuities and all other yearly Profits and all Hereditaments of what Nature or Kind soever they be now being & being happening or arising within the several and respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or Places aforesaid respectively or within any Part of the same as well within ancient Donations and other Liberties and privileges and Places as without and all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate Guilds Mystrs Franchises and Brotherhoods whether Corporate or not Corporate having or holding any such Messuages Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises in respect thereof shall be charged with as much Equity and Indifferency as is possible by a Pound Rate for or towards the said several and respective Sums by this Act set and imposed or intended to be imposed for or upon all and every such Counties Cities Boroughs Towns [ &c. ] other Places hereby charged therewith as aforesaid as that by the said Rates so to be raised or assessed for or upon the said ready Money Debt Good Warens Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and other the Premises and Office or Implevements of Profit and for and upon the Pension Annuities Stipends or yearly Payments aforesaid and for and upon the said Messuages Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and other the Premises according to the Purport and true Meaning of the [ Premises ] Act the full and true Sums hereby appointed to be raised as aforesaid shall be completely and effectually raised assessed levied and collected and shall be paid into the Receipts of Her Majesty Exchequer by Four quarterly Payments the First Payment thereof to be made on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventh.

To be paid by  
Four quarterly  
Payments the First  
Payment on 14th  
June 1706.

VI.  
Proviso for  
Rents, the subject  
to Rent-Charges,  
Annuities, &c.

Also whereas many of the Messuages Messuages Lands Tenements Tythes Hereditaments and Premises intended by this Act to be charged with the Pound Rate as aforesaid used or used to be or are subject and liable to the Payment of several Rentcharges or Annuities or other annual Payments issuing out of the [ same or to the ] Payment of diverse Fee Farm Rents Rents Service or other Rents thereupon reserved or charged by Reason whereof the true Owners and Proprietors of such Messuages Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments do not in Two thirds to their own Use the true yearly Value of the same for which nevertheless they are by this Act charged with a certain Pound Rate it is therefore declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Landlords Owners & Proprietors of such Messuages Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments and Premises being charged with a Pound Rate as aforesaid to abate and deduct and so to raise and keep it in or their Hands out of every such Fee Farm Rent or other annual Rent or Payment so much of the said Pound Rate which shall be taxed or assessed upon the said Messuages Messuages Lands and Premises as a like Rate is every such Fee Farm Rent or other annual Rent or Payment respectively shall by a just Proportion amount to as in such Fee Farm Rent or other annual Rent or Payment respectively do amount to Twenty Shillings per Annum or more and all and every Person and Persons who are or shall be any way intitled to such Rents or annual Payments their respective Auditors Receivers and their Deputy and Deputies are hereby required to allow such Deductions and Payments according to such Rates upon Receipt of the Receipts of such Messuages shall be due and payable to them for such Rates or annual Payments reserved or charged as aforesaid unless any Fee or Charge for such Allowance.

Landlords may  
deduct the Tax,  
if the Rent amounts  
to not less than  
20 shillings  
per Annum.

Such Deductions  
to be allowed by  
the Receivers  
to the Rent, with-  
out Fee, &c.

VII.  
The Commissioners  
for executing this  
Act, the more as  
in Stat. 4 & 5 Ann.  
c. 1.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the better assessing ordering levying and collecting of the several Sums of Money so as aforesaid limited and appointed to be paid and for the more effectual putting of this present Act in Execution all and every the Persons who are appointed to be Commissioners for putting in Execution the Act of Parliament made and passed at Westminster in the Fourth Year of Her Majesty's Reign entitled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and six within the several Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Cinque Ports Towns and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales [ &c. ] Town of Berwick upon Tweed being duly qualified according to this Act shall be Commissioners for putting in Execution this present Act and the Powers therein contained within and for the said Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Cinque Ports Towns and Places respectively.

VIII.  
Commissioners to  
meet on or before  
the 15th of April  
1706, and so often  
as necessary.

Also be it further enacted and declared That the several Commissioners aforesaid shall meet together at the most usual and common Place of Meeting within each of the said Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners on or before the Eighth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and seventh and shall meet afterwards in the like Manner as often as it shall be necessary for the putting this Act in Execution. And the said Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present at such General Meeting or Meetings or the major Part of them are hereby authorized and required to put this present Act in Execution. And shall assess and set down in Writing the several Proportions which ought to be charged upon every Hundred Lath Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division respectively for and towards the raising and making up the whole Sum before by this Act charged upon the whole County City or other Places for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners according to the Proportions which were assessed on the same Hundreds or Divisions respectively by virtue of the Act of Parliament made and passed in the

and assessing the  
Proportions  
charged on every  
Division, as by the  
Act 4 & 5 Ann. c. 1.

Fourth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary of blessed Memory intailed An Act for granting to Their Majesties an Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound for One Year for carrying on a vigorous War against France. And shall also if they see Cause subdivide and distribute themselves and the other Commissioners not then present into less Numbers so as Three or more of the said Commissioners may be appointed for the Service of each Hundred Laith Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and in any best evidence to the carrying on Her Majesties Service hereby required nevertheless not thereby to restrain the said Commissioners or any of them from acting as Commissioners in any other Part of the County or Place for which they are appointed.

AND for the more effectual Performance thereof be it enacted and declared That the Commissioners at such General Meeting or the major Part of them then present shall also agree and set down in Writing who and what Number of the said Commissioners shall act in each of the said Divisions or Hundreds and shall deliver such Copies of such Writings to the Receiver General to be appointed by Her Majesty or in pursuance of Her Direction in the End there may be no Failure in any Part of the due Execution of the Service by this Act required. And the Commissioners within the several Hundreds Laith Wapentake Rape Wards or other Divisions [by] any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the several Proportions charged on the respective Hundreds Laith Wapentake Rape Wards or other [Divisions] for or towards the Aid hereby granted to be equally assessed and taxed within every such Hundred Laith Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and within every Parish and Place therein according to the best of their Judgments and Discretions. And for that End and Purpose to direct their several or joint Precept or Precepts to such Inhabitants High Constables Pery Constables Bailiffs and other Officers [and] Minstres and such Number of them as they in their Discretions shall think most convenient to be Presenters and Assessors requiring them to appear before the said Commissioners at such Place and Time not exceeding Six Days as they shall appoint. And at such their Appearances the said Commissioners or such of them as shall be then present shall openly read or cause to be read unto them the several Rates Dues and Charges in this Act mentioned and also openly declare the Effect of this Charge to them and how and in what Manner they should or ought to make their Assessments and how they ought to proceed in the Execution of this Act according to the true Meaning of the same. And if any such Constable Pery Constable Bailiff Officer or Minister or other Inhabitants to whom any Precept shall be directed shall absent themselves without lawful Excuse to be made out by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses (which Oaths the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered to administer) or if any Officer or Person appearing shall refuse to serve then every such Officer or Person so making default as refusing to serve shall for every such Default or Refusal forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present or the major Part of them being present shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Five Pounds nor less than Forty Shillings. And at and after such Charge given as aforesaid the said Commissioners shall take Care that Warrants be issued forth and directed to Two at least of the most able and sufficient Inhabitants of each Parish Township or Place within the respective [Divisions] thereby appointing and requiring them to be Assessors of all and every the Rates and Sums of Money by this Act imposed. And shall therein also appoint and prefix a certain Day and Place for the said Assessors to appear before them and to bring in their Assessments in Writing.

Written and Assessors are hereby strictly enjoined and required with all Care and Diligence to assess the full Sum given them in Charge respectively upon all ready Money Debt Personal Estates Offices Employments Securities and Pensions according to this Act and by an equal Pound Rate upon all Minors Lands Tenements Rents Emblements and other the Possessions within the Limits Counties and Towns of the respective Parishes or Places in which they shall be appointed Assessors as aforesaid. And shall bring with them at the Time and Place as is aforesaid prefixed for their Appearance a Certificate in Writing of the said Assessment. And shall then also return the Names of Two or more able and sufficient Persons living within the Limits and Bounds of those Parishes Townships Constabliwickes or Places where they shall be chargeable respectively to be Collectors of the Rates which shall be assessed as aforesaid and to be paid to Her Majesty by this Act for whose paying it is to the Receiver General or his Deputy in Manner hereafter mentioned such Manner as they shall be chargeable within the Parish or Place wherein they are so employed shall be unreasonable. And if any Assessor so appointed or so to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to serve or shall make Default at the Time appointed for his Appearance or not having a lawful Excuse to be witnessed by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses (which Oath the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them have Power to administer) or shall not perform his Duty every such Assessor shall for every such Neglect Default or Refusal forfeit and lose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present or the major Part of them shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Forty Pounds to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels in the Manner as by this Act is appointed for the levying the several Rates and Assessments herein mentioned in case of Neglect or Refusal of Payment and to be charged upon the respective Receiver General together with the said Rates and Assessments and for the completing the whole Sum charged as aforesaid.

And in the End the aforesaid Sums charged upon the several and respective Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and Places may be duly collected and true Accounts thereof made the said Assessors are hereby required to deliver One Copy of these respective Assessments fairly written and subscribed by them unto the said

and may subdivide themselves, &c.

and not removed from acting in any other Part of the County.

IX.  
A List of the Assessments to be made in each Division, to be given to the Receiver General.

Proportions to be equally assessed.

Commissioners to cause the Assessments to be made in each Division, who are to appear before them at the Time, and then to give them a Charge.

Persons charged, to return in writing, before the said Commissioners, or any Two or more of them.

Assessors to be Two at least, and sufficient Inhabitants.

Assessments to be brought in at a Day prefixed.

X.  
The full Sum charged to be received.

A Certificate of the Assessment to be brought in, with the Collectors Names.

Parish assessors to be Collectors.

Assessors refusing to serve, to forfeit not exceeding fifty.

XI.  
Assessors to deliver One Copy of the Assessments to the Receiver General.

<sup>1</sup> or G.

<sup>2</sup> Divisions G.

<sup>3</sup> imposed on the Bill.





or cause to be paid the Nettes [by them'] received into the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer And the Lord High Treasurer or Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury for the Time being are hereby authorized to allow the said Receiver General of such County Riding City or Towne respectively a Retainer for his Pains not exceeding Two Pence in the Pound for so much as hee shall pay into the Exchequer upon the clearing of his Accounts

Receiver General  
allowed 2d. in the  
Pound.

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Collectors of the Rates and Assessments hereby granted for gathering the particular Sums charged upon the Parish or Place for which they shall be appointed Collectors by virtue of this Act shall upon Collection of the whole Sums appointed to be collected by them and Payment thereof as is hereby before appointed have and receive for their Pains in collecting and paying the Money Three Pence in the Pound which the said Collectors are empowered to derive out of the last Payment of the Money of their severall and respective quarterly Palaces And the said Receiver General upon the Receipt of the whole Assessments of the County Riding City or Towne for which he is appointed Receiver General in case he shall have received the severall Duplicates of each Parish or Place therein and the Duplicates shall be returned to the Office of His Majesty's Remembrancer of the Exchequer as aforesaid and not otherwise shall allow and pay according to such Warrant as shall be in that Behalf given by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them Three Halfe Pence in the Pound and no more for the Commissioners Clerks for their Paines in fair Writing the Assessments Duplicates and Copies herein before directed and for all Warrants Orders and Instructions relating therunto

XVI.  
Collectors to have  
3d. in the Pound.

Commissioners  
Clerks to have  
Three Halfpence  
in the Pound.

And be it further enacted and declared That if any Person shall refuse or neglect to pay any Sum of Money whereto he shall be rated and assessed by this Act upon Demand by the said Collectors of that Place according to the Precept or Extortion to him or them delivered by the said Commissioners that then and in all and every such Case and Cause it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collectors or any of them and they are hereby authorized and required to levy the Sums assessed by Distresse and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of such Person so refusing or neglecting to pay or distraine upon the Messuages/Lands Tenements and Premises so charged with any such Sums or Sums of Money and the Goods and Chattels then and there found and the Distresse so taken to keep by the Space of Four Daies at the Court and Charges of the Owners And if the said Owners do not pay the Sums or Sums of Money so rated or assessed within the said Space of Four Daies then the said Distresse to be appraised by Two or more of the Inhabitants where the same shall be taken or other sufficient Persons and to be sold by the Collectors for Payment of the said Money and the Charges owing by such Sale (if any be) over and above the Tax and Charges of taking and keeping the said Distresse to be immediately returned to the Owners thereof And moreover it shall be lawful in the Day time to break open any House and upon Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners any Chest Trunk Box or other Thing where any such Goods are calling to their Assistance the Constables Tythingmen or Headboroughs within the Countie Ridings Cities Towns and Places where any Refractory Neglect or Resistance shall be made which said Officers are hereby required to be aiding and assisting in the Premises so they will answer the contrary at their Perils And if any Question or Difference happen upon taking [such Distresse] the same shall be ended and determined by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them.

XVII.  
In case of Non-  
payment, Collectors  
to distrain.

Distress to be kept  
Four Daies in the  
Owners Charge.

Not appraised,  
and Overplus  
returned.

Lawful to break  
open Houses in  
the Day-time, &c.

Commissioners  
to determine  
Differences about  
Distresses.

And if any Person or Persons assessed by this Act shall neglect or refuse to pay his or their Assessment by the Space of Ten Daies after Demand as aforesaid or convey any his or their Goods or other Personall Estate whereby the Sums of Money so assessed cannot be levied according to this Act in every such Case any Two or more of the Commissioners aforesaid for any City County or Place are hereby authorized by Warrant under their Hands and Seals to commit such Person or Persons (except a Peer or Person of the Rank to the Common Gaole there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until Payment be made of the Money assessed and the Charges for bringing in of the same be paid and no longer and the severall and respective Taxes and Tentments of all Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments which shall be rated by virtue of this Act are hereby required and authorized to pay such Sums and Sums of Money as shall be rated upon such Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and to distrain out of the Rents so much of the said Rents as in respect of the said Rents of any such Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments the Landlord should and ought to pay and have and the said Landlords both mediate and immediate according to their respective Interests are hereby required to allow such Deductions and Payments upon Receipt of the Receipts of their Rents

XVIII.  
Persons refusing  
to pay to be  
committed to Gaol.

(Except a Peer  
or Person.)

Tenants to pay  
the Tax.

and deduct so much  
out of their Rents

And be it enacted and declared That every Tenant paying the said Assessments last mentioned shall be required and discharged for so much Monies as the said Assessments shall amount unto as if the same had been actually paid unto such Person or Persons unto whose his Rents should have been due and payable

XIX.  
Tenants discharged  
for what they pay.

And if any Difference shall arise between Landlord and Tenant or any other concerning the said Rents the said severall Commissioners or any Two or more of them in their severall Detonations shall and have hereby Power to settle the same as they shall think fit and if any Person or Persons shall find him or themselves aggrieved in that the Assessments have overpaid him or them and in Six Daies after the Demand made of the Sums of Money assessed on him or them do by him or themselves or by his or their Stewards or Bayliffs

XX.  
Differences between  
Landlord and  
Tenant, Commis-  
sioners to settle.  
Persons aggrieved  
may appeal within  
Six Daies after  
Demand, &c.

complies to Three or more of the Commissioners (whereof Two of the Commissioners who signed or allowed the  
ber or their Assurances to be of this Number) the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall  
here and have hereby Power within Twenty Days after such Comp<sup>s</sup> made as aforesaid to relieve such Person or  
Persons and to charge the same on such other Person or Persons as they shall see cause and Appeals once heard  
and determined to be final without any further Appeals upon any Petition whatsoever

Appeals once heard  
to be final

**XXI.**  
Proprietors and  
Inhabitants and  
their heirs  
Persons not of  
Ability, or upon  
Sundry Humours,  
Commissioners  
may examine.

And in case the Proprietors set by this Act upon all and every the respective Counties Riding City Towns  
and Places shall not be fully assessed levied and paid according to the true Meaning thereof or if any of the  
said Assurances shall be sued and imposed upon any Person not being of Ability to pay the same or upon any  
Empty or void House or Land where the same cannot be collected and levied or that through any Withness  
Negligence Misdemeanor or Accident the said Assessment charged on such County Riding City Towns or Place by  
virtue of this Act happen not to be paid to the Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies as in this Act is directed  
that then in all and every such Case and Cases the several and respective Commissioners Assessors and Collectors  
as aforesaid and every of them respectively are hereby authorized and required to assess or estimate or cause to  
be assessed or estimated levied and paid all and every such Summe and Sums of Money upon the respective  
Divisions and Hundreds wherein such Deficiency shall happen or Purshes therein as to the said Commissioners as  
such Number of them as by this Act are authorized to cause the First Assessment hereby required to be made  
shall seem most agreeable to Equity and Justice the said new Assessment to be made collected and paid in such  
Manner and by such Means as in this Act for this Assessment is directed and directed

**XXII.**  
Assessors, &c.  
neglecting their  
Duty,  
Penalty.

Not to be dis-  
charged but by  
Commissioners,  
and heard by  
Jury, or  
Imparsonment,

and paid into the  
Exchequer, and  
inserted in the  
Duplices

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That if any Assessor Collector or other  
Person or Persons shall wilfully neglect or refuse to perform his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution  
of this present Act the said respective Commissioners or any Three or more of them have hereby Power to  
impose on such Person or Persons as refusing or neglecting his or their Duties such Fine or Fines as by them  
shall be thought fit so as the same exceed not the Summe of Forty Pounds which said Fines shall not be  
taken or discharged but by the (1) Majority of the Commissioners who imposed the same but shall be  
levied by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by  
Distress and Sale of the Goods and Chattels of the Offenders and in Default of Goods and Chattels the  
Offender to be committed by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more  
of them to prison until Payment of the said Fine and that all Fines to be imposed by virtue of  
this Act shall be paid to the respective Receiver General and by them into the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer  
and shall be inserted in the Duplices in Parchment duly witness to be transmitted to the Office of the Queen's  
Remembrancer as aforesaid that the same may be thereby knowne and charged in his Account

**XXIII.**  
Collectors detrac-  
ing the Money, or  
in payment, and  
their Heirs and  
Heirs, &c.

General Meeting  
of Commissioners  
upon Petition

And be it further enacted and declared That if any Collector that shall be by virtue of this Act appointed  
for the Receipt of any Summe or Sums of Money thereby to be assessed neglect or refuse to pay any Summe or  
Summes of Money which shall be by them received as aforesaid and to pay the same as in this Act is directed it  
shall decline in his or their Hands any Money received by them or any of them and not pay the same as by the  
Act is directed the Commissioners of each County Riding City or Towns respectively or any Two or more of  
them in their respective Divisions are hereby authorized and empowered to imprison the Person and seize and  
secure the Estate as well Freehold as Copyhold and all other Estate both Real and Personal of such Collector  
to him belonging or which shall descend or come into the Hands or Possession of his Heirs Executors or  
Administrators wherever the same can be decreed and found and the said Commissioners who shall so seize  
and secure the Estate of any Collector or Collectors shall be and are hereby empowered to appoint a Time for  
the General Meeting of the said Commissioners for each County Riding City Towns and Place and there to  
cause publick Notice to be given of the Place where such Meeting shall be appointed Six Days at least before  
such General Meeting [ & the Court, [or the major Part of them]] present at such General Meeting<sup>1</sup> or the  
major Part of them in case the Monies destined by any such Collector or Collectors be not paid and received  
as it ought to be according to the Direction of this Act shall and are hereby required and empowered to sell  
and dispose of all such Estate which shall be for the Cause aforesaid seized and secured on any Part of them  
and to receive and pay into the Hands of the Receiver General or his Deputy for each County Riding or  
Place the Summe which shall be detained in the Hands of such Collector or Collectors their Heirs Executors and  
Administrators respectively

**XXIV.**  
Commissioners to  
examine whether  
the same assessed  
be duly collected,  
&c.

and paid into the  
Exchequer.

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That at the Expiration of the respective Times in this Act  
prescribed for the full Payment of the said Four Quarterly Assessments the several and respective Commissioners  
or any Two or more of them within their Division or Hundred shall and are hereby required to call before them  
the Collectors within each respective Division or Hundred Parish and Place and to examine & secure themselves  
of the full and whole Payment of the particular Summes and Sums of Money charged upon the same Division  
or Hundred and every Parish and Place therein and of the due receipt of the same into the Hands of the  
respective Receiver General their Deputy or Deputies of the said County Riding City Towns and Place  
respectively and by such Receiver General into the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer to the End there may be  
no Failure in the Payment of any Part of the Assessment by virtue of this Act to be assessed and paid nor any

<sup>1</sup> Content of the, G. & King's Present Copy.

<sup>2</sup> entered in the Roll.

<sup>3</sup> G. omits.

Arrears remaining chargeable upon any of the said Counties Bishops Cities Townes and Places respectively And in case of any Failure in the Performance the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the same to be forthwith levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act

And it is hereby enacted and declared That in case any Controversy [arise] concerning the said Assessments or the dividing apportioning or [or] Payments thereof which concern any the Commissioners (') so concerned in the said Controversy shall have no Voice but shall withdraw at the Time of the Debate of any such Controversy and it be determined by the rest of the Commissioners and in Default thereof that the Commissioners then present shall have Power and are hereby required to impose such Fine or Fines as to them shall be thought fit upon such Commissioner or Commissioners as refusing to withdraw not exceeding the Summe of Twenty Pound<sup>s</sup> and to cause the same to be levied and paid as other Fines to be imposed by virtue of this Act are to be levied and paid And all Questions and Differences which shall arise touching any the said Rates Duties or Assessments or the collecting thereof shall be heard and finally determined by the Commissioners in such Manner as by this Act is directed upon Complaints thereof made to them by any Person or Persons thereby grieved without further Trouble or Suit in Law

And be it further enacted and declared That no privileged Place or Person Body Politick or Corporation within the Counties Bishops Cities and Townes aforesaid shall be exempted from the said Assessments and Taxes and that they and every of them and also all Free Farm Rents and all other Rents Payments Summes and Summes of Money or Annuities issuing out of or payable for any Lands shall be liable towards the Payment of every Summe by this Act to be used and levied and all the Tenants are hereby licensed and authorized to pay them proportionably according to the Rates and Assessments by this Act appointed and directed and all such Tenants shall be hereby saved and kept harmless by [the Authority of this Act from any further Payment of any such] Proportion of any such Rent Rents Summes of Money or Annuities [to any Person or Persons to whom any such] Rents Rents of Money or Annuities (') as aforesaid should or ought to be paid to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever as fully and amply as if they had paid the same to any Person or Persons to whom the same is or are reserved or become due

Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to charge any College or Hall in either of the Two Universities or the Colleges of Windsor Eton Winton or Westminster or the Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the Poor Widows and Children of Clergymen or the College of Brasenose or any Hospital for or in respect of the Sites of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any of the Buildings within the Walls or Limits of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any Master Fellow Scholar or Exhibitioner of any College or Hall or any Rector Officer or Minister of the said Colleges Universities or Halls or any Masters or Officers of any Schools for or in respect of any Stipend<sup>s</sup> Wages Profits or Exhibitions whatsoever sitting or growing due to them in respect of the said several Places and Employments in the said Universities Colleges or Schools or to charge any of the Houses or Lands which on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred twenty three did belong to the Sites of any College or Hall or to Christ's Hospital St Bartholomew Beddowell Beas Thomas and Bethlem Hospital in the City of London and Borough of Southwark or any of them or the said Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the Poor Widows and Children of Clergymen or the College of Brasenose or shall extend [to extend] to charge any other Hospital or Almshouses for or in respect only of any Rents or Revenues which on or before the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred twenty three were payable to the said Hospitals or Almshouses being to be received and disbursed for the immediate Use and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Almshouses only

Provided That no Tenant that hold and enjoy any Lands or Houses by Lease or other Grant from the said Corporation or any of the said Hospitals or Almshouses do claim or enjoy any Freedom Exemption or Advantage by this Act but that all the Houses and Lands which (') so hold shall be rated and assessed for as much as they are yearly Worth over and above the Rents reserved and payable to the said Corporation or to the said Hospitals or Almshouses to be received and disbursed for the immediate Support and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Almshouses

Provided likewise That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed or taken to discharge any Tenant of any of the Houses or Lands belonging to the said Colleges Halls Hospitals Almshouses or Schools or any of them who by their Leases or other Contracts are and do stand obliged to pay and discharge all Rates Taxes and Impositions whatsoever but that they and every of them shall be rated and pay all such Rates Taxes and Impositions Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And in case any Question hath been or shall be made how far any Lands or Tenements belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse not exempted by Name out of this Act ought to be assessed and charged with the Land Tax be it enacted and declared That the same shall be determined by the said Commissioners or any Three or

XXV.  
Controversy in  
concerning Com-  
missioners, the  
Commissioners  
concerned to  
withdraw.

Penalty.

Differences to be  
finally determined  
by the Commis-  
sioners.

XXVI.  
No privileged Place  
or Person exempt  
from Taxes.  
Free Farm Rents,  
for so be taxed,  
Taxes to pay the  
Tax, and avoid  
penalties.

XXVII.  
Colleges, &c. in  
the Universities, &c.  
not charged.

see my Master,  
Peller, &c.

not the Houses or  
Lands which, before  
the 25th of March  
1693, did belong to  
Christ's Hospital,  
&c.  
nor Corporation of  
Clergymen & Bishops,  
Dorset's College, or  
any other Hospital.

XXVIII.  
No Tenants to  
Hospitals, &c.  
to claim any  
Exemption.

XXIX.  
Such Tenants not  
discharged, who by  
Leases are obliged  
pay Taxes.

XXX.  
Commissioners to  
determine how far  
Lands, &c. belong-  
ing to Hospitals,

<sup>1</sup> inserted on the Roll.

<sup>2</sup> G. omits.

<sup>3</sup> by this Act appointed that the Commissioners 0

<sup>4</sup> Rents G.

<sup>5</sup> chap G.

Act, and assigned by Name, ought to be charged

more of them Two of the said Commissioners who signed or allowed such Accountment being of that Number upon Appeals before them at the Day or Days by them appointed for the hearing and determining of Appeals whose Determination in such Case shall be final

XXXI.  
All Hospital Lands, by, assigned by W. & M. a. 1. shall by this Act, and so other.

PROVIDED always and it is hereby enacted That all such Lands Revenues or Rents belonging to any Hospital or Alms-house as were assigned in the Fourth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary shall be and are hereby adjudged to be liable to be charged towards the Payment of this present Act and that no other Lands Tenements Hereditaments Revenues or Rents whatsoever belonging to any Hospital or Alms-house as aforesaid shall be charged toward or assessed by virtue of this present Act. Any thing herein contained to the contrary in any way notwithstanding

XXXII.  
Restoration for Four Shillings for no other 4s. per Pound to the Parish, and without any Penalty or other.

AND it is hereby further enacted That all and every Auditor Receiver Receivers and their Deputy and Deputies who audit or receive any For Forfeiture Rents or other Chief Rents due to His Ma.<sup>ty</sup> or to any Person or Persons claiming by any Grant or Purchase from or under the Crown shall allow Four Shillings for every Pound of the said Rents and apportionably for any greater or [less] Summe to the Party or Parties paying the same without any Fee for such Allowance upon the Penalty of Twenty Pounds to the Party grieved to be recovered as aforesaid Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any way notwithstanding And if any Auditor of the Revenue or any of them belonging to His Majesty or any Deputy or other Person acting for or on the Behalf of any such Auditor shall in the Account of any Receiv. Receiver or otherwise or in any Tenment or other Person or make any such Tenment or other Person or his or their Rents liable to any Distress Forfeiture or Vexation whatsoever for any Summe or Summes of Money which by the true Intent and Meaning of this Act ought to be allowed after the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound or shall refuse [or neglect] to allow and finally discharge the same in the proper Accounts wherein the same ought to be allowed or discharged then and for every or any such Offence every such Auditor or Deputy or Person acting for such Auditor shall forfeit the Summe of Two hundred Pounds to the Party grieved to be recovered as aforesaid and shall be also incapable to enjoy his Office or Place or any [other] Office or Place of Trust or Profit under His Majesty

as before Allow-  
ment.

Penalty of 2000, and incapable of Office, &c.

XXXIII.  
Laws of Parliament, by, to be delivered gratis, to the Assessor.

AND it is enacted That the Officers of the Receipt of His Majesties Exchequer and in other the publick Office upon Request to them made by the respective Assessors shall deliver gratis true Lists or Accounts of all Penalties Annuities Sums or other annual Payments and of all Fees Salaries and other Allowances payable to the said Receipt or in the said publick Office to any Commissioner or Commissioners Officer or Officers in the Execution of this Act for the better Guidance of the said Assessors in the charging of the same And in all Cases where any Penalties Annuities Sums or other annual Payments or the Fees Salaries Wages or other Allowances or Profits charged by this Act shall be payable at the Receipt of Exchequer or by the Collector of His Majesties Household or out of any other publick Office or by any His Majesties Receiver or Payments the Tax or Payments which in pursuance of this Act shall be charged for or in respect of such Annuities Penalties Sums Fees Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits shall and may in case of Non-payment thereof be detent and kept out of the same or out of any Money which shall (\*) upon such Penalties Annuities Sums Fees Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits or for Arrears thereof and be applied to the Satisfaction of the Rates and Dues not otherwise paid as aforesaid And the proper Officers in the said Exchequer and other the publick Office aforesaid shall keep true Accounts of all Monies kept and (upon Request) shall give Copies of such Accounts to the proper Collectors of such Monies for the respective Parishes or Places where the said Monies are assessed by this Act

Taxes on Penalties, by, not paid to be kept in the Exchequer.

a true Account to be kept of the Money kept

XXXIV.  
Persons to be liable in the Parish where they dwell

PROVIDED That where any Person inhabiting within the City of London or any other City or Town Corporate hath his Dwelling House in one of the Parishes or Wards therein and hath any Goods Wares or Merchandises in One or more of the other Parishes or Wards within the same that then such Person shall be charged rated and assessed for such his Goods or Merchandises in the Parish or Ward where he dwelleth and not elsewhere within the said City or Town Corporate

XXXV.  
The full time by the Act not to be limited

PROVIDED notwithstanding That no Clause or Provisions in this Act shall extend to the lessening or Abatement of the full Summe appointed by this Act to be raised levied collected and paid in such Manner and Forme and in such Uses as herein is before mentioned and declared

XXXVI.  
Persons for Controversies between Landlord and Tenant, touching Taxes

PROVIDED That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to alter change determine or make void any Controversies Complaints or Agreements whatsoever between Landlord and Tenant or other Persons touching the Payment of Taxes and Assessments Any thing herein before contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXXVII.  
Persons to pay where usually assessed

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That for avoiding all Obstructions and Delays in assessing and collecting the Sums by this Act to be raised and assessed upon any Manors Lands Towns Rents Tythes or other Hereditaments all Places Constables Jurors and Assessors

\* leave 0

\* neglect or delay 0

\* entered on the Roll

\* be paid 0

which have been used to be taxed and assessed shall pay and be assessed in each County Hundred Rape Wapentake Constablenick Division Place and Althorowen at the same time hereafter been usually assessed in and our elsewhere

Proviso nevertheless That the Hundred of West Barnfield formerly rated and assessed in the Lath of Alford in the County of Kent may for the future if the Commissioners think fit be rated and assessed in the Lath of Scip [and '] the County assessed and the Hundred of Lint or Lenton in the Hundred of Blackheath in the County of Kent as likewise may the Tything of Northmore in the County of Devon be assessed in the Hundred of Burgeon in the said County and ('') the Tythings of Chaffbury Fallow and Farnock in the Hundred of Chudington in the said County as also the whole Towns and Parish of Lenton in the County of York in the Hundred of Eborac in the said County and the Forest of Ghyse shall be assessed and pay where the same was assessed by the First Aid of Poor Skillings in the Pound granted to Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary as also the Profits of the Navigation of the River Calder and Ayre in the West Riding of the County of York shall be assessed and paid One Penny thereof at the Towns of Wakefield and the other Moity thereof at the Town of Leeds

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Plea Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance or Execution of this Act such Person or Persons as used in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue (Not Guilty) and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Prosecutor shall become Nonvult or forbear further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendants shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in case where Costs by the Law are given to Defendants

Proviso always and be it further enacted That in case any Lands or Houses in any Parish Place or Constablenick shall be unoccupied and no Distress can be found on the same by reason whereof the said Parish Place and Constablenick are forced to pay and make good the Tax assessed upon such Lands lying unoccupied that then it shall and may be lawful at any Time after for the Collectors Constables or Tything men of the said Parish Place or Constablenick for the Taxes being to enter and distrain upon the said Land or Houses when there shall be any Distress thereupon to be found and the Distress or Distresses if not released within Four Days by Payment of the Tax and Charge of the Distress to all rendering the [Overplus] to the Owner or Owners of such Distress And the said Collectors Constables or Tythingmen be lawfully enjoined to distribute the Money raised by the said Distress and Sale proportionally to the Parties who contributed to the Tax of the unoccupied Lands and Houses

Proviso always and be it enacted That where any Wood Lands shall be assessed and no Distress can be had that in such Case it shall and may be lawful to and for any Collector Constable Headborough or Tythingman by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of Two or more of the Commissioners of that Hundred or Division at any reasonable Times of the Year to cut and sell to any Person or Persons so much of the Wood growing in the Woodlands so assessed [Timber Trees excepted] as will pay the Assessment or Assessment; so beched and unpaid and the Charge incident thereto and that it shall and may be lawful for the Person or Persons and his and their assigns to whose such Wood shall be sold to fell cut down dispose and carry away the same to his own use [Use] rendering the Overplus if any be to the Owner Any Law to the contrary notwithstanding

Proviso always and be it further enacted That where any Tax or Assessment shall be charged or laid upon any Tythe Tolls Profits of Markets Fairs or Fishery or any other annual Profits not determinable at once the same shall not be paid within Six Days after such Assessment so charged or laid and demanded that it shall not may be lawful to and for the Collector Constable or other Officer thereto appointed by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the Commissioners authorized by this Act to seize take and sell so much of the said Tythe Tolls and other Profits so charged as shall be sufficient for the levying of the said Tax or Assessment and all Charges occasioned by such Non Payment thereof rendering the Overplus to the Owner [if any be]

Also for the better preventing such unjust Vexations as might be occasioned by such Persons as shall be appointed Receivers General of any the Sums of Money granted by this Act and to the better the said Receivers General may receive a true Account from His Majesty's Court of Exchequer of any Sums of Money so shall be received by them and every of them and every of their Deputies and Deputies be a further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any such Receiver General shall receive or receive into the said Court any Sum or Sums of Money to be in arrears and unpaid after the same have been received either by such Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies or any of them or shall cause any Person or Persons or Places to be assessed in the said Court for any Sum or Sums of Money that hath been so received that then every such Receiver General shall be liable to pay to every Person or Persons that shall be assessed vexed or damaged by reason of such unjust Certificate returned or sitting longer Treble the Damages that shall be thereby occasioned to be

XXXXIII.  
West Barnfield,  
where the same  
Lent or Lenton,  
Northmore, Com  
Down  
Chaffbury, the  
Lent  
Forest of Ghyse  
Calder and Ayre

XXXXIV.  
In Action for  
receiving Aid,  
General Issue  
pleaded.

XXV.  
Treble Costs

XXVI.  
Where Lands, for  
unoccupied, and no  
Distress found,  
Collectors may  
distrain afterwards.

XXVII.  
Distress not  
released in Four  
Days, to be sold,  
the

XXVIII.  
Wood may be cut  
down, and sold for  
Distress.

XXIX.  
[Timber Trees  
excepted.]

XXX.  
Proviso may cut  
and carry.

XXXI.  
Tythe, Tolls, for  
not paid within Six  
Days after Demand,  
they may be seized  
and sold.

XXXII.

Receivers General  
receiving Payment  
who have paid the  
Tax.

Penalty to Party

Proviso to the  
Majority.

recovered by Action of Debt RE Plein or Information in which an Enjoinder Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed or any more than one Insuperior and shall also forfeit to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors Double the Summ that shall be so justly certified or returned or caused to be set in error.

XLIV.  
Commissioners to  
visit each other.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners that shall be within any County City or Place within the respective Limits or the major Part of them shall tax and assess every other Commissioner joyntly with them for and in respect of their ready Money Debts and Personal Estate in shew for and in respect of the Office and Employment of Profit that shall (then) be held and enjoyed by such Commissioners so as the Residence and usual Dwelling Place of such Commissioners so to be taxed be within the Division of such Commissioners by whom he is taxed and so as the Office or Employment held or enjoyed by such Commissioners so to be taxed be likewise extended within the Divisions or Limits of such Commissioners by whom he is to be taxed And the Commissioners shall also assess every Assessor within their Division for all and singular the Matters and Things for which by this Act he ought to be rated and assessed and as well all Summes assessed upon every the said Commissioners and Assessors as the Assessments made and set by the Assessors aforesaid shall be within extended levied and gathered as the same should and ought to have been if such Commissioners had not been made Commissioners.

XLV.  
Those compelled to  
be Assessors, do  
not of their Limits

PROVIDED also That no Person inhabiting in any City Borough or Towne Corporate shall be compelled to be any Assessor or Collector of or for any Part of the Rates and Assessments hereby granted in any Place or Place out of the Limits of the said City Borough or Towne Corporate.

XLVI.  
Foreign Ministers'  
Houses paid by  
Landlords.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That every Rate Tax or Assessment which shall be made or imposed by virtue of this Act in respect of any House or Tenement which an Ambassador Resident Agent or other publick Minister of any Foreign Prince or State now doth or hereafter shall inhabit or occupy shall be paid by the Landlord or Owner of the said Houses or Tenements respectively.

XLVII.  
In Places extra-  
parochial, Com-  
missioners to  
assessors, Agents  
and Collectors, &c.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all parished and other Places being Extraparochial or not within the Parishes or Parsonages of the respective Assessors to be appointed by virtue of this Act (although in any monthly or other Tax they have not been rated heretofore) the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall and are hereby required to nominate and appoint Two fit Persons living in or near such parished or other Places as aforesaid to be Assessors for the said Places and to make and receive the said Assessments in like Manner as by this Act is appointed in any Parish Tything or Place and also to appoint Two or more Collectors who are hereby required to collect and pay the same in the Manner appointed by this Act for collecting and paying all Summes of Money chargeable by this Act.

XLVIII.  
No Commissioners  
to be liable in  
any Case of  
the said Act.

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Commissioner Assessor or Collector who shall be employed in the Execution of this Act shall be liable for or by reason of such Execution to any of the Penalties mentioned in an Act made in the Five and twentieth Year of the Reigne of King Charles the Second for preventing Damages which may happen from Popish Recusants or in any other Act made in the First Year of the Reigne of King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for shortening the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy and appointing other Oaths or in any other Act made in the Parliament holden in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Years of the Reigne of the late King William the Third intituled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors.

XLIX.  
Commissioners not  
to be liable  
without taking the Oath,  
&c.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That no Person shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or executing any of the Powers therein contained (unless he be the Person hereby given of administering Oaths) until such Time as he shall have taken the Oaths appointed by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reigne of King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for the shortening the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths and shew in the said Act intituled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors which Oaths it shall and may be lawful for any Two or more Commissioners (") [ & they are hereby required ] to administer the same to any other Commissioners.

L.  
Acting before Oath  
taken,  
Forfeits &c.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That if any Person hereby appointed a Commissioner shall pass over or act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act before he shall have taken the Oaths which by this Act he is required to take and in Manner hereby prescribed he shall forfeit to Her Majesty the Summ of Two hundred Pounds.

LI.  
Offences payable  
separately, &c.

PROVIDED also That every Person rated or assessed for his Office or Employment shall be rated and pay for his said Office or Employment in the County City or Place where the same shall be exercised although the Revenue or Profit arising by such Office or Employment are payable elsewhere.



**LXIII.**  
Papists 18 Years of  
Age, and taking  
the Oaths to give  
Double.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Papist or reputed Papist being of the Age of Eighteen Years and upwards who shall not have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by an Act made in the First Year of the Reigne of King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for the suppressing the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sum and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned and contained he or she should or ought to pay or be charged with to be assessed levied collected assessed and paid in such Manner by such Writs and Messors and according to such Rules and Directions and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are before in this Act expressed or appointed for and concerning the above mentioned Rates and Sums.

**LX.**  
where Oath taken  
within Ten Days  
after the First  
Meeting of the  
Commissioners

Provided nevertheless That if any such Papist or reputed Papist within Ten Days after the [first] Meeting of the said Commissioners in the respective Counties or Places where he or she ought to be taxed or assessed according to the intent of this present Act shall take the said Oaths before Two or more of the said Commissioners which Oaths the said Two or more Commissioners are empowered to administer in that Case he or she shall not be liable to be doubly assessed as aforesaid.

**LX.**  
Persons of Ten  
of Age taking  
the Oaths to give  
Double.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person being of the Age of Eighteen Years and upwards and being within this Reigne at the Time of the Execution of this Act who shall not before that Time have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by the said last mentioned Act and upon Summons by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of any Two or more of the said Commissioners shall refuse to take the said Oaths at the Time appointed in the said Warrant or shall neglect to appear at such Time before the Commissioners in order to take the said Oaths which the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered and required to administer shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sum and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned and contained he or she should or ought to pay or be charged with in Manner as is before [by] this present Act appointed touching Papists or reputed Papists.

**LXI.**  
Commissioners to  
receive reported  
Persons, &c.

And be it further enacted That any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed by this Act upon Informations given or upon any Cause of Suspicion in that Behalf shall and are hereby required and empowered to cause any Person suspected or against whom such Informations shall be given to be summoned to appear to take the said Oaths as aforesaid.

**LXII.**  
Quakers to sub-  
scribe the Declara-  
tion of Test.  
1 W. & M. c. 18.

Provided nevertheless That whereas certain Persons Dissent from the Church of England commonly called Quakers and now knowne to be such do scruple the taking of any Oaths it shall be sufficient for any such Person to make and subscribe the Declaration of Fidelity contained in an Act made in the Parliament hold in the First Year of the Reigne of Their said late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intituled An Act for exempting Their Majesties Protestants Subjects Dissenters from the Church of England from the Penalties of certain Laws which Declares any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed for executing this Act hereby empowered and required to administer and every such Person so doing shall not be liable or chargeable with any of the Double Rates aforesaid.

**LXIII.**  
Commissioners to  
charge double  
Assessments on  
Papists, who by  
Assessment come.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where any Assessment or Assessment by this Act are required to make double Assessments upon Papists or reputed Papists or other Persons for not taking the Oaths aforesaid shall neglect to do his or their Duty therein the respective Commissioners of the County Riding Hundred Division or Place where such double Assessments ought to have been made or any Two or more of them shall take Care and are hereby authorized and required to cause such Papist or other Person to be doubly charged according to the true intent and Meaning of this Act.

**LXIV.**  
Taxes of such  
Persons charged  
from Double Rates.

Provided always and be it enacted That where the Owners of any Lands Tenements and Hereditaments are liable to be doubly charged in Papers or reputed Papers by reason of their not having taken the Oaths according to the intent of this Act in every such Case such Owners duly shall be charged with and shall pay the said double Rates and the respective Taxes of such Lands Tenements and Hereditaments are hereby discharged of and from the same Any Covenant for Payment of Taxes or other Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding.

**LXV.**  
Queen's Bench,  
Marshalsea Prison,  
&c. to be annexed  
to St. George's  
Bench, &c.

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Prison of the Queen's Bench Prison House Lands Gardens and Common Side and all the Rents Officers Profits and Perquisites of the Marshall and all other Officers of the said Queen's Bench Prison and also the Prison House Lands and Gardens of the Prison of the Marshall and of the Marshalsea Prison and all Officers Perquisites and Profits of the Marshalsea Court and Prison lying and being in the Parish of St. George the Martyr in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey and Judges of the said Court and all Commissioners and Attorneys practising or having a Right to practice in the said Marshalsea Court and all Profits and Fees accruing to them or any of them respectively shall be charged and assessed to the Assessment in the Parish of St. George aforesaid and not elsewhere as and after the Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound Any thing to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.



Provided also That the Prison of the Fleet Prison House Lands Gardens and the Common Side and all the Tenements and Premises of the Office of the Wardens of the Fleet lying and being in the Parish of St. Dunstons this Side London shall be charged and assessed to the Assessment in the said Parish of St. Dunstons this Side London and not elsewhere Any thing in this Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Officers of Her Majesty's Dock Yard now at Stoke Newington near Plymouth shall be assessed upon this Act for the Salaries and other Profits of their Places within the Town and Parish of Plymouth where the Salaries of the Old Dock Yard at Plymouth in the Year One thousand six hundred twenty three were assessed and not elsewhere so as the full Proportion which was assessed upon the said Town and Parish of Plymouth in the said Year One thousand six hundred twenty three be again assessed thereon by virtue of this Act and so as the said Parish of Stoke Newington be not charged with a greater Proportion in respect of the said Salaries and Profits than they were in the said Year One thousand six hundred twenty three Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

Provided also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Water Works in the Borough of Southwark shall be rated and assessed towards the Stone by this Act granted by the Commissioners and Assessors of the County of Surrey and not by the Commissioners or Assessors of the City of London Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided also and be it enacted That the Water Works in the City or Liberty of Westminster shall be rated and assessed by the Commissioners or Assessors of the said City and Liberty of Westminster towards the said Stone by this Act granted and not by the Commissioners and Assessors of the City of London Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding And all Commissioners Collectors Head Collectors and Receivers are hereby required and enjoined to apply themselves with all Diligence to the most speedy and effectual Execution of their several and respective Duties and to use their utmost Endeavours that all Rates and other Things herein charged may fully and duly pay the Rates and Assessments according to the Direction of this Act and so as Her Majesty's Service herein may not be delayed or hindered through any of their wilful Neglect or Default

Provided That no poor Person shall be charged with or liable to the Pound Rate imposed by this Act upon Lamb Towns and Households whose Lands Tenements or Households are not of the full yearly Value of Twenty Shillings in the whole

And be it further enacted That if any Collector of any Parish or Place shall keep in his Hands any Part of the Money by him collected for any longer Time than is by this Act directed other than the Allowance made unto him by this Act or shall pay [any Part thereof to] any Person or Persons other than the Receiver General of such County or Place or his respective Deputy that every such Collector shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Forty Pounds And in case any Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the Money paid to him or them by any Collector by virtue of this Act to any Person or Persons whatsoever other than the Knight of Her Majesty's Exchequer and as or within the respective Times limited by this Act or in case such Receiver General or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the said Money by any Warrant of the Lord Treasurer Commissioners of the Treasury or Under-Treasurer for the Time being or upon any Talley of Pro or Talley of Redemption or other Way or Device whatsoever whereby to direct or hinder the actual Payment thereof into the Receipt of Exchequer as aforesaid that then such Receiver General shall for every such Offence of himself or [his] Deputy forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pounds to him or them that shall sue for the same in any Court of Record by Bill Plea or Information whereas no Banishment or Wager of Law is to be allowed

And it is hereby further enacted That the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury or Under-Treasurer for the Time being or any of them do not direct any Warrant to any of the Collectors or Receivers General or their Deputies for the Payment of any Part of the Money hereby given to any Person or Persons other than into the Receipt of Exchequer as aforesaid nor shall they nor any of them direct any Warrant to the Officers of the Exchequer for striking any Talley of Pro or Talley of Redemption nor do any other Matter or Thing whereby to direct the actual Payment of the said Money into the Receipt of Exchequer nor shall the Officers of the Exchequer strike or direct or record the striking of any Talley of Pro or Talley of Redemption upon any of the said Monies upon any Account or Warrant whatsoever nor shall any Teller thereon receive any Bill whereby to charge himself with any of the said Money until he shall actually have received the same

Provided also and be it enacted That no Stay of Prosecution upon any Criminal Warrant Motion or Order or Direction by Non vult aliquid prosequi shall be had made admitted received or allowed by any Court whatsoever in any Suit or Proceeding by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information or otherwise for the Recovery of all or any of the Fines Penalties or Forfeitures upon any Person by this Act inflicted or therein mentioned or for or in Order to the Conviction or Disability of any Person offending against this Act

LXVI.  
That Prisoners at St. Dunstons this Side London.

LXVII.  
Officers at Stoke Newington near Plymouth.

LXVIII.  
Waterworks in Southwark, in Surrey.

LXIX.  
Waterworks in Westminster (then rated).

LXX.  
Lands and tenements not for Assessment, not chargeable.

LXXI.  
Collectors keeping Money in their Hands.

Penalty upon Collectors General not paying, no Penalty upon Deputy.

LXXII.  
Treasury not to direct Payments into the Exchequer.

Officers of Exchequer not to strike, no Talley of Pro, &c.

LXXIII.  
No Stay of Prosecution by Action of Debt, Bill Plea, or Information, &c. in any Suit against the Act.

XXXIV.  
Commissioners to  
show where Lands  
are overcharged.

Provided always That if any Person or Persons who shall be charged or assessed by this Act as to or with a Pound Rate upon his or their Manors Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises shall upon Complaint made to the Commissioners in such Manner and within such Times as are herein directed in Case of Appeal make it appear to the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Proof upon Oath that such Assessment doth exceed the said Pound Rate that ought to be charged on him or them in such Case upon every such Proof and due Examination thereof the Commissioners of the Hundred Leth Wapentake or other Division where such Overcharge doth happen or any Three or more of them within Twenty Days after such Complaint made are hereby empowered to abate and lessen the said Assessments so much as the same shall exceed the said Pound Rate that ought to be charged on him or them and shall cause the Money so abated to be returned discharged and levied in such Manner as they or any Three or more of them in their Judgments and Discretions shall judge most equal just and reasonable within the whole Hundred Leth Wapentake or other Division where such Overcharge or Charges do happen altho the Pound Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound be thereby exceeded or if any particular Part or Parts of the same or any Person therein shall appear to them to be undercharged then the Money so abated shall and may be raised upon such particular Part or Person as undercharged so that the whole Sum payable to Her Majesty for such Hundred Leth Wapentake or other Division shall be fully and duly answered and paid without being diminished by reason of any such particular Abatement Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

and new rates, &c.

or case in the  
Persons undercharged.

XXXV.  
Receivers General  
accountable for  
Deposits.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Receiver General of each County shall nominate and appoint fit and proper Persons for whom he shall be answerable to be his Deputy or Deputies to receive from the said Subcollectors all and every the Rates Duties and Assessments by them respectively collected or received and the said Receivers General are hereby required to nominate and appoint so many of such Deputies in their respective Counties that no Subcollector may be forced to travel above the Space of Ten Miles from the usual Place of his Abode for the Payment of the said Monies that shall be by him collected or received and if any Receiver General shall neglect or refuse to nominate and appoint such Deputies in Manner aforesaid or shall wilfully neglect to attend by himself or Deputy at the Time and Place by him appointed for his respective Receipts such Receiver General shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds the one Moiety to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to him or them that shall sue for the same by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster in which Action or Suit no Escoigne Privilege or Wager of Law shall be allowed.

Subcollectors are to  
travel above Ten  
Miles, &c.  
Receivers not  
counting  
Deposits,  
Proviso &c. &c.

XXXVI.  
Commissioners for  
the County at large  
may act where no  
sufficient Number  
for particular Place.

Provided nevertheless That in case there shall not be a sufficient Number of Commissioners for any City Borough Towne Cinque Port or Place (but which by this Act Commissioners are particularly appointed) capable of acting according to the Qualifications required by this Act for putting this Act in Execution that in every such Case any the Commissioners appointed for the County at large within which such City Borough Towne Cinque Port or Place doth stand or which is next adjoining thereto may act as Commissioners in the Execution of this Act within such City Borough Towne Cinque Port or Place.

XXXVII.  
Members of  
Parliament to be  
taxed at their  
Manors Houses.

Also whereas several Members of Parliament by reason of their Attendance in Parliament have by the Assent of London Westminster and Middlesex and the Sheriffs of the same been taxed for their Personal Estates and to the Payment of the Poll Money and have been put to unreasonable Vexation and Charge by the Statutes enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Members of Parliament who at the Execution of this Act during this Session of Parliament shall abide within the said Cities of London and Westminster and the Suburbs of the same or within the County of Middlesex shall for or in respect of their Ready Money or Debt or any other Tax which may be laid on their Persons or Personall Estates during the Session of Parliament be assessed only in the Places where such Members have their Manors Houses or other Place where they most usually reside during the Interval of Parliament Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XXXVIII.  
First Meeting for  
West Riding, at  
Pawbarnes;  
North Riding,  
at Thirsk;  
East Riding,  
at Beverly.

Provided also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the West Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Towne of Pawbarnes and the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the North Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Towne of Thirsk and the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the East Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Towne of Beverly Any thing in this Act before mentioned or any former Statute to the contrary notwithstanding.

XXXIX.  
Auditor to keep  
a Register, &c.

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be provided and kept in Her Majesties Exchequer that it is in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts One Book or Register in which all the Money that shall be paid into the Exchequer for the Pound Rates and Duties hereby granted shall be entered and registered apart and distinct from all other Monies paid and payable to Her Majesty.

XL.  
The Commissioners  
capable to act in  
any County at

Provided also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person shall be capable of voting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or of any the Powers therein contained in or for any County at large within the said Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales (the Counties of Anglesea Newcastle Cardigan

**COMMISSIONERS** Montaguery Pembroke Cameroun and Montmouth assigned) or in or for any of the Ridings in the County of York unless such Person by himself or his Tenant or Trustees was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding for the Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more of his own Estate by virtue of the Act made and passed in the Fourth Year of Her Majesty's Reigne intitled an Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and six or unless such Person as appeared to be a Commissioner shall at the Time of the Execution of this Act be by himself or Tenant or Trustees liable to be taxed by virtue of this Act for an Estate in Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of the said Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more within the said County or Riding and which was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding by virtue of the Act last mentioned.

**PROVIDED** nevertheless and it is also hereby enacted That no Person who is appointed to be a Commissioner for executing this Act shall be disabled from acting as a Commissioner within and for any City Borough Cinque Port or Corporate Towne only whereof hee shall be an Inhabitant at the Time of the Execution of this Act nor from acting as a Commissioner within any of the Justs of Coast or Ports of Chancery And that no Attorney or Solicitor or Person practising as such or any Receiver General or Collector of any Aid granted to Her Majesty shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this present Act Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**And** it is hereby further enacted That if any Person intended by this Act to be disabled for any the Causes therein contained every such Person for such Offence shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons that will inform or sue for the same to be recovered in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record by Action of Debt or of the Case Bill Sub or Information wherein an Exceipe Protection Wager of Law or more than One Impetunere shall be allowed

**And** be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the respective Persons who have received or collected or shall receive or collect the party Profits of the Aidsage Duties and New Wares Weeks respectively within the City and County of Essex for the Time being shall be and are hereby charged and chargeable with the Payment of the Tax that shall be assessed on the said Profits respectively by this Act to be levied in such Manner as other Aids and Assessments in and by this Act are directed and the respective Persons so charged to allow and paying the same shall be allowed the same on their respective Accounts by their respective Employers or Proprietors for the Time being Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**PROVIDED** also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act or any thing herein contained shall not charge or be construed to charge His Royal Highness Prince George Hereditary of Denmark or His Trustees with the abovementioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of any Annuity or Assignies that are or shall be granted from the Crown to or in Trust for His said Royal Highness but that the said Annuities and His Royal Highness and His respective Trustees Trustees and Receivers General in respect of the same shall by virtue hereof be acquitted and discharged of fees and against the said several Duties for every Twenty Shillings by the Year and all Payments whatsoever which might be charged by this Act for or in respect of the said Annuities as if this Act had never been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**PROVIDED** also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act or any of the several Clauses therein contained shall not extend to charge the Persons of any superannuated Commission or Warrant Sea Officers or the Persons of Widows of Sea Officers slain in the Service of the Crown or the Revenue of the most Noble Order of the Garter or the Persons of the Poor Knights of Windsor payable out of the Exchequer only but the same shall not extend to lessen the Sum provided by this Act

**And** whereas the Rents and Revenue belonging to the Residentiaries of the Cathedral Churches are chargeable to the Land Tax granted by this present Act and in some Cases the Overplus of the said Rents and Revenue above such Tax Repay and other Charges is to go in Shares for the Maintenance of the said Residentiaries which Shares are diminished by the said Land Tax it is hereby provided and enacted That in such Cases the said Residentiaries shall not by this Act or any the Clauses therein contained be further chargeable or enjoying Office of Profit out of the said Rents and Revenue Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

**PROVIDED** That this Act or any of the several Clauses therein contained shall not extend to charge a certain Person of One hundred Pounds per Annum granted by the late King Charles the Second to the Poor Clergy of the Isle of Man

**PROVIDED** also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to lay any Charge or Duty upon the Pensioners or Salaries of Her Majesty's Maids of Honour Pages of Honour and Women of Her Majesty's Bed Chamber commonly called Dismas

here, unless used as aforesaid per Annum, &c. (Anthon, Montmouth, the assigned)

XXXXI.  
Commissioners may act for any City, being Inhabitant, or Town of County, &c.  
Attorneys, for not to be Commissioners

XXXXII.  
Persons disabled from acting, Penalty of 50<sup>l</sup>.

XXXXIII.  
Collectors of the Aidsage Duties, to be chargeable.

Proprietors to allow on their Accounts.

XXXXIV.  
Persons for Accounts to Prosecute.

XXXXV.  
Persons for Superannuated Sea Officers.  
Poor Knights of Windsor, &c.

XXXXVI.  
and for Residentiaries of Cathedral.

XXXXVII.  
and for Maids of Honour, per Annum, to poor Clergy of Isle of Man.

XXXXVIII.  
and for Pages of Honour, &c.

XXIX.  
Majors, Bailiffs,  
&c. to act in Case  
anywhere specially  
appointed.

And whereas some Doubts may arise whether Majors Bailiffs and other Chief Magistrates of Cities Boroughs Towns Corporate and Cinque Ports for which Commissioners are specially appointed by virtue of this Act can act as Commissioners for executing this Act in the said Cities Boroughs Towns Corporate and Cinque Ports be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Majors Bailiffs and other Chief Magistrates who are appointed Commissioners for executing this Act shall be and have Power to act as Commissioners for executing this Act within and for any City Borough Towns Corporate or Cinque-Port wherein they inhabit at the Time of executing this Act as well where Commissioners are specially appointed by this Act as where they are not.

XC.  
Officers, &c. to be  
Wharfedale and  
St. James's to be  
their several.

Provided always That all Officers and Places which were rated and assessed within the Palaces of Whitehall and St. James's in or for the Years One thousand seven hundred and three and One thousand seven hundred and four or either of them (except such as are exempted by this Act) shall be rated and assessed within the said Palaces and in no other Place whatsoever.

XCI.  
Commissioners  
refusing, liable  
to Penalties.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That in case there hath been or shall be any Failure of rating and paying the several Sums of Money charged upon any County City Riding or Place by due or any other former Acts for granting an Aid to His late Majesty King William or Her present Majesty by a Land Tax the Receiver General of such County City Riding Division or Place respectively of such Tax or Assessment or the Receiver General to be appointed in pursuance of this Act of the same County Riding Division City or Place shall forfeit under his Hand to the Sheriff of the County of Exchange the particular County Division Riding City or Place where such Failure of Payment hath happened together with the Names of the Commissioners appointed to act in such County Division [Riding] City or Place [where such Failure of Payment hath happened together with the Names of the Commissioners appointed to act in such County Division City or Place] which Commissioners and so other Persons as Commissioners appointed by the said Acts shall be liable to Process for such Neglect in rating and paying the same according to the Directions of the said Acts.

XCI.  
Commissioners to  
act in Lincoln  
County.

Provided always That the Commissioners appointed for the County of the City of Lincoln may act as Commissioners in Execution of this Act or any Powers therein contained within the Bail and Close of Lincoln Any thing in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

XCI.  
and in St. Martin  
Parish, Devon.

Provided always That the Commissioners appointed for the County of Lincoln may act as Commissioners in Execution of this Act or any Powers therein contained within the Parish of Saint Martin Stamford Baron in the County of Northampton as usually Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XCI.  
Collection of the  
Aid for the  
Water Works, &c.  
at Colchester  
chargeable.

And be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the respective Persons who have received or collected or shall receive or collect the yearly Profits of the Ashgate Dunes and Water Works respectively within the Towns of Colchester in the County of Essex for the Time being in case the said Dunes of Ashgate are there charged to the Land Tax in the Year One thousand six hundred ninety three shall and are hereby charged and chargeable with the Payment of the Tax that shall be assessed on the said Profits respectively by this Act to be levied in such Manner as other Aids and Assessments in and by this Act are directed and the respective Persons so charged as aforesaid and paying the same shall be allowed the same on their respective Accounts by their respective Employers as Proprietors for the Time being Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XCI.  
and of Water  
Works of New  
Winster charge-  
able.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Person or Persons as collect and receive the yearly Profits of the Water Works within the Borough of New Winster in the County of Berks shall be and are hereby charged and chargeable with the Payment of the Tax that shall be assessed on the said Profits to be levied in such Manner as other Aids and Assessments in and by this Act are directed and appointed.

XCI.  
Parishes over-rated,  
&c.  
by reason of  
Double Assess-  
ments, &c.

And whereas divers Parishes Townships or Places may be over-burdened or charged with more than Four Shillings in the Pound by this Act granted reckoning by the Rack Rent and ancient imposed Value of the Estates in such Parishes Townships or Places by reason that several Land Tenements and Hereditaments in such Parishes Townships and Places had before this Time paid Double Assessments as being the Estates of Pagans and other Persons who refused or neglected to take the Oaths by Law required but do belong or are now come to Protestants or such as have taken the said Oaths be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where the Land Tenements Rents or Hereditaments of a whole Parish Town or Place which shall have a Propriety to raise in pursuance of this Act shall be charged with more than Four Shillings in the Pound upon the rack Value reckoning by the Rack Rent and highest Improvements made of such Land Tenements and Hereditaments towards the Rates by this Act granted because the Estates of Pagans and other Persons formerly double taxed as aforesaid by their taking the said Oaths or the Estates being come to Protestants by Purchase bona fide or the Death of such Pagans or other Persons formerly doubly taxed as aforesaid are or may be liable only to a single Assessment in all and every such Case and Case it shall and may be lawful to and for the Commissioners appointed for the Execution of this Act in and for the Hundred Luth Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division in which such Parish Town or Place doth lie or any Two or more of them and in like Manner to and for the Commissioners of any City Borough Port or Town for which Commissioners are by this Act appointed or

any Two or more of them upon Complaint, docketed in them made for and on the Behalf of the Owners or Occupiers of the Lands Tenements Rents and Hereditaments in any such City Borough Port Parish Town or Place respectively to examine into the Matter of such Complaint and if they are satisfied in the Truth thereof the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered and required in any Time before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and seven and not afterwards to certify to the Barons of Her Majesties Court of Exchequer for the Time being the Names of the Persons formerly doubly taxed as aforesaid which have since taken the [said] Oaths or oaths as aforesaid and how much their Double Tax did amount to and how much the Same charged by virtue of this Act upon the Lands Tenements Rents or Hereditaments in any such City Borough Port Parish Town or Place by the Occasion of their Lands being now liable to a single Assessment easily as aforesaid hath exceed Four Shillings as the Pound of the full and true just Value thereof and the said Barons of the Exchequer or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to inquire and inform themselves by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses at the least concerning the Truth of such Certificates and in all Cases where they shall be satisfied therein the said Barons or any Two or more of them have hereby Power by their Discretion at any Time before the last Day of Michaelmas Term One thousand seven hundred and seven to discharge and cause to be discharged the Overplus or so much of the Summ by this Act charged or chargeable upon such City Borough Town Parish or Place towards the said Sum by this Act granted as shall by the Occasions aforesaid exceed the said Rate of Four Shillings as the Pound and the said Overplus shall or may be discharged upon the Duplicate to be returned for such City Borough Town Port Parish or Place respectively and shall be allowed upon the Account of the respective Receiver General and the Inhabitants of every such City Borough Town Port Parish or Place shall be acquitted against Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and touching the Payment of any such Overplus Money so discharged as ordered to be discharged by the Barons of the Exchequer or any Two or more of them as aforesaid Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding and that such Parish Town Port or Place so discharged by the said Barons and no others shall have the Benefit of the Same discharged by this Act and no Officer or any Deputy or Clerks whatsoever shall take any Fee Reward or Gratuity for or upon Account of such Discharge]

Commissioners upon Complaint, but may certify any the Money, and certify to the Barons of the Exchequer, &c.

The Barons to inquire themselves, &c.

and discharge the Overplus

No Fee for such Discharge.

[AND be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Fee Farm Rents for which a Deduction or Allowance after the Rate of Four Shillings as the Pound is intended to be made by this present Act are such Fee Farm Rents only as are answerable to Her Majesty as have been purchased from the Crown by virtue of Two Acts of Parliament made in the Two and twentieth and Three and Twentieth Years of the Reigne of the late King Charles the Second for or concerning the Sale of Fee Farm Rents or one of them or otherwise and the Owners and Receivers of such Fee Farm Rents shall and are hereby required on Payment of such Rents to allow Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the said Rents and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Sum to the Pacht or Pachtens paying the same Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding]

XXVII  
What Fee Farm Rents, &c. entitled to Allowance

PROVIDED also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigner Bodies Politick or Corporate to advance and lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer upon the Credit of the said several Rents Assessments and Sums of Money by this Act granted as aforesaid any Sum which shall not exceed in the whole the Sum of One million eight hundred and fifty thousand Pounds and to have and receive for the Performance thereof Interest after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum and moreover that no Money to be lent upon the Security of this Act shall be raised or received by virtue of this Act or any other Act of Parliament whatsoever

XXVIII  
Credit of Loans at 5% per Ann.

Money lent not to be raised

AND it is hereby further enacted That all and every Person or Persons who shall lend any Money upon the Credit of this Act and pay the same into the said Receipt of Exchequer shall immediately have a Talley of Loans struck for the same and an Order for his her or their Repayment bearing the same Date with his her or their Talley in or upon which Order shall be also contained a Warrant for Payment of Interest for the Performance thereof at the Rate aforesaid to be paid every Three Months until the Repayment of the Principal and that all such Orders for Repayment of Money to be lent shall be registered in course according to the Date respectively without other Preference of one before another and that all and every Person and Persons shall be paid in course according to their Orders shall stand registered in the said Register Books so as the said Person Native or Foreigner his Executors Administrators or Assigns who shall have his Order or Orders first entered in the [said] respective Books of Register shall be taken and accounted the First Person to be paid out of the Monies to come in by virtue of this Act and he or they who shall have his or their Order or Orders next entered shall be taken and accounted to be the Second Person to be paid and so successively and in course

XXIX  
Tallies of Loans struck, &c.

Orders registered and paid in course.

AND that the Monies to come in by this Act of or for the said several Rents and Assessments as aforesaid shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the Monies to be lent as aforesaid to the respective Parties their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns respectively without and Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or disburse to any other Use Intent or Purpose whatsoever

C  
Monies by this Act to satisfy the Loans, &c.

AND that no Fee Reward or Gratuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesties Subjects for providing or [or] making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of

CL  
Taking Fee for registering.

\* inserted on the Roll.

\* inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

† CL. 1000.

Penalty.

Money lost or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Payment of Payment of Treble Damages as the Party offending with Treble Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to loose his Place also

CII.  
Under Preference,  
Priority, and Loss  
of Officers  
by Deputy,  
the like

AND if any under Preference of one before another shall be made either in Point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party aggrieved and shall be sequestrated of his Place or Office And if such Preference be unduly made by any his Deputy or Clerks without Direction or Priority of his Master then such Deputy or Clerks unduly shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever incapable of his Place or Office

CIII.  
Persons to be paid  
according to Place  
and Order.

Also in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct the Order or the Clerk of the Pells accord to the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as before directed then he or they shall be adjudged to suffer and the respective Deputies and Clerks herein offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs (\*) to be recovered by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record a Writ wherein no Enlargement Protection Privilege Wager of Law Injunction or Order of Retraint shall be in any way granted or allowed

CIV.  
If Teller bear  
Date the same  
Day, on under  
Preference.

PROVIDED always and be it hereby declared That if it happen that several Tellers of Loans or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted no under Preference which of those be entered first so as he come then all the same Day

CV.  
Nor if subsequent  
Orders be paid  
before such as were  
not demanded in  
course.

PROVIDED also That it shall not be interpreted any under Preference to incur any Penalty in Point of Payment the Auditor direct and the Clerks of the Pells record and the Tellers do pay subsequent Orders to Persons the come and demand their Monies and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take the Monies and bring their Orders in their Course so as there be so much Money reserved as will satisfy previous Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for their Interest upon Loans being to come from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them

CVI.  
Orders be Payment  
assigned.

AND be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans to be regulated by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Registry as aforesaid his Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Writs of Assignment to be ordered and written upon his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other who being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Books of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall settle such Assigns his Executors Administrators and Assigns to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereof and such Assigns may in like Manner assign again and so Indies quotes and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignments to make void release and discharging the same or any the Monies thereby due or any Part thereof

CVII.  
Officers of the  
Queen's Bench Prison  
to Arrest, to  
pay wherever they  
find, &c.

AND whereas some of the Officers belonging to the Queens Bench Prison in the Parish of St George the Martyr in Southwark in the County of Surrey are considerably in Arrears in their Taxes assessed upon them in several Years last past which they refuse to pay and having no Residence within the said County no Provision hath been made for Recovery of the said Arrears For Remedy whereof be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Officer or Officers belonging to the said Prison shall neglect or refuse to pay the said Arrears or any Sum or Sums of Money which shall be rated and assessed upon them or any of them by virtue of this Act any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed by this Act for the said County of Surrey shall and may certify (by Writing under their Hands and Seals) such Neglect or Refusal and the Sum payable for such Arrears and by virtue of this Act to the Commissioners for executing this Act in the County or Place where such Officer or Officers reside and any Two or more of such Commissioners are hereby authorized and required upon Receipt of such Certificate by Warrant under their Hands and Seals to subpoena and imprison the respective Collectors for the Parish or Place where such Officer or Officers reside to deliver the Goods and Channells of such Officer or Officers and the Debtors or Debtresses so made to deliver and keep by the Space of Four Days and if such Officer or Officers do not pay the said Arrears Sum or Sums of Money for which Debtors shall be made as aforesaid within the Space of Four Days then the said Goods and Channells so distrained as aforesaid shall and may be appraised and sold by Two such Justices and sufficient Persons as the said Commissioners who shall sign the said Warrant shall nominate and appoint and the Monies arising thereby shall be paid to the Collectors of the said Parish of St George for and towards Satisfaction of the said Arrears Sum or Sums of Money and the Surplus if any be shall be returned to the Owner of the said Goods after the Charge of the said Debtors and this shall be deducted but in case no Goods or Channells of any such Officer or Officers shall be found sufficient to make good the Sum or Sums of Money so assessed or to be assessed upon him or them as aforesaid then it shall and may be lawful for any Two or more of the said Commissioners by Warrant under their Hands and Seals to the respective Collectors or such other Person or Persons as they shall think fit

Debtors.

If no Distress.

Imprisonment

\* in such Manner as aforesaid all which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs &c.

so that the Person or Persons of such respective Offices or Officers of the said Prizes neglecting or refusing so far as should be apprehended and taken wherever he or they [can or may be found] to be confined to the closest Gaol where he or they [ ] shall happen to be taken there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until Payment shall be made as aforesaid of the Arrear Sum [and] Sums of Money so charged and assessed upon them as aforesaid with the Charges of such Prosecution as aforesaid to be allowed by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reigne intitled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Years One thousand seven hundred and five the Barons of Her Majesty's Exchequer or any Two or more of them were empowered to discharge the Overplus or so much of the Same by the said Act charged or chargeable upon any City Borough Town Parish or Place as should exceed the Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound by Occasion of double Assessments therein mentioned in pursuance of which Act divers Cities Boroughs Towns Parishes and Places have been discharged by the said Barons of Part of the Sums charged thereon respectively it is hereby declared That the Sums so discharged were and are placed out of the Sums laid on such respective City Borough Towns Parish or Place only and shall not be continued or taken to lessen share or discharge any of the Sums or Proportions to be raised in any City Borough Towns Parish or Place not discharged by virtue of the said recited Act.

And whereas several Commissioners appointed to put in Execution in the County of Essex several Acts of Parliament [ ] for granting Aids or Taxes on Land since the Year One thousand six hundred ninety three have for many Years past caused several Lands and Tenements belonging to the Hospital of King James founded in Chancery Town commonly called Suttons Hospital to be assessed towards such Aids and Taxes apprehending the same had been chargeable within the said respective Acts which Mises are assessed were many Years ago collected and paid on the Receipt of the Exchequer at Westminster but now Actions are prosecuted and many others threatened against some of the Commissioners and others concerned in the making issuing levying or collecting the Rates and Assessments long since made on the said Lands and Tenements wherefore to prevent all such Actions in this Case to be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Commissioner or Commissioners Assessor or Collector concerned in the making issuing levying or collecting any such Rates or Assessments shall be charged or chargeable in any Suit or Suits Actions or Actions not yet brought to Trial for or by Reason of his or their raising issuing levying or collecting or levying any Rates or Assessments heretofore made upon any Lands or Tenements belonging to the said Hospital within the said County of Essex where the Mises so rated assessed collected or levied have been actually paid into the said Receipt of Exchequer.

CIVIL.  
Enact of Stat.  
2 & 4 Ann. c. 1.

Down Place dis-  
charged, &c. and  
placed out of the  
Sums laid on each  
respective Place  
only, &c.

CIVIL.

Commissioners,  
&c. who raised  
Sutton's Hospital,  
&c. not chargeable  
with any Suits, &c.  
[not yet brought  
to Trial].

#### CHAPTER II. [ ]

An Act for continuing the Duties on Low Wines and Spirits of the First Extraction and the Duties payable by Hawkers Pedlars and Petty Chapmen and Part of the Duties on Stamp Vellum Parchment and Paper and the late Duties on Sweets and the One third Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and for settling and establishing a Fund thereby and by the Application of certain Overplus Mises and otherwise for Payment of Annuities to be sold for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven and other Uses therein expressed.

See Part.  
5 Ann. p. 1. & c.

Most Gracious Sovereigns,

WE Your Majesty most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled considering the great Charges necessary for carrying on the War and how far Your Majesty's Subjects are at present burthened with Taxes already laid for that Purpose and being therefore willing by such easy and effectual Ways and Means as in this Act are expressed and intended to raise a Summe of Money not exceeding One million and one hundred and twenty thousand Pounds Part of the Money necessary to be provided in this Session of Parliament for Your Majesty's Supply and a further Sum not exceeding Thirty five thousand Pounds to be applied in such Manner as is herein after mentioned towards making good the Payment of the Annuities to be purchased upon this Act here for that End and Purpose cheerfully and unanimously given and granted and do by this Act give and grant unto Your Majesty the Rates and Duties upon Low Wines and Spirits of the First Extraction and the Duties to be paid by Hawkers Pedlars and Petty Chapmen and the Rates and Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper and the Duties upon Sweets and the additional Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties hereafter in this Act expressed or referred unto for and during each Term and Term of Years respectively as are in this Act mentioned in that Behalf and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty to accept thereof and that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every such or the like Duties for and upon all Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction as by the Act of Parliament made and passed in the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reigne intitled An Act for continuing Duties upon Low Wines and upon Coffee Tea Chocolate Spices and

2,120,000 and  
11,000 to be  
raised

Duties on Low  
Wines, Beeswax,  
Vellum, &c.  
granted.

as mentioned by  
Stat. 3 & 4 Ann.  
c. 1. & c.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill. <sup>2</sup> or 0. <sup>3</sup> made 0. <sup>4</sup> This is Chapter XIX. § 10 of Act, in the Commons printed Edition.

Petries and upon Hawkers Pedlars and Petty Chapmen and upon Maifens and for granting New Duties upon several of the said Commodities and also upon Cellars, Casks Ware and Drags were continued or granted unto the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heires and Successors for and upon all Low Wines and Spices of the West-Indies to be made or drawn by any Distiller or other Person making or drawing Spirits or Strong Waters for Sale or Exportation within the Kingdom of England Dominions of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed from the Three and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten for the Term of Ninety six Years from thence next and immediately ensuing for the Uses and Purposes in this Act expressed.

1. unless continued for 96 Years.

II.  
Hawkers Duty of  
Six. p. 4 s. 10. III.  
s. 10. and s. 11.

is continued by  
Stat. 1 & 2 Ann.  
c. 11.  
Further continued  
for 96 Years.

Three hundred is by  
Stat. 1 & 2 Ann.  
c. 11. and is to be for  
the Uses of the  
Act.

III.  
Petries Petries  
several and  
continued during  
this Act.

IV.  
Stamp Duty of  
Six. p. 4 s. 10. III.  
s. 11.

is continued by  
Stat. 1 & 2 Ann.  
c. 11. and s. 11.  
s. 11.

Further continued  
for 96 Years.

Letter Petries  
several and  
continued.

V.  
Further Petries  
several and  
continued.

And that all and every such and the like several Duties Impositions and Sums of Money to be paid by every Hawker Pedlar Petty Chapman and such other Persons as are described in one Act of the Ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory for licensing Hawkers and Pedlars and all the Powers for granting Licences and other Powers and all Chances Directions Penalties Forfeitures Articles Matters and Things therein contained relating to the said Duties payable by Hawkers Pedlars Petty Chapmen and other Persons described in the said Act which by the said Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign hath continued until the said Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten shall be further continued and be paid and payable and be practised observed and put in Execution by virtue of this Act from the Three and twentieth Day of June [which shall be in the Year of our Lord] One thousand seven hundred and ten for the like Term of Ninety six Years from thence next and immediately ensuing the said several Duties Impositions and Sums of Money for and upon all Low Wines or Spices of the West-Indies and upon all Hawkers Pedlars Petty Chapmen and all other Persons described as aforesaid to be paid during the said respective Terms of Ninety six Years and to be accounted secured raised received and ascertained for the Uses and Purposes in this Act expressed by such Rates Ways Means and Methods and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Distribution of the said Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Power of Mitigation and subject to such Drawbacks Allowances and Repayments and in such Manner and Form as in all Respects as to the like Duties Impositions and Sums of Money respectively granted or continued by the said Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign are thereby or by any other Act of Parliament whereunto the said Act hath reference or by any other Law now in force prescribed enacted or appointed to be ascertained secured raised received and ascertained paid and ascertained for during the Continuance thereof respectively.

And it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such of the Powers Directions Penalties and Forfeitures Chances Matters and Things provided settled or established by the said Acts or any of them or by any other Act now in Force whereunto the same or any of them have or hath relation for the better raising levying recovering assessing or paying the said respective Duties upon Low Wines and Spices of the West-Indies as upon Hawkers Pedlars Petty Chapmen and other Persons described as aforesaid thereby granted or for making or Drawbacks Repayments or Allowances out of any of the said several and respective Duties upon Exportation shall be revived and be continued and be in force and virtue during the Continuance of this Act and further to the Recovery of all the Arrears and Sums of Money which shall become due or payable to Her Majesty Her Heires and Successors upon this Act in as full and ample Manner to all Intents and Purposes as if the said Powers Directions Penalties Forfeitures Chances Matters and Things and every of them were again repeated and renewed in the Body of this present Act.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such of the Rates and Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper as were granted to Their said late Majesties King William and Queen Mary by an Act made in the Parliament holden at Westminster in the Fifth and Sixth Years of Their Regnes intitled An Act for granting to Their Majesties several Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper for Four Years towards carrying on the War against France and which by an Act of Parliament made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of the said late Majesty King William were continued until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and which by an Act of the First Year of Her now Majesties Regns intitled An Act for raising good Defences and preserving the Publick Credit were continued from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and six to the First Day of August which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and be due and payable to Her Majesty Her Heires and Successors from the last Day of July which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten for the Term of Ninety six Years from thence next and immediately ensuing for the Uses and Purposes in this Act expressed and that the said Act for granting the said Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper and all Powers Penalties Penalties and Forfeitures Articles and Chances therein or in any other Act or Acts of Parliament now in force concerning the said Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper shall continue and be in full force and effect and shall be applied practised and put in Execution for the raising levying collecting assessing and paying the said Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper hereby continued during the said Term of Ninety six Years and all Arrears thereof according to the Tenor and Intent of this Act.

Provided always and it is hereby further enacted That in all Cases where any further or other Provisions or Alterations is made by any other Act or Acts of Parliament now in being in relation to the said Duties upon



Low Wines and Spirits of the First Extraction and the said Duties payable by Hawkers Pedlars and Petty Chapmen and others and the said Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper or any of them such other Provisions or Alterations shall be observed and complied with during the Continuance of the respective Terms hereby granted in the same Duties respectively Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

to be observed in  
respect of the  
said Duties

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be raised levied collected and paid to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors (for the Purposes in this Act expressed) for every Barrel of Sweets made which shall be for Sale from and after the Fourth and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six within or during the Space of Ninety nine Years from thence next and immediately ceasing the Gain of Thirty and six Shillings the same Duty to be paid by the Maker and Makers of the said Sweets and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Quantity

VI.  
Duty on Sweets  
9s. per Barrel,  
for 99 Years.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Powers Authorities Directions Rules Methods Penalties Forfeitures Classes Matters and Things which in and by an Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intituled An Act for raising away the Court of Wards and Liveries and Tenants in Capite and by Knights Service and Purveyance and for settling a Revenue upon His Majesty in Fee thereof or by any other Law now in force relating to the Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors and which in and by another Act made in the Tenth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third (of glorious Memory) intituled An Act for laying farther Duties upon Sweets and for increasing the Duties as well upon Vinegar as upon certain Low Wines and White Fine and the Duties upon Brandy imported and for the more easy raising the Duties upon Leather and for charging Cylinders and for permitting the Importation of Pearl Ashes and for preventing Abuses in Brewing Beer and Ale and Frauds in the Importation of Tobacco or by any other Law then in force relating to the Duties on Sweets granted by the last mentioned Act are provided suited or established for raising levying collecting recovering adjudging or accumulating the Duties thereby granted or any of them shall be assumed practiced applied and levied recovered and put in Execution for the raising levying collecting assessing and paying the Duties on Sweets hereby granted during the Continuance of the same as fully and effectually as in all Intents and Purposes as if all and every the said Powers Authorities Rules Directions Methods Penalties Forfeitures Classes Matters and Things were particularly expressed and again enacted in the Body of this present Act

VII.  
Power, Act, of  
Box 12 & 13 C. II.  
c. 14.

and Stat. 12 W III.  
c. 10.

and of former Acts  
in force for collect-  
ing Duties on  
Sweets to be in  
force

And for the better and more sure Payment of all the Annuities to be purchased on this Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies arising from time to time by or for the said Duties upon Low Wines and Spirits of the First Extraction and by or for the said Duties payable by Hawkers Pedlars Petty Chapmen and others as aforesaid and by or for the said several Rates and Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper and by and for the said Duties upon Sweets respectively by this Act granted and continued and every of them (the necessary Charges of raising levying collecting assessing paying and accounting for the said several Rates and other Duties only excepted) shall from time to time from and after the respective Commencements thereof for and during the said several Terms of Years therein granted or intended to be granted by this Act be brought and paid by the respective Receivers General or such Persons as for the Time being shall have the Receipt thereof as the same shall be rated (who are hereby required and enjoined to bring and pay the same accordingly) into the Receipt of the Exchequer for the Purposes in this Act expressed distinctly and separately from all other Monies whatsoever that are or shall be payable by them into the said Receipt

VIII.

Receivers General  
to pay into the  
Exchequer

And that from and immediately after the Time that all the Principal and Interest Monies which by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign are charged upon the aforesaid Rates and Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper thereby granted shall be satisfied and paid off or that Money shall be received in the Exchequer sufficient for that Purpose then the aforesaid Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper to arise by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign for the Remainder of the Term thereby granted and therein then to come and unexpired (except the necessary Charges of raising levying collecting and accounting for the same) shall in like Manner from time to time be brought and paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer for the Purposes in this Act expressed distinctly and apart as aforesaid and the respective Commissioners and Receivers General of the said several [Rates and] Duties hereby required to be paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer as aforesaid shall make or cause to be made Payments thereof into the said Receipt of the Exchequer according to the true Meaning of this Act weekly to wit on Wednesday in every Week if it be not a Holyday and if it be then on the next Day after that is not a Holyday.

IX.  
After Loans charged  
on Stamp Duties of  
Great Britain, &c.  
paid off, the said  
Duties to cease

Concomitantly to  
pay into the Exch-  
quer weekly

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the additional Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties which in and by the Act of the Fourth Year of Her Majesties Reign intituled An Act for continuing an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and certain Duties upon Coin Gold and Cylinders and additional Duties of Excise and for settling and establishing a Fund thereby and by other Ways and Means for Payment of Annuities to be sold for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and six and other Uses therein mentioned were granted and continued to be paid and upon [all] Wines which from and after the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six during the Term of Ninety eight Years from thence next making should be imported or brought into the Kingdom of England

X.  
Additional Tonnage  
and Poundage  
of Great Britain,  
&c.

Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed and for and upon all Manner of Goods and Merchandises which from and after the said Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six during the said Term of Ninety eight Years should be imported or brought into this Realm or any of Her Majesty's Dominions to the same belonging by way of Merchandises (except as therein is excepted) shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and be due and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors from the Expiration of the said several Terms of Ninety eight Years for the Term of One whole Year from thence next and immediately ensuing for the Uses and Purposes in this Act expressed which additional Subsidies and Duties so continued for One Year and all Arrears thereof shall be raised levied and paid by the same Rules and with such Drawbacks and Allowances and subject to such Penalties and Forfeitures and in such Manner and Form as by the said Act of the Fourth Year of Her said Majesty's Reign are prescribed and enacted in relation to the like Subsidies or Duties thereby granted.

Further continued  
for One Year.

XI.  
Reasons for passing  
this Enactment

And whereas the said additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage (which is commonly called the One Third Subsidy) and other Duties upon Wines Goods and Merchandises granted by the said Act of the Fourth Year of Her Majesty's Reign for the Term of Ninety eight Years as aforesaid and the Duties upon Cords Cables and Cypresses by the same Act granted or continued from the Fourteenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and eight until the Thirtieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and ten and the particular Rates and Duties of Excise by the same Act granted for the Term of Ninety five Years from the Seventeenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and thirteen and all the Monies to arise by virtue of an Act of the Fifth Year of Their said late Majesty's Reign or for the Duties of Excise thereby granted after paying off or reserving sufficient to pay off the Lottery Annuities therein mentioned together with other Monies mentioned in the said Act of the Fourth Year of Her Majesty's Reign are thereby made liable to the Payment of certain Annuities purchased thereupon not exceeding One hundred eighty four thousand two hundred forty two Pounds and Fourteen Shillings per Annum in the Receipt of the Exchequer which Subsidies Rates Duties and other Funds or Portions charged by the said Act with the Annuities last mentioned will by Estimation produce annually a considerable Sum more than will be sufficient to discharge all the said Annuities and the necessary Charges of paying and accounting for the same and the Overplus Monies thereby arising do belong to Her Majesty for the publick Use and Service but it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Lord High Treasurer of England or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall from time to time during the Continuance of the said Subsidies Rates Duties and other Funds sealed by the said Act of the Fourth Year of Her Majesty's Reign as aforesaid and every or any of them cause all the said Overplus Monies of the same Subsidies Rates Duties and other Funds contained in the Act last mentioned to be justly and duly computed at the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary in every Year or within Six Days after the First Computation thereof to be made at the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary One thousand seven hundred and eight or within Six Days after and after paying or reserving sufficient to pay so much as shall be incurred or grow due upon the said Annuities by virtue of the said Act of the Fourth Year of Her Majesty's Reign as or before every such Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary respectively the same Overplus Monies (except the necessary Charges of paying and accounting for the said Annuities purchased on the said Act of the Fourth Year of Her Majesty's Reign) or so much of the Overplus last mentioned as shall be sufficient for this Purpose shall be applied for and towards the making good paying and satisfying the quarterly Payments of all and every or any the Annuities to be purchased by virtue of this Act during the whole Term of Ninety nine Years by the Act intended to be granted of and in such Annuities respectively.

XII.  
Monies reserved for  
quarterly  
Payments

And for the better securing the quarterly Payments which shall grow due on or before Michaelmas One thousand seven hundred and ten upon the Annuities to be purchased in pursuance of this Act be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Sum not exceeding Thirty five thousand Pounds Part of the Contribution Monies to be raised by Sale of Annuities upon this Act or so much thereof as shall be sufficient in the Behalf shall and may be reserved and applied for and towards the discharging the quarterly Payments last mentioned.

XIII.  
Reasons that sundry  
Annuities have been  
purchased and  
charged upon  
Duties of

And whereas by and in pursuance of several former Acts of Parliament sundry other Annuities payable at the Receipt of Exchequer have been purchased and are charged upon the several other Branches of the publick Revenue or [Funds] herein after particularly expressed which Revenues or Funds do also annually produce more [than] sufficient to discharge the said Annuities charged thereupon respectively and the necessary Charges of paying and accounting for the same and the Overplus Monies thereby arising do belong to Her Majesty for the publick Use and Service that it is so say the Rates and Duties of Excise which were granted to Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary by an Act of the Fourth Year of Their Reign for the Term of Ninety nine Years therein mentioned and are liable to the Payment of several Annuities with Benefit of Survivorship and other Annuities the Overplus of which Rates and Duties hath been and it is to be computed on the First and twentieth Day of June yearly the Rates and Duties of Excise which were granted to Their said late Majesty's Their Heirs and Successors for ever by an Act of the Fifth Year of Their Majesty's Reign the Overplus whereof hath been and it is to be computed as followeth that is to say so to Five Seventh Parts thereof (being appropriated to make good the [Fund] of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England) the same have been and are to be computed on the First Day of June yearly and as to the other Two Seventh Parts thereof being for Payment of

Stat. 4 W. & M.  
c. 3

Stat. 5 W. & M. c. 1

several other Assemblies the same have been and are to be computed on the Five and twentieth Day of March yearly the Rates and Duties of Excise which were granted to Their said late Majesties by another Act of the Fifth Year of Their Reign for the Term of Sixteen Years for Payment of the Lottery Annuities therein mentioned the Overplus whereof when the same shall arise is to be computed on the Five and twentieth Day of March yearly And the particular Rates and Duties upon Salt and the particular Duties upon stamp Vellum Parchment and Paper which were granted to His said late Majesty King William and His Heirs and Successors by several Acts of the Ninth Year of His Reign and are charged with several Annuities amounting to One hundred and ten thousand Pounds per Annum to the Companies or Persons entitled to the Trade to the East-Indies the Overplus of which several Rates and Duties last mentioned hath been and is to be computed on the Nine and twentieth Day of September yearly Now it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Lord High Treasurer of England or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall from time to time cause all the said Overplus Monies of the said several Rates Duties and [Funds] to be charged with the said Annuities formerly purchased as aforesaid to be justly and duly computed at each respective Days and Times as are before mentioned in that Behalf and after paying or reserving sufficient to pay all the Payments then or then to be made respectively the said Overplus Monies last mentioned so to be computed at any Day or Time between the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six and the Thirtieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and ten (except the necessary Charges of paying and accounting for the said Annuities formerly purchased as aforesaid) or so much of the Overplus Monies last mentioned as shall be sufficient for this Purpose shall be reserved and applied for or towards the making good each quarterly Payment of the Annuities to be purchased on this Act as shall incur or grow due at or before the First of Saint Michael the Archangel which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be provided and kept in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer One or more Books in which all the Monies of the said several Rates and Duties hereby appointed to be paid in Weekly as aforesaid and which shall be brought to the said Receipt for that Purpose and the said Sum not exceeding Thirty five thousand Pounds yearly directed to be reserved out of the said Contribution Money and also the said Overplus Monies of the said former Annuity Funds hereby directed to be computed and applied as aforesaid shall be entered apart and distinct from all other Monies paid into the said Receipt on any other Account whatsoever

AND to the End all the Monies by this Act appropriated for Payment of the Annuities to be purchased on this Act may be duly and certainly raised and brought into the Receipt of the Exchequer for that Purpose it is hereby further enacted That from time to time during the Continuance of this Act there shall be continued or appointed Commissioners Receivers General Comptrollers Collectors and other proper Officers for raising the said Rates and Duties by this Act intended for the Payment of the Annuities to be purchased thereupon and for keeping the Accounts of the same and that the respective Commissioners or Chief Managers thereof shall from time to time Weekly compute and ascertain the Monies of each Branch of the said Rates and Duties which ought to be paid into the Exchequer on every Wednesday or on the subsequent Day not being an Holy day as aforesaid

AND that all Commissioners Receivers General Comptrollers Collectors and other Officers who are or shall be named in the managing raising levying securing collecting or paying the same or in keeping the Accounts thereof shall perform their several and respective Duties therein as to them respectively shall appertain under such and the like Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities for any Offence or Neglect therein or for defaulting diverting or misapplying any Part of the said Monies as are prescribed and so to be inflicted by virtue of an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third intitled (An Act for raising a Sum not exceeding Two Millions upon a Fund for Payment of Annuities after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum and for settling the Trade to the East Indies) for the like Offences or Neglect in relation to the Duties upon Salt and other Duties upon stamp Vellum Parchment and Paper hereby granted or for defaulting diverting or misapplying any Part of the Monies which were granted by the Act last mentioned

AND it is hereby enacted and declared That all the Monies arising as aforesaid of or for the said several and respective Rates and Duties upon Low Wines and Spirits of the First Extraction and the said Duties payable by Wharves Producers Perry Choppers and others as aforesaid and the Duties upon Sweets and the said Duties upon stamp Vellum Parchment and Paper hereby appointed to be paid Weekly into the Exchequer as aforesaid and the said additional Subsidy and the said Sum not exceeding Thirty five thousand Pounds hereby directed to be reserved out of the Contribution Money as aforesaid and the said respective Overplus Monies of the said former Annuity [Funds] hereby appointed to be computed and applied for such several and respective Times and in such Manner as are before mentioned and every of them or so much of the said several Rates Subsidies and said Contribution Money and Overplus Money as shall be sufficient for answering the full and due Payment of all the Annuities to be purchased on this Act and all Arrearages thereof from time to time incurred according

§ W &amp; M c. 1

Stat. 5.5 § W III c. 20

Treasury, &c. to compute the Overplus, which is to be applied to make good the arrears quarterly Payments

XIV.  
Auditor to keep Books

XV.  
Commissioners, &c. to be appointed

who are to compute Weekly, and perform their Duties

XVI.  
And so perform their Duties

single Position of Stat. 5<sup>th</sup> W III c. 24

XVII.  
The Monies arising from the said Duties and the other Monies hereby mentioned, to be a General Fund for Payment of the said Annuities

to the true Meaning of this Act are and shall be the General Fund for Payment of the same and are and shall be liable thereunto and shall not be diverted or disburse to any other Use Intent or Purpose whatsoever and the Purposes Forfeitures and Disabilities in this Act expressed.

## 5410

Even allowed for  
Purchase for up  
Year, not to exceed  
\$1,000,000, or  
15 Year Purchase

Also for the making say One and Sixty of Money not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Eleven hundred and fifty five thousand Pounds that is to say the Sum not exceeding One million one hundred and twenty thousand Pounds thereof for carrying on the present War and other Her Majesty Occasions and the said Sum not exceeding Thirty five thousand Pounds Residue thereof to be applied for or towards the working good and quietly Payment to be incurred on the Accounts to be performed in pursuance of the Act it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Masters or Foremen Builders Pelecock or Corporate to contribute advance and pay into the Receipt of Her Majesty Exchequer for Her Majesty Use as at before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in the said every Sum or Sum of Money not exceeding in the Whole the Sum of One million one hundred fifty five thousand Pounds for purchasing any Ammunition or Ammunition to be paid and payable during the full Term of Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the First and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven at the Rate of Sixteen Years Purchase which Rate doth amount to the Sum of One hundred and Sixty Pounds for every such Quantity of Two Pounds per Annum and proportionally for any greater Quantity and the same Rate or Consideration Money is hereby appointed to be paid how the said Receipt at or before the respective Days and Times herein after mentioned (that is to say) One Fourth Part thereof on or before the Tenth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the Tenth Day of July in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the Tenth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven and the remaining Fourth Part thereof on or before the Tenth Day of November in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven all which Amounts so to be paid shall not exceed in the Whole the Sum of Seventy two thousand one hundred eighty seven Pounds and Ten Shillings per Annum and shall be paid and payable at the Four next usual Years or Days of Payment in the Year that is to say the Feasts of the Nativity of Saint John Baptist Saint Michael the Archangel the Birth of our Lord Christ and the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary by even and equal Portions the First Payment thereof to be made at the Feast of the Nativity of Saint John Baptist which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven

## 8176

XIX.  
Contributions.  
Money, &c., to be  
received in Books at  
the Exchange.

Also it is hereby enacted That in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Public Money of the United States there shall be provided and kept a Book or Books in which there shall be fairly entered the Names of all who shall be Contributors and of all Persons [by] whose Means the said Contributors did pay in any of the said Sums upon that Act and also the Sums so paid and the Times when the same are respectively paid to which Book it shall be lawful for the respective Contributors their Executors Administrators and Assigns from time to time and at all reasonable Times to have resort and to inspect the same without Fee or Reward.

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II.  
 Agencies paid in  
 February to allow  
 payment out of  
 the fund. The sum.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Annates whatsoever which shall be purchased upon or in pursuance of this present Act shall be and are hereby charged upon and shall be paid and payable from time to time in the first Place and with Preference to all other Payments whatsoever out of the Monies arising from time to time as aforesaid of us for the said several and respective Duchies upon Low Wines and Spirits of the First Extinction and the Duties payable by Bankers Pollies Ferry Chappens and others as aforesaid and the said Duties upon Sweets and the said Duties upon exempt Vellam Parchment and Paper hereby appointed to be brought and paid Weekly into the Exchequer as aforesaid and out of the said Subsidies and every of them and also out of the said Sum not exceeding Thirty five thousand Pounds hereby decreed to be removed out of the said Contribution Money as aforesaid and also out of the said Overplus Monies of the said former Annality [Pence] hereby appointed to be computed and applied for each several and respective Times and in the Manner before mentioned and every of them and so much of the said several and respective Rates Subsidies and Duties appointed by this Act to be brought and paid into the Exchequer and so much of the said Sum of Thirty five thousand Pounds and of the said several and respective Overplus Monies of the said former Annality [Pence] as are and shall be sufficient to make and discharge all the Annates to be purchased upon this Act and all the Arrangements thereof at any Time due or owing are and shall be by virtue of this Act appropriated and applied to and for satisfying and discharging of the same Annates and such Arrangements thereof accordingly and shall be made disposed and applied to that Use and to some other Use Incent or Purpose whatsoever Any thing herein contained or any other Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary notwithstanding.

## 853

### XXI. Harriet Lee the Poetical Man.

Provided always That if at the End of any Year of the said Term of Sixty nine Years for which the said Associates are to be purchased the First Composition to be made at Lady Day One thousand seven hundred and eight or within Six Days after the Month arising at the Exchequer within each Year by the said Rats Dukes Scheldens Oversee Monies and other Monies hereto appropriated for Payment of the said Associates pursuant to this Act shall exceed all the Monies then due for or upon the same, then and in all Assignments

<sup>a</sup> calculated on dry matter.

\* Florida, 1991.

Given due or at any Time or Times before that Time occurred so that there shall be an Excess or Surplus remaining in the Exchequer such Excess or Surplus shall be disposable from time to time for the Publick Use and Service and not otherwise Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Contributor and Contributor upon this Act duly paying the Consideration or Purchase Money at the Rate aforesaid at or before the respective Days or Times in this Act limited in that Behalf for any such Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid or such as he she or they shall appoint his her or their respective Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns shall have receive and enjoy will be entitled by virtue of this Act to have receive and enjoy the respective Annuity and Annuities so to be purchased out of the Monies by this Act appropriated or applied for the Payment thereof during the said whole Term of Ninety nine Years or as above mentioned and that all and every such Purchasers their Executors Administrators and Assigns respectively shall have good and sure Estates and Interests in the several Annuities so by them to be purchased according to the Tenor and true Meaning of this Act and that all the said Annuities to be purchased upon this Act and every of them during the Term aforesaid shall be free from all Taxes Charges and Impositions whatsoever

XXXII.  
Contributors  
paying, Act in  
next next Edition.

Two lines

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Contributor upon this Act for any Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns upon Payment of the Consideration or Purchase Money for the same at the Rate aforesaid or any Part or Proportion thereof within the Time as is herein in this Act limited in that Behalf shall immediately have One or more Talley or Tallies levied importing the Receipt of so much Consideration Money as shall be so paid and upon Payment of all the Purchase Money in any such Annuity or Annuities at the Rate aforesaid every such Contributor his her or their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns respectively shall have an Order for paying of the said Annuity and Annuities by and during the [said] Term of Ninety nine Years which Order shall be signed by the Treasurer and Under Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being and after the signing thereof the same shall be firm good valid and effectual in the Law according to the Purport and true Meaning thereof and of this Act and shall not be determinable by or upon the Death or Removal of any Treasurer or Under Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioner or Commissioners of the Treasury or by or upon the Determination of the Power Office or Office of them or any of them nor shall and Lord High Treasurer of England Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioners of the Treasury now or for the Time being have Power to revoke countermand or make void such Orders so signed as aforesaid or any of them

XXXIII  
To have Talley  
and Orders, &c.

to be signed as  
before mentioned.

not determinable  
on Death, &c. of  
Commissioners of  
Treasury, &c.

And for the Encouragement of the Contributors to advance and pay forthwith into the Receipt of the Exchequer the Sums by them intended to be advanced upon this Act it is provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Contributor who shall advance and pay into the said Receipt of Exchequer all or any Part of the Purchase Money payable for any such Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid before the said Tenth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns shall be allowed and paid out of the Contribution Money arising by this Act Interest at the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum for the prompt Payment of the Money so advanced from the Time of the actual advancing and paying the same until the said Tenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven.

XXXIV.  
Six per Cent. for  
prompt Payment  
before sixth May  
1707.

And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Contributor or Contributors his her or their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns at any Time or Times during the Continuance of his her or their Term Estate or Interest of and in any Annuity to be purchased upon this Act by any Writing under his her or their Hands and Seals or under the Common Seal of the Corporation or by his or her last Will in Writing to assign or devise such Annuity or any Part thereof or any Interest therein to any Person or Persons whatsoever and so often again and so such Assignment to be revocable so as an Entry or Memorandum of such Assignment or Will be made in Books to be kept for that Purpose in the said Office of the Auditor of the Receipt within the Space of Three Months after such Assignment or Death of the Donor and that upon producing such Assignment or Will or Probate thereof in the said Office of Receipt to be entered as aforesaid the Party so producing the same shall bring therewith an Affidavit taken before One or more of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace of the due Execution of the said Assignment or Will which Affidavit shall be annually filed in the said Office which said Entry or Memorandum the proper Officers in the said Receipt of Exchequer are hereby required to make accordingly and to file the said Affidavit And in Default of such Assignment or Devise by Dead or Will the Interest of such Contributor shall go to his or her Executors or Administrators

XXXV  
Annuities assign-  
able, &c.

Assignment not  
revocable.

Affidavit of  
Execution.

And it is hereby [further] enacted That it shall and may be lawful for any Guardian or Trustee having the Disposal of the Money of any Infant under the Age of One and twenty Years for the Use and Benefit of such Infant to advance and pay the Sum of One hundred and sixty Pounds of the Money of such Infant to purchase an Annuity upon this Act for the Benefit of such Infant and the said Guardian or Trustee as to the said Sum of One hundred and sixty Pounds so advanced is hereby discharged

XXXVI.  
Guardian to  
Infant may  
advance.

XXVII.  
Officers taking  
Fees, or receiving  
the Money,

as not keeping  
Books,

Loss of Office,  
Recovery, and  
Penalty.

First Proceedings,

XXVIII.  
No Purchase,  
when the Fourth  
Part paid before  
20th May 1707.

XXIX.  
Commissioners  
paying One Fourth  
Part, and not the  
Remainder to  
Money, such Pay-  
ment Sufficient.

XXX.  
Treasury by  
several Officers  
Clerks, &c.

XXXI.

Attorneys for  
making Pleas, and  
being taken from  
Officers not  
already concerned,  
and received before  
20th March 1706,  
on paying the  
Money before then

as Defects to lose  
the Benefit of  
Indemnity.

AND be it further enacted for the better Encouragement of Persons to advance the Monies on this Act That all Receipts and Issues and all other Things directed by this Act to be performed in the Exchequer shall be done and performed by the Officers there without demanding or receiving directly or indirectly any Fee Gratuities or Rewards for the same and in case any of the Officers of the Exchequer shall take or demand any such Fee or Reward or shall detain or misapply any of the Monies of the said Debt or Monies hereby appropriated or any Part thereof which should make good the Payment of the said Annuities or shall pay or issue out the same otherwise than according to the Intent of this Act or shall not keep Books and Registers and make Returns and do and perform all other Things which by this Act they are required to perform every such Officer shall forfeit his Office and be for the future incapable of any Office or Place of Trust and shall answer and pay Triple Damages to every Complainer or Person who shall be prejudiced thereby to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Assign Process Privileges of Parliament or other Privileges Wager of Law Injunction Order of Remission or ex parte Claim Importance shall be granted or allowed and in the said Action the Plaintiff upon Recovery shall have full Costs One Third Part of which Sum to be recovered for Damages shall be to the Use of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Two Third Parts with the Costs shall be to the Use of the Poorhouse and in case there shall be any Collision or Issue Prosecution between the Plaintiff and Defendant in such Action it shall be lawful for any other Complainer he or her Executors Administrators or Assigns to bring another Action wherein he or she shall recover as aforesaid to the like Use as aforesaid

PROVIDED always That no Person or Persons whatsoever shall or may purchase or obtain or be admitted to purchase or obtain any Annuity whatsoever upon this Act unless the Whole or One Fourth Part at least of the Consideration Money for the same in such Rate as aforesaid be advanced and paid into the said Receipt of Exchequer on or before the said Tenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven

PROVIDED also That in case any such Complainer as aforesaid who shall on or before the said Tenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven have advanced One Fourth Part of his [or her's] Purchase Money or his her as their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns do not advance and pay into the Receipt of the Exchequer One [other] Fourth Part of his or her Consideration Money so to be paid for such respective Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid on or before the said Tenth Day of July in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven and One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the said Tenth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and seven and the remaining Fourth Part thereof on or before the said Tenth Day of November in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven then and in every such Case respectively no Order shall be drawn or signed for such respective Annuity for which the Consideration Money shall not be fully paid as aforesaid but so much of the Consideration Money as shall have been actually paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer for such respective Annuity shall be forfeited to His Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and be applied together with other the Monies to be raised by this Act for such Publick Service as aforesaid Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

PROVIDED also and it is hereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful so and for the Lord Treasurer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being out of any the Monies of the said Weekly Payments hereby appointed to be paid into the Exchequer as aforesaid or out of any the said Overplus Monies of the former Annuitiy Funds to reward the Officers Clerks and others to be employed in the Payment of the said Annuities or the Accounts thereof for their Labour Pains Charges and Service therein respectively and to defray all other the necessary Charges incident to the Payment of the said Annuities as to the said Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being (shall seem meet and reasonable as that Behalf Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

AND whereas divers Persons Clerks Stewards Mayors and Bailiffs keeping and holding inferior Courts of Record and other Persons concerned in inferior Courts and Corporations and divers Officers Attorneys and Clerks of the Courts at Westminster have through Inadvertency Mistake or Misconstruction of the Law or by Neglect omitted the making entering recording or filing of divers Actions Pleas Bills Appearances Pledges Declarations and other Process and Proceedings upon Writs Venues Pleas and Paper as by several Acts of Parliament made in that Behalf they ought to have done and have delivered Declarations whose so Bill or Appearance have been filed or entered and proceeded further therein be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the said Clerks Stewards Bailiffs Officers Attorneys and other Persons so concerned as aforesaid shall be and they are hereby freed and discharged of and from all and every the Pains Penalties and Forfeitures not already recovered and by them respectively incurred for or in respect of the Premises before the Twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six Provided that such Person or Persons having so neglected and omitted as aforesaid do before the Thirtieth and twentieth Day of November One thousand seven hundred and seven pay or cause to be paid to the [Treasurer or] Receiver General of the Exchequer the several Duties which by him or them respectively ought to have been paid by virtue of the said several Acts and in default thereof such Person or Persons respectively shall lose the Benefit of the Indemnity granted by this Act and that all Penalties and Forfeitures for any Offence

<sup>1</sup> attached on the Roll

summons is returned which shall not be discharged by paying such Dues before the said Three and twentieth Day of November shall and may be used for prosecution and recovered so as the Prosecution be commenced at any Time within One Year after the said Three and twentieth Day of November and not afterwards.

Also inasmuch as by the doubtful wording of the Statute made in the First Year of Her Majesty's Kings Charles the Second for preventing Frauds in Her Majesty's Duties upon Exported Vellum Parchment and Paper the Attorneys and Clerks of the several Courts of Record at Westminster may be in Danger of Incurring the Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities mentioned in the said Act and other former Acts relating to the said Duties by reason of their Proceeding in any Actions or Suits in any of the said Courts before the Attorney or Clerk of the above Part hath entered filed or recorded such Bill Appearance or other Matter or Thing as he or they ought to have entered filed or recorded in the said respective Courts for the explaining whereof He is declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person or Persons shall forfeit lose or be prosecuted for any Penalty Forfeiture or Disability mentioned in the said Act made in the said First Year of Her Majesty for or by reason of his or their transacting either recording or filing or having transacted entered recorded or filed any further or other Proceeding Matter or Thing subsequent or relating to any Action Plea Bill or Appearance which by any other Person or Persons whatsoever ought to have been or is to be first entered filed or recorded in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster before the same have been or shall be duly entered filed or recorded Any thing in the said several Acts or any of them or in this present Act to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

XXXII.

Stat. 1 Ann.  
Stat. 2 c. 19.Proviso for  
Attorneys, &c.  
having acquired  
Fees in the same  
notwithstanding.

## CHAPTER III. (C)

An Act for the better Encouragement of the Royal Lining Company.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Third and Fourth Years of the Reiga of our most gracious Sovereign Queen Anne entitled An Act for prohibiting all Trade and Commerce with France it is declared (amongst other Things) that all Silks of the Manufacture of France imported into this Kingdom shall be seized and considered one Molety in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Molety to the Inhabitant And whereas divers of Her Majesty's Subjects under Colour of the said Act have taken upon them to sell and dispose of French Linnings and Alenodes so smart and forbidden as if they were allowed to be used and worn in England which is contrary to the true Issue and Meaning of the said Act which was designed more effectually to prevent the Importation and Use of the said Silks and also to the manifest Prejudice of so profitable a Manufacture set up in this Kingdom by the Royal Lining Company and thereby evading the Force of several Acts of Parliament past for the Encouragement of the said Manufacture For Remedy whereof He is enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That neither the before said Act for prohibiting all Trade and Commerce with France nor any thing therein contained shall be construed intended to countenance the using and wearing any French Alenodes or Linnings in this Kingdom but that the same shall be seized condemned and reported in like Manner and Form and under the like Penalties as they are or ought to have been before the passing the said Act

By Stat.  
6 Ann. p. 1. c. 3.  
Recall of Stat.  
1701. 3 & 4 Ann.  
c. 14.  
s. 1.Reason for passing  
the Act.French Alenodes  
or Linnings, not  
to be used, &c.II.  
Former Acts  
in force.III.  
What Persons  
only may wear.IV.  
Recall of Stat.  
1701. 3 & 4 Ann.  
c. 14.  
s. 10.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Acts of Parliament heretofore made by the Encouragement of the Manufacture aforesaid shall remain in full force and virtue as if the said Act for prohibiting all Trade and Commerce with France had never been made Any thing therein contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

[C] Act: whereas great Trouble has been occasioned to Shopkeepers and other by common Informers who are Persons of mean Reputation he is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That only such Person or Persons who is or are Officer or Officers belonging to the Customs or who shall be deputed by the Royal Lining Company and shall have Writs of Assistance from Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer and no other shall and may use any Linnings or Alenodes within the Cities of London and Westminster and the Bills of Mortality Any thing herein or in any former Act to the contrary notwithstanding

Also whereas by an Act made in the Ninth and Tenth Years of the Reiga of His late Majesty King William the Third entitled An Act for the better Encouragement of the Royal Lining Company and the more effectual preventing the fraudulent Importation of Linnings and Alenodes it is amongst other Things enacted that before any Person or Persons shall be admitted to claim any of the said Silks they shall give good Security by Recognizance in the Court where such Claim shall be entered not only to pay the Costs of Suit in case such Claimer or Claimers shall be cast but also to answer and pay the Penalties and Forfeitures incurred by the said Act and the Security on such Claim cannot be discharged by yielding the Claimers Body to Prison which is found a great Encouragement to fair Traders dealing in English Alenodes and Linnings For Remedy whereof He is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That when any Person or Persons claim any Alenodes or Linnings used it shall be

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter III. s. 5 An. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> The following Provisions are inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

Persons claiming  
said Goods, to  
give Security for  
Costs, &c.

sufficient that such Person or Persons give good Security to the Court where such Claims shall be made to answer and pay the full Costs of Suit only in case a Verdict shall pass against him her or them or the Claimers shall be nominated or a Judgment pass by Default.

V.  
Provis for Thirty-  
three Pieces of  
Foreign Linnings  
of Mr David  
Morris.

And whereas since the making the said Act of Prohibition of Trade and Commerce with France Thirty three Pieces of Foreign Linnings have been seized and condemned being imported contrary to the said Act and sold to Mr David Martin Merchant to be used in England and have not been seized and marked with the Customs House Seal and Mark & it is hereby further enacted That the said Thirty three Pieces of Foreign Linnings may be used in England and that the same shall not be seized or forfeited provided that the Possessors thereof respectively do on or before the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven bring the said Thirty three Pieces of Linnings or such Part thereof as remain undisposed of to be seized and marked at the Customs House with the Seal and Mark used for sealing Aliens and Linnings imported and Oath being made that such Bills are the same individual Thirty three Pieces of Silks or Part thereof as sold at the Customs House and the Commissioners of Her Majesties Customs are hereby empowered and required (such Oath being made) to cause the said Silks to be seized and marked accordingly Any Law to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

#### CHAPTER IV. (1)

Act. Parl.  
6. Anne, c. 1, 2, 4.

AN ACT for repairing the Highway between Fenchill in the County of Bedford and the Town of Stony Stratford in the County of Buckingham.

Reason for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS the ancient Road called Working Street Road (being situate the old Roman Road between the Cities of London and Worcester and now and for many Years past the common Post Road towards Ireland) is in very ruinous and almost unpassable for above Eight Miles in Length from a Place called Fenchill where it is become dangerous to all Persons that pass those Ways and for that the ordinary Course appointed by the Laws of this Realm now in force are not sufficient for the effectual repairing and mending the same and in due the Inhabitations of the several Parishes in which the said ruinous Roads do respectively lie are not able to repair the same without some other Provision there being no Materials for the Amendment thereof to be had but at great Distance from the said respective Places. For Remedy whereof and to the better the same may be speedily and effectually amended and kept in good Repair May it please Your Majesty that it may be enacted (and be it enacted) by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall be in the Power of the Honourable Charles Leigh Esquire Sir Richard Temple Sir John Waterbury Sir Francis Chermack Sir Harry Tyrrell Sir Edmund Denton Sir Joseph Allen Baronet Sir Charles Dancourt Sir Roger Hill Sir William Miller, Knights Allen Bakers Baronet William Thomas Maynard Richard Hampden Esquire James Selby Esquire at Law John Knapp Alexander Denton Esquire Sir John Vane Esquire Thomas Baily Esquire of Law Francis Dancourt Thomas Legge Simon Mayne William Johnson Henry Andrews Thomas Chapman John Rogers William Edgell Nehemiah Broadbent William Novell Esquires John Hillierdon and Thomas Jiles Gentlemen who are hereby nominated and appointed Trustees for putting this Act in Execution and the Surveyors of them or any Seven or more of them in or unto to erect or cause to be erected a Gate or Gates Turnpike or Turnpikes cross any Part or Parts of the said Road between Fenchill and Stony Stratford aforesaid and to receive and take

Trustees herein  
named may erect  
Turnpikes or  
behave as such.

Tolls.

For every Coach Chaise or Calash before they shall be permitted to pass through the same One Shilling and  
For every Waggon Cart or Carriage loaded with Grain Six Pence and  
For every other Waggon One Shilling and  
For every other Cart Eight Pence and  
For every Horse One Penny and  
For every Chaise with a single Horse Six Pence  
For every Score of Oxen Six Pence  
For every Score of Sheep or Lambs One Penny and so in Proportion for any Number exceeding Five and  
For every Score of Hogs Three Pence and so in Proportion for any Number exceeding Five in the Name of or as a Toll

Which Money so so be raised as aforesaid is hereby vested in the said Trustees and the same or any Part thereof is to be applied disposed or assigned to and for the several Uses and Purposes and in such Manner as is herein after mentioned

II.  
Persons relating to  
pay Toll, Trustees  
may demand.

And they the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them are hereby empowered by themselves or any Person or Persons (by them or any Seven or more of them under their Hands and Seals therunto authorized to levy of any such Person or Persons) who shall after Demand thereof make refuse to pay the same each and every of the said Sums of Money by this Act required to be by them respectively paid as aforesaid by Distress of any

1 This is Chapter XXI. § 15 of the Queen's printed Edition.

2 quoted on the Roll.



Here or There or other Cattle or Goods upon which such Toll or Duty is by this Act imposed or upon any other of the Goods and Chattels of such Person who ought to pay the same and may detain and keep the same until such Toll or Duty with the reasonable Charges of such Detainer and Keeping shall be paid. And it shall be lawful for such Person or Persons so detaining after the Space of Five Days after such Detainer taken to sell the Goods so detoured retaining the Overplus upon Demand after such Toll Duty and reasonable Charges for detaining and keeping the same shall be deducted.

Proceedings.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That they the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them by Writing under their Hands and Seals shall and may from time to time choose and appoint One or more of them or Persons to be Receiver or Receivers Collector or Collectors of such Money in the Name of such Toll as shall be due and payable by virtue of this Act and also One or more fit Person or Persons to be Surveyor or Surveyors to see the Money so be raised and expended by virtue of this Act duly applied.

III.  
Seven Trustees may appoint Collector, and Surveyors.

And all such Person and Persons so is or are by this Act liable to pay the same are hereby required to pay unto the Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers of Toll in that Behalf from time to time to be appointed as aforesaid after the Rates aforesaid.

IV.  
Persons to pay to such Collectors.

And the Person or Persons Receiver or Receivers Collector or Collectors appointed as aforesaid for the receiving of the said Toll and also such Surveyor or Surveyors as aforesaid (if the same required by the said Trustee or any Seven or more of them) shall upon Oath before such Justice or Justices of the Peace who doth or shall at such Time dwell near to the Roads aforesaid as the said Trustee or any Seven or more of them shall from time to time under their Hands and Seals deliver which Oath such Justice or Justices is and are hereby impowered to administer on the First Tuesday in every Month monthly during the Continuance of this present Act give in a true exact and perfect Account in Writing under their respective Hands of all Monies which he they every or any of them shall to such Time have received paid and disbursed by virtue of this Act by Reason of the said and respective Offices and in case any Overplus of Money so received shall remain in their or either of their Hands shall pay the same to the said Trustee or any Seven or more of them or to such Person or Persons as they or any Seven or more of them shall by any Writing under their Hands and Seals authorize and empower to receive the same to be disbursed and laid out in mending the said Roads according to the true Meaning of this Act and not otherwise which said Trustee or any Seven or more of them to whom such Account shall be given shall or may out of the Money arising by the said Toll make such Allowance unto the said Surveyor or Surveyors Collector and Collectors for and in Consideration of their Care and Pains taken in Execution of their said respective Offices and to such other Person and Persons who shall have been or shall be assisting in and about procuring the said Highways to be amended as aforesaid by advancing or laying out any Monies or otherwise relating therunto as to them shall seem good.

V.  
Collectors, &c. to account on Oath to Justice of the Peace.

Every he paid to Trustee, or as they shall appoint.

Allowance to Surveyors and Collectors, &amp;c.

And in case the said Collectors or Receivers of the aforesaid Toll so to be paid as aforesaid or any of them shall not make such Account and Payment unto such Person and Persons according to the Order and Direction of the said Trustee or any Seven or more of them as aforesaid That then the said Justice at any special Sessions to be holden for any Division in which the said Highway lies in the Counties of Bucks or Bedford or either of them shall make Enquiry for or concerning such Default as well by Confession of the said Parties themselves as by the Testimony of Two or more credible Witnesses upon Oath which Oath they are hereby impowered to administer and if any Person or Persons shall be thereof convicted by such Justice who are themselves hereby impowered the said Justice shall upon such Conviction commit the Party or Parties to the Common Goal of the said County there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until he or they shall have made a true and perfect Account [and Payment] as aforesaid.

VI.  
Collectors not accounting, special Sessions may commit to County Goal.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where there is not sufficient Gravel Chalk Sand or Stones within any Parish Town Hamlet or Village wherein the said rutted Flats do commonly lie to repair for use it shall and may be lawful for the Surveyor or Surveyors to be appointed by virtue of this Act and such Person or Persons as they shall appoint to dig take and carry away Chalk Gravel Sand or Stones if the said Trustee or any Seven or more of them shall desire the same out of the Waste or Common of any neighbouring Parish Town Village or Hamlet paying a reasonable Satisfaction for the same Materials to the Person or Persons who have Right to the Soil whose the same shall be so digged and carried away and for such Damage he or they shall thereby sustain to be assessed and adjudged by the Justice of the Peace at the next Special Sessions for the County in which such Materials shall be digged in case of Difference concerning the same and that the Place and Place where and from whence such Materials shall be digged and carried away for the Reparation aforesaid shall with all convenient Speed if adjudged by the said Justice of the Peace as aforesaid or desired by the Party owning such Ground be filled up and levelled with Earth or other Materials.

VII.  
Surveyors may dig Gravel, &c. making Satisfaction.

And for as much as the Monies so to be collected by such Receipt of the said Toll will not at present raise such a Stock or Sum of Money as may be sufficient for the speedy repairing of the Premises it is hereby further enacted That the said Trustee or any Seven or more of them shall or may from time to time by Writing under their Hands and Seals assign over the said Toll or any Part thereof for any Time or Times for which the same

VIII.  
Seven Trustees may assignage Tolls.

is hereby enacted to be paid or for any Part of such Time or Term for any Sum or Sums of Money by them to be borrowed for that Purpose to such Person or Persons or their Trustees who shall advance and lend the same to secure the Repayment thereof with Interest after the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum which said Money so borrowed shall be so applied as the said Toll should have been applied by this Act.

IX.  
In Action for  
assessing Act,

Shall issue may  
be pleaded.

Double Costs.

X.  
Persons for Persons  
giving Tolls  
the next Day.

and for Persons  
carrying Horses,  
Beasts, &c.

Hay Carts and  
 Implements of  
 Husbandry.

Soldiers, for on  
their March.

XI.  
Persons chargeable  
to Repairs to  
construct to

XII.  
Continuance of  
Toll.

XIII.  
In what Case Toll  
to cease before  
Expiration of the  
Term.

XIV.  
Quarter Sessions  
may appoint  
Persons to regulate  
the Application  
of the Toll.

XV.  
Vacancy of Trust-  
ees, how supplied.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Sole shall be commenced against any Person for any thing done in pursuance of this present Act that in every such Case the Action shall be laid in the said County of Berks or Bedford and not elsewhere and the Defendant in such Action to be brought may plead the General Issue and give the Act and the Special Matter in Evidence at any Tryal to be had thereupon and that the same was done in pursuance and by the Authority of the said Act and if it shall so appear to be done or that such Action shall be brought in any other County than then the Jury shall find for the Defendant and upon such Verdict or if the Plaintiff shall be summoned or discontinue his Action after the Defendant shall have appeared or if upon Demurrer Judgment shall be given against the Plaintiff the said Defendant shall and may recover his Double Costs and have the like Remedy for the same as any Defendant hath in other Cases by Law.

Provided always That no Person or Persons having occasion to pass the Place where the Toll is taken shall return the same Day before Eight of the Clock at Night between the Months of September and February and before Ten [a.] Clock at Night during the other Months of the Year with the same Horse Coach Wagon Cart or other Carriage or with other Cattle for which he had once paid such Toll as aforesaid shall be compelled the same Day to pay the said Toll a Second Time And further also that all and every Person and Persons passing through the Place appointed for the receiving the Toll aforesaid and coming from any Parish near adjoining to the said Roads respectively shall have Liberty to carry away any Quantities of Stacks of Straw and Linn or Gravel Dung Mold or Compost of any Nature or Kind whatsoever Brick or Chalk or any Wood not going to any Market And that all Carts with Hay not going to any Market or Corn in the Straw in Hay Time or Harvest Plow Harrows and other Implements of Husbandry and all other Things whatsoever employed in Husbandry tanning and stocking of their several and respective Lands in the said several and respective Parishes shall pass through the said Place where such Toll is to be received without paying any thing for their respective passing through the same And that it shall and may be lawful also for all and every Soldier and Soldiers upon their March and all Carts and Waggones attending them and all Persons riding Post to pass through the said Places where the said Toll is to be collected without paying any thing for their passing Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

Provided also That all and every Person and Persons who by Law are chargeable towards the repairing the said Highways shall still remain chargeable and do their respective Works in the said Highways as before they used to do therein Any thing aforesaid to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Toll hereby granted shall take place and have Continuance only from and after the First Day of May next ensuing for and during the Term of One and twenty Years

Provided also That if at any Time before the Expiration of the said Term of One and twenty Years aforesaid the said Roads shall be sufficiently amended and repaired and so adjudged by the Justices of the Peace for the said Counties of Berks and Bedford respectively at the Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said Counties (but then there and after such Adjournment made and Repayment of such Monies as shall have been borrowed with Interest for the same the aforesaid Toll shall cease and determine Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Justices of the Peace at their respective General Quarter Sessions to be holden for the Counties of Bedford and Berks yearly and every Year after the Feast of the Epiphany if they think fit to appoint Three Persons of each County respectively to survey and view the said various Roads and Ways by this Act directed to be amended and to enquire of the Duties and Toll received in pursuance of this Act and how the Monies so received have been from time to time employed and laid out in pursuance of this Act And in case they find any Misapplication of the Monies levied by this Act or any Abuse of the Power and Authority so then granted as aforesaid thereupon to certify the same to the Judges of Assize at the next Assizes to be held for the said Counties of Bedford and Berks who are hereby authorized and empowered to hear examine and finally determine the same without further or other Appeal

And lastly for the Continuance of a sufficient Number of fitting and able Persons to be Trustees for the paying in Execution all and every the Powers and Clauses in this Act contained for and during the Continuance thereof be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from time to time and at all Times hereafter during the Term aforesaid as the Number of them the said Trustees shall by Death Removal or absence to



with Interest at  
45 per Cent per  
Ann.

Transferred to be  
made without  
Receipt, &c.  
Principal Money  
payable to the  
Lender, &c.

Interest to be  
paid every Three  
Months.

IV.  
Change of Loan  
not exceeding  
difference, at 45  
per Cent.

payable every  
Three Months;  
Tax free.

V.  
And Tally struck,  
&c.

VI.  
Orders to be  
registered and paid  
in course, &c.

VII.  
Without notice  
Preference or Pay,  
&c.

VIII.  
No Fee for  
providing Books,  
&c.  
Priority.

IX.  
Going under  
Preference,  
Priority and Loss  
of Office.  
By Deputy  
the King.

X.  
Persons who pay  
according to  
Place and Order.

XI.  
If Tally lost  
Deputy must  
Pay, according  
Preference.

of December One thousand seven hundred and six shall remain unaltered with the Interest thereof after the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum and all and every the Orders of Loan for the same shall be in the like Place transferred to and placed upon the Register for Orders appointed to be kept by this Act and shall be registered thereupon in due Course and Order according to the Days of the respective Talles of Loans for the said Principal Sums which Transferences shall and may be made and are hereby required to be made by virtue of this Act without making any Issues or taking any Receipts from the Parties in order to transfer the said Loans and that the Principal Monies on the Orders so transferred shall be payable and paid to the Lender or Lenders of the same his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns out of the Monies arising by virtue of the Act in the same Course and Order according to which they are hereby appointed to be transferred and with Preference to any other Loans or Sums of Money which shall be registered upon and payable out of the Monies granted by this present Act and that the Interest thereupon shall be payable every Three Months out of the Monies arising by this Act all the Satisfaction of the said Principal Sums respectively

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful so and for any Person and Persons Natives or Foreigners Bachelors Fellows or Corporates to lend to Her Majesty at the said Receipt upon Credit of the said Duties any Sum or Sums of Money as (together with the Principal Monies hereby appointed to be transferred as aforesaid) shall not exceed in the Whole the Sum of Six hundred and fifty thousand Pounds which Lenders shall have Interest for the Forbearance of their respective Loans not exceeding the Rate of Five Pounds per Cent<sup>us</sup> per Annum to be paid every Three Months from the making of such Loans and Satisfaction of the Principal Sums respectively and that no Monies so to be lent shall be rated or assessed to any Tax or Assessment whatsoever

And that every such Lender shall immediately have a Tally of Loan struck for the Money by him lent or lent and an Order of the same Date for Repayment thereof with such Interest as aforesaid

And that all such Orders shall (after the Orders before by this Act directed) be registered in course according to their Dates and all Persons thereupon shall be paid in course as their Orders shall stand registered so as the Person Native or Foreigner his Executors Administrators or Assigns whose Orders shall be first registered shall be accounted the Person to be first paid and so successively and in course

And that the Monies to come in by this Act of the said Duties shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the said respective Persons their Executors Administrators or Assigns successively without notice Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be divided or divisible to any other Use Name or Purpose whatsoever

And that no Fee Reward or Gratuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesty's Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesty's Officers or Officers that Clerks or Deputies or Persons of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party aggrieved by the Party offending with full Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place also

And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Treble Costs to the Party grieved and shall be disqualified of his Place or Office and if such Preference be unlawfully made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Direction or Privy of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be ever after incapable of his Place or Office

And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct and the Clerk of the Rolls record or the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as above directed then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and Clerks likewise offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid all which said Persons Preference Damages and Costs to be recovered by any the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster where no Ensigns Protection Privilege Wager of Law Injunction or Order of Retraint shall be in any wise granted or allowed

Provided always and be it hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies of Loans or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be surmised no undue Preference which of those be entered first so as he enters them all the same Day

Persons also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to incur any Penalty in Point of Payment of the Auditor direct and the Clerk of the Rolls record and the Tellers do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand that Money and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take that Money and bring their Orders in course so as there be so much Money returned so well as the precedent Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them Insured upon Loan being to cease from the Time the Money is so returned and kept in Bank for them

XII.  
For if subsequent  
Orders be paid  
before such as  
were not demanded  
in Course

And be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Registry as aforesaid his or these Executives Administrators or Assigns by proper Writs of Assignment to be endorsed on his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders (which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make) shall enable such Assignee his Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereof and such Assignee may in like Manner assign again and so times again and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignment to make void release or discharge the same or any the Moneys thereby due or any Part thereof

XIII  
Orders for Payment  
assignable

Memorial thereof  
to be made

Assignee may  
assign

## CHAPTER VI(\*)

in ACT for the settling of the Honours and Dignities of John Duke of Marlborough upon his Poverty and surrendering the Honour and Manor of Woodstock and House of Bisham to go along with the said Honours.

See Part  
of Act, p. 3, n. 3.

WHEREAS the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled having with much Satisfaction considered the many great Actions which John Duke of Marlborough has performed in Her Majesty's Service to the Honour of his Country and for the Good of the Common Cause of Europe (such Actions as the wisest and greatest People have rewarded with Statues and Triumphs) and being extremely desirous to express the just Sense they have of his Merit in a peculiar and distinguishing Manner and in order to papers in the Memory thereof that his Title and Honours with his Right of Precedence might be settled and confirmed in his Posterity by Act of Parliament as the Method most effectual for that End and best suited to great an Occasion yet having always a just Regard for the Privileges of the Crown (Her Majesty being the sole Fountain of Honours) thought it their Duty in the first Place by their humble Address to have recourse to Her Majesty for Her Royal Allowance before any Order given for bringing in a Bill of such a Nature and by their said Address did humbly desire Her Majesty would be graciously pleased to let them know in what Manner it would be most acceptable to Her Majesty the said Title and Honours should be limited

Reason for passing  
this Act

Form of the  
Address of the  
Peers to the Queen

In answer whereunto Her Majesty hath been pleased most graciously to declare That nothing could be more acceptable to Her than the said Address and that she was retired satisfied with the Services of the Duke of Marlborough and therefore could not but be pleased they had so just a Sense of them and did thereby declare Her Royal Intention to be That after the Determination of the Estate which the Duke of Marlborough now has in his Titles and Honours the same should be limited in such Manner as is herein after declared and enacted And Her Majesty was pleased in Her most gracious Answer to the said Address further to declare that she thought it would be proper that the Honour and Manor of Woodstock and the House of Bisham should always go along with the Title and did therefore recommend that Matter to their Consideration And the Duke of Marlborough thereupon declaring that he had made it his humble Request to Her Majesty and did now desire that the Manor and Park of Woodstock and the House of Bisham after the Demise of the Duchesse of Marlborough should go along and be enjoyed with the Title

and of Her  
Majesty's Answer

and of the Duke's  
Declaration  
thereupon

And whereas the said John Duke of Marlborough was by several Letters Patents created Baron Churchill of Sandridge and Earl of Marlborough to him and the Heirs Males of his Body and by Letters Patents bearing Date the Fourteenth Day of December in the First Year of Her new Majesty's Reign was created Marquis of Epsford and Duke of Marlborough to him and the Heirs Males of his Body Therefore for perpetuating the Memory of the several great Actions performed by the said Duke and for settling and confirming the Title and Honours aforesaid and the Right of Precedence in his Posterity may it please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That in Default of Heirs Males of the Body of the said Duke of Marlborough among the Heirs Degree Sixteen Titles Dignities and Honours aforesaid shall continue remain be used in and shall be held and enjoyed by the Lady Harriet eldest Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough and Wife of Francis Godolphin Esquire Son and Heir Apparent of Sidney Lord Godolphin Lord High Treasurer of England and the Heirs Males of her Body together And for default of such Issue shall continue remain be used in and held and enjoyed by Anne Countess of Sunderland Second Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough and Wife of

Form of Letters  
Patent of the  
Duke's Title

Continuation of the  
said Title, &c

\* This is Chapter III. § 4 & 5 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

Charles Earl of Sunderland and the Heirs Males of her Body begotten And for Default of such Issue shall continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by Elizabeth Countess of Bridgewater Third Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough and Wife of Serjeant Earl of Bridgewater and the Heirs Males of her Body begotten And for Default of such Issue shall continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by the Lady Mary youngest Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough and Wife of John Montagu Esquire called Marquis of Montagu Son and Heir Apparent of Ralph Duke of Montagu and the Heirs Males of her Body begotten And for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by all and every other the Daughter and Daughters of the said Duke of Marlborough to be begotten severally and successively one after the other as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies taking the elder of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body And for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by the First Daughter of the Body of the said Lady Harriot Godolphin begotten and the Heirs Males of the Body of such First Daughter begotten And for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by all and every other the Daughter and Daughters of the Body of the said Lady Harriot Godolphin severally and successively one after the other as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies taking the elder of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body And for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by the First Daughter of the Body of the said Anne Countess of Sunderland begotten and the Heirs Males of the Body of such First Daughter begotten And for want of such Issue then to continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by all and every other the Daughter and Daughters of the Body of the said Anne Countess of Sunderland begotten severally and successively one after the other as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies taking the elder of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body And for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by the First Daughter of the Body of the said Elizabeth Countess of Bridgewater begotten and the Heirs Males of the Body of such First Daughter begotten and for want of such Issue then to continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by all and every other the Daughter and Daughters of the Body of the said Elizabeth Countess of Bridgewater begotten severally and successively one after the other as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies taking the elder of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body And for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by the First Daughter of the Body of the said Lady Mary Montagu begotten and the Heirs Males of the Body of such First Daughter begotten and for want of such Issue then to continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by all and every other the Daughter and Daughters of the Body of the said Lady Mary Montagu begotten severally and successively one after the other as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies taking the elder of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body And for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be voted in and held and enjoyed by all and every Daughter and Daughters of every other Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough to be begotten severally and successively as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies taking the elder Daughter of every such Daughter and the Heirs Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body the Daughter and Daughters of the elder of such Issue to be born Daughters and the Heirs Males of her and their respective Bodies taking to be preferred and take in Manner aforesaid before the Daughter and Daughters of the younger of such after born Daughters and for Default of such Issue to all and every other the Issue Male and Female lawfully descending of or from the said Duke of Marlborough in such Manner and for such Estate as the same are before limited to the before mentioned Issue of the said Duke is being intended and hereby enacted That the said Heirs Males shall continue remain and be voted in all the Issue of the said Duke so long as any such Issue Male or Female shall continue and be held and enjoyed by them severally and successively in Manner and Form aforesaid the elder and the Descendants of every elder Issue to be preferred before the younger of such Issue

III.  
Preference of the  
Daughters of the  
Duke, and of their  
Heirs Males.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Daughters of the said Duke of Marlborough and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies and all and every the Daughters of such and every Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies and all other Persons to whom the said Honours Titles and Dignities shall come and when and so the same shall come unto them successively according to the Limitations in this Act shall in all Assemblies and Places have and enjoy the same Place and Precedence as the said Duke of Marlborough or any the Heirs Males of his Body hath or ought to have or enjoy by virtue of the said Letters Patents bearing Date the said Fourteenth Day of December in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign

IV.

AND to be meant that the Honour Manors and Park of Woodstock in the County of Oxford and the Honour now ensuing those called Blenheim and the Woodstock of Wootton in the said County and all other the Manors Messuages Lands Towns and Hereditaments which are and by certain Letters Patents under the Great Seal of

England bearing Date the Fifth Day of May in the Fourth Year of Her Majesty's Reign were by Her Majesty's present in an Act of Parliament passed in the then last Session of Parliament granted to the said Duke of Marlborough and his Heirs and the Ancestress thereby granted may always go along and be enjoyed with the Title Honours and Dignities aforesaid as hereafter is mentioned be a further granted by the Authority aforesaid. That the said Duke of Marlborough shall stand and be seized of all the said Honour Manor and Park of Woodstock Manors House and Premises granted by the said last mentioned Letters Patents for and during the Term of his natural Life without Impediment of What and from and after his Decese the same shall be and remain unto and be held and enjoyed by Sarah Duchess of Marlborough Wife of the said Duke for and during the Term of her natural Life and from and after her Decese the same [shall] be and remain unto and be held and enjoyed by the Heirs Males of the Body of the said Duke of Marlborough begotten and for Default of such issue then the same shall be and remain unto and be held and enjoyed by all and every the Daughters of the said Duke of Marlborough and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies living and all others severally and successively in such Manner as the said Titles Honours and Dignities aforesaid are herein before expressed and limited to go and be enjoyed.

Location of the  
Honour and Manor  
of Woodstock.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Duke of Marlborough and after his Decese the said Duchess of Marlborough shall have full Power and Authority by Deed indented to make any Lease or Leases in Possession of all or any the said Manors Hundred Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments whatsoever (other than and except the House called Blenheim and the Park of Woodstock) for any Number of Years not exceeding One and twenty Years or for any Number of Years determinable upon One Two or Three Lives exceeding the best and most improved Rent that can then be had for the same without taking any Fine.

V.  
Power of Leasing.

Exception of  
Blenheim and  
Park.

Two times always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That neither the said Duke of Marlborough or the Heirs Males of his Body nor any of his Daughters or the Heirs Males of their Bodies or any other Person to whom the Premises shall come or descend by virtue of the Limitations aforesaid shall have any Power by Fine or Recovery or any other Act Assurance or Conveyance in the Law to invade his or diminish any the Person or Persons to or upon whom the said Manors House Lands Tenements Hereditaments or Possessions are hereby vested or limited from holding or enjoying the same according to the Limitations before in this Act mentioned other than and except such Leases as the said Duke and Duchess may make by virtue of the Powers herein before mentioned and such other Leases as Tenants in Tail may and are enabled to make by virtue of the Statute made in the Two and Thirtieth Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth and Grants of Lands or Tenements held by Copy of Court Roll according to the Customs of the respective Manors aforesaid but all such Fine Recoveries Act Assurances and Conveyances other than such Leases and Grants by Copy as aforesaid shall be and are hereby declared and enacted to be void.

VI.  
The Duke, or his  
Representative, not to  
have, his Remains-  
ment.

Exception as to  
Leases.

Stat. 34 HENRY  
8. c. 16.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall be adjudged deemed and taken in all Cases and in all Courts and Places a Publick Act.

VII.  
Publick Act.

## CHAPTER VII. (1)

AN ACT for settling upon John Duke of Marlborough and his Posterity a Pension of Five thousand Pounds per Annum for the more honourable Support of their Dignities in like Manner as his Honours and Dignities and the Honour and Manor of Woodstock and House of Blenheim are already limited and settled.

Stat. 10  
Anne, c. 10. s. 4.

MOST Gracious Sovereign Whereas the most Noble John Duke of Marlborough was by several Letters Patents granted Baron Churchill of Sandridge and Earl of Marlborough to him and the Heirs Males of his Body and by other Letters Patents bearing Date the Fourteenth Day of December in the First Year of Your Majesties Reign in consideration of his great and eminent Services to Your Majesty and Your Allies as well by his personal Negligence as Your Majesties Plenipotentiary at the Hague where to the mutual Advantage of Your Majesty and the States General of the United Provinces he settled an entire Confidence between Your Majesty and the States General as by his Valour and good Conduct in the Command of the confederate Armies abroad was created Marquess of Blandford and Duke of Marlborough to him and the Heirs Males of his Body And whereas by other Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England bearing Date the Two and twentieth Day of December in the First Year of Your Majesties Reign Your Majesty was graciously pleased as a further Mark of Your Royal Favour and Satisfaction with his Services aforesaid and for the better Support of his said Dignity to give and grant unto the said John Duke of Marlborough one Annuity or yearly Pension of Five thousand Pounds of lawful English Money to be issuing and payable out of the Heres Issues Profits Incomes Revenues Sums and Sums of Money whatsoever due and payable or which should from time to time arise grow due or be payable out of or by or in respect of Your Majesty's General Letter Office Post Office or Office of Post Masters General or for or by reason of the Passage or Carriage of Letters Patents or other Things within Your Majesties Kingdom of England or elsewhere in these counties and enjoy the said Annuity or yearly Pension of Five thousand Pounds unto the said John Duke of Marlborough and the Heirs Males of his Body for and during Your Majesties natural Life the same to be

Recital of Letters  
Patents of Queen's

14th Dec.  
1 Ann.

1st Dec.  
1 Ann.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter IV. g & 8 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

computed from the Feast of Saint Michael the Archangel then last past and to be paid Quarterly at the Year next: until Feasts or Terms in the Year (that is to say) The Feast of our Lord Christ the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary the Birthday of Saint John the Baptist and Saint Michael the Archangel by even and equal Portions

16.  
and of that  
1 R 4 Ann. c. 4.

17.

And whereas an Act passed in the Third Year of Your Majesty's Reign intitled this Act for the better enabling Her Majesty to grant the Honour and Manor of Woodstock with the Hundred of Wootton to the Duke of Marlborough and his Heirs in consideration of the constant Services by him performed to Her Majesty and the Publick wherein 'Ye mentioned and recited that the valiant and unparalleled Services of the said Duke to Your Majesty and the Crown of England were well known not only to Your Majesty and all Your Subjects but to all Europe and that the Alliance which Your Majesty's Royal Brother King William the Third of glorious Memory had in a little Time before his Death contracted by the Ministry of the said Duke as His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the States General of the United Provinces for procuring the Liberties of Europe against the Ambition of France were immediately after Your Majesty's happy Accession to the Throne by the said Duke then employed [by Your Majesty in the same Character conferred and improved:] and that others were contracted whereby the Confidence which had been desired at the End of the last War was assisted in a stronger and firmer League and that in the First Year of Your Majesty's Reign the said Duke of Marlborough had so well executed his Commission as Captain General and Commander in Chief of Your Majesty's Forces that he not only secured and extended the Frontier of Holland by taking the Towns and Fortresses of Vinlo Barmstedt Steensmaert and Leips but soon obliged the Enemy (who had been at the Gates of Namur) to seek Shelter behind their Lines and in the next Campaign by taking Bon Roy and Lensburg added all the Country between the Rhine and the Meuse to the Conquests of the preceding Year and that in the next Year One thousand seven hundred and four when Your Majesty was graciously pleased to take the Resolution of reviving the Empire from that immediate Ruine to which by the Deference of the Elector of Bavaria it was exposed the Measures which by Your Majesty's Wisdom and Goodness had been devised and concerted were pursued by the said Duke with the utmost Diligence Secrecy and good Conduct leading the Forces of Your Majesty and Your Allies by a long and difficult March to the Banks of the Danube where the said Duke immediately upon his Arrival did attack and force the Bavarians (aided by the French) in their strong Intrenchments at Schellenburgh passed the Danube descended the Country of Bavaria and a Second Time sought the Enemy who had been reinforced by a Royal Army of the French King's best Troops commanded by a Marshal of France and on the Second Day of August One thousand seven hundred and five after a bloody Battle at Blenheim (although the Enemy had the Advantage of Number and Situation) gained the most absolute and glorious Victory as had been recorded in the History of any Age by which Bavaria being entirely reduced and Ratisbon Augsburg Ulm Memmingen and other Imperial Towns recovered the Liberty of the Diet and the Peace of the Empire were restored and Landau Treves and Trierbach being taken the War was carried into the Dominions of France all which happy Achievements of the said Duke apparently tended to the Honour and Safety of Your Majesty and Your Subjects and of their Posterity but also towards the future Tranquillity of Europe and that Your Majesty most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled thought themselves thereupon obliged in an humble Address to Your Majesty to express their Sense of the said glorious Victories and humbly to desire Your Majesty that You would be graciously pleased to consider of [some] proper Means to perpetuate the Memory of such signal Services and that Your Majesty was thereupon pleased to signify Your Intention to grant the Honour and Manor of Woodstock and Hundred of Wootton to the said Duke and his Heirs whereupon at the humble Petition of Your Majesty most dutiful and loyal Commons it was enacted that it should and might be lawful to and for Your Majesty by any Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England to give and grant unto the said John Duke of Marlborough and his Heirs and Assigns for ever all that the said Honour and Manor of Woodstock and the Hundred of Wootton and the Park of Woodstock in the County of Oxon and divers other Mannors Mannors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments in the said recited Act particularly mentioned or described to be held of Your Majesty Your Heirs and Successors as of Your Castle of Windsor in Fee and common Socage by Fealty rendering to Your Majesty Your Heirs and Successors on the Second Day of August yearly for ever at Your said Castle of Windsor One Standard or Colours with Three Flowers de Lys painted thereon for all Manner of Rents Services Exactions and Demands whatsoever in pursuance of which said Act of Parliament Your Majesty by Your Letters Patents bearing Date the Fifth Day of May in the Fourth Year of Your Majesty's Reign was graciously pleased to grant all that the said Honour and Manor of Woodstock and Hundred of Wootton and divers other Mannors Mannors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments in the said Letters Patents particularly mentioned or described to the said Duke of Marlborough his Heirs and Assigns for ever

Letters Patent,  
15<sup>th</sup> May,  
4 Ann.

18.  
Further Enact-  
ment of the March and  
Services of the  
said Duke

And whereas in the Beginning of the Year One thousand seven hundred and five the said Duke of Marlborough led Your Majesty's Forces and those of the Allies to the Danube where by the Progress made in the preceding Year a fair Prospect was afforded of removing the War from the Countries of Your Allies into the Enemy's own Territories but that great Design through unforeseen Accidents was rendered impracticable and the Enemy taking Advantage of the Remoteness of Year and General and the Troops under his Command perceiving the Attacks of the States General which were left for the Defence of their Frontiers with a superior Force On this extraordinary Occasion the Duke showed all the Parts of a great Captain and at the same time the Zeal he had for Your



Majesty [George I.] and true Regard to Your Allies by a speedy March he returned to the Mass where a new Force of Affairs immediately appeared and Your Majesty's good Allies the States General were delivered from the Threats they were under. Large was relieved. His resolution and the Enemies obliged to retire behind their Lines which they thought impregnable but the said Duke with a surprising Conduct and Bravery on the Seventh Day of July One thousand seven hundred and five with an insuperable Loss forced the same defeated great Part of the Enemies Forces and obliged their whole Army to a precipitate Retreat and although all the Advantages were not obtained which the Duke had proposed to himself from that Success yet it confirmed the Minds of Your Majesty's Allies and produced that happy Consequence of the Duke's being invested with such a Power as gave him an Opportunity of performing those great Actions which were executed in the last glorious Campaign in which the Enemy confiding in the Superiority of their Army composed of their choicest Troops gave the Duke of Marlborough an Opportunity of attacking them which he did at Ramillies on the Twelfth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and six with such Resolution and Conduct that in Two Hours Time he obtained a most complete and glorious Victory and prevented his Advantage without any Interruption during the whole Campaign. The Battle of Ramillies was followed by the immediate Surrender of Leuwis, Brusch, Malines, Lierre, Gant, Oudenard, Aerschot, Dain, Bruges and Courtray and the taking of Oudenard, Denendermon and Aerschot most of which Places had heretofore enjoyed the greatest Generals whole Campaigns in their Sieges and thus almost the entire Spanish Netherlands which had been contended for so many Ages were conquered in One Summer.

And whereas by an Act passed in this present Session of Parliament intitled An Act for the settling of the Honours and Dignities of John Duke of Marlborough upon his Posterity and annexing the Honour and Manner of Woodstock and House of Marston to go along with the said Honours it was for perpetuating the Memory of the several great Actions performed by the said Duke and for settling and confirming the above mentioned great Titles and Honours and the Right of Precedence in his Posterity amongst divers other Things therein contained enacted that in Default of His Majesty's of the Body of the said Duke of Marlborough leaving the said Degree of Duke Titles Dignities and Honours aforesaid should continue remain be vested in and should be held and enjoyed by the Lady Harriot eldest Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough and Wife of Francis Godolphin Esquire Son and Heir Apparent of Salisbery Lord High Treasurer of England and the Heirs Males of her Body begotten and for Default of such Issue should continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by Anne Countess of Sunderland Second Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough and Wife of Charles Earl of Sunderland and the Heirs Males of her Body begotten and for Default of such Issue should continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by Elizabeth Countess of Bridgewater Third Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough and Wife of Scropes Earl of Bridgewater and the Heirs Males of her Body begotten and for Default of such Issue should continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by the Lady Mary youngest Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough and Wife of John Manners Esquire called Marquess of Winchester Son and Heir Apparent of Ralph Duke of Manners and the Heirs Males of her Body begotten and for Default of such Issue then to continue remain and be vested in and held and enjoyed by all and every other the Daughter and Daughters of the said Duke of Marlborough to be begotten severally and successively one after the other as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies issuing the elder of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body and for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by the First Daughter of the Body of the said Lady Harriot Godolphin begotten and the Heirs Males of the Body of such First Daughter begotten and for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by all and every other the Daughter and Daughters of the Body of the said Lady Harriot Godolphin severally and successively one after the other as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies issuing the elder of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body and for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by the First Daughter of the Body of the said Anne Countess of Sunderland begotten and the Heirs Males of the Body of such First Daughter begotten and for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by all and every other the Daughter and Daughters of the Body of the said Anne Countess of Sunderland begotten severally and successively one after the other as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies issuing the elder of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body and for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by the First Daughter of the Body of the said Elizabeth Countess of Bridgewater begotten and the Heirs Males of the Body of such First Daughter begotten and for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by all and every other the Daughter and Daughters of the Body of the said Elizabeth Countess of Bridgewater begotten severally and successively one after the other as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heirs Males of their respective Bodies issuing the elder of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heirs Males of her Body and for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by the First Daughter of the Body of the said Lady Mary Manners begotten and the Heirs Males of the Body of such First Daughter begotten and for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be vested in and held and enjoyed by all and every other the Daughter and Daughters of the Body of the said Lady Mary Manners begotten severally and successively one after the other as they shall be in

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Priority of Birth the elder of such Daughters and the Heires Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heires Males of her Body and for Default of such Issue then to continue remain be void in and hold and enjoyed by all and every Daughter and Daughters of every other Daughter of the said Duke of Marlborough to be begotten severally and successively as they shall be in Priority of Birth and the Heires Males of their respective Bodies issuing the elder Daughter of every such Daughter and the Heires Males of her Body to be preferred and take before the younger of such Daughters and the Heires Males of her Body the Daughter and Daughters of the elder of each then after to be born Daughters and the Heires Males of her and their respective Bodies issuing to be preferred and take in Manner aforesaid before the Daughter and Daughters of the younger of each after born Daughters and for Default of such Issue to all and every other issue Male and Female lawfully descending of or from the said Duke of Marlborough in such Manner and for such Issue as the same are by the said Act limited to the before mentioned Issue of the said Duke a being intended and thereby enacted that the said Honours should continue entire and be vested in all the Issue of the said Duke so long as any such Issue Male or Female shall continue and be held and enjoyed by them severally and successively in Manner and Form aforesaid the elder and the Descendants of every elder Issue to be preferred before the younger of such Issue And to the Intent that the said Honour Manor and Park of Woodstock and the House among these called Blenheim and the Hundred of Woodstock and all other the Manors Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments which in and by the said Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England bearing Date the said Fifth Day of May in the Fourth Year of Your Majesties Reign were by Your Majesty pursuant to the said Act of Parliament passed in the Third Year of Your Majesties Reign granted to the said Duke of Marlborough and his Heires and the Advowsons by the said Letters Patents also granted might always go along and be enjoyed with the Titles Honours and Dignities as aforesaid as therein after is mentioned it was thereby further enacted that the said Duke of Marlborough should stand and be deemed of All the said Honour Manor and Park of Woodstock Manors House and Premises granted by the said last mentioned Letters Patents during his Life without Impediment of War and from and after his Decease that the same should be and remain unto and be held and enjoyed by Sarah Duchess of Marlborough Wife of the said Duke for and during the Term of her natural Life and from and after her Decease the same should be and remain unto and be held and enjoyed by the Heires Males of the Body of the said Duke of Marlborough begotten and for Default of such Issue that then the same should be and remain unto and be held and enjoyed by all and every the Daughters of the said Duke of Marlborough and the Heires Male of their respective Bodies issuing and all others actually and successively in such Manner as the said Titles Honours and Dignities aforesaid are therein before expressed and limited to go and be enjoyed And were thereby provided and enacted that neither the said Duke of Marlborough or the Heires Males of his Body nor any of his Daughters or the Heires Males of their Bodies or any other Person to whom the Premises should come or descend by virtue of the Limitations aforesaid should have any Power by Fine or Recovery or any other Act Assuasive or Contingence in the Law to hinder but to disinherit any the Person or Persons or to upon whom the said Manors House Lands Tenements Hereditaments or Premises were thereby vested or limited from holding or enjoying the same according to the Limitations in the said Act mentioned (other then and except such Lessees as the said Duke and Duchess might make by virtue of the Powers therein before mentioned and such other Lessees as Tenants in Tail might and were enabled to make by virtue of the Statute made in the Two and thirtieth Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth and Grants of Lands or Tenements held by Copy of Court Roll according to the Customs of the respective Manors aforesaid) but that all such Fines Recoveries Act Assuatives and Contingences other than such Lessees and Grants by Copy as aforesaid should be and were thereby declared and enacted to be void

V.  
Reason for passing  
the Act.

AND whereas We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Commons taking into our Consideration the many eminent Services of the said Duke of Marlborough whereby the Glory of Your Majesties Government the Honour and Safety of Your Kingdoms and the Interest of the common Cause have been so highly advanced did with all Submission address our address to Your Majesty's most secret Person humbly to desire That as Your Majesty as Your Experience graciously pleased to erect the House of Blenheim as a Monument of his glorious Actions and the House of Peers by Your Majesties Permission have given rise to the said Act passed in this present Session for continuing his Honours to his Posterity We Your Majesties most dutiful Commons might be permitted to express our Sense of so obliging a Merit and our ready Disposition to enable Your Majesty to make some Provision for the more honourable Support of his Dignities in his Posterity in such Manner as should be most agreeable to Your Majesty whereby the Gratitude of this whole Kingdom might again upon Record to After age and succeeding others to follow his great Example to which Address Your Majesty was pleased to return this most gracious Answer That Your Majesty in consideration of the great and eminent Services performed by the said Duke in the First Year of Your Reign as well by his prudent Negotiations as Your Majesty's Plenipotentiary at the Hague as by his Valour and good Conduct in the Command of the confederate Armies abroad thought fit to grant to him and the Heires Male of his Body the Title of a Duke of this Realm and as a further Mark of Your Favour and Satisfaction with his Services and for the better Support of his Dignity Your Majesty had granted to the said Duke and the Heires Male of his Body during Your Majesties Life a Pension of Five thousand Pounds per Annum out of the Revenue of the Post Office and that an Act bearing passed this Session for setting the Honours and Dignities of the said Duke upon his Posterity and annexing the Honour and Manor of Woodstock and House of Blenheim to go along with the said Honours it would be very agreeable to Your Majesty if the Pension of Five thousand Pounds per Annum be continued and limited by Act of Parliament to his Posterity for

the more honourable Support of their Dignities in the Manner as his Honour and the Honour and Master of Woodstock and House of Blenheim are already limited and settled We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled duly considering Your Majesties most gracious Answer and also the wise Provision made by Your Majesty through Your Majesties abundant Grace and Goodness to Your People by an Act passed in the First Year of Your Majesties Reign for procuring the Substantive of the several Revenues of the Crown think our selves obliged in transient to all succeeding Times the Memory of so many glorious Actions together with the just Sense of the Kingdom after what Manner such transcendent Merit ought to be rewarded and therefore do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That in lieu of the said Annuity or yearly Pension of Five thousand Pounds by the said Letters Patents bearing Date the Two and twentieth Day of December in the First Year of Your Majesties Reign granted to the said Duke of Marlborough and the Heires Male of his Body during Your Majesties Life as aforesaid which said Pension is from henceforth to cease and determine One Annuity or yearly Pension of Five thousand Pounds of lawful Money of England shall be issuing and payable out of and charged and chargeable upon all the Revenues and Monies arising due and payable or which shall arise grow due or be payable by virtue or in pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of Her Majesties Royal Uncle King Charles the Second of blessed Memory intitled An Act erecting and establishing a Post Office or by virtue or in pursuance of any other Act or Acts of Parliament whatsoever for establishing vesting or setting the Revenue of the General Letter Office or Post Office or Revenue and the same shall from time to time be paid Quarterly at the Four most usual Fairs or Days of Payment in the Year (that is to say) the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary the Nulvey of Saint John the Baptist the Feast of Saint Michael the Archangel and the Feast of the Birth of our Lord Christ in Manner and form following (that is to say) To the said Duke of Marlborough for and during the Term of his natural Life and from and after his Decesse to Sarah Duchess of Marlborough Wife of the said Duke for and during the Term of her natural Life and from and after her Decesse to the Heires Male of the Body of the said Duke of Marlborough begotten and for Default of such Issue to all and every the Daughters of the said Duke of Marlborough and the Heires Male of their respective Bodies issuing and to all others severally and successively in such Manner as the said Titles Honours and Dignities aforesaid are by the said Act made in this present Session of Parliament expressed and limited to go and be enjoyed

In lieu of the said Pension of *officers*, by the said Letters Patents of said Day, 1 Ann., a Pension charged upon Monies arising by an Act 12 c. 31 and any other that Office duties of *officers*, payable Quarterly, as herein mentioned, to the said Duke for his Life, with Reminders as herein mentioned

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Annuity or yearly Pension of Five thousand Pounds hereby enacted to be paid as aforesaid shall be paid by the several Hands of all and every the Commissioners Post-Masters Farmers Treasurers Receivers and Collectors for the Time being of the said Revenues respectively by Authority of this Act without any further or other Warrant Order or Direction to be obtained for that Purpose and without any Fees or Charges to be demanded or taken for paying the same or any Part thereof unto the said John Duke of Marlborough and to all others severally and successively to whom the same shall after the Decesse of the said Duke come descent remain or belong by virtue of this Act when and as they shall respectively become entitled to receive the same at the aforesaid Four most usual Fairs or Days of Payment in the Year the First of the said Payments to be made on the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary now next coming and the Payment of the said Annuity or yearly Pension of Five thousand Pounds herein before enacted to be paid as aforesaid shall not at any Time hereafter be suspended or delay'd by any Order or Direction whatsoever and if the said Commissioners Post-Masters Farmers Treasurers Receivers and Collectors for the Time being of the said Revenues or any of them shall refuse or neglect to pay the said Annuity or yearly Pension of Five thousand Pounds hereby enacted to be paid as aforesaid or any Part thereof to the said Duke of Marlborough or any other Person to whom the same after the Decesse of the said Duke shall come descent remain or belong by virtue of this Act then the said Duke and every other Person respectively being entitled to receive the same as aforesaid may sue prosecute and implead the said Commissioners Post-Masters Farmers Treasurers Receivers General and Collectors or any of them and all or any of their Secutables Heires Executors and Administrators by Bill Pleine or Action of Debt and shall and may recover Judgments and sue out Executions and other legal Remedies against the said Commissioners Post-Masters Farmers Treasurers Receivers and Collectors respectively and their respective Secutables Heires Executors and Administrators for such Sum and Scant of Money then due and owing upon the said Annuity or yearly Pension as shall be in the Hands of the said Commissioners Post-Masters Farmers Treasurers Receivers and Collectors respectively of the said Revenue at the Time when Demand shall be made of the Payment of the said Annuity or yearly Pension or any Part thereof or of any Arrears thereof

VI. The said Annuity to be immediately paid by the Officers of the Post Office Revenues, without Fee, &c.

Quarterly

Officers obliging, &c. to pay the same.

Yearly.

And be it further enacted That the Acquittance or Acquittances of the said Duke and of every other Person to whom the said Annuity or yearly Pension of Five thousand Pounds after the Decesse of the said Duke shall come descent remain or belong by virtue of this Act expressing the Receipt of any Sum or Scant of Money in pursuance of this Act shall be a good and sufficient Voucher and Discharge for the Payment thereof and every such Payment shall be allowed upon the respective Account and Accomps of the aforesaid Officers and Officers Persons or Persons paying the same without any further or other Warrant or Authority whatsoever to be had or obtained for that Purpose

VII. Acquittance by the Duke, &c. a good Discharge.

III.  
Annoy not to be  
lawful by the said  
Duke, &c.

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That neither the said Duke of Marlborough nor any other Person to whom the said Annuity or yearly Pension of Five thousand Pounds heretofore granted to be paid as aforesaid shall come deceased remain or belong by virtue of the Limitations aforesaid shall have Power by any Act Assurances or Conveyances in the Law whatsoever to transfer but or disinherit any the Person or Persons to whom the said Annuity or yearly Pension is by virtue of this Act limited or appointed to come deceased or remain from holding enjoying receiving or taking the same according to the Limitations thereof made by this Act but that every such Act Assurances or Conveyances shall be void and be hereby declared and annulled to be void

IX.  
Proviso for other  
Assurances payable  
out of the said  
Revenue.

Provided always That nothing in this present Act contained shall extend or be construed to take away interrupt or prejudice the Payment of any Annuity Pension or yearly Sum of Money whatsoever issuing or payable out of or charged or chargeable upon the said Revenue of the Post Office granted or confirmed by or in pursuance of any Act or Acts of Parliament or by any Letters Patent under the Great Seal of England to any Person or Persons whatsoever (except the said yearly Pension of Five thousand Pounds granted by the said Letters Patent bearing Date the said Two and twentieth Day of December in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign to the said Duke and the Heires Males of his Body during Her Majesties Life as aforesaid) but that every such Annuity Pension or yearly Sum (except before excepted) shall continue remain and be payable as if this Act had never been made Any thing herein before contained to the contrary thereof in any what notwithstanding

X.  
Publick Act.

And be it declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall be adjudged deemed and taken in all Cases and in all Courts and Places to be a Publick Act.

#### CHAPTER VIII. (1)

An Act for securing the Church of England as by Law established.

Act. First of Anne,  
p. 1. in 4.  
Recall of Stat.  
3 & 4 Ann. c. 4.

WHEREAS by an Act made in the Session of Parliament hold in the Third and Fourth Year of Her Majesties Reign whereby Her Majesty was empowered to appoint Commissioners under the Great Seal of England to meet with Commissioners to be authorized by the Parliament of Scotland concerning an Union of the Kingdoms of England and Scotland It is provided and enacted That the Commissioners to be named a pursuance of the said Act should not treat of or concerning any Alteration of the Liturgy Rites Ceremonies Discipline or Government of the Church as by Law established within this Realm And whereas certain Commissioners appointed by Her Majesty in pursuance of this said Act and also other Commissioners appointed by Her Majesty by the Authority of the Parliament of Scotland have met and agreed upon a Treaty of Union of the said Kingdoms which Treaty is now under the Consideration of this present Parliament And whereas the said Treaty (with some Alterations therein made) is ratified and approved by Act of Parliament in Scotland and the said Act of Ratification is by Her Majesties Royal Command laid before the Parliament of this Kingdom And whereas it is reasonable and necessary that the true Protestant Religion professed and established by Law in the Church of England and the Doctrines Worship Discipline and Government thereof should be effectually and speedily secured Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and [the] Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That an Act made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of Queen Elizabeth of famous Memory intitled An Act for the Reformation of the Church to be of sound Religion and also another Act made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the Uniformity of Publick Prayer and Administration of Sacraments and other Rites and Ceremonies and for establishing the Form of settling ordaining and consecrating Bishops Priests and Deacons in the Church of England (other than such Clauses in the said Acts or either of them as have been repealed or altered by any subsequent Act or Acts of Parliament) and all and singular other Acts of Parliament now in force for the Establishment and Preservation of the Church of England and the Doctrines Worship Discipline and Government thereof shall remain and be in full force for ever

Enacted for passing  
the Act.

Stat. 13 Eliz. c. 11.  
14 Car. II. c. 4.

Exception.

and other Acts,  
as here for ever.

II.  
Succession to the  
Crown to take as  
Oath to maintain  
the Settlement of  
the Church of  
England.

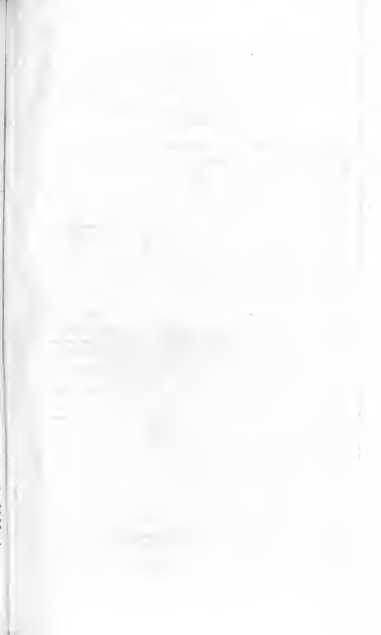
And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That after the Death of Her Majesty (whom God long preserve) the Sovereign next succeeding to Her Majesty in the Royal Government of the Kingdoms of Great Britain and so for ever hereafter every King or Queen succeeding and coming to the Royal Government of the Kingdoms of Great Britain in His or Her Coronation shall in the Presence of all Persons who shall be standing waiting or otherwise then and there present take and subscribe an Oath to maintain and preserve inviolably the said Settlement of the Church of England and the Doctrines Worship Discipline and Government thereof as by Law established within the Kingdoms of England and Ireland the Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed and the Territories thereto belonging

III.  
This Act to be  
Part of any Treaty  
of Union.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act and all and every the Matters and Things therein contained be and shall for ever be holden and adjudged to be a fundamental and essential Part of any Treaty of Union to be concluded between the said Two Kingdoms and also that this Act shall be inserted in express Terms in any Act of Parliament which shall be made for settling and ratifying any such Treaty of Union and shall be therein declared to be an essential and fundamental Part thereof

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter V. 3 & 4 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> printed in the Roll







## CHAPTER IX. (C)

An Act for repealing a Clause in an Act intitled An Act for the better apprehending, proceeding and punishing Felons that commit Burglaries, Housebreaking or Robberies in Shops, Warehouses, Coach-houses or Stables or that steal Horses.

See Post.  
6 Ann. c. 9. § 3.

WHEREAS by an Act made in the Tenth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King WILLIAM the Third intitled An Act for the better apprehending [prosecuting] and punishing Felons that commit Burglaries, House-breaking or Robbery in Shops, Warehouses [Coaches] or Stables or that steal Horses it is (amongst other Things) enacted that from and after the Twentieth Day of May One thousand six hundred ninety nine all and every Person and Persons who should be confined of or for any Theft or Larceny and should have the Benefit of the Clergy allowed thereupon or ought to be burnt in the Hand for such Offences in stead of being burnt in the Hand should be burnt in the most visible Part of the left Cheek nearest the Nose And whereas it hath been found by Experience that the said Punishment hath not had its desired Effect by deterring such Offenders from the further committing such Crimes and Offences but on the contrary such Offenders being confined thereby until to be employed in any Service or Employment to get their Livelihood in any honest and lawful Way become the most desperate Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Fourteenth Day of February which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six as much of the said Act as relates or concerns the inflicting the said Punishment of burning in the Cheek shall be and is hereby repealed

Repeal of Stat.  
10 W. III. c. 19.  
§ 6.

The said Clause  
repealed.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where any Person or Persons shall from and after the said Fourteenth Day of February be convicted of any Theft or Larceny and shall have the Benefit of this Act allowed thereupon or ought by the Laws in force before the making the said Act to be burnt in the Hand for such Offences shall be burnt in the Hand as formerly they should or ought to have been before the making of the said Act and the Judge or Judges before whom such Offender or Offenders shall be tried and convicted shall also at his or their Discretion award and give Judgment that such Offender and Offenders shall be committed to some House of Correction or publick Workhouse within the County City Town or Place where such Conviction shall be there to be remain and be kept without Bail or Mainprize for such Time as such Judge or Judges shall think proper and not less than Six Months and not exceeding Two Years to be accounted from the Time of such Conviction and an Entry thereof ("shall") be made of Record pursuant to such Judgment and Award and such Offender and Offenders so ["judged"] and awarded to remain and be kept in such House of Correction or publick Workhouse shall be there set at Work and kept at hard Labour for and during such Time as shall be so adjudged and awarded and in case such Person or Persons shall refuse or neglect to work and labour as they ought to do the Master or Keeper of such House of Correction or publick Workhouse respectively is hereby required to give such Persons such due Correction as shall be fit and necessary in that Behalf

II.  
Offenders burnt  
in the Hand, and  
imprisoned as  
before mentioned,  
at the Discretion  
of the Judge.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any such Offender or Offenders shall after such Judgment given escape out of Prison or out of such House of Correction or publick Workhouse as he she or they shall be committed unto as aforesaid such Person or Persons being afterwards sent back shall be brought before some or One of His Majesties Judges or before Two or more Justices of the Peace (whereof One to be of the Quorum) of such County City Town or Place where such Offender or Offenders shall be so received which Judge or Justices are hereby required to commit such Offender and Offenders to some House of Correction or publick Workhouse within such County City Town or Place where he she or they shall be so received there to remain without Bail or Mainprize for any Time not less than Twelve Months and not exceeding Four Years to be accounted from the Time of such sending and there be set at Work and kept at hard Labour and receive such due Correction as aforesaid and in case any Master or Keeper of any House of Correction or publick Workhouse shall neglect to do his Duty as above directed any Judge or Justice of Assize or Oyer and Tenor Comptroler and due Proof thereof upon the Oath of One or more Witnesses to be made shall be and is hereby empowered to commit every such Person from his said Office

III.  
Offenders sent away  
Proceedings.

And whereas as when any Person is convicted for any Felony within the Benefit of Clergy upon his Prayer or hath the Benefit thereof allowed to him it hath been used to administer a Book to him to try whether he can read as a Clerk which by Experience is found to be of no Use be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Fourteenth Day of February if any Person be convicted of any such Felony for which he ought to have had the Benefit of his Clergy if this Act had not been made and shall pray to have the Benefit of this Act he shall not be required to read but without any reading shall be allowed taken and reputed to be and punished as a Clerk Convicted which shall be as aforesaid to all Intents and Purposes and be as aforesaid to him as if he had read as a Clerk Any thing in this Act or any other Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding.

IV.  
Reading not  
required of Persons  
praying Benefit of  
Clergy.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter VI. § 6. Ann. in the Customs printed Edition.    <sup>2</sup> inserted or On Roll.    <sup>3</sup> Convictions O.    <sup>4</sup> adjudged O.



## CHAPTER X.(.)

*An Act for regulating and inserting the Duties to be paid by the Unfreemen Importers of Coals into the Port and Borough of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk.*

*Reason for passing the Act*

WHEREAS the Borough of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk is an ancient Borough and the Burghers thereof have at several Times been incorporated by several Statutes and are at present incorporated by the Name of Mayor Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the said Borough and as a Corporation and also as an ancient Bergh have had and enjoyed and are entitled to divers ancient Franchises Rights Privileges Priviledges Emoluments and several Exemptions and Immunities and have from time to time heretofore had and received of Persons not being Burghers or Freemen of the said Corporation importing Coals Cokes and Cynders into the Port of Great Yarmouth several direct Payments and Acknowledgments over and above what have been paid by the Burghers and Freemen of the said Bergh claimed by the said Corporation as due to them from such Importers in respect of the Conveinences and Accommodations furnished and provided at the Charge and Expence of the said Corporation which such Importers have and enjoy in the importing unloading unloading and vending such their Commodities And whereas several Differences have lately arisen between the said Corporation on the one Part and the Inhabitants of the said Borough not being Burghers or Freemen of the same on the other the Inhabitants of the City of Norwich Countess of Norfolk and Suffolk on the other Part being the Persons principally concerned touching the aforesaid Customs of the said Corporation Now for the establishing Peace and Quiet between the said concerning Parties and also a free Trade and Commerce touching the Matters aforesaid In Dispute under the Regulations Limitations Restrictions and Provisions herein after expressed between the said Corporation of the said Bergh of Great Yarmouth and all other His Majesties Subjects not being free of the same importing any of the said Commodities of Coals Cokes and Cynders into the said Port Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the first and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven it shall and may be lawful for any Person not free of the Corporation of Great Yarmouth aforesaid to import Coals Cokes and Cynders into the said Port of Great Yarmouth and to sell the same to any Person whatsoever in the like Manner as any Burgher or Freeman of the said Corporation (paying his accustomed Duties) may do Provided that such Importers not being free as aforesaid do pay to the Mayor Aldermen Burgesses and Commonalty of the said Borough of Great Yarmouth for the Time being the several Sums of Money hereafter mentioned and no more which it is hereby enacted that they shall pay accordingly (that is to say) Six Pence for every [Chaldre]\* of Coals Cokes or Cynders there by them imported and so in Proportion for any greater or less Quantity (which Payment is to be in less of the Two Half [Chaldres]\* in every Score heretofore by such Importers payable and paid to the said Corporation and Freemen by ancient Royal Grants and the Usage of the said Bergh) and also the Rates and Proportions following for Ballast furnished by the said Corporation for firing on the said Ships or Vessels so importing the said Commodities (that is to say) Six Pence for the Burghers or Freemen of the said Bergh do pay for their Ballast so taken in (which is Four Pence Half penny for every [Chaldre]\* of the aforesaid Commodities) and also over and above such Payment the further Sum of Two Pence for every such [Chaldre]\* so imported the said Sums payable for such Ballast by the said Importers not being free as aforesaid making together Six Pence Half penny for every [Chaldre]\* as aforesaid

*Non-freemen may import and sell Coals, Cokes, and Cynders, paying Toll in terms contained*

*II. Corporation to furnish Importers with Ballast*

And it is further enacted That the said Corporation upon Payment of the Rates aforesaid shall be obliged to furnish such Importers with what Ballast they shall have Occasion for and require without any undue Preference of Persons or others and without any unnecessary Delay the aforesaid several Sums respecting Ballast as so be paid by the said Importers not being Freemen as aforesaid unless the Ballast be taken of the said Corporation

*III. Tonnage, &c. to be paid by such Importers*

And it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person not being free of the Corporation aforesaid importing Coals Cokes and Cynders into the said Port in any Ship or Vessel shall for Customs Outwards and Passage of such Ship or Vessel into and out of the said Port pay to the Corporation aforesaid the Sum of Four Shillings and Six Pence for every such Ship or Vessel and no more and shall also further pay the accustomed Duty of Coal Tonnage being One Half penny for every [Chaldre]\* of Coals Cokes and Cynders so imported as aforesaid being the same Duty that hath accustomed been and is now paid by the Burghers or Freemen of the said Bergh importing the like Commodities to the said Corporation

*IV. Port of Great Yarmouth*

And it is enacted also That all Persons whatsoever importing Coals Cokes or Cynders into the said Port of Great Yarmouth shall pay the several Duties herein before mentioned unless such Importers or Importers will sufficient Proof that they are Burghers or Freemen of the said Corporation

*V. If Duties not paid, Proceedings.*

Provided also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case the said Duties Sums or Sums of Money ordered or appointed to be paid as aforesaid shall not be paid by the Masters or other Persons or Persons having the Rate and Command of any Ship or Vessel importing and unloading Coals Cokes or Cynders within the said Haven or Port as aforesaid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act that then and so often as

\* This is Chapter VII. § 11 & 12 Act. in the Statutes printed Edition

\* Chaldres 0.

\* Chaldres 0

shall and may be lawful for the Writs Bailiff of the said Port or such other Person or Persons as shall by the Mayor or Deputy Mayor of the said Borough for the Time being be thereto appointed by Warrant under his Hand and Seal to take and detain the Tackle Apparel or Furniture of every such Ship and the same to detain and keep until he or they be satisfied and paid the said Duties Sums and Sums of Money and any of them and in case of Neglect or Delay of or in the Payment of the said Duty Sums or Sums of Money or any of them for Ten Days after any Distress or Distresses so taken as aforesaid that then it shall and may be lawful for the Writs Bailiff or other Person or Persons taking and detaining as aforesaid to sell the said Distress or Distresses or parts thereof so as to satisfy the said Corporation the aforesaid Duties Sums and Sums of Money and for which a Distress shall be so taken as aforesaid as also for his or their reasonable Charge in the taking or keeping such Distress rendering to the Master or other Person having the Rule or Command of the Ship or Vessel in and from which [such] Distress shall be so taken the Charges if any there be

Provided always That if the Mayor or Deputy Mayor or any other Person acting by their Authority by Colour of this Act doth demand or levy any further or other Duties or Cash Coln or Cynners imposed than are hereby expressed or intended or shall in the forbidding of Bailiff see any undue Preference of Persons before Othersman the Party or Parties so aggrieved shall by Bill Petition or Information exhibited in any Court of Record recover Tackle Damages with full Costs

VI.  
Mayor, for  
detaining further  
Duties, &c.  
Tackle Damages  
and Costs.

Provided always and be it enacted That nothing herein before contained shall extend to impeach the Duties heretofore granted by an Act of Parliament made in the Tenth and Eleventh Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory intituled An Act for the clearing repairing preserving and improving the Haven and Port of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk or any ways to exempt the Importers aforesaid from answering the said Duties or to empower any Persons to trade contrary to the Act of Navigation or any other Laws of this Realm now in being but that all such Acts and Laws shall be in force against all Persons and to every Interest or Purpose whatsoever as if this present Act had not been made and not otherwise.

VII.  
Petition for Duties  
of this Act W 111  
6-7

And whereas the cleaning and depthing of the Rivers Yare Wensney and the North River in the County of Norfolk which empty themselves at the said Town of Yarmouth will very much contribute to the bettering of the said Rivers of Great Yarmouth be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That out of certain Duties imposed by the aforesaid Act of the Tenth and Eleventh Years of King William the Third of glorious Memory the Chamberlains for the Time being of the said Borough of Great Yarmouth or such other Person or Persons as are or shall be from time to time appointed to receive the Duties on the said Act shall on the Four and twentieth Day of June yearly during the Continuance of the said Act pay the Sum of Sixty Pounds of lawful Money of England to the Chamberlains of the City of Norwich for the Time being to be employed in the cleaning and depthing the Rivers between the New Mills in Norwich and Hardly-Cross in Hardly in the said County of Norfolk and also the further Sum of Twenty five Pounds of like Money on the Four and twentieth Day of June yearly during the Continuance of the said Act to such Person or Persons as shall be yearly named and appointed by the Justice at the Quarter-Sessions holden at the Castle of Norwich for the County of Norfolk in the Week after Epiphany to be employed in the cleaning and depthing the North River so far thereof up as is now navigable and also the like Sum of Twenty five Pounds yearly on the Four and twentieth Day of June during the Continuance of the said Act to such Person or Persons as shall be appointed yearly by the Justice at the Sessions holden the Week after Epiphany at Beccles for the County of Suffolk to be employed in cleaning and depthing the River Wensney so far as is now navigable the First yearly Payment of which said respective Sums shall be made on the Four and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven at which Year the said Chamberlains of Great Yarmouth shall over and above the said Sixty Pounds out of the said Duties pay to the Chamberlains of the City of Norwich the Sum of Two hundred Pounds which they have heretofore expended in cleaning and depthing the River between the New Mills in the said City of Norwich and Hardly-Cross

VIII.  
Out of the Duties  
of this Act W 111  
5-7 Corporation of  
Yarmouth to pay  
to Corporation of  
Norwich, &c.  
partly to be employed  
as herein mentioned.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Mayor Sheriffs Citizens and Commonalty of the City of Norwich in Common Council assembled and for the Justices of the Peace of the Counties of Norfolk and Suffolk at their respective Quarter Sessions at the Castle of Norwich and Beccles as aforesaid from time to time to dispose [of] order and direct the Payment of the respective yearly Sums of Money appointed to them out of the Year Duties above mentioned for Maresch Workmens Wages or otherwise for cleaning and depthing the Rivers aforesaid as occasion shall require and the said yearly Sums hereby allowed for the said Rivers shall be yearly accounted for before the Commissioners that shall be appointed in and to the Account of the Money assent by the aforesaid Act for maintaining and repairing the Haven and Port of Great Yarmouth which Commissioners shall have Power as in the said Act from time to time during the Continuance of the said Act to call before them the Treasurers or others who shall be intrusted with the Receipt or Employment of the several Sums hereby granted who shall and are by virtue of this Act required to render unto the said Commissioners or any seven of them a true Account thereof and of all and every Sums and Sums of Money which shall out due upon such Account

IX.  
Mayor, for  
the River  
and  
Quarter Sessions  
for Norfolk and  
Suffolk, may direct  
Expenses of  
Money for  
cleaning, &c.  
Harbour Rivers

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Roll

X.  
Expenses for  
buying Money  
from Bankers, &c.

AND for the better and more effectual Performance of all and singular the Premises in this Act contained it is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the Mayor of Norwich for the Time being and One other Justice of the Peace of the [said] City of Norwich and for any Two Justices of the Peace to be appointed by the Justices of the Peace at each respective Sessions aforesaid to make Leases by their several Warrants for such Sums of Money as shall be in the Hands of any Receivers Overplus or other Officer whatsoever by them employed that are not duly applied or paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of the said Act

XI.  
Quarter Sessions  
may also Money  
for clearing Part of  
the River.

Provided always That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Justices of the Peace for the County of Norfolk at their Quarter Sessions yearly one of the Twenty five Pounds payable for the North River to allow such Part thereof as they shall think convenient for the cleaning and deepening that Branch of the said River which leads from Saint Benet's Abbey to Dilham

XII.  
Proviso for 1688,  
15 & 17 Geo. II  
c. 34, 35.

Provided always That nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to extend in repeal or alter an Act of Parliament made in the Seventh and Seventh Years of the Reign of King Charles the Second intitled An Act for settling of Differences between the Towns of Great and Little Yarmouth touching the being and unloading of Harems and other Merchandises and Commodities

XIII.  
Proviso for  
Provisions of  
Yarmouth and  
Norwich.

SAVED always and reserved to the said Corporation of Great Yarmouth and Inhabitants of the said Borough as also to the Corporation of the City of Norwich as well Freeman as Inhabitants of the same and to all Bodies Politick and Corporate and Persons whatsoever all Franchises Rights Benefits Advantages Privileges Exemptions and Immunities as to all Matters and Things whatsoever not herein by this Act expressly provided for as they might lawfully have had and enjoyed if this Act had not been made.

#### CHAPTER XL<sup>(1)</sup>

An Act for an Union of the Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland

See Parl. Calens.  
p. 4, 6, 7.

Most gracious Sovereigns.

Record of Articles  
of Union, dated  
19th July, 5 Ann. c.

WHEREAS Articles of Union were agreed on the Twenty second Day of July in the Fifth Year of Your Majesties Reign by the Commissioners nominated on Behalf of the Kingdom of England under Your Majesties Great Seal of England bearing Date at Westminster the Tenth Day of April then last past in pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in England in the Third Year of Your Majesties Reign and the Commissioners nominated on Behalf of the Kingdom of Scotland under Your Majesties Great Seal of Scotland bearing Date the Twenty seventh Day of February in the Fourth Year of Your Majesties Reign in pursuance of the Fourth Article of the Third Session of the present Parliament of Scotland to treat of and concerning an Union of the said Kingdoms And whereas an Act hath passed in the Parliament of Scotland at Edinburgh the Sixteenth Day of January in the Fifth Year of Your Majesties Reign wherein 'tis mentioned that the Estates of Parliament considering the said Articles of Union of the Two Kingdoms had agreed to and approved of the said Articles of Union with some Additions and Explanations and that Your Majesty with Advice and Consent of the Estates of Parliament for establishing the Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government within the Kingdom of Scotland had passed in the same Session of Parliament an Act intitled Act for settling of the Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government which by the Tenor thereof was appointed to be inserted in any Act settling the Treaty and expressly declared to be a fundamental and essential Condition of the said Treaty or Union in all Times to come the Tenor of which Articles so ratified and approved of with Additions and Explanations by the said Act of Parliament of Scotland follows

and of an Act of  
Parliament passed  
in Scotland, 18th  
January, 5 Ann.

#### ARTICLE I

The Kingdoms  
United;

Ensigns Accorded.

THAT the Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland shall upon the First Day of May which shall be in the Year One thousand seven hundred and [seven] and for ever after be united into One Kingdom by the Name of Great Britain and that the Ensigns Armorial of the said United Kingdom be such as Her Majesty shall appoint and the Crosses of St. George and St. Andrew be enjoyed in such Manner as Her Majesty shall think fit and used in all Flags Banners Standards and Ensigns both at Sea and Land.

#### ARTICLE II

Succession to the  
Monarchy.

That the Succession to the Monarchy of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and of the Dominions thereto belonging after Her most Sacred Majesty and in default of Issue of Her Majesty be reserved and continue to the most Excellent Princess Sophia Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover and the Heirs of Her Body lawfully Procreating upon whose Crown of England is settled by an Act of Parliament made in England in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for the better

<sup>(1)</sup> inserted on the Roll.

<sup>(2)</sup> This is Chapter VIII. g & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>(3)</sup> given G

Abolition of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject: And that all Papers and Persons enjoying Papers shall be excluded from and for ever incapable to inherit person or enjoy the Imperial Crown of Great Britain, and the Dominions thereto belonging or any Part thereof and in every such Case the Crown and Government shall from time to time descend to and be enjoyed by such Person being a Protestant as should have inherited and enjoyed the same in case such Paper or Person enjoying a Paper was naturally dead according to the Provision for the Descent of the Crown of England made by another Act of Parliament in England in the First Year of the Reign of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intitled *An Act declaring the Rights and Liberties of the Subject and settling the Succession of the Crown*.

## ARTICLE II.

That the United Kingdom of Great Britain be represented by One and the same Parliament to be called The Parliament of Great Britain.

## ARTICLE III.

That all the Subjects of the United Kingdom of Great Britain shall from and after the Union have full Freedom and Recourse of Trade and Navigation to and from any Port or Place within the said United Kingdom and the Dominions and Plantations thereto belonging and that there be a Communication of all other Rights Privileges and Advantages which do or may belong to the Subjects of either Kingdom except where it is otherwise expressly agreed in these Articles.

Trade and Navigation  
and other  
Rights

## ARTICLE V.

That all Ships or Vessels belonging to Her Majesty's Subjects of Scotland at the Time of ratifying the Treaty of Union of the Two Kingdoms in the Parliament of Scotland though Foreign built be deemed and pass as Ships of the Built of Great Britain the Owners or where there are more Owners One as more of the Owners within Twelve Months after the First of May next making Oath that at the Time of ratifying the Treaty of Union in the Parliament of Scotland the same did in Whole or in Part belong to him or them or to some other Subject or Subjects of Scotland to be particularly named with the Place of their respective Abodes and that the same doth then at the Time of the said Deposition wholly belong to him or them And that no Foreigner directly or indirectly hath any Share Part or Interest therein which Oath shall be made before the Chief Officer or Officers of the Customs in the Port next to the Abode of the said Owner or Owners and the said Officer or Officers shall be empowered to administer the said Oath and the Oath being so administered shall be returned by the Officer or Officers who administered the same and being registered by the said Officer or Officers shall be delivered to the Master of the Ship for Security of her Navigation and a Duplicate thereof shall be transmitted by the said Officer or Officers to the Chief Officer or Officers of the Customs in the Port of Edinburgh to be there entered in a Register and from thence to be sent in the Port of London to be there entered in the General Register of all trading Ships belonging to Great Britain.

Shipping.

## ARTICLE VI.

That all Parts of the United Kingdom for ever from and after the Union shall have the same Allowances Encouragements and Drawbacks and be under the same Prohibitions Restrictions and Regulations of Trade and liable to the same Customs and Duties on Import and Export: And that the Allowances Encouragements and Drawbacks Prohibitions Restrictions and Regulations of Trade and the Customs and Duties on Import and Export settled in England when the Union commenced shall from and after the Union take place throughout the whole United Kingdom excepting and reserving the Duties upon Export and Import of such particular Commodities from which any Persons the Subjects of either Kingdom are specially exempted and exempted by their Private Rights which after the Union are to remain safe and entire to them in all Respects as before the same: And that from and after the Union no Scots Cattle carried into England shall be liable to any other Duties either on the Publick or Private Assumps than those Duties to which the Cattle of England are or shall be liable within the said Kingdom: And seeing by the Laws of England there are Rewards granted upon the Exportation of certain Kinds of Grain: whereas One granted or ungranted are not expressed that from and after the Union when Oats shall be sold at Fifteen Shillings bearing per Quarter or under there shall be paid Two Shillings and Six Pence Scantling for every Quarter of the Oats sold in the Terms of the Law whereby and so long as Rewards are granted for Exportation of other Grain and that the [Bourne] of Scotland have the same Rewards as barley And in respect the Importation of Virtual into Scotland from any Place beyond Sea would prove a Discouragement to Tillage therefore that the Prohibition as now in force by the Law of Scotland against Importation of Virtual from Ireland or any other Place beyond Sea into Scotland do after the Union remain in the same force as now it is well more proper and effectual Ways be provided by the Parliament of Great Britain for discouraging the Importation of the said Virtuals from beyond Sea.

Exemption of  
Trade, Duties, &c.

## ARTICLE VII.

That all Parts of the United Kingdom be for ever from and after the Union liable to the same Excise upon all excisable Liquors excepting only that the Thirty four Gallons English Barrel of Beer or Ale amounting to Twelve Gallons Scots present Measure sold in Scotland by the Bowser at Nine Shillings Six pence Scantling

Excise

excluding all Duties and refines including Duties and the Retailers Profit at Two pence the Scots Pint or Eight Part of the Scots Gallon be not after the Union liable on account of the present Excise upon excisable Liquors in England to any higher Imposition than Two Shillings Sterling upon the aforesaid Thru four Gallons English Barrel being Twelve Gallons the present Scots Measure and that the Excise settled in England on all other Liquors when the Union commences take place throughout the whole United Kingdom.

## ARTICLE VIII.

Salt Duties, &amp;c.

That from and after the Union all Foreign Salt which shall be imported into Scotland shall be charged as the Importation there with the same Duties as the like Salt is now charged with being imported into England and so to be levied and secured in the same Manner but in regard the Duties of great Quantities of Foreign Salt imported may be very heavy upon the Merchants Importers that therefore all Foreign Salt imported into Scotland shall be collard and locked up under the Custody of the Merchants Importers and the Officers employed for levying the Duties upon Salt and that the Merchant may have what Quantity thereof his Occasion may require not under a Wey or Farry Bushel at a Time giving Security for the Duty of what Quantity he receives payable in Six Months But Scotland shall for the Space of Seven Years from the said Union be exempted from paying in Scotland for Salt made there the Duty or Excise now payable for Salt made in England but from the Expatriation of the said Seven Years shall be subject and liable to the same Duties for Salt made in Scotland as shall be then payable for Salt made in England to be levied and secured in the same Manner and with proportionable Drawbacks and Allowances as in England with this Exception that Scotland shall after the said Seven Years remain exempted from the Duty of Two Shillings Four Pence a Bushel on Home Salt imposed by an Act made in England in the Ninth and Tenth of King William the Third of England and of the Parliament of Great Britain shall at or before the expiring of the said Seven Years substitute any other Fund in Place of the said Two Shillings Four Pence of Excise on the Bushel of Home Salt Scotland shall after the said Seven Years bear a Proportion of the said Fund and have an Equivalent in the Terms of this Treaty and that during the said Seven Years there shall be paid in England for all Salt made in Scotland and imported from thence into England the same Duties upon the Importation as shall be payable for Salt made in England to be levied and secured in the same Manner as the Duties on Foreign Salt are to be levied and secured in England And that after the said Seven Years as long as the said Duty of Two Shillings Four Pence a Bushel upon Salt is continued in England the said Two Shillings and Four Pence a Bushel shall be payable for all Salt made in Scotland and imported into England to be levied and secured in the same Manner and that during the Continuance of the Duty of Two Shillings Four Pence a Bushel upon Salt made in England no Salt whatsoever be brought from Scotland to England by Land in any Manner under the Penalty of forfeiting the Salt and the Cattle and Carriages made use of in bringing the same and paying Twenty Shillings for every Bushel of such Salt and proportionally for a greater or lesser Quantity for which the Carrier as well as the Owner shall be liable jointly and severally and the Persons bringing or carrying the same to be imprisoned by any one Justice of the Peace by the Space of Six Months without Bail and until the Penalty be paid And for establishing an Equality in Trade that all Fish exported from Scotland to England and put on Board in Scotland to be exported to Ports beyond the Seas and (Provisions\*) for Ships in Scotland and for Foreign Voyages may be mixed with Scots Salt paying the same Duty for what Salt is so employed as the like Quantity of such Salt pays in England and under the same Penalties Forfeitures and Provisions for preventing of Frauds as are mentioned in the Laws of England And that from and after the Union the Laws and Acts of Parliament in Scotland for giving curing and packing of Herrings White Fish and Salmon for Exportation with Foreign Salt only without any Mixture of Berries or Irish Salt and for preventing of Frauds in curing and packing of Fish be continued in force in Scotland subject to such Alterations as shall be made by the Parliament of Great Britain And that all Fish exported from Scotland to Ports beyond the Seas which shall be cured with Foreign Salt only and without Mixture of British or Irish Salt shall have the same Excess Privileges and Drawbacks as are or shall be allowed to such Persons as export the like Fish from England and that for Encouragement of the Herring Fishing there shall be allowed and paid to the Subjects Inhabitants of Great Britain during the present Allowances for other Fish Ten Shillings Five Pence Sterling for every Barrel of White Herrings which shall be exported from Scotland and that there shall be allowed Five Shillings Sterling for every Barrel of Beef or Pork mixed with Foreign Salt without Mixture of British or Irish Salt and exported for Sale from Scotland to Ports beyond Sea allowable by the Parliament of Great Britain And if any Mixture of Fraud relating to the said Duties on Salt shall hereafter appear which are not sufficiently provided against by this Article the same shall be subject to such further Provisions as shall be thought fit by the Parliament of Great Britain.

## ARTICLE IX.

Land Tax.

That whenever the Sum of One million nine hundred ninety seven thousand seven hundred and sixty five Pounds Eight Shillings and Four Pence Half pence shall be enacted by the Parliament of Great Britain to be raised in this Part of the United Kingdom now called England and other Things therein charged by Acts of Parliament there for granting an Aid to the Crown by a Land Tax that Part of the United Kingdom now called Scotland shall be charged by the same Act with a further Sum of Forty eight thousand Pounds less of all Charges as the Queen of Scotland to such Tax and so proportionally for any greater or lesser Sum raised

in England by any Tax on Land and other Things usually charged together with the Land and that such Quota for Scotland in the Cases aforesaid be raised and collected in the same Manner as the Cens now is in Scotland but subject to such Regulations as the Manner of collecting as shall be made by the Parliament of Great Britain.

## ARTICLE X.

That during the Continuance of the respective Duties on Stamp Paper Vellum and Parchment by the several Acts now in force in England Scotland shall not be charged with the same respective Duties.

## ARTICLE XI.

That during the Continuance of the Duties payable in England on Windows and Lights which determine on the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten Scotland shall not be charged with the same Duties.

## ARTICLE XII.

That during the Continuance of the Duties payable in England on Coals Culm and Cynders which determine on the Thirtieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and ten Scotland shall not be charged therewith for Coals Culm and Cynders consumed there but shall be charged with the same Duties as in England for all Coals Culm and Cynders not consumed in Scotland.

## ARTICLE XIII.

That during the Continuance of the Duty payable in England upon Malt which determine the Twentieth fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and seven Scotland shall not be charged with that Duty.

## ARTICLE XIII.

That the Kingdom of Scotland be not charged with any other Duties laid on by the Parliament of England before the Union except those contained in this Treaty in regard to it is agreed that all necessary Provision shall be made by the Parliament of Scotland for the Publick Charge and Service of that Kingdom for the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven. Provided nevertheless that if the Parliament of England shall think fit to lay any further Impositions by way of Customs or such Excises with which by virtue of this Treaty Scotland is to be charged equally with England in such Case Scotland shall be liable to the same Customs and Excises and have as Equivalent to be settled by the Parliament of Great Britain with this further Provision That any Malt to be made and consumed in that Part of the United Kingdom now called Scotland shall not be charged with any Imposition on Malt during this present War. And seeing it cannot be supposed that the Parliament of Great Britain will ever lay any Sort of Burthens upon the United Kingdom but what they shall find of Necessary at the Time for the Preservation and Good of the Whole and with due regard to the Circumstances and Abilities of every Part of the United Kingdom therefore it is agreed that there be no further Exemption laid upon any Part of the United Kingdom but that the Consideration of any Exemptions beyond what are already agreed on in this Treaty shall be left to the Determination of the Parliament of Great Britain.

## ARTICLE XV.

That whereas by the Terms of this Treaty the Subjects of Scotland for preserving an Equality of Trade throughout the United Kingdom will be liable to several Customs and Taxes now payable in England which will be applicable towards Payment of the Debts of England contracted before the Union it is agreed that Scotland shall have an Equivalent for what the Subjects thereof shall be so charged towards Payment of the said Debts of England in all Particulars whatsoever in Manner following viz. That before the Union of the said Kingdoms the Sum of Three hundred ninety eight thousand and eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings be granted to Her Majesty by the Parliament of England for the Use after mentioned being the Equivalent to be answered to Scotland for each Part of the said Customs and Excises upon all Exchequer Liquors with which that Kingdom is to be charged upon the Union as well be applicable to the Payment of the said Debts of England according to the Proportions which the present Customs in Scotland being Thirty thousand Pounds per Annum do bear to the Customs in England computed at One within three hundred forty one thousand five hundred and fifty nine Pounds per Annum and which the present Excises on Exchequer Liquors in Scotland being Thirty three thousand and five hundred Pounds per Annum do bear to the Excises on Exchequer Liquors in England computed at Nine hundred forty seven thousand six hundred and two Pounds per Annum which Sum of Three hundred ninety eight thousand eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings shall be due and payable from the Time of the Union and in regard that after the Union Scotland becoming liable to the same Customs and Duties payable on Imports and Exports and to the same Taxes on all Exchequer Liquors as in England as well upon that Account as upon the Account of the Increase of Trade and People (which will be the happy Consequence of the Union) the said Revenues will much exceed beyond the before mentioned several Values thereof of which no present Estimate can be made yet nevertheless for the Reasons aforesaid there ought to be a proportionable Equivalent

answered to Scotland it is agreed that after the Union there shall be an Account kept of the said Duties arising in Scotland to the End it may appear what ought to be answered to Scotland as an Equivalent for such Proportions of the said Excises as shall be applicable to the Payment of the Debts of England. And for the further and more effectual answering the several Ends hereafter mentioned it is agreed that from and after the Union the whole Exercise of the Revenues of Customs and Duties on Import and Export and Excises upon Tonnage and Liggers in Scotland over and above the annual Produce of the said respective Duties as above stated shall go and be applied for the Term of Seven Years to the Uses hereafter mentioned and that upon the said Account there shall be answered to Scotland annually from the End of Seven Years after the Union an Equivalent in Proportion to such Part of the said Excises as shall be applicable to the Debts of England and generally that an Equivalent shall be answered to Scotland for such Parts of the English Duties in Scotland as may hereafter become liable to pay by Reason of the Union other than such for which Appropriations have been made by Parliament in England of the Customs or other Duties on Export and Import Tonnage on all Exchange Liggers in respect of which Duties Equivalents are herein before provided. And as for the Uses to which the said Sum of Three hundred ninety eight thousand eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings so be granted as aforesaid and all other Monies which are to be answered or allowed to Scotland as aforesaid are to be applied it is agreed that in the first Place use of the aforesaid Sum what Consideration shall be found necessary to be had for any Losses which private Persons may sustain by reducing the Case of Scotland to the Standard and Value of the Coin of England may be made good in the next Place that the Capital Stock or Fund of the African and Indian Company of Scotland advanced together with Interest for the said Capital Stock after the Rate of Five per Centum per Annum from the respective Times of the Payment thereof shall be paid. Upon Payment of which Capital Stock and Interest it is agreed the said Company be dissolved and cease and also that from the Time of passing the Act of Parliament in England for raising the said Sum of Three hundred ninety eight thousand eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings the said Company shall sell the said Sum as grant Licence to trade providing that if the said Stock and Interest did not be paid in Twelve Months after the Commencement of the Union that then the said Company may from thenceforward trade or give Licence to trade until the said whole Capital Stock and Interest shall be paid as to the Overplus of the said Sum of Three hundred ninety eight thousand eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings after Payment of what Consideration shall be had for Losses in repaying the Coin and paying the said Capital Stock and Interest and also the whole Exercise of the said Revenues of Customs Duties and Excises above the present Value which shall arise in Scotland during the said Term of Seven Years together with the Equivalents which shall become due upon the Improvement thereof in Scotland after the said Term and also as to all other Sums which according to the Agreements aforesaid may become payable to Scotland by Way of Equivalent for what that Kingdom shall hereafter become liable towards Payment of the [Debts] of England it is agreed that the same be applied in Manner following viz. That all the publick Debts of the Kingdom of Scotland as shall be adjusted by this present Parliament shall be paid and that Two thousand Pounds per Annum for the Space of Seven Years shall be applied towards encouraging and promoting the Manufactures of coarse Wooll within three Miles which produce the Wooll and that the first Two thousand Pounds Sterling be paid at Martinmas next and so yearly at Martinmas during the Space aforesaid and afterwards the same shall be wholly applied towards the encouraging and promoting the Fisheries and such other Manufactures and Improvements as Scotland in any way conduces to the general Good of the United Kingdom. And it is agreed that Her Majesty be empowered to appoint Commissioners who shall be accountable to the Parliament of Great Britain for disposing the said Sum of Three hundred ninety eight thousand and eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings and all other Monies which shall arise in Scotland upon the Agreements aforesaid to the Purposes before mentioned which Commissioners shall be empowered to call for receive and dispose of the said Monies in Manner aforesaid and to inspect the Books of the several Collectors of the said Revenues and of all other Duties from whence an Equivalent may arise and that the Collectors and Managers of the said Revenues and Duties be obliged to give to the said Commissioners subscribed authentic Attestations of the Produce of such Revenues and Duties arising in their respective Districts and that the said Commissioners shall have their Office within the Limits of Scotland and shall in such Office keep Books containing Accounts of the Amount of the Equivalents and how the same shall have been disposed of from time to time which may be inspected by any of the Subjects who shall desire the same.

## ARTICLE XVI.

Cox.

That from and after the Union the Coin shall be of the same Standard and Value throughout the United Kingdom as now in England and a Mint shall be continued in Scotland under the same Rules as the Mint in England and the present Officers of the Mint continued subject to such Regulations and Alterations as Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or the Parliament of Great Britain shall think fit.

## ARTICLE XVII.

Weights and Measures.

That from and after the Union the same Weights and Measures shall be used throughout the United Kingdom as are now established in England and Standards of Weights and Measures shall be kept by those Bishops in Scotland to whom the keeping the Standards of Weights and Measures now in Use there does of special Right belong. All which Standards shall be sent down to such respective Bishops from the Standards kept in the Exchequer at Westminster subject nevertheless to such Regulations as the Parliament of Great Britain shall think fit.

## ARTICLE XVIII.

That the Laws concerning Regulation of Trade Customs and such Encumbrances to which Scotland is by virtue of this Treaty to be liable be the same in Scotland from and after the Union as in England and that all other Laws in Use within the Kingdom of Scotland do after the Union, and notwithstanding thereof remain in the same Force as before (except such as are contrary to or inconsistent with this Treaty) but alterable by the Parliament of Great Britain with this Difference between the Laws concerning publick Right Policy and Civil Government and those which concern private Right [that the Laws which concern publick Right Policy and Civil Government may be made the same throughout the whole United Kingdom] But that no Alteration be made in Laws which concern private Right except for evident Utility of the Subjects within Scotland.

Laws concerning publick Rights.

Private Rights.

## ARTICLE XIX.

That the Court of Session or College of Justice do after the Union and notwithstanding thereof remain in all Time coming within Scotland as it is now constituted by the Laws of that Kingdom and with the same Authority and Privileges as before the Union subject nevertheless to such Regulations for the better Administration of Justice as shall be made by the Parliament of Great Britain and that hereafter none shall be styled by Her Majesty or Her Royal Successors to be Ordinary Lords of Session but such who have served in the College of Justice as Advocates or Principal Clerks of Session for the Space of Five Years or as Writers in the Signet for the Space of Ten Years with this Provision that no Writer to the Signet be capable to be admitted a Lord of the Session unless he undergo a private and publick Tryal on the Oath Law before the Faculty of Advocates and be found by them qualified for the said Office Two Years before he be named to be a Lord of the Session yet so as to the Qualifications made or to be made for expediting Persons to be named Ordinary Lords of Session may be altered by the Parliament of Great Britain And that the Court of Justiciary do also after the Union and notwithstanding thereof remain in all Time coming within Scotland as it is now constituted by the Laws of the Kingdom and with the same Authority and Privileges as before the Union subject nevertheless to such Regulations as shall be made by the Parliament of Great Britain and without Prejudice of other Rights of Justiciary And that all Admiralty Jurisdiction be under the Lord High Admiral or Commissioners for the Admiralty of Great Britain for the Time being and that the Court of Admiralty now established in Scotland be continued and that all Reviews Reductions or Suspensions of the Sentence in maritime Cases competent to the Jurisdiction of that Court remain in the same Manner after the Union as now in Scotland and the Parliament of Great Britain shall make such Regulations and Alterations as shall be judged expedient for the whole United Kingdom so as there be always continued in Scotland a Court of Admiralty such as in England for Determination of all maritime Cases relating to private Rights in Scotland competent to the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty Court subject nevertheless to such Regulations and Alterations as shall be thought proper to be made by the Parliament of Great Britain And that the Honorable Rights of Admiralty and Vice Admiralties in Scotland be reserved to the respective Proprietors as Rights of Property subject nevertheless as to the Manner of exercising such Honorable Rights to such Regulations and Alterations as shall be thought proper to be made by the Parliament of Great Britain And that all other Courts now in being within the Kingdom of Scotland do remain but subject to Alterations by the Parliament of Great Britain and that all inferior Courts within the said Limits do remain whatsoever as they are now to the success Courts of Justice within the same in all Time coming And that no Causes in Scotland be cognizable by the Courts of Chancery Queen's Bench Common Pleas or any other Court in Westminster Hall and that the said Courts or any other of the like Name after the Union shall have no Power to cognize any law or alter the Acts or Sentences of the Justiciaries within Scotland or stop the Execution of the same And that there be a Court of Exchequer in Scotland after the Union for deciding Questions concerning the Revenue of Customs and Excise there being the same Power and Authority in such Cases to the Court of Exchequer as in England and that the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland have Power of issuing Signatures Ofis Testes and in other Things as the Court of Exchequer at present in Scotland hath and that the Court of Exchequer that now is in Scotland do remain until a new Court of Exchequer be settled by the Parliament of Great Britain in Scotland after the Union And that after the Union the Queen's Majesty and Her Royal Successors may constitute a Privy Council in Scotland for preserving of publick Peace and Order and the Parliament of Great Britain shall think fit to alter it or establish (supra) other effectual Method for that End.

Court of Session.

Writers in the Signet, admitted Lords of Session.

Court of Justiciary.

Admiralty Jurisdiction reserved to the Court of Admiralty.

Other Courts.

Causes in Scotland not cognizable in Courts in Westminster Hall.

Court of Exchequer.

Privy Council in Scotland.

Honorable Officers, &amp;c.

Royal Begges.

## ARTICLE XX.

That all Honorable Offices Superiories Hereditary Jurisdiction Offices for Life and Jurisdiction for Life be reserved to the Owners thereof as Rights of Property in the same Manner as they are now enjoyed by the Laws of Scotland notwithstanding this Treaty.

## ARTICLE XXI.

That the Rights and Privileges of the Royal Burghs in Scotland as they now are do remain entire after the Union and notwithstanding thereof.



## ARTICLE XXII.

Sixteen Peers of  
Scotland.

That by virtue of this Treaty of the Peers of Scotland at the Time of the Union Shewn shall be the Member to sit and vote in the House of Lords and Forty five the Member of the Representatives of Scotland in the House of Commons of the Parliament of Great Britain and that when Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall declare Her or Their Pleasure for holding the First or any subsequent Parliament of Great Britain until the Parliament of Great Britain shall make further Provision therein a Writ do issue under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom directed to the Privy Council of Scotland commanding them to cause Sixteen Peers who are to sit in the House of Lords to be summoned to Parliament and Forty five Members to be chosen so as in the House of Commons of the Parliament of Great Britain according to the Agreement in this Treaty in such Manner as by an Act of this present Session of the Parliament of Scotland is or shall be settled which Act is hereby declared to be as valid as if it were a Part of and incorporated in this Treaty And that the Names of the Persons so summoned and elected shall be returned by the Privy Council of Scotland into the Court from whence the said Writ do issue And that if Her Majesty on or before the First Day of May next on which Day the Union is to take place shall declare under the Great Seal of England that it is expedient that the Lords of Parliament of England and Commons of the present Parliament of England should be the Members of the respective Houses of the said Parliament of Great Britain for and on the Part of England then the said Lords of Parliament of England and Commons of the present Parliament of England shall be the Members of the respective Houses of the First Parliament of Great Britain for and on the Part of England And Her Majesty may by Her Royal Proclamation under the Great Seal of Great Britain appoint the said First Parliament of Great Britain to meet at such Time and Place as Her Majesty shall think fit which Time shall not be less than Fifty Days after the Date of such Proclamation and the Time and Place of the Meeting of such Parliament being as appointed a Writ shall be immediately issued under the Great Seal of Great Britain directed to the Privy Council of Scotland for the summoning of Sixteen Peers and for electing Forty five Members by whom Scotland is to be represented in the Parliament of Great Britain And the Lords of Parliament of England and the Sixteen Peers of Scotland each Sixteen Peers being summoned and returned in the Manner agreed in this Treaty and the Members of the House of Commons of the said Parliament of England and the Forty five Members for Scotland each Forty five Members being elected and returned in the Manner agreed in this Treaty shall assemble and meet respectively in the respective Houses of the Parliament of Great Britain at such Time and Place as shall be so appointed by Her Majesty and shall be the Two Houses of the First Parliament of Great Britain and that Parliament may continue for such Time only as the present Parliament of England might have continued if the Union of the Two Kingdoms had not been made unless sooner dissolved by Her Majesty And that every one of the Lords of Parliament of Great Britain and every Member of the House of Commons of the Parliament of Great Britain in the First and of succeeding Parliaments of Great Britain until the Parliament of Great Britain shall otherwise direct shall take the respective Oaths appointed to be taken in stead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy by an Act of Parliament made in England in the First Year of the Reign of the late King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the abolishing [of] the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths and make subscribe and solemnly repeat the Declaration mentioned in an Act of Parliament made in England in the Thirtieth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the more effectual preserving the King Person and Government by disabling Papists from sitting in either House of Parliament and shall take and subscribe the Oath mentioned in an Act of Parliament made in England in the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign intitled An Act to declare the Abjuration in the Oath appointed to be taken by the Act intitled in the Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestation and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open secret Abettors and for detaching the Association to be dissolved at such Time and in such Manner as the Members of both Houses of Parliament of England are by the said respective Acts directed to take make and subscribe the same upon the Petition and Demands in the said respective Acts contained And it is declared and agreed that these Words The Realm The Crown of this Realm and The Queen of this Realm mentioned in the Oaths and Declaration contained in the aforesaid Acts which were intended to signify the Crown and Realm of England shall be understood of the Crown and Realm of Great Britain and that in that Sense the said Oaths and Declaration be taken and subscribed by the Members of both Houses of the Parliament of Great Britain.

Members of  
both Houses of  
ParliamentThe 1<sup>st</sup> W. & M.  
c. 2 § 11.The 30<sup>th</sup> Car. II.  
Stat. 4. c. 2.The 1<sup>st</sup> Ann. c. 11.

## ARTICLE XXIII.

Privileges of the  
Sixteen Peers of  
Scotland.

That the aforesaid Sixteen Peers of Scotland mentioned in the last preceding Article to sit in the House of Lords of the Parliament of Great Britain shall have all Privileges of Parliament which the Peers of England now have and which they as any Peers of Great Britain shall have after the Union and particularly the Right of Sitting upon the Throne of Peers And in case of the Death of any Peer in Time of Adjournment or Prorogation of Parliament the said Sixteen Peers shall be summoned in the same Manner and have the same Powers and Privileges at such Time as any other Peers of Great Britain and that in case any Tryals of Peers shall happen when there is no Parliament in being the Sixteen Peers of Scotland who sit at the last preceding Parliament shall be summoned in the same Manner and have the same Powers and Privileges at such Time as any other Peers of Great Britain and that all Peers of Scotland and their Successors in their Houses and Dignities

\* continued on the Roll.

shall from and after the Union be Peers of Great Britain and have Rank and Precedency next and immediately after the Peers of the three Orders and Degrees in England at the Time of the Union and before all Peers of Great Britain and shall enjoy all Privileges of Peers as fully as the Peers of England do now or as they or any other Peers of Great Britain may hereafter enjoy the same except the Right and Privilege of sitting in the House of Lords and the Privileges depending thereon and particularly the Right of sitting upon the Throne of Peers.

## ARTICLE XXIV.

That from and after the Union there be one Great Seal for the United Kingdom of Great Britain which shall be different from the Great Seal now used in either Kingdom And that the quivering the Arms and the Rank and Precedency of the Lyon King of Arms of the Kingdom of Scotland as may best suit the Union be left to the Majesty And that in the mean time the Great Seal of England be used as the Great Seal of the United Kingdom and that the Great Seal of the United Kingdom be used for sealing Writs to elect and return the Parliament of Great Britain and for sealing all Treaties with Foreign Princes and States and all Public Acts, Statutes and Orders of State which concern the whole United Kingdom and in all other Matters relating to England as the Great Seal of England is now used and that a Seal in Scotland after the Union be always kept and made use of in all Things relating to private Rights or Grants which have usually passed the Great Seal of Scotland and which only concern Officers Great Commissioners and private Rights within that Kingdom and that said such Seal shall be appointed by Her Majesty the present Great Seal of Scotland shall be used for such Purposes until the Great Seal of Great Britain be made and until the said Seal be altered and adapted to the State of the Union as Her Majesty shall think fit and the said Seals and all of them and the Keepers of them shall be subject to such Regulations as the Parliament of Great Britain shall hereafter make And that the Cross Scepter and Sword of State the Records of Parliaments and all other Records Books and Registers whatsoever both Public and Private General and Particular and Warrants thereof continue to be kept as they are within that Part of the United Kingdom now called Scotland and that they shall so remain in all Time coming [unrepealed] the Union.

## ARTICLE XXV.

That all Laws and Statutes in either Kingdom so far as they are contrary to or inconsistent with the Terms of these Articles or any of them shall from and after the Union come and become void and shall be so declared to be by the respective Parliaments of the said Kingdoms.

As by the said Articles of Union ratified and approved by the said Act of Parliament of Scotland Relation [being thereto] had may appear

And the Tenor of the aforesaid Act for settling the Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government within the Kingdom of Scotland is as follows.

OUR Sovereign Lady and the Estates of Parliament considering that by the late Act of Parliament for a Treaty with England for an Union of both Kingdoms it is provided that the Commissioners for that Treaty should not use or concerning any Alteration of the Worship Discipline and Government of the Church of this Kingdom is now by Law established which Treaty being now reported to the Parliament and it being reasonable and necessary that the true Protestant Religion is presently professed within this Kingdom with the Worship Discipline and Government of this Church should be effectually and unanimously secured therefore Her Majesty with Advice and Consent of the said Estates of Parliament doth hereby establish and confirm the said true Protestant Religion and the Worship Discipline and Government of this Church to continue without any Alteration to the People of this Land in all succeeding Generations and more especially Her Majesty with Advice and Consent doth hereby approve and far ever confirm the Fifth Act of the First Parliament of King William and Queen Mary entitled An Act ratifying the Confession of Faith and settling Presbyterian Church Government with all other Acts of Parliament relating thereto in Prosecution of the Declaration of the Estates of this Kingdom containing the Claim of Right bearing Date the Eleventh of April One thousand six hundred and eighty nine And Her Majesty with Advice and Consent aforesaid expressly provides and declares that the foresaid true Protestant Religion contained in the above mentioned Confession of Faith with the Form and Purty of Worship presently in Use within this Church and its Presbyterian Church Government and Discipline (that is to say) the Government of the Church by Kirk Sessions Presbyteries Provincial Synods and General Assemblies all established by the foresaid Acts of Parliament pursuant to the Claim of Right shall remain and continue unalterable and that the said Presbyterian Government shall be the only Government of the Church within the Kingdom of Scotland

And further for the greater Security of the foresaid Protestant Religion and of the Worship Discipline and Government of this Church as above established Her Majesty with Advice and Consent aforesaid statutes and ordains that the Universities and Colleges of Saint Andrew's Glasgow Aberdeen and Edinburgh as now established by Law shall continue within this Kingdom for ever and that in all Time coming no Professors Principals Regents

Her Majesty

Great Seal

Seal kept in Scotland.

Great Seal, now in Scotland.

England.

Laws inconsistent with the Articles, void.

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Acts of Scotland being unrepealed, confirmed.

Universities and Colleges of Saint Andrew's, Glasgow, Aberdeen and Edinburgh, as continued.

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Minister or others having Office in any University College or School within this Kingdom be capable or be admitted or allowed to continue in the Exercise of their said Functions but such as shall own and acknowledge the Civil Government in Manner prescribed or to be prescribed by the Acts of Parliament in also this before or at their Admissions they do and shall acknowledge and profess and shall subscribe to the several Confessions of Faith as the Confessors of their Faith and that they will practice and conform themselves to the Worship presently in Use in this Church and submit themselves to the Government and Discipline thereof and receive communion directly or indirectly the Propagation or Subversion of the same and that before the respective Presbyteries of their Bounds by whatsoever Gift Promission or Provision they may be thence provided.

Subjects are liable to Oath, Test, or Subscription, inconsistent with the Protestant Church Government.

Persons are sworn to maintain the said Settlement of Religion.

And further Her Majesty with Advice aforesaid expressly declares and enacts that none of the Subjects of this Kingdom shall be liable to but all and every one of them for ever free of any Oath Test or Subscription within this Kingdom contrary to or inconsistent with the several true Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government Worship and Discipline as above established and that the same within the Bounds of this Church and Kingdom shall never be imposed upon or required of them in any Sort And lastly that after the Dissolution of Her present Majesty (whom God long preserve) the Sovereigns according to Her in the Royal Government of the Kingdom of Great Britain shall in all Time coming at Her or Her Succession to the Crown swear and subscribe that they shall inviolably maintain and preserve the former Settlement of the true Protestant Religion with the Government Worship Discipline Rights and Privileges of this Church as above established by the Laws of this Kingdom in Protection of the Claim of Right.

This Act to be held a fundamental Condition of Union, and to be inserted in any Act of Parliament for establishing the said Union.

This Ratification of the said Articles not binding and they are ratified by Parliament of England, the

And it is hereby enacted and ordained that this Act of Parliament with the Establishment therein contained shall be held and observed in all Time coming as a fundamental and essential Condition of any Treaty or Union to be concluded between the Two Kingdoms without any Alteration thereof or Derogation thereof in any Sort for ever. And also that this Act of Parliament and Settlement therein contained shall be sworn and repeated in any Act of Parliament that shall pass for agreeing and concluding the said Treaty or Union between the Two Kingdoms and that the same shall be therein expressly declared to be a fundamental and essential Condition of the said Treaty or Union in all Time coming which Articles of Union and Act immediately above written Her Majesty with Advice and Consent aforesaid enacts enacts and ordains to be and continue in all Time coming the sole and perpetual Foundation of a complete and entire Union of the Two Kingdoms of Scotland and England under the express Condition and Provision that the Approbation and Ratification of the foresaid Articles and Act shall be no way binding on this Kingdom until the said Articles and Act be ratified approved and confirmed by Her Majesty with and by the Authority of the Parliament of England as they are now agreed to approved and confirmed by Her Majesty with and by the Authority of the Parliament of Scotland declaring nevertheless that the Parliament of England may provide for the Security of the Church of England as they think expedient to take place within the Bounds of the said Kingdom of England and not derogating from the Security above provided for establishing of the Church of Scotland within the Bounds of this Kingdom as also the said Parliament of England may enact the Additions and other Provisions contained in the Articles of Union as above stated in Favour of the Subjects of Scotland to and in Favour of the Subjects of England which shall not suspend or derogate from the Force and Effect of this present Ratification but shall be understood as herein included without the Necessity of any new Ratification in the Parliament of Scotland.

Laws contrary to Articles, void.

And lastly Her Majesty enacts and declares that all Laws and Statutes in this Kingdom in so far they are contrary to or inconsistent with the Terms of these Articles as above mentioned shall from and after the Date hereof and become void.

111.  
c. 11. art.

And whereas an Act hath passed in this present Session of Parliament intitled An Act for securing the Church of England as by Law established the Tenor whereof follows

WHEREAS by an Act made in the Session of Parliament held in the Third and Fourth Year of Her Majesty's Reign whereby Her Majesty was empowered to appoint Commissioners [under the Great Seal of England to treat with Commissioners] to be authorized by the Parliament of Scotland concerning an Union of the Kingdoms of England and Scotland it is provided and enacted that the Commissioners to be named in pursuance of the said Act should not treat of or concerning any Alteration of the Liturgy Rites Ceremonies Discipline or Government of the Church as by Law established within this Realm. And whereas certain Commissioners appointed by Her Majesty in pursuance of the said Act and also other Commissioners nominated by Her Majesty by the Authority of the Parliament of Scotland have met and agreed upon a Treaty of Union of the said Kingdoms which Treaty is now under the Consideration of this present Parliament. And whereas the said Treaty (with some Alterations therein made) is ratified and approved by Act of Parliament in Scotland and the said Act of Ratification is by Her Majesty's Royal Command had before the Parliament of this Kingdom. And whereas it is reasonably and necessary that the true Protestant Religion professed and established by Law in the Church of England and the Doctrine Worship Discipline and Government thereof should be effectually and uniformly secured Be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That in Act made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of Queen Elizabeth of famous Memory intitled An Act for the

Ministers of the Church to be of sound Religion and also another Act made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the Uniformity of the publick Prayers and Administration of Sacraments and other Rites and Ceremonies and for establishing the Form of making ordaining and consecrating Bishops Priests and Deacons in the Church of England (other than such Clauses in the said Acts or either of them as have been repealed or altered by any subsequent Act or Acts of Parliament) and all and singular other Acts of Parliament now in force for the Establishment and Preservation of the Church of England and the Doctrine Worship Discipline and Government thereof shall remain and be in full force for ever.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That after the Desire of Her Majesty (whom God long preserve) the Sovereign next succeeding to Her Majesty in the Royal Government of the Kingdom of Great Britain and so for ever hereafter every King or Queen succeeding and coming to the Royal Government of the Kingdom of Great Britain at His or Her Coronation shall in the Presence of all Persons who shall be attending on him or otherwise then and there present take and subscribe an Oath to maintain and preserve inviolably the said Settlement of the Church of England and the Doctrine Worship Discipline and Government thereof as by Law established within the Kingdoms of England and Ireland the Dominions of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed and the Territories thereto belonging.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act and all and every the Matters and Things therein contained be and shall for ever be holden and adjudged to be a fundamental and essential Part of any Treaty of Union to be concluded between the said Two Kingdoms and also that this Act shall be inserted in open Tables in any Act of Parliament which shall be made for ratifying and ratifying any such Treaty of Union and shall be therein declared to be an essential and fundamental Part thereof.

MAY it therefore please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That all and every the said Articles of Union as ratified and approved by the said Act of Parliament of Scotland as aforesaid and herein before particularly recited and inserted and also the said Act of Parliament of Scotland for establishing the Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government within that Kingdom intitled Act for securing the Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government and every Clause Matter and Thing in the said Articles and Act contained shall be and the said Articles and Act are hereby for ever ratified approved and confirmed.

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Act passed in this present Session of Parliament intitled An Act for securing the Church of England as by Law established and all and every the Matters and Things therein contained and also the said Act of Parliament of Scotland intitled Act for securing the Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government with the Establishment in the said Act contained be and shall for ever be held and adjudged to be and observed as fundamental and essential Conditions of the said Union and shall in all Times coming be taken to be and are hereby declared to be essential and fundamental Parts of the said Articles and Union and the said Articles of Union as so aforesaid ratified approved and confirmed by Act of Parliament of Scotland and by this present Act and the said Act passed in this present Session of Parliament intitled An Act for securing the Church of England as by Law established and also the said Act passed in the Parliament of Scotland intitled Act for securing the Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Church Government are hereby enacted and ordained to be and continue in all Times coming the complete and sole Union of the Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland.

And whereas since the passing the said Act in the Parliament of Scotland for ratifying the said Articles of Union an other Act intitled Act ratifying the Manner of electing the Sixteen Peers and Forty five Members to represent Scotland in the Parliament of Great Britain both likewise passed in the said Parliament of Scotland at Edinburgh the XXII Day of February One thousand seven hundred and seven the Tenor whereof follows

OUR Sovereign Lady considering that by the Twenty second Article of the Treaty of Union as the same is ratified by an Act passed in this Session of Parliament upon the Sixteenth of January last it is provided That by virtue of the said Treaty of the Peers of Scotland at the Time of the Union Shown shall be the Number to sit and vote in the House of Lords and Forty five the Number of the Representatives of Scotland in the House of Commons of the Parliament of Great Britain and that the said Sixteen Peers and Forty five Members in the House of Commons be named and chosen in such Manner as by a subsequent Act in this present Session of Parliament in Scotland should be settled which Act is thereby declared to be as valid as if it was a Part of and ingrossed in the said Treaty Therefore Her Majesty with Advice and Consent of the Estates of Parliament doth enact and ordains that the said Sixteen Peers who shall have Right to sit in the House of Peers in the Parliament of Great Britain on the Part of Scotland by virtue of this Treaty shall be named by the said Peers of Scotland whom they represent their Heirs or Successors to their Dignities and Honours out of their own Number and that by open Election and Plurality of Voices of the Peers present and of the Proxies for such as shall be absent the said Peers being Peers and producing a Mandate in Writing duly signed before Witnesses and both the Counters

IV.  
The said Articles  
and Act of Parlia-  
ment of Scotland  
confirmed.

V.  
Cop. E. 100. 101.  
Of the said Act of  
Parliament of  
Scotland to be  
observed as funda-  
mental Conditions  
of the said Union.

and the said Articles  
and Acts of Parlia-  
ment to continue  
the Union.

VI.  
Recital of Act of  
Parliament of  
Scotland for settling  
 Election of the  
Sixteen Peers and  
Forty five Members  
for Scotland.



immediately after the Election to return the Names of the Persons so elected (certified under his Hand) to the Clerk of Privy Council to the End that the Names of the Sixteen Peers Thirty Commissioners for Shires and Fifteen Commissioners for Burghs being so returned to the Privy Council may be returned to the Court from whence the Writ did issue under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to return to the said Twenty second Article.

And whereas by the said Twenty second Article it is agreed that if Her Majesty shall on or before the First Day of May next declare that it is expedient the Lords and Commons of the present Parliament of England should be the Members of the respective Houses of the First Parliament of Great Britain for and as the Part of England they shall accordingly be the Members of the said respective Houses for and as the Part of England His Majesty with Advice and Consent aforesaid in that Case only such worthy persons and such as the Sixteen Peers and Forty five Commissioners for Shires and Burghs who shall be chosen by the Peers Barons and Burghs respectively in this present Session of Parliament and out of the Members thereof in the same Manner as Commons of Parliament are usually now chosen shall be the Members of the respective Houses of the said First Parliament of Great Britain for and as the Part of Scotland which Nomination and Election being certified by a Writ under the Lord Clerk Register's Hand the Persons so nominated and elected shall have Right to sit and vote in the House of Lords and in the House of Commons of the said First Parliament of Great Britain.

As by the said Act passed in Scotland for setting the Manner of electing the Sixteen Peers and Forty five Members to represent Scotland in the Parliament of Great Britain may appear It is therefore further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the said last mentioned Act passed in Scotland for setting the Manner of electing the Sixteen Peers and Forty five Members to represent Scotland in the Parliament of Great Britain as aforesaid shall be and the same is hereby declared to be as valid as if the same had been Part of and engrossed in the said Articles of Union ratified and approved by the said Act of Parliament of Scotland and by this Act as aforesaid.

VII.  
The said Act declared void, as if it had been Part of the said Articles of Union.

## CHAPTER XII. (\*)

AN Act for rendering more effectual an Act passed in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign intitled An Act for the better preventing Escapes out of the Queen's Bench and Fleet Prisons:

Est. Part. 5. ch. 2.  
p. 2. s. 2.

WHEREAS the Liberties and Custody of several County Gaols are in private Persons by Means whereof the good Interest of a certain Act made in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign intitled An Act for the better preventing Escapes out of the Queen's Bench and Fleet Prisons may be in some Counties defeated and eluded To the End therefore that the said Act may be rendered more effectual It is enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every Person and Persons who from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven shall be seized or taken by virtue or Authority of the said Act shall instead of being committed to the Common Goal of the County wherein such Person or Persons shall be taken be conveyed and committed to the Prison or Place where the Sheriff of such County detains or keeps the Debtors or Possessors for Debt or Damage done to remain in the Custody of the Sheriff of such County subject to the same Rules and Directions and under the same Restrictions Regulations and Penalties and in such Manner and Form in all and every respect as if the said Person or Persons had been committed to the Common Goal of the County.

Sec. 1. Ann.  
Stat. 4. c. 5.

Persons seized by virtue of the said Act, to be committed to Prison where Debtors are confined.

And if any Person or Persons so taken and committed as aforesaid shall at any Time make any Escape out of the said Prison or Place to which he she or they be so committed as aforesaid the Sheriff in whose Custody he she or they was or were shall be answerable for such Escape to the Party grieved in like Manner as in the Case of any other Escape.

II.  
Such Persons escaping from the said Prison, Sheriff answerable.

And to the Intent that the Benefit of the said former Act may the more easily be had in case the Person or Persons escaping shall be seen in Places distant from the City of London he is further enacted That it shall and may be lawful so and for any one of the Judges of the respective Courts in the said former Act mentioned so from time to time Warrants upon Oath in Writing to be made before any Person commissioned under the Seal of the same Court to take Affidavits in the Country (the same Oath being first duly taken) as by the said former Act he is empowered to do upon like Oath made before himself.

III.  
Judge may grant Warrants to take Affidavits in the Country.

And he is declared and enacted That it is and shall be lawful to apprehend and take upon the fourth Day any Person or Persons by virtue of any Warrant or Warrants granted in pursuance of this or of the said former Act.

IV.  
Taking upon Sunday.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons in or shall be in Custody of any Sheriff or other Officer either by virtue of the said Act or of this present Act or otherwise for any Offence or any Decree of the High Court of Chancery or Court of Exchequer whereby any Sum or Sums

V.  
Persons in Custody for non obeying Decree of Chancery, &c. for Payment of

\* This is Chapter IX. § 65 Act in the Common printed Editions.

Money, excepting  
Readily against  
Bonds.

of Money is ordered or doated to be paid and shall afterwards make any Escape from the said Sheriff or other Officer that then and in such Case the Person and Persons their Executors or Administrators to whom the Money was to be paid by the said Decree shall have the same Readily against the said Sheriff as if such Person or Persons so escaping had been in Custody upon an Execution at Law and shall and may recover the several Sums and Sums of Money doated to be paid to him her or them in and by such Decree against such Sheriff or other Officer together with his her or their Costs of Suit in any Action or Actions of Debt or upon the Case to be brought or commenced against such Sheriff or other Officer in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Protection or Wager of Law shall be admitted or any more than One Impetition Any Law Usage or Custom to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

VI.  
This Act a General  
Law.

And for the Prevention of Disputes touching the present Act be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the same and every Clause and Thing therein contained shall be adjudged and taken to be a General Law and that it shall not be needful so to recite the same in Pleading or any Part thereof.

## CHAPTER XIII (\*)

AN ACT for repairing the Highway between Hockley and Woburne in the County of Bedford.

En Act  
6 Ann. c. 12, 13.

Reasons for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS the Lane called Hockley Lane lying in the Parish of Bartleden in the County of Bedford and leading between Hockley and Woburne in the same County is only a Common Foot-way Horse way and a Way for driving Cattle and there has been made at a very great Expence and continually maintained there by the said Parish of Bartleden a large and substantial Causeway for the passing of Horses and Drift Cattle and the same is now in very good Repair but no other Part of the said Lane hath ever been repaired by the Inhabitants of the said Parish of Bartleden or any Owner or Occupier of Land there And whereas although the said Lane is no ancient or Common Highway for Carts and Carriages yet being very broad if the same Lane which is now very frequent and other Parts in the Way between Hockley and Woburne aforesaid being a Common Highway which are at present very ruinous and almost impossible could be substantially mended and made good it would be the most convenient Passage for Coaches Carts and Carriages to Woburne aforesaid Northampton Worcester and several Northern Counties but as well in regard that the said Lane is no Common Highway for Carriages and so no Person is liable to Repair thereof as for the very great Charge the amending thereof and if the several Places in the said Common Highway that are ruinous will require the same cannot be effected without a Toll for defraying the Charge may is sheweth please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That for the carrying ordering repairing and keeping in Repair as well the ruinous Places in the said Lane or Way and the Causeway aforesaid as also the said Common Highway which is ruinous the Justices of the Peace at the Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said County or any Five of them next after the first and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven shall and may then and so from Time to Time in every Year nominate and appoint a convenient Number of sufficient and able Persons residing and inhabiting in the Parishes or Places adjoining to the said ruinous Way or Lane and the said Common Highway or any Part thereof so to be amended as aforesaid to be the several and respective Surveyors of the respective Places aforesaid for the Year from thence next ensuing and that the said Justices shall cause Notice in Writing to be given to the several Surveyors so chosen of their Choice.

Quarter Sessions to  
appoint Surveyors.

Notice to Persons  
chosen.

II.  
Surveyors to meet  
for the Purpose  
herein mentioned.

Which said Surveyors and every of them (having no legal Impediment to be shew'd by the said Justices) at whom they shall be chosen in Manner aforesaid) or any Two of them within One Week next after such Notice is given or then given of their Election shall and are hereby required respectively to meet in some convenient Place within their several and respective Divisions for the which they are respectively appointed Surveyors to do Inquest to view and survey as well the said Causeway as the said respective ruinous Places in the said Lane and ruinous Places in the said Common Highway and consider the Defects thereof and the best Method and Means that can be used for the repairing and amending thereof And also the several Sums of Money that will be necessary for making good the ruinous Places of the said Lane and maintaining the said Causeway and making good and maintaining the said Common Highway and make that respective Certificates thereof to the said Justices of the Peace at the next Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said County who thereupon shall and may make such Order and Ordinance and about the same as to them shall seem good which said Order or Ordinance so made shall be by the said respective Surveyors and all other Persons concerned in putting this Act in Execution daily observed and performed and the said respective Surveyors are hereby empowered to appoint and require such Carts and Persons who are within the said adjacent Parishes (either then and except the Parish of Bartleden aforesaid) from time to time to come and work in the said respective Places as they shall think

Certificates to  
Quarter Sessions.

Surveyors to  
employ and pay  
Owners of Carts,  
Labourers, &c.

\* This is Chapter X. 3 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Edition.

sentinel and apprise for which the said respective Surveyors shall pay unto such Labourers and to the Owners of such Towns Cans and Wains according to the usual [Rate] of the Country in case they shall be required so to work beyond the Times limited by the Statutes now in force or in Places where they are not by those Statutes compellable to work wherein if any Difference happen the same to be settled by Two or more of the next Justices of the Peace which is to be conclusive to all Parties

And he it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Surveyors and such Person and Persons as they shall appoint to dig gather take and carry away any Gravel Sand or Stones out of any Parish Town Village or Hamlet wherein the said foundress Places of the said Lane or Causeway do lie and release Places of the said Common Highway do usually lie and for want of sufficient Gravel Sand or Stones there out of the Way or Common of any neighbouring Parish Town Village or Hamlet without paying any thing for the same And where there is not sufficient of such Materials in any Common or Way or Grounds near adjoining to dig or gather to the several Grounds of any Person or Persons (not being an House Garden Orchard Yard or Meadow or Arable or an House) where any such Materials are or may be found and from time to time to carry away such and so much thereof as the Surveyors in their respective Places shall judge necessary for the said Causeway and other Repairs without paying any thing for such Materials save any such reasonable Satisfaction to the Owner or Occupier of the Ground where the same shall be [so] digged gathered and carried away as for the Damage which he or they shall thereby sustain to be assessed and adjudged by the said Justices of the Peace at the Quarter Sessions for the said County in case of Difference concerning the same

III.  
Surveyors may dig for Gravel, &c. in Ways.

or to provide Gravel, &c. (Exemption).

making Satisfaction to Owners.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That no such Gravel Sand or Stones shall be digged for gathered taken or carried away within the said Parish of Barchinod without the Consent of the Lord or Owner of the Manor or reputed Manor of Barchinod from time to time first had and obtained

IV.  
Process for Parish of Barchinod.

And for defraying of the Charge in and about the maintaining the said Causeway for the Time to come and the Repairs to be done in the foundress Places of the said Lane and release Places of the said Common Highway he it further enacted That the said Justices of the Quarter Sessions aforesaid shall and may choose and appoint One or more fit Person or Persons to be Receiver or Receivers Collector or Collectors of such Sum or Sums of Money in the Name of Toll or Customs to be paid for all such Carriages Chaises Chaises Waggonas Wains and Carts Drives of Oxen or Near Cattle Sheep Lambes Hogs or Pack Horses (other than Horses laden with Corn) as in Time to come shall pass in or through the said Way as are herein after in this Act Enacted (that is to say)

V.  
Quarter Sessions to appoint Collectors of Tolls

For every Stage Coach or Hackney Coach One Shilling  
For every other Coach Chaise Chaise or other Charriot One Shilling  
For every Waggon Wain or Cart laden with Wheat Barley or [say] other Grain Six Pence  
For every other Waggon One Shilling And  
For every other Cart Eight Pence And  
For every Drive of Oxen or Near Cattle consisting of Seven or more in Number Four Pence And  
For every Drive of Sheep or Lambes consisting of Forty or more in Number Three Pence And  
For every Drive of Hogs consisting of Thirty or more in Number Three Pence And  
For every Gaug of Pack Horses consisting of Seven or more (other than Horses laden with Wheat Barley or any other Grain) Three Pence

Tolls.

And that from and after the passing of this Act all and every Person and Persons who shall at any Time travel with Coach [Chaise] Chaise Waggon Wain and Cart or shall drive any Drives of Oxen or Near Cattle Sheep Lambes or Hogs or any Pack Horses (other than Horses laden with Grain) in and through the Lane or Highway aforesaid shall and are hereby required to pay unto the said Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers of the Toll in that behalf from time to time to be appointed as aforesaid after the Rate aforesaid The Place for collecting the said Toll to be in some convenient Part or Place in the said Highway or Lane by setting up a Toll House Turnpike or Gate Toll House Turn Pike or Gates or otherwise as the Justices of the Peace for the said County or any Five of them shall appoint

Place for Turnpike

Provided always and it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall advance loan and pay any Sum or Sums of Money amounting in the whole to the Sum of Three hundred Pounds or more for the carrying on such Repairs such Person or Persons shall be and are hereby appointed Receiver or Receivers Collector or Collectors of such Toll as aforesaid but the said Justices of the Peace in the Quarter Sessions shall and may remove any such Receiver or Collector upon just Grounds as to these shall soon meet and choose and appoint some other Person in the Place or Bond of the Party who shall be so removed so as the Party so to be removed be first reimbursed and repaid the Money which he shall so have advanced and lent as aforesaid with lawful Interest for the same

VI.  
Persons advancing Money to be Collectors.

Quarter Sessions may remove



VII.  
Collection to  
amount Weekly.

Quarter Sessions to  
examine the same.

VIII.  
Persons refusing,  
to pay Toll,  
Collector may  
distress, &c.

IX.  
Surveyors to  
account at Quarter  
Sessions.

Balance paid to  
Surveyors.

Allowance to  
Surveyors.

X.  
Collector not  
paying to Surveyors.

Remitted to  
County Court.

XI.  
Tolls may be  
imposed by  
Surveyors, on Order  
of Justices of  
the County.

Money paid  
disposed of by  
Quarter Sessions.

XII.  
Persons refusing  
to take the  
Oath of Allegiance,  
&c.

Penalty.

Visitation here  
after.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Receiver or Collector appointed by the said Justice or by this Act shall if required give in a weekly Account upon Oath unto One or more Justices of the Peace who are hereby empowered to administer the same which said Account shall be duly returned to the Justice at the Quarter Sessions who shall examine the same and make such Order therein as to Oath shall seem meet according to the true Meaning of this Act.

And be it once any Person or Persons upon Demand made of the Toll aforesaid by the Collector or Receiver in that Behalf appointed shall refuse or neglect to pay the same that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collector or Receiver to distress and detain such Coach Chaise Chaise Wagon Wain or Cart or Driven of Oxen or New Cattle Sheep Lamb Hogs or Pigs Horses other than Horses laden with Goods before mentioned until the said Toll shall be satisfied and paid according to the Tenor of this proviso And together with such Damages as the Party or Parties so distressing shall cause in and about the making of the said Distress or by the keeping thereof which said Money so to be received shall be paid to the respective Surveyor or Surveyors for and towards the maintaining the said Cause and mending of the said Common Places in the said Lane and various Places in the said Common Highway according to the true Meaning hereof.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Surveyors and every of them at the Quarter Sessions next after the Determination of the Year for which they were chosen shall give an Account to the Justice at the said Quarter Sessions in Writing of all such Monies as have been received by them and of all Disbursements made by them so the End that if there shall be any Overplus of the Money by them received the same may be paid to the Surveyors chosen or to be chosen for the Year then next ensuing to be by them disbursed towards maintaining the said Cause and mending the said Lane and Common Highway or repaying such Persons who shall before hand lend Money for the Purposes aforesaid and not otherwise which said Justice shall out of the Benefit of the said Toll make such reasonable Allowance to the said Surveyor or Surveyors for their Care and Pains in executing the said Office and to such other Persons as shall have been serving in maintaining the said Cause mending the said Lane and Common Highway or advancing or laying out Money in relation thereto as to them shall seem meet.

And be it once the Collector or Receiver of the aforesaid Toll shall not upon Request duly pay the same unto the said Surveyor or Surveyors for the Year being or in case the said Surveyors or any of them shall not make such Account and Payment unto the several Person and Persons according to the Order Direction and Appointment of the said Justice as aforesaid that then the said Justice at any Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said County shall make enquiry concerning such Default as well by Confession of the said Parties themselves as by the Testimony of Two or more credible Witnesses upon Oath which Oath they are hereby empowered to administer and if any Person or Persons shall be thereof convicted the said Justice upon such Conviction shall commit the Party or Parties so convicted to the Common Goal of the said County there to remain without bail or Mainprize until he or they shall have made a true and perfect Account and Payment as aforesaid.

And furthermore as the Monies so to be collected by such Receipt of the said Toll may not at present sit such a Stock or Sum of Money as may be sufficient for the speedy repairing of the said Lane and mending the Cause aforesaid and repaving the said Common Highway it is hereby further enacted That the said Surveyor or Surveyors shall and are hereby enabled by Order of the Justice of the said County or any Five of them to engage the Profits arising by the said Toll for such Sum or Sums of Money by him or them to be received for that Purpose and by Indenture under the Hands and Seals of the said Surveyor or Surveyors for the Time being to transfer the said Profits of the said Toll and to grant and convey the same for any Time or Term of Years not exceeding Nineteen unto any Person or Persons that shall or will upon that Security advance any present Sum or Sums of Money for towards the Repairment of all and every such Sum or Sums of Money it shall be so lent with Interest for the same which said Monies so advanced shall be disbursed by the Justice of the Quarter Sessions or any Persons giving Security to the said Justice to maintain the said Cause and mending the said Lane and Common Highway in the Proportions and for the Purposes aforesaid and not otherwise.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons not having any lawful Excuse to be allowed as aforesaid shall neglect or refuse to take upon him or them the said Oath of Surveyor being thereto nominated and chosen as by this Act is appointed or to do or perform his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this Act the said Justice at their Quarter Sessions shall and have hereby full Power and Authority to impose upon the Person or Persons so refusing or neglecting such Fine or Fines upon each Person not exceeding Five Pounds as to them shall seem meet and to cause the same to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Goods of the Person or Persons so refusing or neglecting sending to the Party so Overplus if any shall be And then and in such Case or in case of the Death of any of the said Surveyors some other Person or Persons shall be appointed by Two or more Justices of the Peace that live near to the Party or Parties so dying refusing or neglecting And such other Person or Persons so to be appointed by the said Justice are hereby required to execute their said Office in such Manner and under such Penalties as if they had been chosen by the Justice at those Sessions of the Peace as aforesaid.

Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Fines and Forfeitures as be imposed by this Act shall be paid to the Sheriffe or SherIFFes for the Time being for and towards the supplying the said Causey and repairing of the said fowndrous Places in the said Lane and various Places in the said Common Highway according to the true Meaning of this Act.

XXII  
Fines paid to the Sheriffe for the Purpose of this Act.

Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Suit shall be commenced against any Person or Persons for any Thing done in pursuance of this Act that in any such Case the said Action shall be laid in the said County of Bedford and not elsewhere and the Defendant or Defendants in such Action may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence at any Tryal to be had thereupon and that the issue was done in pursuance and by the Authority of this Act and if it shall as appear to be done or that such Action shall be brought in any other County than then the Jury shall find for the Defendant or Defendants and upon such Verdict or if the Plaintiff shall become nonsuit or discontinue his Action after the Defendant or Defendants shall have appeared or if upon Demurrer Judgment shall be given against the Plaintiff then the Defendant or Defendants shall have and recover his or their Double Costs and Charges and have the like Remedy for the same as any Defendant hath in other Cases by Law.

XXIV  
In Actions for executing this Act.

General Issue

Double Costs

Provided always That no Person or Persons having Occasion to pass where the Toll is taken and return the same Day with any such Coach Calash Chaise Chariot Waggons Wains or Cart Drives of Oxen or Best Cattle Sheep Lambs Hogs or Pack Horses shall be compelled the same Day to pay the said Toll a Second Time.

XXV  
Tolls not paid twice on same Day

Act further also That all and every Person and Persons passing through the Place appointed for receiving the Toll aforesaid and coming from any Parish next adjoining to the said Lane or Causey and Common Highway shall have Liberty to carry any Quantity of Stones Clay Lime or Gravel Dung Manure or Compost of any Nature or kind whatsoever and that all Carts with Hays not sold or going to any Market or Court as the Service at Hay Time or Harvest Ploughs Harrows and other Implements of Husbandry belonging to the Lands of the respective Parishes shall pass to and fro through the said Place where the said Toll is to be received as aforesaid without paying any Thing for their respective passing through the same.

XXVI  
Persons carrying Goods, &c. with Gravel, Manure, Hay &c. &c.

Act that it shall also be lawful for Coaches Calashes Carts Chaises Waggons Wains and Carts attending any soldiers in their March to pass through the said Place without paying any Thing for their passing Any thing considered herein to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

XXVII  
And for Soldiers on March

Act whereas some Persons are by the Law chargeable towards the repairing the said Common Highway other than and except the said Lane called Hockley Lane it is hereby declared by the Authority aforesaid That all such Persons shall still remain chargeable and shall do their respective Works in the said Common Highway as before they were by Law to do Any thing aforesaid to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

XXVIII  
Persons chargeable to maintain it

Provided also That the Toll granted by this Act shall not continue or be taken by virtue of this Act longer than the Term of One and twenty Years to be accomplished from the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and seven and also that if at any Time before the Expiration of the Term aforesaid as well the said Causey as the fowndrous Places in the said Lane and various Places in the said Common Highway shall be sufficiently amended and repaired and so adjudged by the Justice of the Peace of the said County at their Quarter Sessions and the said Causey shall be left and delivered up to the Lord or Owner of the said Manor or reputed Manor of Bartonsden for the Time being in the same or as good Repair Right and Condition and as well and sufficiently ditched and trenched and fenced for keeping off Cows Cattle and Carriages in the same shall be at the Time of the Commencement of the said Toll that then from and after such Adjournment made and such leaving and delivering up the Causey aforesaid and Repairment of such Manure as shall have been borrowed with lawful Interest for the same the aforesaid Toll shall cease and determine Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

XXIX  
Continuance of Toll.

Act for the better preserving the Causey aforesaid be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That out of the Money arising from the Toll aforesaid the said Causey shall in the first Place from time to time be repaired and maintained in as good Right and Condition in the same shall be in at the Time of the Commencement of the said Toll and also such Bridges and Causeys shall be made and maintained cross the said Way or Lane as are or shall be necessary and convenient for Cattle and Carriages to pass and repass to and from the Cloas or Leas in Bartonsden aforesaid lying on either side of the said Lane or Way and the said Causey shall Two Years before the Expiration of the said Toll be left and delivered up to the Lord or Owner of the said Manor or reputed Manor of Bartonsden for the Time being in the same or as good Repair Right and Condition and as well and sufficiently ditched and trenched and fenced for keeping off Cattle and Carriages in the same shall be at the Time of the Commencement of the said Toll.

XXX  
Bridges and Causeys to be made and kept.

Act for the more effectual securing with delivering up the said Causey in good Repair and Condition as aforesaid be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That during the Two last Years of the said Term the Lord or Owner of the said Manor or reputed Manor of Bartonsden for the Time being or his Deputy or Deputies

XXXI  
Proviso the Lord or Manor of Bartonsden receiving the Toll be Two Years

shall and may receive and collect the Toll aforesaid to the Intent to apply the same in the first Place for the making good any Defect or Want of Reparations of the said Cause which shall be at the Time when the same shall be so delivered up as aforesaid to an assessment such Lord or Owner of the said Manor of Bedford shall be accountable to the said Justices of the Peace at the Quarter Sessions for the Overplus and pay and apply the same for the Purposes herein mentioned in the said Justices shall direct.

XXII  
No Tollgate  
erected, &c. until  
Security due Road  
shall be repaired  
within Three  
Years

Also to the end the Passengers who pay the Toll by virtue of this Act may be secured to receive Benefit by the said Way or Lane being put in sufficient Repaire and the said Cause may be maintained and left in such Plight and Condition as aforesaid. Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Turnpike shall be erected nor Toll demanded by virtue of this Act nor shall the said Cause without the Consent of the Lord or Owner of the said Manor or separate Manor of Bedford be laid open for Coaches Cars or Carriages and sufficient Security shall be given by able and sufficient Persons to the Justices of the Peace or any Five of them at the Quarter Sessions of the Peace held for the County of Bedford aforesaid that the said Way or Lane shall within Three Years be sufficiently repaired and amended.

XXIII  
If Road not so  
repaired, Persons  
giving Security  
liable also to  
Penalty of a fine.

Also to the end the Design of this Act may no ways be evaded Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Person or Persons having so given Security in case the said Lane or Common Highway shall not be sufficiently repaired or cured so to be by the Justices of the Peace for the County of Bedford or any Ten of them under their Hands and Seals by the Time for which Security was given it should be so repaired and amended over and above the Sums or Sums they shall be bound for shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds One Shilling whosoever as be applied to the repairing and amending the said Lane and Common Highway and for other Money thereof to such Person or Persons who shall sue for the same by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts at Westminster whereas no Exigent Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed nor more than one Imparison.

XXIV  
Proviso for Parish  
of Bedford

Provided always and be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to make the Inhabitants of the said Parish of Bedford or any Owner or Occupier of Lands there at any Time hereafter liable or chargeable in Law to the Repaire of the said Lane or any Part thereof for the Passage of Coaches Cars or Carriages but the said Inhabitants Owners or Occupiers shall be and remain liable only to maintain a sufficient Cause or Way for the Passage of Horses or other Cattle through the said Lane and from and after such Time only as the said Cause shall be left and delivered up in such Plight and Condition and so dashed crunched and fencible as aforesaid the lying open the said Lane or Cause for the Term aforesaid or any thing else in this Act contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

#### CHAPTER XIV. (\*)

AN ACT for continuing the Act formerly made for repairing of the Highways in the County of Bedford.

Rev. Paul & Assoc.  
p. 8 & 10.

Record of Stat.  
12 Geo. II. c. 1.

publ of Stat.  
18 & 19 Geo. II.  
c. 16.

continued by Stat.  
4 W. & M. c. 3

Misery of Toll of  
said Act taken at  
Wades Mill,  
continued

WHEREAS an Act of Parliament was made in the Fifteenth Year of the Reigne of our late Sovereign Lord King Charles the Second intitled An Act for repairing the Highways within the Countie of Hertford Cambridge and Huntingdon to be in force for the Space of Eleven Years from the Commencement thereof And whereas afterwards one other Act of Parliament was made in the Eleventh and Seventeenth Years of the Reign of the said late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for Continuance of a former Act for repairing the Highways within the County of Hertford both which said Acts were passed and continued for the Space of Fifteen Years by one other Act made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of our late Sovereign Lord and Lady D<sup>ty</sup> William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for reviving Two former Acts of Parliament for repairing the Highways in the County of Hertford which is now now expiring and the Highways within the said County of Hertford intended by the said Acts to be repaired are not yet so sufficiently repaired and amended so that the several Parishes lying on the Northern Post Road can by the ordinary Course of the Laws and Statutes of this British nation the same and the Expence already laid out will in great measure be lost and also [so?] much Money as was borrowed upon the Credit of the Toll erected and continued by the said Acts which is yet unrepaid without the Assistance of another Act of Parliament May it therefore please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Money of the said Toll mentioned in the said Acts to be taken at Wades Mill for the County of Hertford be continued kept up when and received in the Manor by the said several former Acts mentioned and granted for the Space of Fifteen Years from and after the Fourth Day of November in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven being the Expiration of the said last recited Act and that the Money thereby arising be employed for the Repair of the said Highways within the said County of Hertford according to the Tenor of the said Acts

\* This is Chapter XX. 3 & 4 Ann. in the Common printed Edition.

\* inserted in the MS.

Passages always That if the said Highways before the Expiration of the said Term of Fifteen Years be in good and sufficient Repair and an Adaptation thereof be made at the Advice or General Quarter Sessions to be held for the said County as is provided by the said Act of the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of King Charles the Second the said Toll shall from thenceforth cease and determine as to the said Act is directed and appointed.

II.  
When Toll of Road  
is to be taken.  
16 & 17 Geo. II.  
c. 25. s. 22.

AND be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the several Officers and Persons empowered in and by the said Act to the Purposes therein mentioned so far as may in any way concern or relate to the said County of Hertford shall from the said Fourth Day of November which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven have the like Powers and Authorities by virtue of this present Act as they and every of them had by virtue of the said former Acts and that all Chances Profits Penalties Forfeitures and Exceptions whatsoever therein mentioned concerning the collecting-paying keeping or recompensing for the said Toll at Wholes NEB be from thenceforth by virtue of this Act confirmed and put in Execution during the Continuance of this present Act as if they were therein particularly expressed and appointed.

III.  
Power of Officers,  
&c. by the Act to be  
by the said former  
Acts.

## CHAPTER XV. (1)

An Act for the enlarging the Passage leading to New Palace Yard near the Gatehouse Westminster.

Est. Post 5. d. 10.  
p. 2. s. 11.  
Remains for passing  
the Act.

WHEREAS a Messuage or Tenement with the Appurtenances called The Great Gatehouse built of Stone situate lying and being in the City of Westminster and leading from King Street into the New Palace [Yard] there and abutting on the East Part upon the said New Palace and West towards King street and South on a Tenement late in the Tenure of John Crips and North on a Messuage late in the Tenure of Agnes Marshall or her Assigns and afterwards of Johanna Irish Widow or her Assigns is grown very old and by reason of the Business of the Gateway the same hath occasioned great Stops and Inconveniences (especially in the Times of the Session of Parliament and Term Time) to and from the Courts of Whitehall and Saint James and City of London and to and from the Houses of Parliament and Westminster Hall And whereas Edward Proger of the Parish of Saint Martin in the Fields in the County of MIDDLESEX Esquire or some Person or Persons in Trust for him by virtue of an Indenture of Lease bearing Date the First and twentieth Day of January which was in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred and eighty and in the Two and twentieth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second and made between John Hall of Grey's Inn in the County of MIDDLESEX Esquire Sir Joseph Stedden of London Knight Nicholas Charlton of London Esquire Matthew Johnson of the Middle Temple London Esq. and Richard Graham of Clifford's Inn London Gentlemen of the one Part and the said Edward Proger of the other Part is so as is possessed (among other Things) of the said Gatehouse and Passage for the Term of Fifty Years and as Half from the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six it and under the yearly Rent or Rents and Covenants in the said Indenture of Lease contained as by the said Lease relation being thereto had it doth and may more fully and at large appear which said Edward Proger in considering that the said Stops and Inconveniences may be remedied and to make the said Passage wide enough for Two Carriages to pass conveniently through or under the same in case the said Edward Proger may have a Satisfaction for his Interest in the said Gatehouse with the Appurtenances May it therefore please Your most Excellent Majesty (in the humble Suit of the Justice of the Peace Burgesses and Inhabitants of the said City of Westminster) that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the First and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Edward Proger his Executors Administrators or Assigns to pull or take down the said Gatehouse with the Appurtenances and to dispose of the Materials and to sell and sufficiently to build one or more House or Houses Shop or Shops upon the Ground on each Side the same as Passage leading between King's street and the Palace Yard leaving such Passage Four and twenty Feet broad at the least And in such Case it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid that the said Passage shall be ever hereafter remain open of the same Breadth and Wideness and be for a Street and Passage for all Persons and for all Carriages Carts Carrages and Cattle whatsoever to pass and repass without the Interruption or Disturbance of any Person or Persons whatsoever

Remedy of Title of  
Edw. Proger to  
the Gate House  
Westminster.

Edw. Proger may  
pull down the said  
Gate House, &c.

AND whereas the Charges of paving the said intended Passage when widened (without including the Charges of pulling down the said Gatehouse and making the same) is valued at Fifteen Pounds Two Shillings and Six Pence And whereas upon a moderate Computation the Interest of the said Edward Proger in the said Gatehouse (which will be extinguished by pulling down the same) is valued at Four hundred Pounds and the Damage with the pulling down thereof will amount to the House adjoining is computed as follows (viz. To Mr. Ann Hargrave's House known by the Name of the Dog Tavern to the Value of Sixty nine Pounds Five Shillings and Four Pence To the House wherein Captain Taylor lately lived to the Value of Ten Pounds To the House wherein John

If  
Compensation to  
Edw. Proger.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XII. g & 6 Acts in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> Inserted in the Bill.

Further now lies in the Value of Twenty one Pounds Ten Shillings And in the House wherein James Melton now lies in the Value of Nineteen Pounds Ten Shillings all which said several Sums amount in the whole to Five hundred thirty five Pounds Seven Shillings and Ten Pence And whereas the said Edward Proger is concerning and willing to pay and satisfy unto the several and respective Persons interested and concerned in the said several Houses adjoining to the said Gatehouse the said several Sums before computed and proportioned for the Damage they may sustain respectively in also at his own Charges to pull down the said Gatehouse and within the said Passage and pave it with Paving by the Twentieth Day of October One thousand seven hundred and seven as a Compensation to the said Edward Proger for the same Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Edward Proger or his Assigns shall have and receive the Sum of Five hundred thirty five Pounds Seven Shillings and Ten Pence to be raised and collected in the Manner hereafter mentioned and likewise that he and they shall and may have and take to and for his and their proper Use and Benefit all the Stones and other Materials of and belonging to the said Gatehouse as also may build upon or otherwise make use of or let so much of the Ground whereon the said Gatehouse now stands as shall not be made use of in the raising and widening such Passage as aforesaid and receive the Profits thereof for and during each Term or Terms of Years to be the said Edward Proger or his Assigns now have in the said Gatehouse and Premises

III.  
Quarterly Toll by  
Hackney Coaches.

And whereas the enlarging the said Passage will be of great Advantage to the Owners of the Hackney Coaches he it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Owners and Possessors of every Hackney Coach about the Cities of London and Westminster and within the weekly Bills of Mortality shall pay quarterly the Sum of One Shilling and Six Pence for each Coach the First Payment thereof to be made the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and seven and the same to continue for and during the Term of Two Years and Three Quarters of a Year to commence next after the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven

IV.  
What Persons to be  
the Collectors.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such Payments so to be made for and during the Term aforesaid shall be collected and received of and from the Owners and Possessors of the said Hackney Coaches by such Persons as are or shall be appointed to collect and receive the several Dues paid for the said Hackney Coaches who shall have the like Authority to collect the same as they now have to collect the said Dues paid for the said Coaches and shall keep a distinct and separate Account thereof and pay the same quarterly for and during the said Term of Two Years and Three Quarters of a Year to the said Edward Proger or his Assigns without Fee or Reward for the same

To receive, and  
pay to Edward  
Proger, without  
Fee.

V.  
Edward Proger to  
pay from house  
nearhand in Pre-  
sent-handled.

Provided always That the said Edward Proger or his Assigns shall pay or cause to be paid within Twelve Months after the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven to the several Persons interested in and entitled to the same their Extentors Administrators or Assigns the several and respective Sums of Money herein before mentioned and expressed and which by Compensation has been valued and adjudged as a sufficient Recompense and Satisfaction for the Damage that may be done to them or any of them there or any of their Houses or Tenements by pulling down the said Gatehouse

VI.  
Persons for Rent  
reserved by the said  
Lease.

Provided and be it enacted That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend in any wise to lessen or impeach the Rent or Rents reserved and payable for the said Premises by the said Indenture of Lease made of the said Premises or any the Covenants or Agreements therein contained but that the said Rent or Rents shall continue and be in force and like Readily shall be had for and upon the same as if the Act had not been made Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

VII.  
General Saving.

Saving nevertheless to all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate their Heirs Successors Executors Administrators or Assigns (other than the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and other that the said Edward Proger and other Persons concerned for him as aforesaid in respect of the said Way to be made or aforesaid) all such Known Right Title Interest Claim and Demand whatsoever either in Law or Equity which they or any of them have or might have as fully and effectually to all intents and Purposes as if this Act had never been made Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

VIII.  
Persons for Rent of  
d'off to Term of  
Ed.

Provided always That nothing herein contained shall prejudice or lessen the yearly Rent of Thirty eight Pounds leasing and payable to Doctor John Lamb Dean of Ely out of the said Premises but that the same shall continue to be yearly paid to the said Doctor Lamb or his Assigns (but that) the said Edward Proger his Executors Administrators or Assigns in such Manner and Proportion (and for and during all such Term or Terms of Years as the said Edward Proger his Assigns or Underwriters now have in the said Gatehouse and Premises) to the said yearly Rent was payable before the passing of this Act Any thing herein before contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

IX.  
H'nd' record  
of (1) 2m 100  
Copies to Hack-  
ney Coaches.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if the Money which shall be lawfully raised and received shall exceed the Sum of Five hundred thirty five Pounds Seven Shillings and Ten Pence then the said Commissioners shall equally distribute such Overplus amongst the licensed Hackney Coachmen their respective Executors or Administrators within One Month after the last Payment of the said Dues.

## CHAPTER XVI. (\*)

An Act for the better Preservation of the Game.

See Part.

5 Ann. p. 1. &amp; 18.

WHEREAS several Laws have already been enacted for the better Preservation of the Game and by Experience been found not sufficient to prevent destroying the Game by means of the Malpractices of Hights and other Chapmans which give great Encouragement to idle loose Persons to neglect their lawful Employments to follow and destroy the same for Rewards wherof and the more effectual Preservation of the Game be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every of the Laws now in being for the better Preservation of the Game shall continue remain and be in the same Force not hereby repealed or altered

Game Laws  
1688 &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Hight Chapman Carrier Innkeeper Victualler or Alehouse Keeper shall from and after the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven have in his or their Custody or Possession any Hare Pheasant Partridge Moor Heath Game or Grouse or shall buy sell or offer to sell any Hare Pheasant Partridge Moor Heath Game or Grouse every such Hight Chapman Innkeeper Victualler Alehouse keeper or Carrier (unless such Game in the Hands of such Carrier be sent up by him or her Persons qualified to kill the Game shall upon every such Offence be carried before some Justice of the Peace for the County Riding City or Town Corporate or Liberties where the said Offence is committed and upon View or upon the Oath of One or more credible Witnesses shall be convicted of the same shall forfeit for every Hare Pheasant Partridge Moor Heath Game or Grouse the Sum of Five Pounds One Half to the Informer and the other Half to the Poor of the Parish where the Offence was committed the same to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of the Justice or Justices of the Peace before whom such Offender or Offenders shall be convicted rendering the Geeylin (if any be) the Charge of detaining being first delated and for want of Return the Offender or Offenders be committed to the House of Correction for the First Offence for the Space of Three Months without Bail or Mainprize and for every such other Offence for the Space of Four Months

H.  
Hights, the having  
in possession Hares,  
&c.convict before  
Justice

Penalty

If no Return,  
Imprisonment.

Provided that such Conviction be made within Three Months after such Offence committed

III.

And that if any Certiorari shall be allowed to remove any Conviction made in other Proceedings of or concerning any Matter or Thing in this Act made any of the Courts at Westminster upon any Petition whatsoever unless the Party or Parties against whom such Conviction shall be made shall before the Allowance of such Certiorari become bound to the Person or Persons prosecuting the same in the Sum of Fifty Pounds with such sufficient Securities in the Justice or Justices of the Peace before whom such Offender shall be convicted shall think fit with Condition to pay unto the Prosecutors within Fourteen Days after such Conviction as Processable granted here forth Cens and Charges to be ascertained upon their Oaths and that in Default thereof it shall be lawful for the said Justice or Justices or others to proceed for the due Execution of such Conviction in such Manner as if in such Certiorari had been awarded

IV.  
If Certiorari  
allowed, security  
to be given.

Cases

And for the better Discovery of such Hight Chapman Carrier Innkeeper Alehouse keeper and Victualler as shall offer to buy or sell any Hare Pheasant Partridge Moor Heath Game or Grouse be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of May any Person that shall destroy sell or buy any Hare Pheasant Moor Heath Game or Grouse and shall within Three Months make Discovery of any Hight Chapman Carrier Innkeeper Alehouse keeper or Victualler that hath bought or sold or offered to buy or sell or had in their Possession any Hare Pheasant Partridge Moor Heath Game or Grouse so as any One shall be convicted of such Offence in Manner as aforesaid such Discoverer to be discharged of the Pains and Penalties heretofore enacted for killing or selling such Game as aforesaid shall receive the same Benefit or Advantage as any other Informer shall be entitled to by virtue of this Act for such Discovery and Informations

V.  
Persons destroying,  
selling, or buying  
Game, and inform-  
ing against Hights,  
&c.

Reward.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons not qualified by the Laws of this Realm so to do shall keep or use any Geeyhounds Setting Dogs Hares Lurchers Yemalls or any other Engines to kill and destroy the Game and shall be thereof convicted upon the Oath of One or Two (credible) Witnesses by the Justice or Justices of the Peace where such Offence is committed as aforesaid the Person or Persons so convicted shall forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds One Half to be paid to the Informer and the other Half to the Poor of the Parish where the same was committed the same to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of such Justice or Justices before whom such Person or Persons shall be convicted as aforesaid and for want of such Return the Offender or Offenders shall be sent to the House of Correction for the Space of Three Months for the First Offence and for every such other Offence Four Months

VI.  
Unqualified Persons  
keeping Dogs, &c.Penalty &c.  
DistressIf no Return,  
Imprisonment.

\* This is Chapter XIV. p. 1 &amp; 2 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted in the Roll.

- VII.  
Persons of Peace, &c. may take away Game, Dogs, &c. from Higher and singular Persons, &c.
- Acted that it shall and may be lawful for any of Her Majesties Justice of the Peace in their respective Counties Ridings Cities Towns Corporate or Liberty and the Lords and Ladies of his her their or any of these respective Manors within the said Manors to take away any such Hare Pheasant Partridge Moor Hens Game or Geese or any other Game from any such Higher Chapman Inkeeper Vicarual or Currier or any other Person or Persons not qualified to kill the same and shall be found in their Custody or Possession and likewise to take away such Dogs Nags or other Beasts which shall be in the Power or Custody of any Person or Persons not qualified by the Laws to keep the same to their own proper Use without being accountable to any Person or Persons for the same.
- VIII.  
And may empower their Gamekeepers to kill upon their own Lands
- Gamekeepers killing, &c. Game, without Knowledge of the said Persons.
- Persons.
- Acted that it shall and may be lawful for any Lord or Lady of his or her respective Lordship or Manor by Writing under his or her Hand and Seal to empower his [or] her Game keeper or Game keepers upon his or her own Lordship or Manor as aforesaid to kill Hare Pheasant Partridge or any other Game whatsoever but if the said Game keeper shall under Colour or Pretence of the said Power and Authority to kill or take the same for the Use of such Lord or Lady and afterwards sell and dispose thereof to any Person or Persons whatsoever without the Consent or Knowledge of the Lord or Lady of such Manor or Manors that hath given such Power or Authority in Manner as aforesaid shall be thereof convicted upon the Complaint of such Lord or Lady of any Manor and upon the Oath of One or more credible Witnesses before any One or more of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace as aforesaid upon such Conviction such Gamekeeper shall be committed to the House of Correction for the Space of Three Months and there to be kept to hard Labour.
- IX.  
Continuance of Act.
- Acted this Act shall remain and be in force for the Space of Three Years from the First Day of May the thousand seven hundred and seven and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament and no longer.
- X.  
Persons for passing this Statute.
- Whereas the burning of Heath Ling and Brakes or Fern upon the Forest of Sherwood in the County of Nottingham and in the Parts thereto adjacent as it is frequently used by divers disorderly and dissolute Persons doth not only destroy the Breed of Game but hath also very frequently been the Occasion of burning destroying and destroying of great Quantities of Wood Timber and Fences within the said Forest and Places thereto adjacent to the great Damage and Prejudice of the Owners thereof Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall at any Time after the said First Day of May set fire to any Ling Heath or Brakes growing upon any Part of the said Forest or on any [other] Waste Common or Land within the said County of Nottingham or shall cut any Ling Heath or Brakes in order to be burnt as Ashes upon the Ground or shall burn the same to Ashes upon the Ground in any Part of the said Forest or in any Waste Common or Land lying within the said County without License from the Owner of the Soil where such Offence shall be committed shall forfeit to the Owner of the Soil where such Offence shall be committed Ten Shillings and all the Ashes which shall be so burnt and every Person and Persons who shall buy Fern Ashes of any such condemned Person or Persons within the said County shall forfeit for every Pack of such Ashes which shall be so bought the Sum of Ten Shillings One Moiety thereof to the Poor of the Parish where such Offence shall be committed and the other Moiety thereof to such Person or Persons as shall give Information of the said Offence And it shall be lawful for the Keepers and Officers of such Parts of the said Forest and for the Owners of the Land or Soil where any the said Offences shall be committed their Servants and Agents to take away for his and their own Use the Sotches Rakes and other Instruments to be used for any the Purposes aforesaid of every Person [and] Persons who they shall find so offending and it shall be lawful for any One or more of Her Majesties Justice of the Peace upon Complaint made to him or them against any Person or Persons for any the said Offences to send forth his or their Warrant or Warrants to bring the Person or Persons so complained of before him or them and if the Person or Persons so complained of shall be convicted of any of the said Offences before such Justice or Justices by the Oath or Oaths of One or more Witnesses then and in such Case the Party to convict shall immediately after such Conviction pay such Penalties and Forfeitures as are hereby before imposed for the said Offences respectively to such Person and Persons at the same Penalties and Forfeitures as hereby appointed to be paid and in Default thereof shall be committed by such Justice or Justices to the House of Correction there to be kept to hard Labour for the Space of One Month unless the said Penalties and Forfeitures shall be in the mean Time paid.

## CHAPTER XVII. (\*)

An Act for the better recruiting Her Majesty's Land Forces and the Marines for the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven.

Act Encl  
6<sup>th</sup> Ann. July 19.

WHEREAS for a Supply of Men to recruit Her Majesty's Land Forces and Marines it is judged necessary that Soldiers should be forthwith raised throughout the several Counties, Bishops Cities Towns and Places within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed by Justices of the Peace and Sheriffs in Parliament Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Peace of every County and Riding Liberty or Place within this Realm or any Three or more of them as also the Mayor or Head Officer or Officers of every City or Town Corporate within this Realm having Justices of the Peace together with any Two or more Justices of the Peace of the same City or Town Corporate respectively or in Default of such Justices then with Two or more Justices of the Peace of the County wherein the said City or Town is at any Time or Times between the last Day of February One thousand seven hundred and six and the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven within their several and respective Limits and Jurisdictions to raise and levy such able bodied Men as have not any lawful Calling or Employment or do not follow or exercise the same or such Means for their Maintenance and Livelihood to serve as Soldiers for the Purposes aforesaid and to require and command all and every the High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs and Tythingmen or any of them within their respective Jurisdictions to be aiding and assisting to them in putting this present Act in Execution and that Purpose to meet out their Warrants under the Hands and Seals of any Three or more such Justices or Magistrates as are hereby authorized to levy and raise such Soldiers thereby requiring and commanding each High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs Tythingmen and other Parish Officers as aforesaid every or any of them to make search (or cause to be made search\*) within their respective Parishes Townships and Hamlets or other Places for all such Persons as they can find who are within the Description of this Act and to bring before such Justices and Magistrates as aforesaid or any Three or more Justices or Magistrates who have Power to execute this Act in such County Riding Liberty or Place City or Town Corporate respectively any such Persons or Persons described as aforesaid at such Time and Place as shall be prefixed in the said Warrants respectively And in case the Justices and Magistrates hereby authorized to put the Act in Execution upon the Examination of the Persons brought before them in pursuance of this Act shall find them to be such as are hereby intended to be enlisted as Soldiers in Her Majesty's Service they shall cause such Persons to be delivered over by the said High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs Tythingmen or other Parish Officers unto such Officer or Officers belonging to Her Majesty's Forces as shall be appointed to raise and receive such Men within every County Riding Liberty City or Place respectively upon such Officer or Officers giving a Receipt under his or their Hands acknowledging what Men are so delivered to him or them and the respective Officers who shall receive such new raised Men shall out of the Levy Money pay to every Person so raised Twenty Shillings and to the Gentlemen or other Officers employed in the raising of them any Sum not exceeding Ten Shillings a Man to be assessed by the Justices and Magistrates authorized to put this Act in Execution and shall then cause the Fourteenth and Twenty third Articles of War against Mutiny and Desertion to be read to them in the Presence of such Justices or Magistrates viz Article the Fourteenth No Man shall presume so far as to raise or cause the least Mutiny or Sedition in the Army upon pain of Death and if any Number of Soldiers shall presume so assemble to raise Content amongst themselves for the demanding of their Pay as shall at any Time demand their Pay in a mutinous Manner any inferior Officers secretary thereunto shall suffer Death for it as the Heads and Ring-leaders of such mutinous and seditious Meetings and the Soldiers shall be punished with Death and if any Captain being Pay thereunto shall not suppress the same or complain of it he shall likewise be punished with Death Article the Twenty third All Officers or Soldiers that shall desert either in the Field upon a March in Quarters or in Garrison shall die for it And all Soldiers shall be reported and sworn as Deserters who shall be found a Mile from their Garrison or Camp without Leave from the Officer commanding in Chief Which said Justices or Magistrates shall cause an Entry or Memorial thereof to be made together with the Names of the Persons raised and a Certificate thereof in Writing under the Hands and Seals of such Justices or Magistrates to be delivered to the Officer appointed to receive them and from and after Payment of the said Twenty Shillings or Tender and Refusal thereof and reading the said Articles of War every Person so raised shall be deemed a Good Soldier to all Intents and Purposes and shall be subject to the Discipline of War and an case of Desertion shall be proceeded against tried and punished by Death or otherwise as a Deserter by any Law now in force or by any Act to be made this Session of Parliament it is to be proceeded against tried and punished

Recruits for putting  
this Act.

These Justices of  
Peace of County,  
City or Town, &c.  
may, between last  
Day of February  
1706, and end of  
March 1707, cause  
aforesaid Men to  
be raised as aforesaid.

and require Constables, &c. to assist.

and give Warrants  
for Search, &c.

When Justices find  
the Men brought  
before them to be  
fit, they are to  
present as before  
intended.

Allowance to  
Persons raised, and  
to Constables, &c.

14th and 23d Articles  
of War to be  
read to the Men.

Enlisted men, and  
thereupon  
Persons raised  
deemed to be listed.

And for the Encouragement of fit and able Persons voluntarily to enter themselves in Her Majesty's Service it is thereby further enacted and declared That the Officer who is to raise such Recruits shall out of the Levy Money forthwith pay to every Person who shall as voluntarily enter himself in Her Majesty's Service the Sum of Forty Shillings and such Officer shall take a Discharge under the Hand of such Volunteer signed in the Presence of Two or more Witnesses testifying his Payment of the said Forty Shillings and no Person so listed under the

11.  
Recruiting Officer  
to pay out to each  
Volunteer.

\* This is Chapter XV. 5 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted on the Roll.



such Voluntary  
not liable to  
Civil Process.

Hands and Seals of Three or more Justices of the Peace or laying himself voluntarily according to the true Meaning of this Act as aforesaid shall be liable to be taken out of His Majesty's Service by any Process other than for some criminal Matter.

III.  
Common Apprear-  
ance may be had  
and proceeded upon  
by Plaintiff or  
Action against  
such Voluntary.

Provided always That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Plaintiff or Plaintiffs (upon Notice first given in Writing of the Cause of Action to such Person or Persons as voluntarily bound or left at his or their last Place of Residence before such binding) to file a common Apprearance in any Action to be brought for or upon the Accompt of any Debt whatsoever so as to enable such Plaintiff or Plaintiffs to proceed thereon to Judgment and Outlawry and to have any Execution thereupon other than against the Body or Bodies of him or them so voluntarily bound as aforesaid this Act or any thing herein or any former Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding.

IV.  
Magistrates having  
Military Employ-  
ment may not act.

Provided always and it is hereby declared That no Justice of the Peace or Magistrate which now hath or at any Time during the Continuance of this Act shall have any Military Office or Employment other than in the Militia of this Kingdom shall exercise any Power or Authority by this Act given to Justices of the Peace or Magistrates as aforesaid.

V.  
Proviso for  
Persons having  
Vote for Parliament.

Provided also That this Act shall not extend to the taking or liverying any Person to serve as a Soldier who hath any Vote in the Election of any Member or Members to serve in Parliament in any County City Borough Town Port or Place within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed.

VI.  
Justices to submit  
at Quarter Sessions  
an Account of  
Dyoties taken, Ac.  
of Justices, &c.

AND be it further enacted That the Justices of the Peace and Magistrates of every respective County Riding Liberty City or Place before whom any Persons shall be tried in pursuance of this Act do and shall at every General Quarter Sessions for each County Riding Liberty City or Place exhibit an Accompt under their Hand and Seals of the Names of the several Persons by them so tried at any Time preceding such respective General Quarter Sessions together with the Names of the Parishes or Places from whence and the Parish Officers or other Officers by whom and Times when such Persons were brought and tried and of the Names of the Officers to whom such Persons were delivered and of the Regiments and Company to which such Officers belonged. And that such Accompt shall be kept by the Clerk of the Peace of such County Riding Liberty City or Place among the Records thereof to which Accompt all Persons shall and may at all reasonable Times have free Access and Perusal without any Fee or Charge and the Clerk of the Peace for every such County Riding Liberty City or Place is hereby required from time to time within Twenty Days after such General Quarter Sessions to transmit true Copies and Duplicates thereof attested by himself into the Office of His Majesty's Secretary at War for the Time being to be deposited with the Muster Rolls.

VII.  
Quota Transcripts  
only keeping Men,  
Penalty of fine.

Provided and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if One Justice or Two Justices of the Peace shall without the full Number of Justices by this Act imposed levy any Men and deliver him over to any Officer under Colour of this Act such Justice or Justices offending therein shall forfeit One hundred Pounds to the Party grieved to be recovered by Action of Debt or on the Case Bill Sub or Information in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record whereas no Escoigne Protection Privilege Wager of Law or more than One Impedance shall be granted or allowed.

VIII.  
In Action for  
recovery of Debt,  
General Issue.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Plea Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance or in Revenue of this Act such Person or Persons so sued in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue Not Guilty and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Prosecutor shall become nonsuit or forbear further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict just against him the Defendants shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in [any] Case where Costs by Law are given to Defendants.

IX.  
Proviso for Harvest  
Labourers, &c.

AND for as much as great Numbers of Harvest Labourers have been imprisoned during the Time of Harvest and many others being under an Apprehension of being imprisoned have absconded themselves whereby the Harvest hath been got in with great Difficulty and Charges and such few Harvest Men that did work did exact unreasonable Prices from their Masters for such their Work For the Prevention thereof be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and seven until the First and twentieth Day of September following all Harvest Labourers and all Persons working at Hay Harvest and Grass Harvest Work in the Time aforesaid within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed shall not be imprisoned by virtue of this Act but shall be free and exempted from the same during the Time aforesaid provided they have a Certificate under the Hands of the Minister and Church Wardens of the Parish where they live allowed under the Hand and Seals of Two Justices of the Peace of the same County Riding City or Place.

provided they have  
a Certificate.

AND whereas some Doubts have arisen whether the Justices of the Peace or any Three or more of them within their several and respective Liberties and Jurisdictions have Power and Authority by their Warrants issued to the several High Constables to command them to send their Warrants to their several and respective Petty Constables within their several and respective Hundreds commanding them to make Search for all such Persons as they could find who were within the Description of any former Act for the better regulating Her Majesty's Land Forces and Marines to the Obstruction of the Execution of the said Act and may tend to hinder the Execution of this present Act: Yet Recently whereof Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it always was and is now declared that the said High Constables then might and now shall and are hereby required to send out their Warrants pursuant to the Warrants issued to them by the [said] Justices or any Three or more of them to the several and respective Petty Constables within their several and respective Hundreds who are hereby commanded and required to make Search for all such Persons as they can find who are within the Description of this present Act as well as if the said Justices or Three or more of them had issued their Warrants to the said Petty Constables themselves

T.  
Reason for passing the Enactment

High Constables required to send Warrants pursuant to Justice Warrants for search.

AND whereas several Soldiers being duly listed do afterwards desert and are often found wandering or otherwise abusing themselves illegally from Her Majesty's Service it is hereby further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Constable Headborough or Tythingman of the Town or Place where any Person who may reasonably be suspected to be such a Deserter shall be found to apprehend or cause him to be apprehended and to cause such Person to be brought before any Justice of the Peace living in or near such Town or Place who hath hereby Power to examine such suspected Person and if by his Confession or by Testimony of One or more Witnesses or Witnesses upon Oath or by the Knowledge of such Justice of Peace it shall appear or be found that such suspected Person is a listed Soldier and ought to be with the Troop or Company to which he belongs such Justice of the Peace shall forthwith cause him to be conveyed to the Goal of the County or Place where he shall be found and transmit an Account thereof to the Secretary at War for the Time being to the End such Person may be proceeded against according to Law

XI.  
Constables, &c. suspecting Deserters, may apprehend and carry him before Justice.

If it appear to be a listed Soldier.  
Proceedings.

PROVIDED always That this Power of Impounding of Deserters shall not extend to any Person who hath not been actually in Her Majesty's Service as a Soldier since the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and one

XII.  
Persons not to be impounding Deserters.

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Constable or Tythingman shall wilfully neglect or refuse to execute such Warrants directed to them as aforesaid under the Hands and Seals of such Three of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace or Mayor and such other Head Officers of the several Cities or Towns Corporate as are by this Act appointed for raising and levying such able-bodied Men as are therein described or any other Person or Persons whatsoever shall wilfully do any Act or Thing whereby the Execution of this Act is the searching for taking and securing such able-bodied Men as aforesaid shall be hindered or frustrated shall for every such Offence forfeit any Sum not exceeding Five Pounds to the Use of the Poor of the Parish where such Offence shall be committed and all and every such Offence may be enquired of heard and finally determined by any Two or more of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace dwelling in or near the Place where such Offence shall be committed who have hereby Power to cause the said Penalty to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels rendering the Overplus if any be and if the Offender have no such Goods or Chattels sufficient to answer the said Penalty then to commit him or her to the County Goal there to remain for the Space of One Month without Bail or Mainprize.

XIII.  
Constables, &c. neglecting to execute Warrants.

Penalty.  
How Offences and determined.  
Proceedings.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any Person not within the Description of this Act shall be delivered over as a Soldier contrary to the true Meaning and Intent hereof it shall be lawful to and for the Justice who caused such Person so to be delivered over or any Two of them to commit under their Hands and Seals to Her Majesty's Secretary at War for the Time being that such Person was not in the Time of his being delivered over within the Description and Intent of this Act and the said Secretary at War is hereby empowered and required upon his Receipt of such Certificate to cause the Person in such Certificate named to be forthwith discharged upon his repaying all such Levy Money as he shall have received and each further Moneys as has been expended upon account of his being listed not exceeding Twenty Shillings

XIV.  
Persons not within Act delivered over not a Soldier.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Three Justices of the Peace within the City of London and the Liberties thereof may and are hereby empowered to put this Act in Execution

XV.  
Three Justices in London may execute Act.

\* inserted on the Roll.

## CHAPTER XVIII (\*)

*Re. Parl.  
6 Annæ c. 18.*

An Act for continuing an Act made in the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty's Reign intitled *An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and false Musters and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters.*

*Reasons for passing  
this Act.*

*See 3 & 4 Ann. c. 13.*

*continued by  
Stat. 4 & 5 Ann.  
c. 18.*

*The said Act  
revised Act  
re-enacted.*

**WHEREAS** it is judged necessary that the Forces already raised should be continued and others raised for carrying on the present War and it being requisite for the retaining such Forces as well Officers as Soldiers in their Duty that an exact Discipline be observed and that Soldiers who shall mutiny and stir up Sedition or shall desert Her Majesty's Service be brought to a more exemplary and speedy Punishment than the usual Forces of the Law will allow and for that End in the Session of Parliament holden in the Third and Fourth Years of Her said Majesty's Reign an Act of Parliament was made and passed intitled *An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and false Musters and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters* which Act was in continuance and be in force from the Four and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four until the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six and by One other Act made in the Session of Parliament hold in the Fourth and Fifth Years of Her said Majesty's Reign intitled *An Act for continuing an Act made in the Session hold in the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and false Musters and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters* the said first recited Act was continued and to stand unrevised and be in force from and after the Four and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five until the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven and for the Ends and Purposes in the said first recited Act mentioned it necessary to be further continued and to be again in force Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every the Provisions Clauses Articles Matters and Things in the said first recited Act contained which were thereby enacted and to be in force from and after the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four unto the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six shall be and are hereby continued and shall be observed performed practiced and put in Use in the same Manner and by the same Methods Rules and Directions (and under the like Penalties and Forfeitures and with such) Powers and Authorities in all respects as in the said first recited Act are prescribed mentioned and expressed from the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six to the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight and during the said Time shall be of the same force and effect as if the several Clauses Matters and Things therein contained and specified were particularly and at large repeated in this present Act

## II.

*Persons in Pay as  
Officers, or listed  
as Soldiers under  
Stat. 4 & 5 Ann.  
c. 18.*

*c. 18. m. 10.*

*subject to the  
Provisions of Stat.  
5 & 6 Ann. c. 13.  
and 5 & 6 Ann.  
c. 18.*

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Person now being in Her Majesty's Service in the Army or (mentioned or) in Pay as an Officer or which have been listed or in Pay as a Soldier according to the Directions of an Act made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of Her Majesty's Reign intitled *An Act for the better regulating Her Majesty's Army and Marines* or which shall or may be listed and in Pay as a Soldier according to the Directions of an Act passed in this Session of Parliament intitled *An Act for the better regulating Her Majesty's Land Forces and the Marines for the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven* shall be in all respects subject to and under the same Powers Jurisdictions Authorities Rules and Directions Penalties and Forfeitures as are prescribed and mentioned enacted and continued in the said first recited Act touching or concerning any Person then being in Her Majesty's Service in the Army or mentioned or in Pay as an Officer or listed and in Pay as a Soldier according to the Directions of an Act passed in the same Session of Parliament intitled *An Act for the better regulating Her Majesty's Land Forces and the Marines for the Year One thousand seven hundred and five*

## III.

*Barred of Suit  
Stat. 4 & 5 Ann.  
c. 18.*

*Justices upon  
Writs, not subject  
ing Matters,  
Complaint may  
proceed  
Out of them.*

And whereas by the said first recited Act it is enacted That no Constabulary shall sue any Person within the City of Westminster Borough of Southwark and Liberties thereof but in the Presence of Two Justices of the Peace not being Officers of the Army under the Penalty mentioned in the said Act And although the Sheriffs lack access given to Justices in order to their being present at such Matters yet several of them have neglected and others refused to come whereby the maintaining of such Regiments Troops and Companies have been delayed and hindered Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case such Justices of the Peace shall not upon Forty eight Hours Notice given them attend such Matters that then such Constabulary may proceed to sue any such Regiment Troop or Company although such Justices do not attend without incurring the Penalty in the said Act Provided that Oath be made before any of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace within Forty eight Hours after such Notice was taken that such Notice was given to Six of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace residing within the City and Liberties aforesaid respectively

## IV.

*High or Petty  
Constable neglect-  
ing his duty to  
Warrants of*

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any High Constable or Petty Constable shall wilfully neglect or refuse to execute such Warrants of the Justices of Peace as shall be directed to them pursuant to a Clause in the said Act of the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty's Reign for providing

\* This is Chapter XVI. 5 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions

\* mentioned on the Roll.

Carriage for Her Majesties Forces in their Marches or any other Person or Persons whatsoever shall wilfully do any Act or Thing whereby the Execution of the said Warrants shall be hindered or frustrated every such Constable or other Person or Persons so offending shall for every such Offence forfeit any Sum not exceeding Forty Shillings nor less than Ten Shillings to the Use of the Poor of the Parish where such Offence shall be committed and if not every such Offence and Offenders shall and may be enquired of heard and finally determined by any Two or more of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace dwelling in or near the Place where such Offence shall be committed who have hereby Power to cause the said Penalty to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels residing the Overplus if any be

Justices, pursuant to Stat. 3 R. 4. Ann. c. 18. s. 1. Forfeity 1

decreased by Two Justices. Distress.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Right Honourable Richard Earl of Sandwich late Paymaster-General of Her Majesties Forces do make out a Debenture or Debentures for the Sum of Four hundred and one Pounds Three Shillings and Eight Pence Forthwith which by the Certificate of the late Comptroller-General for stating and determining the Debt due to the Army and Navy appears to be due to the respective Companies of Foot now commanded by Colonel Francis Cadogan for their Arrears in the late War over and above what was due and paid to the Committed Officers of the said Regiment and more the same to each Person or Persons as is or shall be appointed by the Colonel and Majority of the Captains of the said Regiment now living so resolve the same and upon such Person or Persons giving Security in Double the Value for the due Payment thereof to the Non committed Officers and Soldiers of the said Regiment in such Proportions as the same shall be certified to be due to them by the Captain of each respective Company and in case of his Death by the Colonel or next surviving Field Officer of the Regiment according to the Direction of an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign intituled An Act for making good Deficiencies of Parliamentary Funds and preserving the Publick Credit.

Y.  
Earl of Sandwich to make out a Debenture for eight hundred for Colonel Cadogan's Regiment of Foot.

## CHAPTER XIX. (1)

An Act to repeal all the Laws prohibiting the Importation of Foreign Lace made of Thread

Act. Parl.  
6 Ann. c. 18. s. 1.  
Stat. 15 Geo. II. c. 13.  
intituled in Title.

**W**HEREAS it is by Experience found that an Act passed in the Parliament [holden<sup>1</sup>] at Westminster in the Thirteenth and Fourteenth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King Charles the Second intituled An Act prohibiting the Importation of Foreign Hosiery Cut work Embroidery Fringes Bandings Buttons and Needle work as also given other Acts heretofore made prohibiting or restraining the Importation of Foreign Lace or for rendering the Laws more effectual for preventing the Importation of Foreign Lace have obstructed the Exportation and vending or selling of the Woollen Manufactures of England in the Spanish Low Countries and other Places abroad Now for the Remedy thereof be it enacted and it is hereby enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the aforesaid Act of the Thirteenth and fourteenth Years of the Reign of King Charles the Second and also all and every other Act and Acts of Parliament whatsoever which prohibit or restrain the Importation vending or selling of Foreign Lace be heretofore repealed so far forth as the said Acts relate to Foreign Lace made of Thread in the said Spanish Low Countries or in any other Place not within the Dominions of the French King: And that the aforesaid Acts and every Clause Matter and Thing in them contained so far as they relate to such Foreign Lace made of Thread (except as is before excepted) be and are hereby repealed and made void

The said Act, and all other Acts restraining the Importation, vending or selling of Foreign Lace repealed, as far as before mentioned

Provided nevertheless That nothing in this Act contained shall any ways extend or be construed to extend to permit or allow of the Importation of Lace made in any the Dominions of the French King or in any of the Lands Towns or Countries in the Possession of the Duke of Savoy so long as they shall remain or continue in the Possession of the said French King or Duke respectively.

II.  
Proviso as to the Territories of the French King and Duke of Savoy.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XVII. 3 R. 4. Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> Inserted in the Roll.

## CHAPTER XX. (†)

*Est. Part.*  
6 Anne, §. 16. s. 16.

An Act for Inrolments of Bargains and Sales within the West Riding of the County of York in the Register Office there lately provided and for making the said Register more effectual.

*Record of Deeds.*  
17 R. VIII. c. 16.  
11.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Twenty seventh Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth intituled For Inrolments of Bargains and Sales it is enacted That no Manors Lands Tenements or other Hereditaments shall pass since or change from one to another whereby any Estate of Inheritance or Freehold shall be made or take effect in any Person or Persons or any Use thereof to be made by reason only of any Bargain and Sale thereof except the said Bargain and Sale be made by Writing indented sealed and introlled in One of the King's Courts of Record at Westminster or else within the same County or Countie where the same Manors Lands or Tenements so bargained and sold be or be before the Comes Rotulorum and Two Justices of the Peace and the Clerk of the Peace of the same County or Countie or Two of them or in the best whereof the Clerk of the Peace or be One which Act hath been found by Experience to be of little or no use within the West Riding of the County of York as to the Inrolments of Bargains and Sales within the said West Riding for that the Clerk of the Peace thereof for the Time being who hath the keeping of the said Inrolments within the said West Riding is not by the said Act enjoyned to give any Security for the safe keeping nor under any Penalty for the negligent keeping of the said Inrolments nor is there by the said Act any certain Place appointed for keeping thereof

*Reason for passing this Act.*

II.  
*Record of Deeds.*  
17 R. VIII. c. 16.

And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Second Year of Her present Majesties Reign intituled An Act for the Publick registering of all Deeds Conveyances and Wills that shall be made of any Honours Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within the West Riding of the County of York after the Ninth and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and four a Publick Office hath been erected and established at Wakefield within the said West Riding at the Publick Charge thereof for registering and safe keeping of Memorials of all Deeds Conveyances and Wills within the said Riding and a Publick Register hath been chosen who hath according to the Direction of the same Act given sufficient Security for the due Execution of the said Office for the rendering therefore the aforesaid Act made in the Twenty seventh Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth more effectual and beneficial to the Inhabitants of the said West Riding as to all Inrolments of Bargains and Sales within the said West Riding may it please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consents of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Four and twentieth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven all Bargains and Sales of any Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments situate lying and being within the said West Riding which shall be introlled before the said Register or his Deputy for the Time being in the said Publick Office at Wakefield shall be as good effectual and available to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever as if the same had been introlled in One of the Queen's Courts of Record at Westminster or before the Comes Rotulorum and Two Justices of the Peace and the Clerk of the Peace of the said West Riding or Two of them according to the aforesaid Act made in the Twenty seventh Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth and the said Register or his Deputy for the Time being (together with One or more Justice or Justices of the Peace of the said Riding) shall have Power to take and enter the Acknowledgments of the Bargainers if but One or of One of the Bargainers if more in each Bargain and Sale and shall well and sufficiently introll by ingrossing in Parchment Rolls or Parchment Books all such Bargains and Sales as shall for that Purpose be acknowledged before him as aforesaid and shall endorse a Certificate on each Bargain and Sale of the Times of introlling thereof and sign the same and the Rolls or Books thereof shall safely keep in the said Publick Office there to remain upon Record amongst the Memorials of Deeds there registered

*Introll a Publick Office hath been erected at Wakefield, and Register chosen.*

*Bargains and Sales introlled in the said Office, as good as if introlled in a Court of Record at Westminster, &c.*

*Register, he may take Acknowledgments of Bargains, &c.*

III.  
*Deeds appearing to be introlled by Indentures or Conveyances and Copies of Indentures, &c.*

And be it further enacted That all Deeds of Bargain and Sale so introlled in the said Publick or Register Office as aforesaid which shall appear to be so introlled by an Indenture or Certificate on the said Deeds of Bargain and Sale signed by the said Register or his Deputy and that all Copies of the Inrolments thereof remaining on Record in the said Register Office shall be allowed in all Courts where such Bargains and Sales or Copies shall be produced to be as good and sufficient Evidence as any Bargains and Sales introlled in any of the Courts at Westminster and the Copies of the Inrolments thereof

IV.  
*Each Inrolment deemed the introlling of a Memorial presented to him.*  
17 R. VIII. c. 16.

And be it further enacted That every such Inrolment of every such Deed in the said Register Office as aforesaid shall be deemed and adjudged to be the introlling of a Memorial thereof presented to the said Act made in the Second Year of Her present Majesties Reign and shall have the same force and effect upon the Estate therein manifested in relation to all subsequent Deeds Conveyances and Wills and to all other Intents and Purposes as if a Memorial of such introlled Deed had been entered into in the said Register Office pursuant to the same Act

V.  
*Indentment (Indorsement) introlled after*

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That an Indorsement Statute or Recognizance (other than such as shall be entered into in the Name and upon the proper Accompt of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors) which shall be obtained or entered into after the said Four and twentieth Day of June in the said

Test of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven shall affect or bind any Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments situate lying and being in the said West Riding but only from the Time that a Memorial of such Judgment Sentence or Recognizance shall be entered at the said Register Office expressing and containing in case of such Judgment the Names of the Plaintiffs and the Names and Additions thereof of the Defendants the sums thereby recovered and the Time of the signing thereof and in case of Sentence and Recognizance expressing and containing the Date of such Sentence or Recognizance the Names and Additions of the Cognizors and Cognizees therein and for what Sums and before whom the same were acknowledged And that in order to the making an Entry of such Memorials of Judgments Sentences and Recognizances as aforesaid the Party and Parties at Register Office a Memorial of such Judgment Sentence or Recognizance signed by the proper Officer who shall give such Judgment or his Successor in the same Office or by the proper Officer in whose Office such Sentence or Recognizance shall be enrolled together with an Affidavit sworn before One of the Judges at Westminster or a Master in Chancery that such Memorial was duly signed by the Officer whose Name shall appear to be thereto set which Memorial such respective Officer is hereby required to give such Plaintiff or Plaintiffs Cognizor or Cognizees or his her or their Executors or Administrators or Attorney or any of them he she or they paying for the same the Sum of One Shilling and no more

And be it further enacted That the said Register or his Deputy shall make an Entry and likewise if required (and if) give a Certificate in Writing under his Hand sealed by Two credible Witnesses of every such Memorial of any Judgment Sentence or Recognizance brought to him to be so registered as aforesaid and therein mention the certain Day on which such Memorial is so registered or entered expressing also in what Book Page or Number the same is entered

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Recognizance entered into by the present Register or his Deputy be entered into by the Register for the Time being at the Time of his being sworn into the said Office of Register conditioned for the true and faithful Performance of his Duty in the Execution of his said Office shall be deemed adjudged and taken to stand and be to all Intents and Purposes a Security as well for the due fulfillment and satisfaction when required of the said Indemnities of all Burgages and Scales that shall be levied before the said Register or his Deputy for the Time being by virtue of this present Act and for all other Duties appointed by him to be done by this Act so for the true and faithful Performance of his Duty in the Execution of his said Office of Register And that the said Register and his Deputy for the Time being shall be liable to the like Breaches and Forfeitures of the said Recognizance for and in respect of any Neglect or Breach of his Duty required of him by this present Act as for any Neglect or Breach of his Duty in the Execution of his said Office of Register

And be it further enacted That the said Register for the Time being shall be allowed for travelling every such Burgage and Scale and Memorial as aforesaid and for Certificate Copies and Searches respectively the like respective Fees that are by the aforesaid Act made in the Second Year of His present Majesty Kings appointed for the seeing Memorials of Deeds Conveyances and Wills and for Certificate Copies and Searches respectively and no more

And be it further enacted That if any Person or Persons shall at any Time forge or counterfeit any Entry of the Acknowledgment of any Burgage in any such Register and Sale as aforesaid or any such Memorial Certificate or Endorsement as are herein mentioned or directed and be thereof lawfully convicted such Person or Persons shall incur and be liable to such Fines and Penalties as in and by an Act of Parliament made in the Fifth Year of Queen Elizabeth intituled An Act against Forgery of false Deeds and Writings are imposed upon Persons for forging or publishing of false Deeds Charters or Writings sealed Court Rolls or Wills whereby the Freehold or Inheritance of any Person or Persons or of it or to any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments shall or may be unlawfully troubled or changed

And that if any Person or Persons shall at any Time forewarn himself before the said Register or his Deputy or before any Judge or Master in Chancery in any of the Cases herein mentioned and be thereof lawfully convicted such Person or Persons shall incur and be liable to the same Penalties as if the same Oath had been made in any of the Courts of Record at Westminster

And be it further enacted That all Certificates required by this Act or by the said Act made in the Second Year of His present Majesty Kings to be given by the said Register or his Deputy in case of Searches in the said Publick or Register Office shall be signed by the said Register or his Deputy in the Presence of Two credible Persons who shall set their Names down as Witnesses to the signing thereof

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case of Mortgages that shall be enrolled in the said Register Office pursuant to this Act or whereof Memorials have been or shall be entered pursuant to the said Act made in the Second Year of His present Majesty Kings and also in case of Judgments Burgages and Recognizances whereof Memorials shall be entered in the said Register Office pursuant to this Act if at any Time

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not to be used but  
from Memorial

When Memorial  
is to contain

What Things Party  
entering Memorial  
to produce and  
leave with Register

For the Memorial

VII.  
Register to give  
Certificate of  
Memorial brought.

VIII.  
For what Things  
the Recognizance  
entered into by  
Register deemed a  
Security.

VIII.  
Fees to Register.

IX.  
Countersigning  
Entries, Memorials,  
&c.

Penalty of Stat.  
1 Stat. c. 14. s. 4

X.  
Forfeiture

XI.  
Certificate to be  
signed by Register  
and attested.

XII.  
Register to make an  
Entry in Register  
Books of Mortgages  
and Mortgages  
in Judgments, &c.

<sup>1</sup> amended on the 10th

<sup>2</sup> That and the following Persons are inserted in the Original Act in Two separate Sections.

afterwards a Certificate shall be brought to the said Register or his Deputy signed by the respective Mortgagees and Mortgagees in such Mortgage Plaintiffs and Defendants in such Judgments Cognizance and Cognitions in such Statute or Recognizance respectively their respective Executions Administrations or Assigns and attested by Two Witnesses whereby it shall appear that all Monies due upon such Mortgage Judgments Statute or Recognizance respectively have been paid or satisfied in Discharge thereof which Witnesses shall upon their Oath before the said Register or his Deputy (who are hereby respectively empowered to administer such Oath) prove such Monies to be satisfied or paid accordingly and that they saw such Certificate signed by the said Mortgagees and Mortgagees Plaintiffs and Defendants Cognizance and Cognitions respectively their respective Executions Administrations or Assigns that then and in every such Case the said Register or his Deputy shall make an Entry in the Margins of the said Register Books against the Infringement of such Mortgage or Registry of the Monies so thereof and against the Registry of such Judgment Statute or Recognizance respectively that such Mortgage Judgment Statute or Recognizance respectively was satisfied and discharged according to such Certificate to which the said Entry shall refer and shall also file such Certificate to remain upon Record in the said Register Office

XIII.  
Lands bought of  
Judgment, the  
registered within  
30 Days.

PROVIDED nevertheless and be it enacted That if any Judgment Statute or Recognizance be registered in the said Register Office within Thirty Days after the Acknowledgment or signing thereof all the Lands that the Defendant or Cognizance had at the Time of such Acknowledgment or signing shall be bound thereby.

XIV.  
Public Act.

And be it further enacted That this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts within this Kingdom as a Publick Act and all Judges Justices and other Persons therein concerned are hereby required as such to take Notice thereof without special Pleading the same.

# CHAPTER XXI. (C)

For First Session,  
1706.

An Act for continuing the Duties upon Houses to secure a yearly Fund for circulating Exchequer Bills whereby a Sum not exceeding Fifteen hundred thousand Pounds is intended to be raised for carrying on the War and other Her Majesties Occasions.

Dates of Stat.  
1706 W. III. c. 18.  
and Stat. 1707  
W. III. c. 20. and  
Stat. 1708 c. 7.

continued for ever

Proviso for  
Redemption,  
and raised as by  
former Acts

MAY it please Your most Excellent Majesty We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled being desirous not only to raise such Supplies as are necessary to enable Your Majesty to carry on the present War with Success but also to use such Ways and Means therein as the Your Majesty may have the better and more speedy Effect of the said Supplies do cheerfully and unanimously give and grant to Your Majesty the several Rates Duties Impositions and Sums of Money upon Houses hereby after mentioned and we do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Rates Duties Impositions and Sums of Money granted by an Act passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory intitled An Act for granting to His Majesty several Rates or Duties on Houses for making good the Deficiency of the eight Money and which thereby and by an Act made in the Eighth Year of His said late Majesty were granted to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and by one other Act made in the First Year of Her now Majesties Reign intitled An Act for making good the Deficiency and preserving the Publick Credit were further granted to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten shall be and are hereby further continued from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten and shall from thenceforth be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for ever for the Purpose in this Act expressed subject nevertheless to the Proviso or Condition of Redemption hereby after mentioned and shall be raised levied answered [collected] and paid unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors in the same Manner and Form and by such Rates Ways and Means and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are mentioned in the said several Acts or any of them for raising collecting levying answering and paying the same and that the same Acts and all Powers Provisions Penalties and (C) Articles and Clauses therein or in any other Acts of Parliament concerning the said Duties upon Houses contained and expressed now in force shall continue and be in full force and effect during the Continuance of this present Act and shall be applied provided and executed for the raising levying collecting [answering] and paying the said Duties upon Houses hereby continued according to the Tenor and Intent of the present Act as fully in all Intents and Purposes as if all every the said Clauses Statutes and Things in the said former Acts or any of them concerning the said Duties on Houses contained had been again repeated in this Act and particularly enacted

II.  
The said Duties  
upon Houses  
charged as before  
mentioned.

And it is hereby enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the said Duties upon Houses which from and after the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten shall arise grow due or become payable by virtue of this Act to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall be liable to and be charged and chargeable with the yearly Fund after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum to be paid to the Governor and Company of the Bank of England for the circulating of all such Exchequer Bills

\* This is Chapter XIII. 5 & 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions

\* Forfeitures &c.

\* continued on the Roll

as shall be issued by or in pursuance of this Act and all the same Duties (except the necessary Charges of collecting raising levying and accounting for the same and the Charge of making and issuing the Exchequer Bills hereafter mentioned) are and shall be appropriated shewingly in such Manner that all the Money which shall from time to time be or remain due payable or in Arrears to the said Governor and Company and their Successors by virtue of this present Act for or upon the said Allowance of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum or for any Arrears thereof if any such be shall in the first Place be paid and satisfied out of the said Rates or Duties upon Houses with Preference to any other Payments that shall or may hereafter be charged upon the said Rates and Duties or any of them and under such Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities as are hereafter in this Act contained in that Behalf

And be it also enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and immediately after the Time that all the Principal and Interest Monies which by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign are charged upon the Duties on Houses thereby granted shall be satisfied and paid off or that Monies shall be reserved in the Exchequer sufficient for that Purpose then the Duties upon Houses granted by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign for the Remainder of the Term thereby granted and all Arrears thereof which shall be reserved or recovered into the Exchequer at or before the Feast of Saint Michael the Archangel One thousand seven hundred and ten (except the necessary Charges of raising collecting levying and accounting for the same and the Charge of making and issuing the Exchequer Bills hereafter mentioned) are and shall be by virtue of this Act appropriated and applied for or towards the Payments which at or before the said Feast of Saint Michael the Archangel One thousand seven hundred and ten shall be grown due and remain unsatisfied upon or for the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum and the Arrears thereof if any such be under the like Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities as aforesaid

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lord High Treasurer of England or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to cause Bills to be made forth at the Receipt of the Exchequer in such Manner and Form as he or they shall appoint for any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the Whole the Sum of One million and five hundred thousand Pounds for Her Majesties Supply and so cause the same to such Uses of the War and other Her Majesties Occasions in such Proportions as he or they shall think fit.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Bills so to be issued as aforesaid shall be received and taken and shall pass and be current to all and every the Receivers or Collectors of any Revenue Aid Tax or Supply whatsoever already granted due or payable or which shall or may be granted due or payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors for the War or any other Use or Service whatsoever and also at the Receipt of the Exchequer from the said Receivers or Collectors or from any other Person or Persons Bodies Politic or Corporate whatsoever making any Payment or Loans there to Her Majesty for or upon any Account Cause or Occasion whatsoever

And whereas the Governor and Company of the Bank of England are willing to circulate all the Exchequer Bills which shall be made forth by and in pursuance of this Act on a sufficient Fund securing to them an Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum redeemable by Parliament upon a Years Notice and to pay the same as Specie Bills upon the first lending and so to continue during their Currency Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Governor and Company of the Bank of England and their Successors shall have receive and enjoy and shall be enabled by virtue of this Act to have receive and enjoy to their own Use and Edwards and there shall be answered and paid to them by such Ways and Means as in this Act are provided an Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum for circulating all such Bills as shall be issued by or in pursuance of this Act from the respective Times of lending the same until such Time as the said Exchequer Bills so to be issued shall be discharged and cancelled in the Manner and Form by this Act provided Notwithstanding it is hereby declared and enacted That the said Allowance of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum for the said Exchequer Bills which shall be issued by or in pursuance of this Act shall commence and take Effect only in Proportion as the same shall be issued and as the said Bills shall hereafter cease to be discharged and cancelled the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum shall proportionably cease and determine

And in regard the said Duties upon Houses granted by this Act do not commence until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and the said Duties upon Houses granted by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign will not be applicable towards making good the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum until all the Principal and Interest charged upon the said Duties by the same Act shall be first satisfied as aforesaid and it is just and reasonable that the said Governor and Company and their Successors be satisfied the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum in the mean time which they are willing to accept in value Exchequer Bills to be made forth Quarterly in the Manner herein after mentioned Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Lord High Treasurer of England or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury

III.  
When Principal and Interest of Monies under Stat. 1 Ann. c. 21. paid, Duties required as herein mentioned.

IV.  
Treasury to issue such Bills for of Legation.

V.  
which are to be received in Payment as herein mentioned.

VI.  
Allowance of 4½ per Cent. per Annum to the Bank for circulating Exchequer Bills.

When and in what Manner to commence and take effect.

VII.  
Reasons for passing this Enactment.

Treasury to supply Quarterly what is due upon



such Allowance  
over and above  
Honor Money.

for the Time being shall and he or they are hereby required and empowered upon every one of the Four next quarterly Feast Days of the Year which shall happen between the first issuing of the said Exchange Bills or any of them until the Feast of Saint Michael the Archangel One thousand seven hundred and ten shillings or within Ten Days after to compute the Sum which on every the said Feast Days shall be due and owing over and above so much as shall have been applied of the said Honor Money to the said Governor and Company upon and for the said Allowance of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum for circulating all the Exchange Bills which shall have been issued in pursuance of this Act and shall not then be discharged and to make out other Exchange Bills for so much as shall be so computed to be due on each such quarterly Day upon and for the said Allowance of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum and for the circulating the said other Bills the said Governor and Company and their Successors shall by virtue of this present Act have receive and be entitled unto the like Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum to be computed from the respective Times of issuing thereof and as the said last mentioned Bills shall hereafter respectively come to be discharged and cancelled the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum for the same shall in Proportion to the Bills so discharged and cancelled come and determine which said other Exchange Bills so to be made out and issued shall be received and taken and shall pass and be current in like Manner and Form to all former and former Passports and with such Privileges and Advantages as the said Bills to be made out and issued for the said Sum of One million five hundred thousand Pounds or any Part thereof are herein discussed and appointed.

Exchange Bills to  
be good.

VIII.  
Receivers, Collec-  
tors, &c. to be  
appointed, liable to  
the Penalties of  
Stat. G. W. III.  
in 24.

And to the End all the Monies arising by the said Rates and Duties upon Houses may be duly and exactly raised and brought into the Receipts of the Exchequer for the Purposes aforesaid it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from time to time during the Continuance of this Act there shall be appointed Receivers General Collectors Surveyors and other proper Officers for managing levying collecting receiving and paying the said Rates and Duties upon Houses hereby granted and for keeping the Accounts of the same and that the said Receivers General Collectors Surveyors and other Officers who are or shall be concerned in the managing raising collecting receiving and paying the said Rates and Duties upon Houses and keeping the Accounts thereof shall perform their several Duties therein as to them respectively shall appear under such and the like Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities for any Offence or Neglect therein or for defaulting defaulting or misapplying any Part of the said Monies as are prescribed and to be inflicted by virtue of an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for raising a Sum not exceeding Two millions upon a Fund for Payment of Annuities after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum and for settling the Trade to the East Indies for the War Offence or Neglect relating to the Duties on Salt and upon stamps Vellum Parchment and Paper thereby granted or referred unto or for defaulting defaulting or misapplying any Part of the said Monies which were granted or appropriated by the Act last mentioned.

IX.  
Books to be kept  
of the said  
Rates and Duties

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be provided and kept in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts of Her Majesty's Exchequer One or more Books in which all the Monies arising by the said Rates and Duties upon Houses by virtue of this Act and the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign hereby appropriated and which shall be brought into the said Receipts shall be entered apart and distinct from all other Monies paid into the said Receipts on any other Account whatsoever.

X.  
The said Allow-  
ance to be paid  
and paid at the  
Exchequer.

And it is hereby further enacted That the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum for circulating Exchange Bills shall from time to time be issued and paid at the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer out of the Monies arising by the said Rates and Duties upon Houses by virtue of this Act and the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign hereby appropriated thereunto as aforesaid unto the said Governor and Company and their Successors weekly or as fast as the same shall produce Monies into the Exchequer for the same so as by such weekly or other Payments the whole of the said Allowance due to the said Governor and Company or their Successors at the End of any One Quarter be not extended.

XI.  
Officers of the  
Exchequer not  
keeping Books, &c.

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any of the Officers of the Exchequer shall divert or misapply any of the Monies hereby appropriated for Payment of the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum or shall pay or issue out the same otherwise than according to the Intent of this Act or shall not keep Books and make Entries and do and perform all other Things which by this Act they are required to do and perform every such Officer shall forfeit his Office and for the future be incapable of any Office or Place of Trust and shall answer and pay Treble Damages and Costs of Suit to be recovered by the said Governor and Company and their Successors by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Ensign Protection Privilege of Parliament or other Privilege Wager of Law Imparison Order or Restraint or more than One Imparison shall be granted or allowed and in the said Action the said Governor and Company and their Successors shall have their full Costs One third Part of which Sum to be recovered for Damages shall be to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Two third Parts with the Costs shall be to the Use of the said Governor and Company and their Successors.

Forfeiture of  
Office,  
Imparison,  
Treble

PROVIDED always and it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if at the End of any Quarter of any Year during the Continuance of this Act (the First Computation to be made at Michaelmas One thousand seven hundred and six) the Monies arising in the Exchequer and hereby appropriated for Payment of the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pence and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum as aforesaid shall exceed all the Monies then due for or upon the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pence and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum excluding so much of the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pence and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum for which Exchequer Bills shall or ought to [have<sup>1</sup>] been made and issued to the said Governor and Company in pursuance of this Act so that there shall be an Excess or Surplus of the said Rate and Duties such Excess or Surplus shall be disposable from time to time for the publick Use and Service by Authority of Parliament and not otherwise Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

AND it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Governor and Company and their Successors do and shall after the said Exchequer Bills or any of them shall be issued as aforesaid from time to time exchange all such Exchequer Bills as they shall be required to exchange by any Person or Persons whatsoever for ready Money by paying unto all such Person or Persons in ready Money the Sum and Sums for which such Bill or Bills are required to be exchanged were issued or which the Owner or Owners of such Bill or Bills are entitled unto by such Bill or Bills in pursuance of this present Act together with the Interest due shall at the Time of such Demand be due on such Bill or Bills in case such Bill or Bills shall be indorsed to carry or pass with Interest in the Manner in this Act after mentioned And the said Governor and Company and their Successors shall continue and remain a Corporation until all the said Exchequer Bills shall be redeemed and cancelled in the Manner in this Act mentioned

AND it is hereby further enacted That in case the said Governor and Company or their Successors or their Coffer shall neglect or refuse so to exchange such Bill or Bills for ready Money as aforesaid upon Demand thereof made at their chief Office (which during the Currency of these Bills shall be kept at some Place within the City of London) by the Space of Four and twenty Hours then the Person or Persons demanding the same as the Person or Persons for and on whose Account such Demand shall be made shall and may and are hereby enabled to bring his her or their Action of Debt or upon the Case for the same against the said Governor and Company or their Successors in which Action the Person or Persons so bringing the same shall and may declare that the said Governor and Company are indebted to the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs therein the Money demanded upon the Bill or Bills so issued according to the Form of this Statute and have not paid the same which shall be sufficient and the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs in such Action or Actions shall recover against the said Governor and Company not only the Money so neglected or refused to be paid but also Damages besides full Costs of Suit And the said Governor and Company and their Successors shall be and are hereby made subject and liable thereto in which said Action or Actions no Exceuse Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed nor any more than One Impedance

AND it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case the said Governor and Company or their Successors shall think fit for the better circulating of such of the said Bills as shall come to their Hands as any of them and for making them more Current to make any of such Bills carry or pass with Interest to be paid by the said Governor and Company and their Successors and shall by One or more Indorsement or Indorsements to be made by such Person or Persons as the said Governor and Company or their Successors shall appoint on the Back or Backs of such Bill or Bills signify that such Bill or Bills doth carry and may pass with Interest and express what Interest shall attend the Principal in such Bill or Bills then and from time to time in every such Case such Bill or Bills so indorsed shall pass with and carry such Interest and for such Time and Times and with such Restrictions and Limitations as shall be so indorsed thereon And the said Governor and Company and their Successors shall be and are hereby made liable to the Payment of such Interest as well as the Principal Money in such Bill or Bills so carrying or passing with Interest and the Interest so due on all such Bill or Bills so indorsed to carry or pass with Interest shall be allowed to all Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate paying the same to any Receivers or Collectors Receiver or Collector of any His Majesties Revenues Aids Taxes or Supplies or into His Majesties Exchequer as aforesaid until the Day the said Bill or Bills shall be so paid unto such Collectors or Receivers or into the Exchequer as aforesaid

PROVIDED always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Interest shall run or be paid on or for any of the said Bill or Bills so to be indorsed to pass with or carry Interest for such Time as any such Bill or Bills so indorsed and paid to any such Collectors or Receivers for any of His Majesties Revenues Aids Taxes or Supplies or into His Majesties Exchequer as aforesaid shall remain in the Hands of the said Collectors or Receivers or in the Hands of any Teller or Tellers of His Majesties Exchequer but for such Time the said Interest on such Bills shall cease for the Benefit or Advantage of the said Governor and Company and their Successors

AND to the End it may be known for what Time such Bill or Bills so indorsed shall from time to time remain in the Hands of such Collectors or Receivers or in His Majesties Exchequer as aforesaid be it further

XII.  
If there be more of any one per Cent he need by the said Parliament to deposit thereof.

XIII.  
The Bank to continue a Corporation, and to exchange Exchequer Bills for ready Money, until Exchequer Bills redeemed.

XIV.  
Nothing to be required to exchange Bills for ready Money, unless Action may be brought.

Full Costs.

XV.  
The Bills being indorsed, shall carry what Interest in pass, with Interest.

Bank liable to pay Principal and Interest.

XVI.  
No Interest from the Time Bills remain in the Hands of Receivers or Tellers.

XVII.

<sup>1</sup> Continued on the Bill.

**XXI.**  
The Day and  
Year put on by  
Bacquer, who  
are to be allowed  
why they allow  
his Interest.

enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Person and Persons who shall pay such Bill or Bills so endorsed to carry or pass with Interest as aforesaid to any Collector or Receiver of any of Her Majesty's Revenues Aids Taxes or Duties or into Her Majesty's Exchequer as aforesaid shall at the Time of making such Payments on such Bill or Bills put his [her'] or their Name or Names and write thereon in Words at length the Day of the Month and Year on which he she or they so paid such Bill all which the said respective Receiver and Collectors and Treasurers in the Exchequer shall take care to see done and performed accordingly to which Day the Collector or Receiver who shall so receive the same to Her Majesty Use shall be allowed again the Interest which he shall have allowed thereupon upon his or their paying the same into the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer

**XXII.**  
How Endorsed  
out of Exchequer.

Provided also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That when any of the said Bills so endorsed shall be returned or paid again out of the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer the respective Treasurers of the said Receipt of Exchequer from whose Office the same Bills shall be so returned or again paid out shall endorse on such Bill or Bills in Words at length the Day of the Month that the same were [so'] returned or repaid out of the said Receipt of the Exchequer and sign the same from which Time the Interest of such Bill or Bills so returned or paid again out of the Receipt of the Exchequer shall revive and such Bill or Bills shall again run and pass at Interest and for each Time and with such Limitations endorsed thereon as the same did before paid into the said Receiver or Collectors or into the said Exchequer as aforesaid to be paid by the said Governor and Company and their Successors

**XXIII.**  
Bills to pay such  
Bills and Interest,  
and also those  
his Master,  
and not to pay such  
Bills with any  
Amount of Interest  
thereupon.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That whenever the said Bills so endorsed shall be returned or paid again out of the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer the said Governor and Company or their Successors shall afterwards return again into their Hands either as being by them exchanged for ready Money or being paid to them the said Governor and Company and their Successors shall discharge such Bills of all Interest due thereon over and above Six Months Interest and not here or pay out again such Bill or Bills with any Amount of Interest due thereon over and above the said Six Months Interest

**XXIV.**  
Exchequer Bills,  
when paid out to be  
endorsed

Provided always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That at any Time upon One Year Notice to the said Governor and Company or their Successors and upon full Payment of the Principal Money to be due on the said Exchequer Bills to be issued as aforesaid and also upon Payment to the said Governor and Company or their Successors of so much as shall be due to them for the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum for discounting the said Exchequer Bills as aforesaid then and not till then the said Exchequer Bills shall be cancelled and discharged in such Manner as by the Act of Parliament for redemtion thereof shall be appointed or in Default of such Appointment in such Manner as the Lord High Treasurer of England or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall direct or appoint and then also the said Fund or Allowance after the Rate of Five Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum shall cease and determine and so much of the said Fund upon Houses as should have been applied to the Payment of the said Allowance after the Rate of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum in case the same had continued shall from thenceforth be undevoted to be referred by Parliament and shall not be issued paid or applied to any Use or Purpose whatsoever but by Authority of Parliament Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

**XXV.**  
If by Accident  
Bills defaced,  
Treasury may  
make new ones.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any of the said Exchequer Bills which shall be issued in pursuance of this present Act shall be filed up by Indorsements to be made thereon in pursuance of this Act or shall by any Accident be defaced it shall and may be lawful for the Lord High Treasurer of England or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being and he and they are hereby authorized and enjoined upon Request thereof made by the said Governor and Company or their Successors to cause new Bills to be made fresh at the Receipt of the Exchequer to be delivered from time to time to the said Governor and Company or their Successors in lieu of such Bills as shall be so filed [up] with Endorsements or defaced with old Bills so filed up with Endorsements or defaced shall be cancelled at the Receipt of Exchequer and kept there and such new Bills shall have the like Currency and shall in all respects be subject to the same Rules Methods and Continuance as if the same had been Bills originally issued in pursuance of this Act and shall bear the same Numbers Dates and Principal Sums as were born in the old Bills so brought in to be cancelled respectively and the like for the said Bills so renewed and all other Bills originally issued or afterwards renewed under various as the same shall happen to be filed up with Endorsements or defaced as aforesaid

**XXVI.**  
Forged Exchequer  
Bills, or Endorsements  
thereupon to be  
forfeited.

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall forge or counterfeit any Exchequer Bill or be issued by virtue of this Act or any Endorsement thereon or Treasurers Payment any such forged or counterfeit Exchequer Bill or with such Counterfeit Endorsement or Demand to have the same exchanged for ready Money by the said Governor and Company or their Successors (knowing the Bill so tendered or demanded to be exchanged or the Endorsement thereon to be forged or counterfeit) and with

Intention to defraud Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or the said Governor and Company or their Successors or any Person or Persons Body Politick or Corporate that every such Person or Persons so offending (being thereof lawfully convicted) shall be adjudged a Felon and suffer as in Cases of Felony without Benefit of Clergy.

Debt.

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Governor and Company and their Successors shall from time to time have the Use and Custody of the One Part of all and every the Cheques Issues or Counterfoils of all such Exchequer Bills which shall from time to time be issued as the Receipt of the Majesty's Exchequer and from which the same Exchequer Bills shall be cut in order to prevent their being impaired or by counterfeit or forged Exchequer Bills and that when the said Bills or any of them shall be directed to be discharged and cancelled in pursuance of this Act One Part of all and every the said Cheques Issues or Counterfoils or such of them as shall relate to the Exchequer Bills so to be directed to be discharged or cancelled shall from time to time be delivered back into the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer by the said Governor and Company or their Successors for the Use of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors

XXIII.  
The Bank to  
have Cheque, &c.In what Case  
delivered back to  
Exchequer.

Perpetuum always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Governor and Company and their Successors for the better circulating of the said Exchequer Bills from time to time when they shall see Occasion to call in or direct to be paid into the said Governor and Company and their Successors from and by the respective Members of the said Company for the Time being respectively any Sum and Sums of Money which the said Governor and Company in a General Court from time to time shall think necessary for the said Circulation and shall accordingly order to be called in And that all Executors Administrators Guardians and Treasurers shall be intimated in paying the same and in case any Member or Members of the said Company shall neglect or refuse to pay his her or their Share of the Money so called in at the Time or Times appointed for that Purpose by Notice inserted in the London Gazette and based upon the Royal Exchange it shall and may be lawful for the said Governor and Company and their Successors not only to stop the Share or Dividends which shall from time to time become payable to such Member or Members (so neglecting or refusing) of the Fund Stock or Profits of the said Company and to apply the same from time to time for or towards Payment of the Share of the Member so called in and which ought to have been paid by such Member or Members so neglecting or refusing to pay the same until the same shall be satisfied but also to stop the Transfers of the Shares of every such Defaulter and to charge such Defaulter and Defaulters with an Interest after the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum for the Monies so by him and them limited to be paid from the Time the same were appointed to be paid until the Payment thereof and that the Share and Stock of such Defaulter and Defaulters shall be liable to make good and answer the said Monies so appointed to be paid and the Interest thereof and that in case the Principal and Interest shall not be paid within the Space of Three Months then the said Governor and Company shall have Power to sell so much of the Stock of such Defaulter or Defaulters as will suffice and pay the same

XXIV.  
The Bank may call  
in Money for Pur-  
poses of circulating  
Exchequer Bills.On Monies in the  
Courts, may stop  
Dividends and  
Transfers of  
Debts.

And it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Member of the said Corporation shall for or by reason of any of the Matters or Things in this Act contained be disabled from being a Member of Parliament or be adjudged liable to be a Bankrupt within the Intend and Meaning of all or any the Statutes made against or concerning Bankrupts and that the said Fund or Allowance after the Rate of Four Pence and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum shall not be subject or liable to any Foreign Attachment by the Customs of the City of London or otherwise

XXV.  
Members of Cor-  
poration not dis-  
abled from being  
or becoming Bank-  
rupts.

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Fund or Allowance after the Rate of Four Pence and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum and the particular Share Part and Interest of every Member of the said Company of and in the same shall be and are hereby exempted from any Taxes Rates Assessments or Impositions whatsoever during the Continuance of the same

XXVI.  
The Fund exempt  
from Taxes

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Fund or Allowance after the Rate of Four Pence and Ten Shillings per Centum per Annum and the Interest of the said Governor and Company of the Bank of England and their Successors and of each and every particular Member of the said Company therein shall be and be adjudged taken and accepted in Construction of Law by all the Judges in all Courts of Law and Justice and in all Courts and Places whatsoever within this Realm to be a Personal and not a Real Estate and shall go to the Executors and Administrators of the Person or Persons dying possessed thereof or entitled thereto and not to the Heirs of such Person or Persons Any thing in this present Act or in any other Act or any other Law Usage or Custom to the contrary thereof in any way notwithstanding

XXVII.  
Fund to the Bank  
Personal Estate,  
and not a Real  
Estate.

Perpetuum always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That notwithstanding all the Exchequer Bills by this Act directed to be issued shall in pursuance of this Act be paid off discharged and cancelled so soon as any other Exchequer Bill or Bills of the like Nature though by another Name other than what are hereby so by any former Act authorized to be issued shall or may hereafter be made out and issued as the Receipt of the Majesty's Exchequer either with or without the Authority of Parliament unless with the Consent of the said Governor and Company or their Successors

XXVIII.  
No issue of other  
Exchequer Bills,  
until those directed  
by this Act are  
paid.

XXIX.  
Power for  
Redemption of  
original Fund of  
all monies per  
Act granted by  
Parliament

PROVIDED nevertheless That nothing in this Act contained shall any ways prevent or hinder the Redemption of the original Fund of One hundred thousand Pounds per Annum first granted unto the said Governor and Company or of any other Funds granted or to be granted by Parliament upon which the said Governor and Company have or shall have lost any Monies and which are redeemable by Parliament but that the same may be redeemed from the said Governor and Company according to former Acts for that Purpose without Redemption of the Interest at Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum lawfully granted nevertheless without determining or dissolving the Corporation of the said Governor and Company until the said Interest of Four Pounds and Ten Shillings per Centum shall be also redeemed from them.

XXX  
Amey, Mich.  
Lottery, Exche-  
quer Bills, Ac.  
lost or burnt to  
be renewed.

And whereas several Tickets commonly called Million Lottery Tickets and Half Lottery Tickets which are sold and several Bills called Exchequer Bills not yet discharged also divers Sorts of Bills or Certificates commonly called Debentures made forth for Arrears due to the Army and for transport Services are being applied to the purchasing of any of the forekind Entries in Ireland or otherwise discharged are by Casualty or Mischance lost burnt or otherwise destroyed Be it hereby further enacted That in all Cases where it shall appear by Affidavit to be made before any of the Barons of the Exchequer for the Time being to the Satisfaction of such Barons or Barons that any such Tickets Bills or Debentures as aforesaid before the Sixth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and six have been or are lost burnt or otherwise destroyed it shall and may be lawful for the respective Officers or Persons appointed to issue and make forth the said Tickets Bills or Debentures as to pay and discharge the same or to issue any Monies due and payable thereon upon the producing a Certificate from any of the said Barons of such Affidavit made before him (which Affidavit the said Barons or any of them is and are hereby authorized to take and which Certificate he or they are hereby required to make and give without Fee or Reward) and on Security given to the said respective Officers and Persons to their good liking to indemnify them respectively against all other Persons whatsoever for or concerning the Monies specified in or due upon such respective Ticket or Tickets Bill or Bills Debenture or Debentures they the said Officers and Persons respectively shall and are hereby required to make forth Duplicates thereof at the Request of the respective Owners and to pay and discharge the said Tickets Bills and Debentures and all such Interest as in or shall be due thereon respectively as he or they should have paid and discharged the original Bills Tickets or Debentures or the Interest due or to be due thereon if the same had been produced and shall be allowed the same in their respective Accounts and if there shall not be any proper Officers or Persons to make forth Duplicates of such Tickets Bills Certificates or Debentures the Lord High Treasurer of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or the Comptroller of the Treasury or any Three of them for the Time being shall and are hereby authorized and required upon such Affidavit and Security as aforesaid to order and direct Duplicates of such Tickets Bills and Debentures to be made forth in such Manner as he or they shall judge [to be] best Any thing in this or any other Act of Parliament contained to the contrary thereof in any way notwithstanding.

#### CHAPTER XII.

An Act  
to amend, p. 3. n. 3

AN ACT to explain and amend an Act of the last Session of Parliament for preventing Frauds frequently committed by Bankrupts.

Section 4. 1. Act.  
4. 4.  
Reason for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS an Act made in the First Session of this present Parliament held in the Fourth and Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign intitled An Act for preventing Frauds frequently committed by Bankrupts hath not answered the good Intent thereof but on the contrary many numerous Frauds and Abuses have been committed notwithstanding the Provisions and Penalties in the said Act first Prevention wherof for the future and for expiation and amending the said late Act be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if any Person or Persons who shall become Bankrupt within the several Statutes made against Bankrupts or any of them or any other Person or Persons by or with his her or their Consent or Privy shall from and after the five and twentieth Day of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven remove carry away conceal destroy or dispose any of the Goods Wares Merchandises Monies or Effects wherof he she or they or any Person or Persons is Trust for him her or them is or are possessed or entitled unto to the Value of Twenty Pounds or upwards or any Books of Accounts Receipts Bills Notes Papers or Writings relating therewith with intent to defraud his her or their Creditors every such Person and Persons so becoming Bankrupt and being thereof lawfully convicted shall suffer as a Felon without Benefit of Clergy and in such case such Bankrupts Goods and Estate shall go to and be divided amongst the Creditors Any Law Usage or Custom to the contrary notwithstanding.

Bankrupt, or any  
Person for him,  
concealing, Ac. Ac.  
Goods to the  
Value of fifteen, or  
upwards, or his  
Books, Ac. with  
intent to defraud.

Value without  
Clergy  
Goods to the  
Creditors.

II.  
Bankrupt not  
convicted or  
entitled to Benefit  
of last Act, Ac.  
Ac. 4. 4. unless from  
Fishes in Number  
and Value certain.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said five and twentieth Day of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven no Person or Persons that have or hath or shall become Bankrupt shall be discharged from all or any of his her or their Debts owing at the Time of such Bankruptcy or be entitled to any Allowance or Benefit given or provided by the said late Act of Parliament

<sup>1</sup> inserted on the Roll.

made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of Her now Majesty Regis unless the Allowance thereby given and the Certificate by the said Act directed to be made and confirmed shall be first signed by Four Parts in Five of the Number and Value of the Creditors of such Bankrupts who shall have duly proved their Debts, or some others by them authorized thereto intimating their Consent to such Allowance and Certificate (noting and excepting only such Allowances and Certificates which have been already made and granted according to the true Intent and Meaning of the said late Act which shall be good and effectual in the same Manner (and no other) as if this present Act had not been made.) Any thing in the said late Act or herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Further always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Bond Bill Note Contract Agreement or other Security whatsoever to be made or given by any Bankrupt or by any other Person for him, unto or to the Use of or in Trust for any Creditor or Creditors or for securing the Payment of any Debt or Sum of Money due from such Bankrupt at the Time of his becoming Bankrupt or any Part thereof between the Time of his becoming a Bankrupt and the Time of such Bankrupts Discharge as a Consideration or to the Intent to induce or persuade him or her to consent to or sign any such Allowance or Certificate shall be wholly void and of no Effect and the Monies thereby secured or agreed to be paid shall not be recovered or recoverable Any thing herein contained or any Law Custom or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Commission of Bankrupts shall issue out two and after the said Five and twentieth Day of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven the Commissioners therein named or the major Part of them shall forthwith cause Notice thereof to be given in the Gazette and shall appoint a Time and Place for the Creditors to meet which Meeting for the City of London and all Places within the Bills of Mortality shall be at the Guildhall of the said City in order to choose Assignees or Assignments of the Bankrupts Estate and the said Commissioners or the major Part of them shall assign every such Bankrupt's Estate and Effects unto such Person or Persons only and no other as shall be nominated and chosen by the major Part of the Creditors then present and the Assignee or Assignees so chosen shall be obliged to keep Books of the Account of the Bankrupts Estate with Liberty for any of the Creditors to visit to and inspect them.

Further always That it shall and may be lawful for the said Commissioners or the major Part of them so often as they shall see Cause for the better preserving or securing the Bankrupts Estate immediately to appoint and make one or more Assignees or Assignments of the said Estate or any Part thereof which Assignee or Assignees or any of them shall or may be removed or displaced at the said Meeting of the Creditors if the major Part of them then present shall so think fit and such Assignee or Assignments as shall be so removed or displaced shall deliver up and assign all the Effects and Estates of the Bankrupt which before that Time shall have come to his her or their Hands or Possession or shall have been assigned to him her or them unto such other Assignee or Assignments as shall be chosen by the said major Part of the Creditors present at such Meeting and the Effects and Estates of the Bankrupt which shall be so delivered up or assigned shall be so all Intents and Purposes as effectually used in such new Assignee or Assignments as if the first Assignment had been made to him her or them by the said Commissioners and if any of the said first Assignees shall refuse or neglect by the Space of Fourteen Days next after Notice given of the Choice of such new Assignee or Assignments and of his her or their Consent to accept such Assignment signified to the first Assignee or Assignments by Writing under his her or their Hands to make such Assignment and Delivery as aforesaid every such first Assignee or Assignments shall respectively forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds over and above the Value of such Money Goods and Effects that came to his or their Hands respectively by virtue of such Assignment to be divided and distributed among the Creditors as the Bankrupts Estate is or ought to be and to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster by such Person or Persons as the said major Part of the Creditors shall appoint to or for the same with full Costs of Suit wherein no Privilege Protection or Wager of Law or more than one Imparance shall be allowed Any Law Custom or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Also be it also further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Assignee or Assignments so to be chosen as aforesaid or the major Part of them shall be and are hereby empowered to make Composition with any Person Debtor or Accompany to such Bankrupt where the same shall appear necessary and reasonable and to take such reasonable Part as can upon such Composition be gotten in full Discharge of such Debts or Accompany Any Law Custom or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Also for preventing the taking out Commissions of Bankrupt fraudulently or maliciously be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Commission of Bankrupts under the Great Seal of England shall after the Five and twentieth Day of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven be awarded or issued our against any Person whatsoever at the Instance or upon the Petition of any One or more Creditors or Creditors unless the single Debt of such Creditor do amount to the Sum of One hundred Pounds or upwards or unless the Debt of Two Creditors so petitioning as aforesaid shall amount to One hundred and fifty Pounds and upwards or unless the Debt of Three or more Creditors so petitioning as aforesaid shall amount to Two hundred Pounds and upwards And the Creditor or Creditors petitioning for such Commission shall before the

III.  
Security by Bankrupt to Creditors, to induce him to consent, void.

IV.  
Commissioners to give Notice of Commission to the Gazette, and appoint Meeting for choice of Assignees.

Assignee to keep Books of Account.

V.  
Commissioners to appoint persons Assignees, who will assign to Assignments as be chosen as aforesaid.

Refusing to assign.

Penalty.

VI.  
Assignees may compound with Debtors to Bankrupt.

VII.  
Award of writs against Creditors Debt.

Forasmuch as the  
said Bond to  
Lord Chancellor  
is not necessary  
before Commission  
granted;

If Commission  
is not short, i.e.  
Bond assigned.

VIII.  
Forasmuch as  
Debtors, and  
Persons bound  
to give Bond, &c.  
of their own Motion  
the Bankrupt Laws.

IX.  
Continuance Act.

shall be granted give Bond to the Lord Chancellor Lord Keeper or Commissioners of the Great Seal for the Time being in the Penalty of Two hundred Pounds to be conditioned for proving his Debt or Debts and also for proving the Party a Bankrupt at the Time of making out such Commission And if such Debt or Debts shall not be really due and owing or if they such Commission taken out it cannot be proved that the Party was a Bankrupt at the Time but on the contrary it shall appear that such Commission was taken out fraudulently or maliciously that then the Lord Chancellor Lord Keeper or Commissioners of the Great Seal for the Time being shall and may upon Petition of the Party or Parties grieved assign such Bond to recompence him but on them in Damages Any Law Custom or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided always and it is hereby further declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Former Creditor or Debtor of Cattle or any Person who is or hath been a Receiver General of Taxes granted by Parliament shall be entitled to any of the Benefits given by this or the said late Act made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of Her Majesty's Right nor be deemed a Bankrupt within the same or any former Acts made against Bankrupts Any Law Custom or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall continue and be in force for the Space of Two Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament and no longer

## CHAPTER XIII.

For Part  
of Act, p. 2 n. 5.

Reason for passing  
the Act.

Recital of Com-  
mission of Bankrupt  
against Thomas  
Pikins, and of  
Act, p. 2 n. 5.  
Further Reason for  
passing the Act.

Estate of Thomas  
Brewer.

AN Act to subject the Estate of Thomas Brewer to the Creditors of Thomas Pikins notwithstanding any Agreement or Composition made with the Creditors of the said Thomas Pikins.

WHEREAS Thomas Pikins late of London Linen Draper by and with the Concurrence Advice [Aid] and Assistance of Thomas Brewer late of the Parish of Saint Clement Danes in the County of Middlesex Gentleman and of divers other Persons their Accomplishers did within Nine Months or thereabouts next before the Ninth Day of February in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four obtain and get into his Possession from sundry his Creditors great Quantities of Woolen Cloth and divers other Sorts of Goods and Merchandise to the Value of Fifty thousand Pounds and upwards on purpose and with a Design to cheat and defraud his Creditors of all the said Goods or to deliver them to accept of some small Composition for the same to which End not only the said Goods but all other the Estate of the said Thomas Pikins were privately assigned and conveyed into the Hands or Power of the said Thomas Brewer and his Accomplishers to be by him and them disposed of and concealed upon the aforesaid fraudulent Design in pursuance of which Continuance the said Pikins withdrew himself from his Habitation and retired into Parts beyond the Seas And whereas a Commission of Bankrupt under the Great Seal of England was soon afterwards issued against the said Thomas Pikins and an Act was passed in the Parliament holden in the Third and Fourth Years of Her present Majesty's Right granted an Act for the Relief of the Creditors of Thomas Pikins a Bankrupt and for the apprehending of him and the Discovery of the Effects of the said Thomas Pikins and his Accomplishers but notwithstanding the said Commission and the good Provisions and Remedies appointed by the said Act and the Discovery afterwards made by the said Thomas Pikins of the wicked Combination between him and the said Thomas Brewer and by means of the many secret and fraudulent Arts which had been practised by the said Thomas Brewer and his Accomplishers for concealing the said Goods and Estate by giving them for great Sums of Money due to the said Thomas Pikins in the Name of Elias Rich Esquire without the said Rich his Privy or Consent on purpose to enable himself to swear that he was not any ways indebted to the said Pikins in the Sum of Ten thousand Pounds And also by using divers other like wicked Practices whereby the said Creditors were put to very great Expence and were engaged in divers Actions and Suits and many of the said Creditors being ruined and others very likely to be undone unless they could speedily obtain some Part of their said Debts due and Creditors were necessitated to comply with a Proposal made by the said Thomas Brewer and his Agents George Wilkinds to pay them after the Rate of Eight Shillings and Six Pence in the Pound for their Debts (with all their Charges) but knowing as it is just and reasonable that the Estate of the said Thomas Brewer should be subject and liable to the Payment of the Debts of the said Thomas Pikins as well as of the said Thomas Brewer and for that it is highly necessary for the promoting Credit and Trade that all such evil and pernicious Designs and Attempts should be detected and discouraged for the future Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all the Estate Freehold or Copyhold Fee Simple or in Tail for Life Lives or Years Rent or Pension of what Nature or Kind soever or whatsoever and all Debts and Credits and Securities for the same and also the Fees and Profits of all Offices and employments which the said Thomas Brewer or any Person or Persons in Trust for him or for his Use was or were used or possessed or enjoyed in or entitled unto on the Ninth Day of May in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four or at any Time since or shall hereafter be used or possessed or enjoyed in or entitled unto and all or any other Estate or Estates and the Fees and Profits of Offices purchased

with the Money or other Effects of the said Thomas Breewood in his own Name or in the Name or Names of any Person or Persons whatsoever shall be and are hereby made subject and liable unto Deduction of the necessary Charges arising in the Execution of this Act in the first Place to the Payment of all such real and personal Debts of the said Thomas Breewood now remaining due and unpaid as shall on or before the Ninth or twentieth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven be fully and duly proved before the Commissioners hereinafter mentioned or the major Part of them upon Oath (which they are hereby required and impowered to administer) to have been justly contracted by and were due and owing from him on or before the Second Day of February in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six to any of his Creditors except such Persons as were Accomplishers with the said Thomas Breewood and Thomas Fikins or either of them in the said evil and fraudulent Practices and were aiding and assisting in carrying on the same and subject and liable in the next Place to the Payment of all such Sum and Sums of Money as including and together with what hath been already paid to the Creditors of the said Thomas Fikins who have proved their Debts under the said Commission and also including such Money as is now remaining in the Hands of the Assignees of the said Fikins Estate on Account of such Debts which have been only claimed and not yet fully proved and such Money as shall be paid by the said George Wilecke pursuant to this Act will make up and complete the full Sum of Twenty Shillings in the Pound for all the just Debts of the said Thomas Fikins which have been already allowed to be fully and duly proved under the said Commission and which now are or shall hereafter be claimed and shall be in due Time and Manner fully proved under the said Commission. Any Agreement made by the said Creditors for accepting the said Eight Shillings and Six Pence in the Pound or any Assignment or Release made by them of their said Debts or any other Clause or Thing to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

Provided nevertheless That such of the said Creditors of the said Thomas Fikins who have fully proved their Debts and not yet received the said Eight Shillings and Six Pence in the Pound shall in the first Place be paid and satisfied the same or such Part thereof as yet remains unsatisfied before any other Part of the Debts of the said Thomas Fikins shall be paid by and out of the Estate of the said Thomas Breewood by virtue of this Act.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners authorized by the said Commission of Bankrupt awarded against the said Thomas Fikins or the major Part of them or the major Part of the Commissioners to be authorized by any renewed Commission of Bankrupt against the said Thomas Fikins shall and may and are hereby required and impowered to order direct bargain sell assign and distribute all the said Endowed Copyhold Real and Personal Estate and all Fees and Profits of the aforesaid Offices and Employments and all other the Possessions whosoever or whereunto the said Thomas Breewood or any Person or Persons in Trust for him or for his Use was were or hath or have been or now is or are or shall hereafter be seized personal interest or entitled as aforesaid and the Profits of all or any Office or Offices and all and every the Estate or Estates purchased with the Money or other Effects of the said Thomas Breewood in his own Name or in the Name or Names of any other Persons whatsoever in such and the like Manner and as fully and effectually to all Intents and Purposes as if the same were belonging to the said Thomas Fikins and as the Estate of the said Thomas Fikins can may right or ought to be ordered directed bargained sold assigned or distributed under or by virtue of the said Commission or any such renewed Commission as aforesaid or all or any of the Statutes made concerning Bankrupts before the last Session of this present Parliament or by virtue of the Act herein before mentioned to be passed in the Third and Fourth Years of Her present Majesty's Reign.

And that all Orders Directs Bargains Sales Assignments Dividends and Distributions which shall be made by the said Commissioners or the major Part of them authorized or to be authorized as aforesaid of any Part of the said Estate of the said Thomas Breewood shall be of the same Validity Force and Effect and the Assignees thereof shall be seized and possessed of such Estates and Licenss thereto and shall be licensed with and enabled with such Rights Titles and Claims thereto and shall or may sue for recover receive possess assign release and discharge the same and have and use all other Remedies and do all other Acts relating thereto (not contrary to this present Act) in such Manner as if the same were the Estate of the said Thomas Fikins and were legally assigned to the said Assignees or such by the said Commissioners or the major Part of them.

And that all such other Powers and Authorities as are given to or vested in the said Commissioners authorized by the said Commission or the major Part of them by virtue of the said Commission or all or any of the Statutes made concerning Bankrupts before the last Session of this present Parliament or by virtue of the Act herein before mentioned to be passed in the Third and Fourth Years of Her present Majesty's Reign relating to the said Thomas Fikins or his Estate or any of his Books Papers or Writings or the aforesaid examining or committing of any Person or Persons who have had any Dealings with or have been party to any of the Dealings of the said Thomas Fikins or who know of or consent or are supposed or suspected to know of or conceal any of his Effects or Estate or any Books Papers or Writings relating thereto or otherwise (so far as the same are not contrary to this Act) shall be and are hereby given to and vested in the said Commissioners authorized by the said Commission or to be authorized by any such renewed Commission as aforesaid or the

subject in Payment of his Debts.

Exemption

and also to the Payment of the Debts of the said Fikins as herein contained.

notwithstanding Agreement of such Creditors to accept the said, &c.

II.  
Proviso for the Creditors of Fikins, who have not received the full in the Pound.

III.  
Commissioners under Fikins's Commission may assign Breewood's Estate.

IV.  
Orders, &c. of the said Commissioners valid in respect of Breewood's Estate.

V.  
Powers to Commissioners by Fikins's Commission by the Bankrupts Act, or by the said Stat. 3 & 4 Ann. c. 11, extended to Breewood's Effects.



major Part of them touching the said Thomas Breewood and his Estate and all Books Papers and Writings relating thereto and the examining and counting of any Person or Persons who have been possessed of any of the Goods or Effects of the said Thomas Breewood or to whom any Goods or Effects have been pawned pledged sold or delivered by the said Thomas Breewood his Servants or Agents or who have had any Dealings with him since the said Ninth Day of May in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four or that know of or conceals or are supposed or suspected to know of or conceals any of his Estate or any Books Papers or Writings relating to the same as fully and effectually to all Intents and Purposes as if the said Thomas Breewood had become a Bankrupt on the said Ninth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and four and as if a Commission of Bankrupt were granted to the said Commissioners or the major Part of them under the Great Seal of England against the said Thomas Breewood and as if of the said Act made in the Third and Fourth Years of Her present Majesty Kings had been made against the said Thomas Breewood and touching his Estate and Effects and all Persons offending therein or opposing the Execution of the said Powers and Authorities or refusing to submit and confess themselves shall be subject and liable to and shall incur and suffer such Penalties Forfeitures and Punishment as are provided or directed to be inflicted in the Cases by all or any of the said Acts relating to Bankrupts or the said late Act relating to the said Thomas Pidds and such Methods and Remedies shall and may be taken and prosecuted for recovering such Penalties and Forfeitures and for inflicting such Fines and Punishments as in or are directed and appointed by the said Acts or any of them.

as if Breewood had become Bankrupt on the 9th May 1704, and the said Act, 3 & 4 Ann c. 11, had been made against him.

Act, 3 & 4 Ann, c. 11.

VII.  
Proceedings against Breewood, in case he shall not surrender before 12th May 1707, and on that day, and make such Discovery as herein mentioned.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That [E'] the said Thomas Breewood shall not on or before the Twelfth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven surrender himself to the Commissioners authorized by the said Commission or the major Part of them and submit to be examined from time to time by and before the said Commissioners or the major Part of them upon Oath (which Oath they are hereby required and imposed to administer) at such Times and Places as shall be appointed by them and in all Things conform himself to the said several Statutes already made concerning Bankrupts in such Manner as if the said Commission had been awarded against him the said Thomas Breewood and shall on upon such Examinations fully and truly declare and discover how and in what Manner and to whom in whose Hands or where when and upon what Considerations he the said Thomas Breewood or any other Person or Persons by or with his Order Consent or Privy have or hath mortgaged pawned pledged deposited sold disposed assigned or transferred any and what Goods Wares Merchandise Money or other Effects or Estate Real or Personal Place Officers or Employments of which the said Thomas Breewood and Thomas Pidds or either of them were or was seized or possessed or is or is to which they or either of them were or was any ways interested or entitled or which any Person or Persons had or hath or have had in Trust for them or either of them or for either of their Use or which have been bought with their or either of these Monies or Effects in their own Names or in the Name or Names of any Person [or Persons] whatsoever on the said Ninth Day of May in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four or at any Time since together with all Books Papers and Writings that do or did belong to the said Thomas Breewood relating thereto and for how much ready and bona fide any and what Part of the said Goods Effects or Estate was or were mortgaged pledged pawned or otherwise secured by or with the Knowledge or Consent of the said Thomas Breewood on the said Ninth Day of May or at any Time since and where the said Goods and Effects now are or shall be at the Time of such Examination or what now is or shall be then become of the same and what now is or then shall be remaining partly due upon all or any such Mortgages Pawns Pledges or other Securities and shall not deliver up to such Commissioners or the major Part of them at such Time or Times as shall be appointed by them all such Part of his the said Thomas Breewood's Goods Effects and Estate and all Books Papers and Writings relating thereto as at the Time of his first or any other Examination respectively shall be in his Possession or Power or which on the said Second Day of February in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six or at any Time afterwards before such Examination were or shall be in his Possession Custody or Power and have been or shall be by him or his Order or with his Privy removed or disposed of with intent to defraud or evade this present Act or to defraud his own Creditors or the Creditors of the said Thomas Pidds then be the said Thomas Breewood in case of any Default or wilful Omission in all or any the said Cases and being duly lawfully convicted by Indictment or Information shall suffer Imprisonment during the Term of his natural Life and shall be Three Times in every Year set in the Pillory for such Term and in such Places as the Court before whom such Conviction shall be shall adjudge fit and reasonable.

VII.  
Persons having or knowing of the Estate of Breewood, to discover the same on or before 12th June 1707.

AND it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons in whom or in whose Hands any of the Goods Money or other Estate Real or Personal Place Officers or Employments of or belonging to the said Thomas Breewood and Thomas Pidds or either of them or purchased with their or either of their Money or Effects in the Name or Names of them or either of them or in the Name or Names of any other Person or Persons whatsoever is aforesaid on the Books Papers or Writings relating thereto have been pawned pledged pledged deposited sold disposed assigned or transferred as aforesaid and all and every Person and Persons who have been Accomplishers or have had any Dealings or been privy to any Dealings with the said Thomas Breewood and Thomas Pidds or either of them upon or since the said Ninth Day of May in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four or that knowingly conceal any Money Goods Wares Merchandise Effects or Estate Real or Personal of or belonging to the said Thomas Breewood and Thomas Pidds or either of

them or which hath been bought or purchased with the Money or Effects belonging to them or either of them in the Name or Names of them or either of them or in the Name or Names of any other Person or Persons whatsoever or whosoever or whosoever they either or any of them were or was then or at any Time since have or hath been assigned or assigned or any Books Papers or Writings relating thereto do and shall on or before the First and twentieth Day of June in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven discover the same to the said Commissioners by the said Commission authorized or the major Part of them and do and shall submit themselves to be examined by and before the said Commissioners or the major Part of them upon Oath (which Oath they are lawfully required and empowered to administer) at such Times and Places as they shall appoint and upon such Examinations do and shall produce and lay before the said Commissioners or the said major Part of them all the Contracts Agreements Mortgages Defences Securities Accounts Books Deeds Writings and Papers which they or any of them or any Person or Persons in Trust for them or any of them then have or on the said Ninth Day of May in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four or at any Time since had in his or their Hands Custody or Power relating to or concerning any Goods Effects or Estates contracted for bought had or received of by with or from or mortgaged pawned pledged disposed deposited lodged paid sold assigned or delivered by or to the said Thomas Brewood and Thomas Pitkin or either of them or any other Person or Persons by the Order or on the Account of or in Trust for the said Thomas Brewood and Thomas Pitkin or either of them to be perused and examined by the said Commissioners or the major Part of them so far as the same concern the said [Thomas Brewood &] Thomas Pitkin or either of them then or either of their Effects or Estates or their or either of their said Dealings or Transactions and do and shall also upon said Examination disclose and discover all such Dealings and Transactions as have been between them and the said Thomas Brewood and Thomas Pitkin or either of them since the said Ninth Day of May concerning the contracting for mortgaging ('') pledging depositing lodging buying selling pawning receiving and giving or disposing of any Part of the Goods Effects or Estate Real or Personal of or belonging to the said Thomas Brewood and Thomas Pitkin or either of them and every Person and Persons who shall refuse or neglect to be examined or make such Discovery as aforesaid and to produce and lay their Contracts Agreements Bonds Mortgages Defences Securities Accounts Books Papers and Writings before the said Commissioners to be perused and examined as aforesaid in said such Discovery at such Time or Times as shall be appointed by the said Commissioners or the major Part of them shall or may be constituted by the said Commissioners or the major Part of them by Warrant under their Hands and Seals to the Goal of that County where such Person or Persons shall abide or such other publick Place as the said Commissioners shall think fit there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until he or they shall submit to such Examination and produce and lay their said Contracts and Agreements Bonds Mortgages Defences Securities Accounts Books Papers and Writings before the said Commissioners or the major Part of them to be perused and examined as aforesaid and if any Person or Persons who shall neglect want or refuse to make such Discovery or to submit to such Examination or who shall not in all Things conform him or her or themselves to the Direction of this Act shall within the Space of Two Years next after the said First and twentieth Day of June in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven by Indictment or Information be lawfully convicted of being privy and aiding to the said Thomas Brewood and Thomas Pitkin or either of them in their or either of their said fraudulent Dealings and Practices or of knowingly wilfully or fraudulently imbezzling procuring conveying away or concealing any Part of the Goods of the said Thomas Brewood and Thomas Pitkin or either of them or any Contracts Agreements Mortgages Defences Securities Accounts Books Papers or Writings belonging to the same or of being knowingly or wilfully aiding or assisting therein every such Person or Persons shall forfeit and pay to the Use of the Children of the said Thomas Pitkin the Sum of Two hundred Pounds and also Double the Value of all such Wares Merchandises Money or other Effects or Estate which hath or have been or shall be so imbezzled concealed procured or conveyed away or concealed by him or her or them to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster by any Person or Persons who shall be appointed by the said Commissioners or the major Part of them to sue for the same wherein no Privilege Protection or Wager of Law or more than One Imparsonage shall be allowed

And also that if any Creditor or Creditors or other Person or Persons pretending to be a Creditor or Creditors of the said Thomas Brewood and Thomas Pitkin or of either of them shall fraudulently claim any Debt or Debts or greater Debt or Debts than is or are really due and shall fraudulently detain any Part of the Estate or Effects of them or either of them for or towards Satisfaction thereof or shall take or receive any Dividend or payment thereof then every such Creditor or pretended Creditor shall forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds and also Double the Value of what shall be so fraudulently claimed more than is really due to be used for and received in Manner aforesaid

Proviso always and it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing herein contained shall extend to make void any Contracts Bargains Sales or Securities which have been made by the said Thomas Brewood really and bona fide for just and valuable Consideration of or for any Part of his Effects or Estate before the Second Day of February in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and six (yet so nevertheless as not to prejudice any Equity of Redemption intended to be voted in the Assignments to be approved by Virtue of or under this Act) to subject any Person or Persons who on or before that Day have really and

and submit to be examined upon Oath, and lay before the Commissioners their said Bonds, Accounts, Mortgages, &c.

and upon such Examination disclose all Dealings and Transactions between them and the said Brewood and Pitkin since the said 9th May 1704.

so be constituted to Peruse said they submit, &c.

Refusing, &c. to make such Discovery, &c. and being convicted of aiding, &c. Brewood and Pitkin.

Penalty.

VIII. Making fraudulent Claim upon Brewood and Pitkin.

Penalty.

IX. Proviso for Contracts by Brewood and Pitkin before 1st Feb. 1706.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> printing O.

and for the said  
Commissioners of  
the 60 in the  
Pound, &c.

bene fide paid to the said Thomas Breewood any Debt or Sum of Money from them due to pay the same again to the [said] Commissioners or their Assignees or to subject the Assignees of the said Pkita's Estate or any of the said Pkita's Creditors to return or repay the said Eight Shillings and Six Pence in the Pound or the Charges which have been paid by the said Thomas Breewood to the said Assignees or any Part thereof or to subject any Person or Persons who on or before that Day have received any Sum or Sums of Money or whose Satisfaction from the said Thomas Breewood for any just Debt or Debts to them really and bona fide due or for other good and valuable Considerations to return or repay any such Sum or Sums of Money or other Satisfaction.

X.  
Enjoins for giving  
the Execution.

PROVIDED nevertheless That whereas George Wilcocks of London Attorney at Law who was the great Agent employed by the said Thomas Breewood to draw the said Creditors into the said Agreement for Eight Shillings and Six Pence in the Pound hath received for his Service therein the Sum of Six hundred Pounds and hath taken a Security from the said Thomas Breewood or some other Person or Persons for the further Sum of Four hundred Pounds it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said George Wilcocks shall on or before the said Four and twentieth Day of June in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven pay the said Sum of six hundred Pounds and sufficiently assign and transfer the said Security for the said Four hundred Pounds with full Power to use for recover and receive the same and also pay the said Sum of Four hundred Pounds or such Part thereof as he hath received (if any) to such Person or Persons as shall be appointed by the said Commissioners or the said major Part of them for the Use of the Creditors of the said Thomas Pkita under the Penalty of forfeiting Double the Value of what he shall neglect or refuse to pay or assign as aforesaid to be recovered in such Manner as other Forfeitures are herein before appointed to be recovered which said Sums of Six hundred Pounds and Four hundred Pounds or such Forfeiture shall be divided and distributed unto and amongst the Creditors of the said Thomas Pkita as shall likewise all other Forfeitures to be recovered by virtue of this Act in such Manner as any Part of the Estate of the said Thomas Pkita by any of the Laws now in being relating to Bankrupts may or ought to be divided or distributed.

XI.  
How the Estate of  
Breewood subject  
to any Commission  
of Bankruptcy  
against him.

AND it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any Commission of Bankrupts be here or shall be awarded against the said Thomas Breewood no Part of his Estate hereby subjected to the said Commission against the said Thomas Pkita shall be subject or liable to such Commission against the said Thomas Breewood until the said Debts of the said Thomas Pkita are fully paid according to the tenor and Meaning of this present Act together with all such necessary Charges as have arisen or shall arise in the Prosecution of the said Commission against the said Thomas Pkita or in or about the recovering or giving in his Estate or the Estate of the said Thomas Breewood and that the said Thomas Breewood shall not by virtue of any Discovery or Delivery to be made by him upon any such Commission awarded or to be awarded against himself be discharged from the Debts and Demands of the Creditors of the said Thomas Pkita Any Law or Statute heretofore made to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

XII.  
Perjury.

AND if any Person or Persons who shall be examined upon Oath by virtue of this Act shall be guilty of swearing falsely such Person and Persons being thereof lawfully convicted by Indictment or Information shall suffer such Pains and Penalties as by any Law now in being are to be inflicted on Persons convicted of wilful Perjury.

XIII.  
Power for  
Creditors of Pkita  
concerning  
such Breewood.

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if Three Parts in Five in Value of the Creditors of the said Thomas Pkita that have already proved their Debts who shall be present at a Meeting to be appointed for this Purpose by Advertisement in the Gazette at the least Fourteen Days before the Time of such Meeting shall think fit to compound or agree with the said Thomas Breewood to accept and take any lesser Sum than what will be sufficient to pay and satisfy the whole Debts hereby appointed to be paid to the Creditors of the said Thomas Pkita and to discharge the said Thomas Breewood from all further Demands on Account of the said Thomas Pkita and his Creditors or by virtue of this Act such Agreement and Discharge shall be and is hereby declared to be final and conclusive and shall bind and conclude the said Thomas Pkita and all his Creditors from any further Demands against the said Thomas Breewood.

XIV.  
In what Case only  
Persons claiming  
as Creditors of  
Breewood except  
Accomplices of  
Breewood and  
Pkita.

[AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person or Persons whatsoever claiming to be a Creditor or Creditors of the said Thomas Breewood shall be deemed or taken to be an Accomplisher or Accomplices of the said Thomas Breewood and Thomas Pkita or either of them within the Meaning of this Act to be excluded from the Payment of their respective Debts really and bona fide due from the said Thomas Breewood unless such Person or Persons shall be found or convicted to be an Accomplisher or Accomplices of the said Thomas Breewood or Thomas Pkita in some Action or Suit or by Bill Indentment Information or otherwise in some or One of the Courts of Record at Westminster or before Justices of Oyer and Tenour or Justices of Goal Delivery.]

XV.  
Public Act.

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall be deemed and taken to be and is hereby declared to be a Publick Act of Parliament of which all Judges Justices and other Persons are to take Notice.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Original Act as a separate Schedule.

<sup>3</sup> the said G. & R. v. Pkita's Executors.

And in case any Action shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance of the Powers hereby granted or any of them such Person or Persons shall on any plead the General Issue and give the Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and the Defendant or Defendants shall (in Case the Plaintiff be nominated or discontinues his Action or a Verdict pass against the Plaintiff) recover his or their Double Costs of Suit.

XV.  
In Action for  
reversing Act,  
General Issue,  
Double Costs.

## CHAPTER XXIV.

An Act for discharging small Livings from their First Fruits and Tithes and all Accrues thereof.

Rel. Part  
6. Ann. p. 3. n. 4.

WHEREAS pursuant to an Act of Parliament made in the Second Year of Her Majesties Reign intitled An Act for the making more effectual Her Majesties gracious Intention for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy by enabling Her Majesty to grant in Purpurgary the Revenues of the First Fruits and Tithes and also for enabling any other Persons to make Grants for the same Purpose the Queens most Excellent Majesty by Letters Patents bearing Date the Third Day of November in the Third Year of Her Majesties Reign did make appoint, nominate constitute and enable certain Persons and Officers therein named to be One Body Politick and Corporate by the Name of the Society of Queen Anne for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy and did thereby give and grant to the said Governors all the Revenues of First Fruits and yearly perpetual Tithes of all Dignities Offices Benefices and Promotions Spiritual whatsoever payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors by virtue of an Act of Parliament made in the Twenty sixth Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth or by virtue of an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of the late Queen Elizabeth for Redemption of First Fruits and Tithes to the Crown or by virtue of any other Act or Acts of Parliament whatsoever and all Accrues of the said First Fruits and Tithes then due and undischarged (except as therein is excepted) to be applied and disposed of to and for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of such Persons Vicars Curates and Ministers officiating in any Church or Chapel within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed where the Liturgy and Rites of the Church of England as now by Law established shall be used and observed under such Rules Restrictions and Directions and in such Manner and Form as should be established pursuant to those Letters Patents.

Recital that in  
pursuance of Stat.  
c. 4. An. 2. an.  
Letters Patent had  
been granted, dated  
26 Nov. 3. An. as  
before mentioned.

And whereas it is thought that the Payment of First Fruits and Tithes for small Livings with Care of Souls is a very heavy Burden upon the poorer Clergy for whom Her Majesties unparallel'd Bounty was designed and that the immediate discharging of the said First Fruits and Tithes and the Accrues thereof of the said small Livings will be a greater proper Augmentation of the same (several whereof by reason of the said Charges are now held in Requisition by temporary Curates without being regularly filled with Institution and Induction) Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all Ecclesiastical Benefices with Care of Souls not exceeding the clear yearly Value of Fifty Pounds by the improved Valuations of the same (the Tithes whereof are by the said recited Charter vested in the said Corporation) and the Incumbents thereof for the Time being and every of them their respective Heirs Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns shall be free and clearly discharged and acquitted for ever of and from the said First Fruits and Tithes and of and from all Accrues of the same.

II.

Exclusion of Benefices not exceeding fifty per Ann. their improved Value, freed from First Fruits and Tithes, and Accrues.

And for the satisfying of the clear improved yearly Valuations of the said Ecclesiastical Benefices with Care of Souls intitled [to] this Act to be discharged from Payment of First Fruits and Tithes Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the respective Bishops of every Diocese or the Guardians of the Episcopalian Bishops Vicars and the Ordinaries of Parishes and Places of exempt Jurisdiction shall and are hereby empowered and required as well by Oaths of Two or more credible Witnesses (which they or others duly commissioned by them under their Hands and Seals are hereby empowered to administer) as by all other lawful Ways and Means to assess themselves of the clear improved yearly Value of every Benefice with Care of Souls within their respective Dioceses and Jurisdictions the clear improved yearly Value whereof doth not exceed Fifty Pounds and on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight under their respective Hands and Seals or Seals of their respective Offices to certify into Her Majesties Court of Exchequer at Westminster the clear improved yearly Value of every such Benefice with Care of Souls the clear improved yearly Value whereof doth not exceed Fifty Pounds and such Certificate being made and filed in the said Court of Exchequer shall ascertain the clear yearly Value of the Benefice with Care of Souls intended by the Act to be discharged from First Fruits and Tithes.

III.  
Bishops, &c. to assess themselves, to have mentioned, of the improved yearly Value of Benefices, and certify as is before 15th March next, into the Exchequer.

Provided always and it is hereby declared That this Act or any thing therein contained shall not extend to discharge any Benefices with Care of Souls the Tithes whereof were granted away by any of Her Majesties Predecessors to any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate in Purpurgary before the said Third Day of November in the Third Year of Her Majesties Reign.

IV.  
Proviso as to  
Grants of Tithes  
before 26 Nov.  
3. An.

**V.**  
Reasons for passing  
this Enactment.

Provision for other  
Dispositions of First  
Fruits and Tithes  
remaining under  
the said Statute.

**VI.**  
Public Act.

**VII.**  
Provision for Asses-  
ment, &c. charged  
upon the said  
Revenues of First  
Fruits and Tithes.

And whereas the said former Act was intended for the Augmentation of the Maintenance not only of Pastors and Vicars but also of Curates and other Ministers officiating in Churches or Chapels as is therein mentioned more for the preserving all Doubts touching the Capacity of such Ministers to take any certain Estate to them and their Successors of or in any Part or Partion of the First Fruits and Tithes as shall to them be allotted or applied Be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That when any Part or Partion of the First Fruits or Tithes remaining to be applied or disposed of by virtue of the said former Act shall be usually or otherwise applied or disposed of for or towards the Maintenance of any Minister officiating in any Church or Chapel as aforesaid such Part or Partion shall from thenceforth for ever be in like Manner continued to the Minister from time to time as officiating in the same Church or Chapel and every such Minister whether Parson Vicar Curate or other Minister for the Time being so officiating in such Church or Chapel shall and may from time to time take and receive and by virtue hereof is and shall be entitled to have and enjoy the same for ever

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall be taken and accepted in all Courts and Places whatsoever as a Public Act

Provided nevertheless That this Act or any thing herein contained shall not extend or be construed to extend to avoid or diminish any annual Sum Stipend Pension or Annuity now in being which hath heretofore been granted to any Person or Persons Body Politick or Corporate and charged upon the said Revenues of First Fruits and Tithes or any Part thereof but in case it shall so happen that by discharging such small Livings or Benefices with Cure of Souls as aforementioned of the Payment of First Fruits and Tithes and all Arrears thereof the First Fruits and Tithes which heretofore shall be collected in any Diocese or Dioeceses which shall (!) not sufficient to pay and satisfy each annual Sum as they now stand respectively charged with them the whole Revenues arising from the First Fruits and Tithes throughout the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed shall be liable to make good all such Deficiencies shall out of the said Revenues (during the Continuance of such Grants from time to time as any such annual Payments shall become due) be paid and satisfied to all such Person and Persons as shall in any wise be entitled to receive the same in such Proportions as are here and appointed in such respective Grants

#### CHAPTER XXV.

*See Post*  
6. *Ann.* p. 5.

Recall of Dec.  
11 & 12 W. III.  
c. 2.

145.

An Act for making the Act more effectual for appropriating the forfeited Impropriations in Ireland for the building of Churches and augmenting poor Vicarages there.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by Sale of the forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland and by a Land Tax in England for the several Purposes therein mentioned the said forfeited and other Estates and Interests were vested in the Trustees therein named for the Purposes in the said Act mentioned And whereas by the said Act it was provided and enacted that if any Trustee or any Seven or more of them should and might and they were thereby required as soon as conveniently might be after the Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and one by Begins and Sale to be made as therein mentioned to convey all and every the Rectories Impropriations with the Tythe Oblations Oblations Glades Advowsons of Vicarages and other Things thereto severally and improperly belonging or appertaining forfeited by reason of the said Rebellion and therein before vested in the said Trustee or such Person or Persons and their Heirs as the Bishop of each respective Diocese wherein such Rectory Impropriation respectively were should constitute upon Trust nevertheless and to the intent and Purpose that the Profits thereof should be disposed and employed from the Second Day of November One thousand six hundred and thirty nine for the Space of Twenty Years thence next ensuing in relieving or repaying such Irish Churches within the said Kingdom of Ireland as the Lords Justices Lieutenant General or other Chief Governor or Governors of the said Kingdom for the Time being by and with the Advice and Consent of the Bishop of each respective Diocese for the Time being should direct or appoint and after the Expiration of the said Term of Twenty Years for the perpetual Augmentation of such small Rectories and Vicarages within the said Kingdom of Ireland as the said Lords Justices or other Chief Governors of the said Kingdom by any Writing under his or their Hands and Seals with Consent of the Bishop of each Diocese wherein any such Augmentation should be made should direct or appoint which Appointments should [be] before the Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three be made and enrolled in the Court of Chancery in Ireland as a perpetual Memorial thereof

**II.**  
Recall of Stat. 1. *Ann.*  
c. 29.

And for the making the same more effectual and beneficial for the pious Ends and Purposes aforesaid One other Act passed in the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for making more effectual the Provision out of the forfeited Estates in Ireland for the building of Churches and augmenting small Vicarages

in Ireland whereby it is enacted that where any such Records Impropriate Tythes Advowsons or other Things so united in the said Trustees and directed to be conveyed in Trust as aforesaid were charged with or liable to any Debt Charge or Incumbrance jointly with any other Lands Tenements or Hereditaments by the said Act united in the said Trustees such other Lands Tenements or Hereditaments in the first Place should be liable to and should answer and satisfy such Debt Charge and Incumbrance and the said Trustees or any Seven of them were thereby authorized and required to make Sale of such other Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or of a competent Part thereof far or towards the paying off clearing and discharging such Debt Charge and Incumbrance ('') such Records Impropriate Tythes Advowsons and other Things so united in the said Trustees and directed to be conveyed in Trust as aforesaid as were together with such other Lands Tenements or Hereditaments jointly charged or incumbered should be conveyed and the said Trustees or any Seven of them were thereby authorized and required to convey the same to such Person or Persons and in such Manner and to such Uses Intents and Purposes as in the said first recited Act is directed and appointed freed and discharged of and from all such Debt Charge and Incumbrance by the same by Matter of Record Mortgage or otherwise.

And whereas the said Trustees according to the Powers given to them did convey the said Records Impropriate with the Tythes Oblations Oblivions Glebes Advowsons Vicarages and other Things thereto severally and respectively belonging or appertaining as aforesaid to William Nevill Esquire one of Her Majesties Justices at Law in Ireland Marmaduke Coghill and Morley Saunders Doctors of Law Samuel Dopping John Usher and Stephen Ludlow Esquires their Heires Executors Administrators and Assigns for the Purposes in the said first Act mentioned.

III  
Recd of  
Conveyance by  
Trustees.

And whereas by several subsequent Acts of Parliament passed since the making the said first recited Act divers Parts of the said Glebelands and other Estates and Interests by the said first Act united in the said Trustees have been given granted or returned to several Persons and for several Uses Intents and Purposes in such subsequent Acts mentioned in the passing of all which subsequent Acts it was intended that as Persons or Persons were or were by any such subsequent Act of Parliament in which any Clause or Provision was made or inserted for or in Favour of the said Church of Ireland to be returned or to have by any such Act of Parliament any Right Title or Interest two or out of any of the said Records Impropriate Glebes Advowsons Vicarages and other Things thereto respectively belonging or appertaining as aforesaid but that they should remain united and be as in the said Trustees in the said first recited Act named to and for the Uses and Purposes therein mentioned.

IV  
And that by several  
subsequent Acts  
divers Parts of the  
said Glebelands  
have been  
given, granted,  
returned.

And whereas it was likewise intended that sufficient Provision should be made in every such subsequent Act of Parliament for that Purpose and several Clauses and Provisions were respectively inserted in every such subsequent Act and Acts nevertheless several Doubts Issues and Controversies relating thereto have arisen whereby the Church has little or no Benefit by the said first recited Act For Remedy whereof and for making the said intended Gift of Tythes more effectual for the present Ends and Purposes mentioned in the said first recited Act be it declared and enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every the Records Impropriate with the Tythes Oblations ('') Glebes and Advowsons of Vicarages and other Things thereto severally and respectively belonging or appertaining which in and by the said first recited Act were united in the said Trustees therein mentioned as aforesaid and which in and by any of the said subsequent Acts or Acts passed in Favour of any Person or Persons in which any express Provision or Clause is contained in Favour of the said Church of Ireland were any ways given granted or returned contrary to the Uses Intents and Purposes in the said first recited Act mentioned be and is and are hereby directed out of such Person and Persons and of and from all the Uses Intents and Purposes in such subsequent Acts mentioned as which any such Provision is made in Favour of the said Church of Ireland and be and are hereby united and settled in the said William Nevill Marmaduke Coghill Morley Saunders Samuel Dopping John Usher and Stephen Ludlow their Heires Executors Administrators and Assigns according to the several Entries and Interests united in the said Trustees by the said first recited Act appointed to such Uses Intents and Purposes as therein mentioned as fully and as much as if the same had been secured out of or not given granted or returned by the said subsequent Acts or Acts of Parliament or as if such subsequent Acts or Acts of Parliament in which any Clause or Provision in Favour of the Church of Ireland is inserted and not otherwise had never been made and enacted.

V.  
Reason for giving  
the Tythes.

The Records  
Impropriate, &c.  
being returned,  
were in W. Nevill  
and other Persons  
being named, to  
the Uses herein  
mentioned.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Bonds taken in the Name of the Trustees in the first recited Act mentioned or in the Name or Names of any other Person or Persons for any Sum or Sums of Money due since [the'] passing the said first recited Act for Tythes or other Profits owing out of any the said Records Impropriate Advowsons and other Things so intended for the building and repairing of the said Churches and not already paid and discharged shall be and are hereby made recoverable in the Name or Names of the respective Obligees and shall be paid and payable by the respective Obligees their Heires Executors Administrators

VI.  
Bonds for Tythes,  
&c. to be paid to  
the said W. Nevill,  
&c.

<sup>1</sup> and as much as conveniently might be from and other such Sale and the clearing and discharging such Debt and Incumbrance &c.  
<sup>2</sup> Oblivions &c.

<sup>3</sup> &c. &c.

or Assign to the said William Norre, Marmaduke Coghill, Morley Standen, Samuel Dopping, John Usher and Stephen Lawford their Executors Administrators and Assigns for repairing and building decayed and ruined Churches in the said Kingdom of Ireland Any Judgment Decree or other Thing to the contrary notwithstanding.

VII.  
Treason for  
Payment of Rent  
in lieu of the said  
forfeited Tythes

And whereas several of the said forfeited Tythes in the said Kingdom have been set to several Persons with Lands as a Rent in gross before they became forfeited and the Lessees thereof claimed and allowed by the said Tenants pursuant to the said first recited Act Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all such Cases the said William Norre, Marmaduke Coghill, Morley Standen, Samuel Dopping, John Usher and Stephen Lawford their Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns shall have hold and receive the Tenth Part of the said Rent in lieu and full Satisfaction of the said Tythes during the Continuance of the said Lease or Leases thereof and after Expiration of each Lease or Leases respectively the full Tythes in Kind on each Manse as here or last herein legally settled in lieu thereof in Trust nevertheless for and to the Uses Intents and Purposes in the said first recited Act mentioned.

VIII.  
Acts relating to  
forfeited Estates,  
Public Acts.

And be it hereby declared and enacted That as well the said first recited Act as all other Acts or Clauses in any Act made subsequent to the said first recited Act relating to the said forfeited or other Estates and Tenements in Ireland voted in the said Tenth be and is and are hereby declared and enacted to be in all Courts and Places Public Acts of Parliament.

IX.  
Penalty for first  
a W. a. M. P.  
See a. and Stat.  
LAW. P.

Provided always That nothing herein contained shall be construed or extend to [alter or] repeal the Act of Parliament made and passed in the Second Year of the Reign of our late Sovereign Lord and Lady King William and Queen Mary entitled An Act to bar a Remains due to Dudley Bagwell Esquire in the Time of Nicholas Bagwell Esquire in Ireland or to alter or repeal an Act made and passed in the First Year of the new Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for the Relief of Nicholas Bagwell Esquire with relation to the said Bagwell Esquire in Ireland or to amend alter or repeal any Clauses or Provisions in either of the said Acts contained in any ways to affect the Estate and Interest of the said Nicholas Bagwell in the said Acts mentioned but the Right Title Estate and Interest of the said Nicholas Bagwell in and unto the several Tenements Impropriations Rights of Patronage Advowsons Tythes and Hereditaments in the said Acts mentioned shall be remain and continue in the same Sort Manner and Form as they were before the passing of this Act and as if this Act had not yet been made.

#### CHAPTER XXV.

Rev. Paul, & John,  
p. 3. 10. 5.

An Act for repairing the Highways between Sheppards Shoed and the Derwent and between the Top of Ashington Hill and Kowl-Ford in the County of Wils.

Reason for passing  
this Act.

WHEREAS the greatest Part of the Highway between Sheppards Shoed in the County of Wils and its Borough of the Derwent being the ancient Road leading from London to Trowbridge also to Bedford in the said County leading thro' the Township of Bishops Cleeve being above Three Miles and an Half in Length and also the Highway between the Top of Ashington Hill thro' the Derwent to Kowl-Ford in the said County being the ancient Road from Winchester and Andover to Bristol and being most Roads for Coaches Carts and other Carriages as well between London and Trowbridge and Bedford (as also between Winchester Andover and Bristol) in the aforesaid County of Wils by reason of the great and many Loads and heavy Carriages of Goods which are Weekly drawn thro' the same and do make not only in the Title of the Derwent but of several Towns in adjacent Counties and being in several Places thereof very narrow and impassable inasmuch that it is become very dangerous to all Persons Horses and Cattle that pass that way and for that the ordinary Course appointed by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm is not sufficient for the effectual repairing and amending the same neither are the Inhabitants of the several Townships in which the said various Places of the said Roads do lie of ability to repair the same without some other Provision of Means to be raised towards putting the same into good and sufficient Repair there being also no Stoney Ground or other Materials fitting for the Mending thereof to be had but a great Distance from the said respective Towns By Reason whereof and to the intent the same may be forthwith effectually repaired and amended and from time to time hereafter kept in good Repair May it please Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That for the better ordering repairing and keeping in repair the said various Places in the said Road the Justices of [the] Peace for the County of Wils at the Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said County next after the passing of this Act shall and may then and so from time to time in every Year nominate and appoint a convenient Number of sufficient and able Persons residing and inhabiting in or near the respective various Places of the said Road so to be amended as aforesaid to be the several and respective Surveyors of the respective Places aforesaid for the Year from thence next ensuing And that the said Justices shall cause Notice to be given to the several Surveyors

Quarter Sessions  
to appoint  
Surveyors.

Reason of Appoint-  
ment.

so chosen in Writing of their said Chaires which said Surveyors and every of them having no lawful Impediment  
 as be allowed by the said Justice by whom they shall be chosen in Manner aforesaid or any Two of them within  
 One Week next after such Notice to him or them given of their Elections shall and are hereby required respectively  
 to meet in some convenient Place within their several and respective Divisions for the which they are respectively  
 appointed Surveyors to the intent to view and survey the said respective notorious Places and consider the Defects  
 thereof and the best Method and Means that can be used for the repairing and also the several Sums that will  
 be necessary for making good the same and make their respective Certificates thereof in Writing under their  
 Hands to the Justice of the Peace for the County of Wilts at the next Quarter Sessions to be holden for the  
 said County who thereupon shall (and may<sup>1</sup>) make such Order and Orders in and about the same as to them  
 shall seem good which said Order or Orders so to be made shall be by the said respective Surveyors and all  
 other Persons concerned in passing this Act in Execution duly observed and performed and the said respective  
 Surveyors are hereby empowered to appoint and require such Carps and Persons who are liable to work in the  
 Highways by the Statutes already in force from time to time to come and work in the said respective  
 Places as they shall think needful and appoint for which the said respective Surveyors shall pay to such Labourers  
 and to the Owners of such Teams Carps and Wains according to the usual Rate of the County wherein  
 if any Difference happen the same to be settled by the Three next Justices of the Peace which is to be  
 conclusive in all Points

Surveyors to meet  
 for Purposes of  
 Act.

Orders of Quarter  
 Sessions to be  
 observed

Surveyors to pay  
 Labourers, &c.

Differences settled  
 by Three next  
 Justices

Enacted nevertheless That no Person be compellible by this Act to travel above Five Miles from his  
 dwelling House nor to work above Two Days in any one Week nor at any Time in Seed time Hay time or  
 (a<sup>2</sup>) Corn harvest

II.  
 How far Persons  
 compelled to travel.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Surveyors  
 at such Places and Persons as they shall appear to dig pits and carry away Gravel Sand or Stones Grig or  
 chalk out of the West or Common of any of the Parishes Towns Hamlets or Villages where any of the said  
 adjacent Places shall or do be and in any other Parishes Towns Hamlets or Villages near adjacent for the  
 mending thereof paying reasonable Satisfaction for the same to be assessed and adjudged by the said Justice  
 or the major Part of them at the next or any other Quarter Sessions for the said County of Wilts in case  
 of Difference concerning the same And that the Pits and Places where and from whence such Materials shall  
 be digged and carried away for the Repairs aforesaid shall with all convenient Speed be filled up and levelled  
 with Earth or other Materials as shall be thought meet by the said Justice or the major Part of them

III.  
 Surveyors may dig  
 Gravel, &c. upon  
 Writs, &c. making  
 Satisfaction.

Pits to be filled up.

And for defraying of the Charges in and about the Repairs to be done in the Places aforesaid be it further  
 enacted That the said Justice at the Quarter Sessions aforesaid shall and may choose and appoint One or more  
 fit Person or Persons to be Receiver or Receivers Collector or Collectors of such Sums or Sums of Money in the  
 Name of Toll to be paid for all such Horses Carps Coaches Chariots Calashes Chaises Carriages Waggon Wains  
 Drums and Gangs of Cattle as in Time to come shall pass be led or driven in or through the said Way as are  
 inclosed in this Act intended (that is to say)

IV.  
 Quarter Sessions to  
 appoint Collectors  
 of Tolls.

For every Horse One Penny

For every Coach Chariot Calash Chaise Carriage or Waggon One Shilling

For every Cart or Wain Six Pence

For every Score of Sheep or Lambs Five Pence and so proportionally for every greater or lesser Number

For every Score of Calves Five Pence

For every Score of Hogs Two Pence and so for every greater or lesser Number of Sheep Lambs Calves or Hogs  
 proportionably

For every Score of Oxen and Cows Cattle Ten Pence and so for every greater or lesser Number proportionably

Tolls.

And that from and after the passing of this Act all and every Person and Persons who shall travel with Horses  
 Coach Chariot Calash Chaise Carriage Cart Wain or Waggon or shall lead or drive any Oxen or other Cattle  
 before mentioned as and through the Highways aforesaid shall and are hereby required to pay unto the said  
 Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers of Toll in due Behalf from time to time to be appointed as  
 aforesaid after the Rate aforesaid the Place or Places for collecting the said Toll to be upon the said Highway  
 in or between Sheppards Shore and the Dremes and between the Top of Echilshampton also Ashington Hill and  
 Road Ford aforesaid by string up One or more Turnpikes or Turnpikes or otherwise at the Justice of the Peace  
 at the next or any future Quarter Sessions to be hold for the said County of Wilts after the passing of this  
 Act shall direct and appoint

V.  
 Tolls to be paid as  
 aforesaid.

where Turnpikes  
 to be.

And in case any Person or Persons upon Demand made of Toll as aforesaid by the Collector or Receiver in  
 due Behalf to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to pay the same that then it shall and may be lawful to and  
 for the said Collector or Receiver appointed for the Receipt of the said Toll upon such Refusal to detain and  
 detain such Horse Cart Coach Chariot Calash Chaise Carriage Waggon Cart or Wain Oxen or other Cattle before  
 mentioned or any of them until the said Toll shall be satisfied and paid according to the Tunes of this Act

VI.  
 Persons refusing to  
 pay, Calashes and  
 Drums.

<sup>1</sup> mentioned in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> O. omitt.



- together with such Damages as the Party or Parties so defaulting shall sustain in and about the making of the said Distress or by the keeping thereof and in case the same shall not be satisfied and paid within the Space of Five Days next after such Distress made that then and not sooner it shall and may be lawful to and for the Party making the said Distress to sell the same vendible the Overplus (if any be) to the Owner which said Monies so to be received for Toll as aforesaid shall be paid to the said Surveyors for and towards the Amusement of the said Turnpike Places in the said Highways according to the true Meaning hereof and not otherwise.
- VIIL.**  
Surveyors and Collectors to account yearly.
- And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Surveyors and every of them and also the said Collector or Receiver at the Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said County of Wilts to be holden next after Easter in every Year shall yearly make and yield up unto the said Justice of the Peace there to be assembled a perfect Account in Writing signed by every of them respectively of all the Monies which they or any of them have respectively received for the said Toll by virtue of this Act and likewise of all their Disbursements in and about the said Highway or otherwise by reason of their Office and shall then and there upon take respective corporal Oaths which the said Justice are hereby empowered to administer deponent that the Accounts so delivered in by them is a true Account as to what relates to every of them respectively and in case any Overplus of Money received remains in their Hands shall pay the same to the Surveyors to be chosen for the Year ensuing to be delivered and laid out in mending the said Roads according to the true Meaning of this Act and not elsewhere or otherwise which said Justice to whom such Accounts shall be given at the said Quarter Sessions shall out of the Benefit of the said Toll make such Allowances unto the said Surveyors for and in Consideration of their Care and Pains taken in Execution of their Office and to such Person or Persons who have been or shall be aiding in and about procuring the said Highway to be mended as aforesaid by advancing or laying out any Monies or otherwise relating thereto as to them shall seem good.
- VIII.**  
Collection not paying to Surveyors, or Surveyors not submitting such Receipts.
- And in case the Collector or Receiver of the aforesaid Toll as to be paid as aforesaid shall not upon Request only pay the same unto the said Surveyors for the Time being so to be appointed as aforesaid or in case the said Surveyors or any of them shall not make such Account and Payment unto the several Person and Persons according to the Order Direction and Appointment of the said Justice as aforesaid that then the said Justice at any Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said County of Wilts shall make Enquiry concerning such Default as well by Confession of the said Person themselves as by Testimony of One or more credible Witnesses or Witnesses upon Oath (which Oath they are hereby empowered to administer) and if any Person or Persons shall be thereof convicted the said Justice upon such Conviction shall commit the Party or Parties so convicted to the Common Goal of the said County there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until he or they shall have made a true and perfect Account and Payment as aforesaid and shall appoint such other Person or Persons to act in in or their Place or Places as the said Justice shall think fit.
- IX.**  
Manner of Surveyors, by Order of Quarter Sessions, may sequestrate the Tolls.
- And for as much as the Monies so to be collected by such Receipt of the said Toll will not at present raise such a Stock or Sum of Money as may be sufficient for the speedy repairing of the Premises it is hereby further enacted That the said Surveyors or the major Part of them for the Time being may and are hereby enabled by Order of the said Justice to be made at the Quarter Sessions and not otherwise to engage the Profits arising by the said Toll for such Sum and Sums by them to be borrowed for that Purpose and by Indenture under the Hands and Seals of the said Surveyors for the Time being or the major Part of them to transfer the said Profits unto any Person or Persons that shall or will upon that Security advance any Sum or Sums of Money on loan for the use which said Monies so to be advanced shall be distributed by the Justice at the Quarter Sessions for the Purpose aforesaid and not otherwise.
- X.**  
Refusal to take the Office of Surveyor, Act 1.
- And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons not having any lawful Excuse to be allowed as aforesaid shall neglect or refuse to take upon him or them the said Office of Surveyor being thereto nominated and chosen as by this Act is appointed or to do or perform his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this Act the said Justice at their Quarter Sessions shall and may and hereby have Power to impose on such Person or Persons so refusing or neglecting any Fine or Fines not exceeding Five Pounds and to cause the same to be levied by Distress and Sale of his or their Goods vendible to the Party the Overplus (if any shall be) and then and in such Case or in case of the Death of any of the said Surveyors some other Person or Persons shall be appointed by Three Justices of the Peace that live nearest to the Party or Parties so dying neglecting or refusing and such other Person or Persons so to be appointed by the said Justice are hereby required to execute their said Office in such Manner and under such Penalties as if they had been chosen by the Justice at the Sessions of the Peace as aforesaid.
- XI.**  
Fines paid to Surveyors for the Payment of the Act.
- And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Fines and Penalties so to be imposed or assessed by virtue of this Act shall be paid to the Surveyors for the Time being for and towards the repairing of the said Turnpike Places in the said Highway according to the true Meaning of this Act and not to any other Person or Persons or to or for any other Use or Uses Sum or Purpose whatsoever.
- XII.**  
In Action for mending Act.
- And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Thame Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do or persistence or in

Execution of this Act such Person or Persons to stand in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue *Not Guilty* and upon any Issue plead may give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Prosecution shall become nolo contendere or refuse further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict goes against him the Defendant shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in any Case where Costs by Law are given to Defendants

General Issue may be pleaded

Treble Costs

Persons always That no Person or Persons having Occasion to pass the Place where the Toll is taken and return the same Day before Eight of the Clock at Night between the Months of September and February and before Ten of the Clock at Night during the other Months of the Year with the same Horse Coach Chaise Cabriolet Caravan Waggon Cart or Wain or other Carriages or with the same Cattle shall be compelled the same Day to pay the same Toll a second Time

XIII  
Toll not to be taken Twice in the same Day

Also further also That all and every Person and Persons passing thro' the Place appointed for receiving the Toll aforesaid and inhabiting in the Borough of the Devises or the Townships of Bishops Cleeves All Cannings and Avel aforesaid shall have Liberty to carry away any Quantities of Stones Sand Lense or Gravel Dung Mould or Compost of any Nature or Kind soever or any Wood or Brick not going to any Market and that all Carts with Hay at Hay Time not going to any Market or Corn in the Straw at Harvest or Ploughs Harrows and other implements of Husbandry and all Horses carrying or drawing the same and all other Things whatsoever employed in the husbandry tacking and manuring of the several and respective Lands in the said Borough or the several and respective Townships shall pass to and thro' through the said Place where the said Toll is to be received as aforesaid without paying any Thing for their respective passing through the same

XIV  
Persons for certain Persons carrying Gravel, Dung, &c. Hay Carts, Implements of Husbandry, &c.

Also that it shall and may be lawful also for all and every Soldier and Soldiers upon their March and all Cows and Waggoners attending there and all Persons riding Post to pass through the said Place where the said Toll is to be collected without paying any Thing for their passing Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

XV  
Persons for Soldiers on March

Provided also That all and every Person and Persons who by Law are chargeable towards the repairing the said Highway shall remain so chargeable and do their respective Works in the said Highway as before they used to do therein according to the Direction and Appointment of the ordinary Surveyors of their respective Townships Any thing to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

XVI  
Persons chargeable to Repairs, to maintain

Provided also That neither this Act nor any Thing therein contained shall extend to any further Time so be of Force any longer than the Term of One and twenty Years to be accounted from the passing of this Act and also that if at any Time before the Expiration of the said One and twenty Years the said Place in the said Highway shall be sufficiently amended and repaired and so adjudged by the Justices of the Peace of the said County of Wilt at their Quarter Sessions that then from and after such Adjudication made and Reparation of such Roads with Inquest for the same as shall have been borrowed the aforesaid Toll shall cease and determine Any thing contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

XVII  
Continuance of Act

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Part of the Money arising by this Act shall be employed for or towards repairing any of the Ways lying within the Town or Borough of the Devises.

XVIII  
Proviso as to Ways in Devises

# CHAPTER XXVII

AN ACT for continuing several Subsidies Impositions and Duties and for making Provisions therein mentioned to raise Money by way of Loan for the Service of the War and other Her Majesties necessary and important Occasions and for ascertaining the Wines Measure.

See Part 5 Ann. p 3 & 7

Most Gracious Sovereigns

WE Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of England in Parliament assembled duly considering how necessary it is that a full and ample Provision be made for enabling Your Majesty to carry on the present War with Success and that Your Majesties Supply for that Purpose and for other Your Majesties necessary and important Occasions be sufficient and complete have cheerfully and unanimously given and granted and do by this Act give and grant unto Your Majesty the Subsidies Impositions and Duties hereafter mentioned for the Term herein after expressed and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty to accept thereof and that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties and Sums of Money payable upon Wines Goods and Merchandises imported which were given and granted unto His late Majesty King Charles the Second for His Life by an Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of His Reign intituled A Subsidy granted to the King of Tonnage and Poundage and other Sums of Money payable upon Merchandises

Tonnage and Poundage of His late Charles II &c. and other Duties

continued on the Roll.



And be it further enacted by [ ] the Rates Duties and Impositions upon all Sorts of Tobacco granted by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of the said late King James the Second intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty an Imposition upon all Tobacco and Sugar imported between the First and twentieth Day of June One thousand six hundred and thirty and three which said Act as far as concerning the said Duties and Impositions upon Tobacco only by several subsequent Acts of Parliament was continued until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for making good Deficiencies and preserving the Publick Credit are granted to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and paid to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve and no longer

Enacted always and be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the said Duty upon Tobacco which shall be imported during the Term hereby granted and all Arrears thereof shall be secured collected raised levied answered and paid to Her Majesty in such Method and with such Discount and Allowances and according to such Rules and Directions as are mentioned referred to or prescribed as to the Duties or Impositions upon Tobacco in and by the Act made in the Parliament holden in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reign of King William the Third intituled An Act for continuing several Duties granted by former Acts upon Wine Vinegar and upon Tobacco and East India Goods and other Merchandises imported for carrying on the War against France and not otherwise

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several additional and other Rates Impositions Rates and Charges upon the several Sorts of Goods and Merchandises granted by an Act made in the Second Year of the Reign of King William the Third and Queen Mary intituled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain Impositions upon all East India Goods and Manufactures and [upon] all Wrought Silks and several other Goods and Merchandises to be imported after the First and Twentieth Day of December One thousand six hundred and thirty and which thereby and by several subsequent Acts of Parliament were continued until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for making good Deficiencies and preserving the Publick Credit are granted to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten shall be further continued to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve and no longer And that the said Act made in the Second Year of Their said late Majesties Reign concerning East India Goods and other Things therein charged and all Powers Provisions Penalties Articles and Clauses therein contained shall continue and be of full force and effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve and shall be applied practised and executed for the raising levying [or taking] answering and paying the said respective Duties hereby continued, and all Arrears thereof according to the Tenor and intent of this present Act as fully to all Intents and Purposes as if the said late mentioned Act and all and every the Clauses Matters and Things therein contained had been again repeated and particularly enacted except only as to such Part of the said Act concerning the said Impositions on Wines Vinegar Tobacco East India Goods and other Merchandises imported touching which other Provisions or Alterations are made by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in being which other Provisions or Alterations are to be observed and to continue during the Continuance of this [present] Act and the said Act intituled An Act for continuing several Duties granted by former Acts upon Wine and Vinegar and upon Tobacco and East India Goods and other Merchandises imported for carrying on the War against France and every Article Clause Matter and Thing therein contained for the raising levying securing answering and paying the Impositions and Duties on the Merchandises and Commodities therein charged and which are by this Act continued shall be of full force and effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the additional and other Rates Duties Impositions and Charges upon the several Sorts of Goods and Merchandises granted by an Act of Parliament made in the Fourth Year of Their said late Majesties Reign intituled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain additional Impositions upon several Goods and Merchandises for prosecuting the present War against France which by several subsequent Acts of Parliament were continued until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and six and by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for making good Deficiencies and preserving the Publick Credit are granted to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve and no longer and that the said Act last mentioned and all Powers Provisions Penalties Articles and Clauses therein contained (except as therein after is excepted and provided) as far as concerning the said Rates Duties and Impositions shall continue and be of full force and effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve and shall be applied practised and executed for the raising levying collecting answering and paying the said Duties hereby continued and all

V.  
Duties on Tobacco,  
of Stat. 1 Jac. II.  
c. 4, as continued  
by Stat. 1 Ann.  
c. 7, and other  
Acts, continued  
till 1st August 1712.

VI.  
To be levied by  
Stat. 2 & 3 W. III.  
c. 50.

VII.  
Duties on East  
India Goods, &c.  
of Stat. 1 W. & M.  
Stat. 2, c. 4, as  
continued by Stat.  
1 Ann. c. 7, and  
other Acts.

continued till  
1st August 1712.

Stat. 1 W. & M.  
Stat. 2, c. 4, &c.  
Stat. 1 Ann.  
c. 7.

except where  
Alterations are  
made by other  
Acts, and which  
are continued  
during this Act  
and Stat.

VIII.  
Duties on Goods  
and Merchandises  
of Stat. 4 W. & M.  
c. 9, as continued  
by Stat. 1 Ann.  
c. 7, and other  
Acts.

continued till  
1st Aug. 1712.

Exceptions.

<sup>1</sup> The Authority sheweth that G. B. King's Printer Copy.

<sup>2</sup> continued on the Roll.

<sup>3</sup> following G. B. King's Printer Copy.

Arrars thereof according to the Terms and Intents of this present Act as if the said last mentioned Act and all and every the Chances Matters and Things therein contained had been again repeated and particularly enacted in this present Act.

IX.  
Aliments in Acts  
to be observed.

Provided also That in all Cases where any other Provision or Alteration is made by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in being in or about any other Matter or Thing contained in the said Act of Parliament for the Impositions her mentioned such other Provisions or Alterations shall be observed during the Continuance of the Term hereby granted. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

X.  
Duties on Whale  
Fins, Sec. of 1646,  
2 W. III. c. 21,  
as continued by  
Stat. 1 Ann. c. 3,  
1705.

continued to 18  
August 1714, and  
amended under Stat.  
2 W. III. c. 49.

And it is hereby further enacted That the several Impositions and Duties for and upon all Whale Fins imposed which by an Act of Parliament in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act for taking away Half the Duties imposed on Glass Wares and the whole Duties laid on Stone and Earthen Wares and Tobacco Pipes and for granting in fee thereof new Duties on Whale Fins and Scotch Liscens were granted to His said late Majesty King William and by an Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign were continued until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten shall be and are hereby continued to Her Majesty Her Heires and Successors from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve and no longer and shall be raised levied collected and paid in such Manner and Form and by such Ways and Means and under such Penalties as are mentioned in the said Act for granting the said Impositions on Whale Fins and Scotch Liscens which Act with all the Powers Privileges Penalties Attaches and Clauses therein contained or thereby referred to shall continue and be in full Force until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve and shall be applied granted and put in Execution for raising and levying the said Duties on Whale Fins hereby continued and all Arrars thereof as fully and effectually as if all the Chances Matters and Things therein contained concerning the said Duties on Whale Fins were repeated and again enacted in the Body of this present Act.

XI.  
Reason for passing  
this Enactment

And whereas the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and the said other Duties granted therewith in the Twelfth Year of King Charles the Second as aforesaid and the said Impositions on Wines Vinegar and Tobacco which were first granted to King James the Second in the First Year of His Reign and the said Impositions on East India Goods and other Goods charged therewith which were first granted to Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary in the Second Year of their Reign and the said additional Impositions which were first granted to Them in the Fourth Year of Their Reign and the said Duties on Whale Fins imposed which were granted to His said late Majesty King William in the Ninth Year of His Reign were by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign intitled An Act for making good Deficiencies and preserving the Publick Credits [continuing<sup>1</sup>] aforesaid until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten in the Manner therein mentioned and the said Subsidies Impositions [and Duties<sup>2</sup>] among by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign are thereby made subject and liable to the Satisfaction of the Principal and known Monies therein mentioned good Part of which Principal Monies do and remain unsatisfied and are (together with) all the Interest due and to grow [due<sup>3</sup>] thereupon) to be paid and discharged in the first Place out of the Subsidies Impositions and Duties granted or continued by the Act last mentioned. Now it is hereby further declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and immediately after the Time that all the Principal and Interest Monies which by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign for making good Deficiencies and preserving the Publick Credits are charged upon the several Subsidies Duties and Impositions last mentioned shall be fully paid off and satisfied or that sufficient Money shall be reserved in the Exchequer for that Purpose then the aforesaid Subsidies Duties and Impositions last mentioned to arise by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign as aforesaid shall once by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign after Satisfaction of the Principal and Interest thereupon as aforesaid shall owe by the Subsidies Impositions and Duties thereby granted any Sums which shall not exceed in the whole the Sum of Eight hundred twenty two thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Forbearing for the Service of the War and other Her Majesties Occasions and moreover the Lord High Treasurer of England for the Time being or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being are hereby authorized and directed to cause the Officers of the said Receipt of the Exchequer to receive from Time to Time by Way of Loan from any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate willing to make the same at the said Receipt any further Sums and Sums of Money over and above the said Sum of Eight hundred twenty two thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Forbearing

Where Principal  
and Interest of  
Monies charged  
upon the said Duties  
by Stat. 1 Ann.  
c. 3, 1705, &c.  
Duties of the said  
Act,  
(Continued)  
paid into Exche-  
quer for Payment  
of this Act.

XII.  
Cause of Loan for  
Borrowing 120  
Ct. or any further  
Sums over and  
above, as aforesaid  
into the said  
Exchequer.

Provided also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate to advance and lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer as well upon Credit of the several Subsidies Impositions and Duties by this Act granted or continued as also upon Credit of the Monies which by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign after Satisfaction of the Principal and Interest thereupon as aforesaid shall owe by the Subsidies Impositions and Duties thereby granted any Sums which shall not exceed in the whole the Sum of Eight hundred twenty two thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Forbearing for the Service of the War and other Her Majesties Occasions and moreover the Lord High Treasurer of England for the Time being or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being are hereby authorized and directed to cause the Officers of the said Receipt of the Exchequer to receive from Time to Time by Way of Loan from any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate willing to make the same at the said Receipt any further Sums and Sums of Money over and above the said Sum of Eight hundred twenty two thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Forbearing

<sup>1</sup> continued as G.

<sup>2</sup> continued on the Roll.

it shall be sufficient to make good the Payment of all the Interest Monies appointed or allowed by this Act every Three Months until the said Subsidies Impositions and Duties arising by this or the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign or either of them first happening shall come into the Exchequer and be sufficient for that Purpose pursuant to the Intent and true Meaning of this Act and that all the London as well of the said Sum not exceeding Eight hundred twenty two thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Farthing as of the said further Sums for making good the Payment of the Interest Interest as aforesaid shall have and receive Interest for the Forbearance thereof after the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum and that no Money to be lent upon the Security of this Act shall be used until or received by any Act of Parliament whatsoever

And it is hereby further enacted That all and every Person or Persons who shall lend any Money upon such Order as aforesaid and pay the same into the said Receipt of Exchequer shall immediately have a Talley of Loan struck for the same and an Order for his her or their Repayment bearing the same Date with his her or their Talley in or upon which Order shall be also contained a Warrant for Payment of Interest for the Forbearance thereof at the Rate aforesaid to be paid every Three Months with the Repayment of the Principal and that all such Orders for Repayment of Money to be lent shall be registered in course according to the Dates respectively without other Preference of one before another

And that all and every Person and Persons shall be paid in course according as their Orders shall stand registered in the said Register Books as in the said Person Native or Foreigner his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns who shall have his or her Order or Orders first entered in the said respective Books of Register shall be paid and succeeded the First Person to be paid out of the Monies to come in by this Act and be also or they who shall have his or their Order or Orders next entered shall be next and accounted to be the Second Person to be paid and so successively and in course and that the Monies to come in of or for the several Subsidies Impositions and Duties by this Act granted or continued as aforesaid and also the Monies which by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesties Reign (after Satisfaction of the Principal and Interest thereupon as aforesaid) shall arise by the Subsidies Impositions and Duties thereby granted as aforesaid shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the Monies to be lent as aforesaid to the respective Parties their Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns respectively without and in Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or divertible to any other Use Intent or Purpose whatsoever

And that no Fee Reward or Gratitude directly or indirectly to be demanded or taken of any Her Majesties Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party grieved by the Party offending with Treble Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place also

And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in Point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party grieved and shall be forfeiged of his Place or Office and if such Preference be unduly made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Direction or Privy of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever incapable of his Place or Office

And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct or the Clerk of the Pells record or the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as before directed then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and Clerks likewise offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid

And which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be incurred by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or on Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Knights Protection Privilege Wager of Law Impediment or Order of Restraint shall be in any wise granted or allowed

Parliament always and he is hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies of Loan or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted to make Preference which of those be entered first so as he enters them all the same Day

Parliament also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to show any Priority in Point of Payment of the Auditor direct and the Clerk of the Pells record and the Teller do pay subsequent Orders to Persons that came and demand their Monies and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come so

XIII.  
Tallies of Loan struck, &c.

Orders registered, and paid in course

XIV.

Money to come in by this Act liable to satisfy Loans

XV.  
No Fee for providing Books, &c. or Payment of Money lent: Penalty.

XVI.  
Undue Preference by Officer, Penalty, by Deputy, Penalty.

XVII.  
Auditor, Clerk of the Pells, or Teller not making Payment in due Order: Penalty.

XVIII.  
How Penalties recovered

XIX.  
Persons whose several Tallies bear Date the same Day

XX.  
Priority subsequent Orders, if first demanded, or what Case no undue Preference

take their Money and bring their Order to their Countee so as there be so much Money reserved as will suffice  
 president Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them Interest upon Loan being to cease from  
 the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them

XXX.  
 Orders Payment  
 of Money lost may  
 be assigned by  
 Indentments.

Memorial thereof  
 without Fee

Assigner may  
 assign

AND be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for  
 Loans to be assigned by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Registry as aforesaid his Executors  
 Administrators or Assigns by proper Writs of Assignment to be endorsed and written upon his Order may  
 assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which  
 being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Revenue aforesaid and an Entry or Marrowal thereof also made  
 in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge  
 accordingly make shall enable such Assignee his Executors Administrators and Assigns to the Benefit thereof  
 and Payment thereon and such Assignee may in like Manner assign upon and so sales quotas and otherwise  
 it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignment to make void  
 release and discharge the same or any the Monies thereby due or any Part thereof

XXXI.  
 Wine Gallon  
 mentioned

Two of Wine

AND to the End the Contents of the Wine Gallon whereby the Duties hereby granted are to be taxed may be  
 ascertained and known to all Her Majesties Subjects and that all Disputes and Controversies touching the Wine  
 Measure according to which any Customs Duties or other Duties are from and after the First Day of May  
 One thousand seven hundred and seven to be paid or payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors may be  
 settled Be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That any round Vessel (commonly called a  
 Cylindrick) having an even Bottom and being Seven Inches Diameter throughout and Six Inches deep from the  
 Top of the Handle to the Bottom or any Vessel containing Two hundred thirty one cubick Inches and no more  
 shall be deemed and taken to be a lawful Wine Gallon and it is hereby declared that Two hundred fifty two  
 Gallons containing each of Two hundred thirty one cubick Inches shall be deemed a Tun of Wine and that One  
 hundred twenty six such Gallons shall be deemed a Butt or Pipe of Wine and that Sixty three such Gallons  
 shall be deemed an Hogshead of Wine

XXXII.  
 Monies of Brit.  
 6 Ann. c. 4. s. 4.  
 after Loans  
 assigned.

and of Brit.  
 6 Ann. c. 4. s. 4.  
 after Loans  
 assigned.

and of 27,000,000  
 issued under Stat.  
 6 Ann. c. 4.

and of 1,100,000  
 issued under Stat.  
 6 Ann. c. 4.

and of the said  
 27,000,000 1<sup>st</sup> 10<sup>th</sup>  
 appropriated to the  
 said Loans  
 mentioned.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies lent and so to be lent unto Her  
 Majesty on One Act of this Session of Parliament intitled An Act for granting an Act to Her Majesty by a  
 Loan Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven and so much Money (if any such  
 be) of the Tax thereby granted as shall arise and remain (after all the Loans made or to be made upon the  
 Act and the Interest thereof and the Charges thereby allowable for making the said Tax shall be repaid or  
 Money sufficient shall be reserved to discharge the same) and all the Monies lent and so to be lent unto Her  
 Majesty upon One other Act of this Session of Parliament intitled An Act for continuing the Duties upon Milk  
 Menn Cyder and Perry for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven and so much Money  
 of the said Duties on Milk Menn Cyder and Perry thereby granted as shall arise and remain (after all the  
 Loans made or to be made upon the Act or thereby transferred [or directed to be transferred] thereunto and  
 the Interest thereof and the Charges thereby allowable for raising the said Duties thereby granted shall be repaid or  
 Monies sufficient shall be reserved to discharge the same and the Sum not exceeding Fifteen hundred thousand  
 Pounds to be issued an Exchequer Bills pursuant to another<sup>1</sup> Act of this Session of Parliament intitled An Act  
 for continuing the Duties on Houses to secure a yearly Fund for discharging Exchequer Bills whereby a Sum not  
 exceeding Fifteen hundred thousand Pounds is intended to be raised for carrying on the War and other Her  
 Majesties Occasions and the Sum not exceeding Eleven hundred and twenty thousand French mentioned and  
 intended to be raised by another Act of this Session of Parliament intitled An Act for continuing the Duties  
 on Lew Wines and Spirits of the First Extraction and the Duties payable by Hawkers Pedlars and Petty Chapmen  
 and Part of the Duties on Stamp Vellum Parchment and Paper and the last Duties on Swarts and the One third  
 Subsidy of Tonnage and Preamble and for settling and establishing a Fund thereby and by the Application of  
 certain Overseas Monies and otherwise for Payment of Annuities to be paid for raising a further Supply to Her  
 Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven and the said Sum not exceeding  
 Eight hundred twenty two thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Farthing  
 intended to be raised upon the present Act shall be appropriated raised and applied and the same are hereby  
 appropriated for or towards the several Uses and Purposes herein after expressed (that is to say)

For or towards the defraying the Charges of the Ordinary of Her Majesties Navy and for Victuals Wagon West  
 Teer and other Services of the Navy and the Victualling thereof performed and to be performed and for the Sea  
 Service in the Office of the Ordnance performed and to be performed

And for or towards the making of a Wharf and Storehouse at Portsmouth

And for or towards the Land Services performed and to be performed by the Office of Ordnance

And to and for Satisfaction of reckonings and Clearings for One Year from the Thirtieth and twentieth Day of  
 December One thousand seven hundred and six to Her Majesties Guards and Garrisons in England and the Dominions  
 thereto belonging (Ireland excepted) and the contingent Charges of the same

And for Payment of Invalids for the said Year beginning from the said Thirtieth and twentieth Day of December  
 One thousand seven hundred and six

<sup>1</sup> mentioned in the Bill.

And for or towards the defraying the Charges of Her Majesties Army and such Forces as are or shall be added thereto in the Low Countries or Germany within or for One Year to be reckoned from the said Three and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and six and the contingent Charges therewith belonging

And for or towards Her Majesties Proportion of the Charge of Eight thousand Men sent to the Assistance of the Duke of Savoy for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven

And for or towards the defraying the Charge of Her Majesties Forces and additional Forces to be employed in Spain or Portugal and for the General Officers Contingentals Hospital Forage and Waggons Money there

And for the Garrison at Gibraltar

And for General Officers serving the King of Portugal for the said Year One thousand seven hundred and seven

And for or towards Her Majesties Proportion of the further Charges necessary to prosecute the Succession already gained by King Charles the Third for the Recovery of the Monarchy of Spain to the House of Austria

And for or towards the Payment of Her Majesties Proportion of the Subsidies due upon Treaties made or to be made with Her Majesties Allies and other Charges for the Service of the War for any Time before or until the said Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and seven

And for the Payment of another Years Interest on the unqualified Debentures charged upon the Irish Exchequer

And for or towards the Transportation of Land Forces performed and to be performed

And for or towards discharging the Premiums and other Charges for circulating for another Year the Bills commonly called the Exchequer Bills which were issued before this Session of Parliament

And for or towards the making good the Sum of Fifty thousand Pounds which was advanced by Her Majesty the Duke of Savoy for the better Defence of Turin and for the Service of the War in Italy in the Year One thousand seven hundred and six

And for or towards the making good the Sum of Forty seven thousand five hundred Pounds being Her Majesties Share of a Loan to the Emperor of Germany for the Service of the War in Italy in the said Year One thousand seven hundred and six

And for or towards the making good the Sum of Sixty three thousand six hundred sixty one Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Six Pence computed for Levy Money Pay and Contingencies of the Forces sent on the Expedition under the Command of Earl Rivers

And for or towards making good a Sum not exceeding Three thousand and Four hundred Pounds for defraying Her Majesties Expenses for the Pay of the General Officers of a Body of Thousand Men of the Troops of the King of Portugal pursuant to the Treaty in that behalf until the Three and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and six

And for or towards making good a Sum not exceeding Twenty six thousand six hundred ninety two Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Ten Pence Three Farthings for defraying Her Majesties Share of the Pay of Three thousand Footmen Troops pursuant to the Treaty with the Elector Palatine from the Seventeenth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and five to the Three and twentieth Day of December following

And for or towards a Sum not exceeding Thirty seven thousand and twelve Pounds Seven Shillings and Six Pence for defraying Her Majesties Share of the Ago Head and Forage for Twelve thousand Footmen employed in Her Majesties Service in the Netherlands

And for or towards a Sum not exceeding Twenty thousand Pounds for an additional Salary to the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel for augmenting his Troops and marching them into Italy and for defraying their Expence of Bread Waggons and Carriages and of Hospitals for their sick and wounded for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven

And for or towards the making good a Sum not exceeding Nineteen thousand seven hundred fifty five Pounds Nine Shillings and Six Pence for defraying Her Majesties Proportion of the Ago Head and Forage for the said Twelve thousand Footmen from their coming into Her Majesties Service until the said Three and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and six

And for or towards the making good a Sum not exceeding Eleven thousand seven hundred and eighty Pounds and Eighteen Shillings for defraying Her Majesties Proportion of the extraordinary Charge for the Augmentation Troops of the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel employed in Italy from the Twentieth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and six to the Twenty third Day of December One thousand seven hundred and six

And for or towards the making good a Sum not exceeding Thirty four thousand six hundred and seven Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Five Pence Half penny for Levy Money to recruit several Companies of the Foreign Troops in Her Majesties Pay that were killed or died of the Common Disorder or Plagues in the Year One thousand seven hundred and five

And for or towards the making good a Sum not exceeding Eleven hundred forty six Pounds for a further Allowance of Levy Money for recruiting the Houses of the English House and Dragoons lost in the same Campaigns in Flanders

And for or towards the making good a Sum not exceeding Seven thousand five hundred seventy three Pounds for Levy Money to recruit other Houses of the English House and Dragoons and for Officers Horses which died of the Common Disorder after the said Campaigns there between the One and thirtieth Day of October One thousand seven hundred and five and the better End of February following



And for or towards the making good a Sum not exceeding Eleven thousand two hundred twenty eight Pounds for Levy Money for recruiting the Horses of the English Horse and Dragoons which were killed and died of the Common Distemper in the Low Countries between the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and six and the One and twentieth Day of December following.

And for or towards the making good a Sum not exceeding Sixteen thousand fifty five Pounds Twelve Shillings and Six Pence for defraying Her Majesty's Share of the Levy Money for recruiting the Horses of the Dutch Troops in the Pay of England and Holland (but were lost in the same Manner between the First Day of January One thousand seven hundred and five and the last Day of October One thousand seven hundred and six).

And for or towards the making good a Sum not exceeding One thousand seven hundred seventy five Pounds for the like Loss sustained by the Troops of Hanover in Her Majesty's Pay during the last Campaign in Flanders.

And for minding and discharging the Sum of Three hundred sixty eight thousand eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings mentioned in the Fifteenth Article of the Treaty of Union between England and Scotland confirmed by Acts of Parliament in both Kingdoms being the Equivalent to be answered by the said Article to Scotland for such Customs and Excise which Scotland is to be charged with and will be applicable to the Debt of England.

And for enabling Her Majesty to make a Recompense not exceeding Two thousand six hundred forty one Pounds to the Mayor Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Cardiff for such Tolls as they are to be deprived of by the Sixth Article of the said Treaty of Union which Recompense is to go to and for the same Use and Purpose to which the said Tolls ought to have been applied.

And for enabling Her Majesty to make a Recompense not exceeding Five thousand Pounds to Joseph Manners, Thomas Manners and George Manners Sons of Sir Christopher Manners Baronet deceased in full Discharge of all Tolls in Wootton Bassett and Cumberland that were granted to Sir Philip Manners by King Charles the Second and which are specified in the Grants of King James the Second and King William the Third to the late Sir Christopher Manners.

And for enabling Her Majesty to apply what may be convenient for the better settling the Islands of Nova and St. Christophers and supplying them with Necessaries in order to a Re-settlement and to no other Use Inasmuch as Purpose whatsoever.

XXIV.  
Proviso for  
Application  
of the same  
for maintaining  
soldiers, for travel  
for his Majesty,  
and other Uses.

Promised Thats That out of the Moneys to be issued to the Guards and Garrisons as aforesaid there shall and may be taken and applied any Sum not exceeding Eighty seven thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings towards the Charge of maintaining the Soldiers raised and to be raised for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges therewith belonging And out of the Moneys to be issued for the Service of the Navy and Sea Services in aforesaid there shall be taken and applied such Sums as together with the said Sum not exceeding Eighty seven thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings shall be necessary for the Charge of maintaining the said Soldiers for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges therewith belonging Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

#### CHAPTER XXVIII.

En. Parl.  
5 Ann. p. 3. n. 9

An Act for raising the Miths for the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven notwithstanding the Months Pay formerly advanced be not repaid and for an Account to be made of Trooply Money.

Removal of Stat.  
14 Car II c. 16

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Thirteenth Year of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second intitled An Act for ordering the [reversal of] the several Commissions of this Kingdom it was amongst other Things enacted that in case of Insurrections or Rebelions whereby Obstacles should be to draw out the Soldiers mentioned and appointed in and by the said Act into actual Service the Persons charged by the said Act with Houses Horsemens and Arms should provide each their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Months Pay as should be in that behalf directed by the respective Lieutenants of the several Counties and in their Absence or otherwise by their Deputies or any Two or more of them for Repayment of which said Months for Satisfaction of the Officers for their Pay during such Time not exceeding One Month as aforesaid as they should be with their Soldiers in actual Service it was thereby declared that Provision should be made for the same by His said Majesty His Heirs and Successors out of His or Their Publick Treasury or Revenue nevertheless it was thereby further provided and enacted that in case a Months Pay should be provided and advanced as aforesaid that no Person who should have advanced his Proportion thereof should be charged with any other like Months Payment and be or they should be reimbursed the said Months Pay and so from time to time the said Months Pay by him or them last before provided and advanced as aforesaid And whereas upon the Review of the Count of this Kingdom by the French in the last War it was found necessary for the Publick Defence and Safety to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to charge the said Persons to provide each their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand although the Months Pay by several of them before that Time provided and advanced was not nor could be reimbursed And whereas it may be necessary for the Publick Safety and Defence of this Kingdom to draw the said Forces into actual Service Be it

Proviso for paying  
the Act

directly enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if at any Time or Times before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and eight it shall be found [it] Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors to be necessary for the Defence and Safety of the Kingdom to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and the same shall be declared and signified to the respective Lieutenants or Deputy Lieutenants and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants by Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors it shall be lawful for the said Lieutenants or their Deputies or any Two or more of them as aforesaid and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants in pursuance of such Orders from Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors notwithstanding One or more Months Pay before that Time advanced be not reimbursed to raise and draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to cause the Persons charged as aforesaid to provide each such Soldier with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Month's Pay in such Manner as if all the Pay before that Time advanced and provided had been fully reimbursed and paid

And be it further enacted That the said Lieutenants or their Deputies shall not issue out Warrants for the using any Troop Money till the Justices of the Peace at the next Part of such Justices at their annual and respective General Quarter Sessions for their respective Counties Ridings Divisions and Places shall have examined and used allowed the Accounts of the Troop Money last raised levied and collected for any preceding Year and certified such Examination of the said Accounts under the Hands and Seals of Four or more Justices.

And whereas always That nothing in this or any former Act contained shall extend to any County City or Place where it shall appear to the Justices at their Quarter Sessions that the Treasurer hath absconded failed or is dead and thereby such Account cannot be passed.

If before next Session 1706, it shall be thought necessary to draw out Soldiers, the same is to be signified to the respective Lieutenants, &c. who may thereupon draw out Soldiers, and cause the Persons charged to provide for the same, although Troop Advances not reimbursed.

11. Troop to be raising Warrants for Troop Money.

12. And for Counties, &c. where Treasurer has absconded;

## CHAPTER XXIX.

An Act for Ease of Her Majesties [Subjects] in relation to the Duties upon Salt and for making the like Allowances upon the Exportation of White Herrings Fish Oatmeal and Grain called Bear sileas Hagg as are to be made upon Exportation of the like from Scotland.

WHEREAS by the Articles of Union between the Kingdoms of England and Scotland which are agreed upon and confirmed by an Act of this present Parliament there are certain Concessions made for the Advantage of Her Majesties Subjects of that Part of Great Britain called Scotland in Matters relating to the Duties upon Salt and other Goods and Merchandises as are herein after mentioned whereby Her Majesties Subjects in England making a Salt and other the Commodities herein after particularly expressed will be liable to great Disadvantages unless Provision be likewise made for their Ease in the said Trade We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons in Parliament assembled being desirous that there may be as great an Equality of Trade as is possible among all Your Majesties Subjects do beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all Foreign Salt that shall be imported into the Kingdom of England Division of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed from and after the first Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven shall upon the landing thereof be weighed collared and locked up in the Presence of an Officer for the Duties on Salt under the Custody of the Merchant or Importer (who is to be at the Charge of the Collaring or Stamping) and such Officer as the Commissioners for the Duties on Salt for the Time being shall appoint in the Port or Place where the same shall be so imported and landed and that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Merchant or Importer of the said Salt from time to time in the Presence of an Officer for the Duties on Salt and by Warrant or Permit under such Officers Hand and Seal to have what Quantity thereof his Occasions may require not under a Weight of Forty Bushels at a Time (being Sufficient for the Duty of what Quantity he receives payable in Six Months Time after the Delivery of any such Salt) and in case such Merchant or Importer shall pay ready Money upon the Delivery of the Salt he shall have the Rate of Ten Pounds per Chetum per Annam out of the said Duties thereof him.

See Part 2. Act 1706.

Removal of Salt. Act 1706.

From 1st May 1706, Foreign Salt imported, upon landing to be weighed, collared, and locked up in Presence of Officers.

Merchant or Importer to have such Quantity as to pay ready money Regulations. Discount upon ready Money.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if such Foreign Salt imported shall not upon the landing thereof be secured as aforesaid the same shall be liable to Payment of Duties and [it] such Penalties and Forfeitures for not paying or securing such Duties as if this Act had not been made.

13. Not to be receiving Salt. Penalty.

And that no Salt so collared and locked up as aforesaid shall be removed from any such Collar or Place without Notice first given to the Officer appointed for that Purpose and without a Warrant or Permit for conveying the same as aforesaid upon pain of forfeiting [such Salt] and also upon pain of forfeiting [it] Ten Shillings per Bushel and also the Sum of Twenty Pounds for every such Offence to be recovered from the Person or Persons

14. Removing Salt without Notice to Officers. Penalty.

Person carrying, who imported the same shall that every Carrier or Person who shall carry contrary or against any such Salt without Notice first given to the Officer and without a Warrant or Permit for conveying the same shall be liable to the like Forfeiture of Ten Shillings per Bushel and also Twenty Pounds for every such Offence.

Penalty.

IV.  
Persons the Salt  
imported under  
40 Bushels.

PROVIDED nevertheless That where the whole Quantity of Foreign Salt liable to Duty imported in any Ship or Vessel does not amount to Forty Bushels the Duties shall be paid and secured according to the *Provisions* made by former Laws. Any thing herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

V.  
Shipping English  
Salt Customs.

AND whereas Salt carried Coastwise in or any be liable to what Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Merchant or Person who from and after said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven shall ship any English Salt or Rock Salt to be carried Coastwise (viz) from one Port of England or Wales or the Port of Berwick upon Tweed to any Port of England or Wales or Berwick upon Tweed the Duties having been paid or secured to be paid according to former Laws shall have an Allowance made to him after the Rate of Three Bushels for every Forty Bushels of English White Salt and after the Rate of One Bushel and an Half for every Forty Bushels of English Rock Salt to be carried Coastwise and proportionally for a greater or less Quantity in Consideration of the ordinary Wast in the Carriage thereof which Allowance shall be made him once for the same Salt altho such Salt be carried from several Ports Coastwise as aforesaid and the proper Officer of the Port where such Salt or Rock Salt shall be first shipped to be carried Coastwise shall not only express the said Allowance on the Coast-Coopert or Transire for the same but also give credit to the said Merchant or other Person there shipping the same a Certificate under Hand and Seal of the Master of Bushels of Salt so shipped and how much the Allowance hereby directed to be made at the Rates aforesaid doth amount to which Certificate being produced to the Officer who first received the Duties of the said Salt or Rock Security for the same the Officer last mentioned shall repay so much Money as he received for the Duties of the said Salt or Rock Salt as it is to be allowed for Wast as aforesaid and if the Duties thereof shall not thus have been paid in Money then the said Officer shall discount the said Allowance for Wast on the said Security.

only once made  
for the same Salt.

Certificate of  
Quantity shipped.

Repayment of  
Duty.

VI.  
Twelve Months  
instead of Nine  
for Payment of  
Duty.  
Nine Months  
instead of Six  
Months.

AND it is hereby enacted That in all Cases where by the former Laws relating to the Duties on Salt the Time for Payment of the Duties on Rock Salt is appointed to be Nine Months there shall be Twelve Months Time allowed instead of the said (Nine) Months and where the Time for Payment of the Duties on other English Salt is by the said former Laws appointed to Six Months there shall be Nine Months Time allowed instead of the said Six Months and the Securities and Discounts for prompt Payment after the said First Day of May next shall be regulated accordingly.

VII.  
Allowance upon  
White Herrings  
exported.

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for all White Herrings which shall from and after the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven be exported from any Port or Place in the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed to Ports beyond the Seas by any Person or Persons whatsoever there shall be the like Allowances as are to be made upon the Exportation of White Herrings from Scotland to be paid by the Officer appointed to collect the Duties upon Salt in the same Port from whence any such Herrings shall be exported within Thirty Days after Demand thereof on a Debenture to be prepared by the Collector of the Customs where such Herrings shall be entered out for Exportation and verified by the Person executing the Office of Searcher in such Port as to the Quantity of Herrings actually shipped and that the same were well cured and merchantable and full packed and that the Oath of the Exporter or Agent be first taken before the principal Officers of the said Port before the Debenture be allowed who are hereby required and imposed to give the said Oath that the Herrings in such Debenture mentioned were cured with Salt for which the Duties had been paid and not drawn back and that the same is really exported to Ports beyond the Seas and not reloaded or intended to be reloaded in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed for which Debenture no Fee or Reward shall be taken and in case the Officer hereby directed to pay such Debenture shall not have sufficient Money in his Hands to pay the same then upon Certificate thereof by him made which (Certificate he is hereby required to give the Party gratis) the principal Commissioners for managing Her Majesty's Revenue of Exchequer upon Salt for the Time being shall be chargeable with the said Payment to be made in course out of the first Money in their Hands arising out of the Duties upon Salt.

paid upon  
Debentures.

verified as herein  
mentioned )  
and upon Oath of  
Exporter or Agent  
to be sworn, &c.

no Fee for  
Debentures.  
If no Money in  
Officers Hands,  
Commissioners  
to pay.

VIII.  
Officers may mark  
Casks for Salt  
lost or broken.

AND that it shall and may be lawful for the Officers of the said Duties on Salt in the several and respective Ports of the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales and Town of Berwick upon Tweed upon the Exportation of any Herrings as aforesaid and before the same shall be laid on board for Exportation to mark any Cask Barrel or other Vessel wherein any such Herrings shall be exported to the intent it may be known that such Herrings have been exported and Allowances claimed on Exportation thereof in case the same or any Part thereof shall be reloaded or re-imported.

IX.  
Refunding or  
compensating such  
Herrings.  
Penalty.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any such Herrings shall after the same shall be exported be reloaded or re-imported all the said Herrings so reloaded or re-imported shall be forfeited and (lost) and Twenty Shillings per Barrel for every Barrel thereof and so in proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity to be recovered of the Importer or Proprietor thereof.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for every Barrel of Salted Beef or Pork which shall be exported for Sale from any Part of this Kingdom Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed to Parts beyond the Seas after the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven by any Person or Persons whatsoever there shall be for such Barrel the like Allowance as is to be allowed upon Exportation of such Beef and Pork exported from Scotland which Allowance shall be paid by the Officer appointed to collect the Duties upon Salt in the same Port from whence any such Beef or Pork shall be exported within Thirty Days after Demand thereof on a Debenture to be prepared by the Collector of the Customs where such Beef or Pork shall be stored out for Exportation and verified by the Person receiving the Office of Searcher in such Port as to the Quantity of Beef and Pork actually shipped for Sale and that the same is good and merchandise and that the Out of the Exporter or Agent be first taken before the principal Officers of the said Port before the Debenture be allowed who are hereby required and empowered to give the said Out that the Beef or Pork at such Debenture mentioned was salted with Salt for which the Duties had been paid and not drawn back and that the same is really exported to Parts beyond the Seas for Sale and that any Part thereof was not spent or intended to be spent for the Ships Use and was not retained or intended to be retained for which Debenture no Fee or Reward shall be taken and in case the Officers hereby directed to pay such Debenture shall not have sufficient Money in his Hands to pay the same then upon Certificate thereof by him made (which Certificate he is hereby required to give the Party gird) the principal Commissioners for managing Her Majesties Revenues of Exchequer upon Salt for the Time being shall be chargeable with the said Payment to be made in course out of the first Money in their Hands arising out of the Duties upon Salt

And that it shall and may be lawful for the Officers for the said Duties on Salt in the several and respective Parts of the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed upon the Exportation of any Beef or Pork and before the same shall be laid on board for Exportation to mark any Cask Barrel or other Vessel wherein any such Beef or Pork shall be exported to the intent it may be known that such Beef or Pork has been exported and Allowances obtained on Exportation [thereof] in case the same or any Part thereof shall be retained or re-imported

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any Beef or Pork shall after the same shall be exported be so landed or re-imported all the said Beef or Pork to so landed or re-exported shall be forfeited and lost and Forty Shillings per Barrel for every Barrel thereof and so in proportion for a greater or lesser Quantity to be recovered of the Importer or Proprietor thereof

And whereas by the aforesaid Articles of Union it is provided that soon after the Union there shall be certain Allowances for all Outrun and Grain called Beer exported from Scotland Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for all Outrun [and Grain] called Beer also Bagg which from and after the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven shall be exported from any Part of this Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Towns of Berwick upon Tweed to Parts beyond the Seas by any Merchant or other Person or Persons whatsoever there shall be the like Premium given upon the Exportation thereof as is to be given upon Exportation of Outrun and Beer from Scotland such Merchant or other Person first bringing a Certificate in Writing under his or their Hands containing the Quantity of such Outrun or Beer also Bagg so shipped to the Collector or other Person appointed or to be appointed for the Time being to collect the Duties or Rates arising by Customs within any such Port and making Proof of such Certificate by One or more credible Persons or Persons upon their Oaths (which Oaths the said Collector or other Person is hereby authorized and required to administer) and giving Bond in the Sum of Ten Pounds at least for every Ton of Outrun so shipped containing of Twenty Hundred Weight and for every Forty Bushels of Beer also Bagg so shipped and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity that the same shall be so exported to Parts beyond the Seas and for be retained which Premium every Merchant or other Person so shipping of any such Outrun or Beer also Bagg and giving Certificate and Bond as aforesaid shall have and receive from such Collector or other Person as aforesaid in any Port respectively where the same shall be so shipped out of Her Majesties Revenues of the Customs and upon Certificate returned under the Common Seal of the Chief Magistrate in any Place or Places beyond the Seas or under the Hands and Seals of Two known English Merchants upon the Place that such Outrun or Beer also Bagg was there landed or upon Proof by credible Persons that such Outrun or Beer also Bagg was taken by Excise or perbowed in the Seas which Proof being made or Certificate delivered to the Collector or other Person who took Bond as aforesaid the said Bond shall be delivered up to such Merchant or other Person or his Order to be cancelled without any Fee for the same

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Penalties and Forfeitures given by this or any former Law relating to the Duties of Exchequer upon Salt shall be distributed in Manner following (that is to say) One Moiety thereof to the Queen Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety thereof to the Officer or Officers who shall sue for or inform for the same to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid and it is hereby declared That all and every Person and Persons who have exported any Salt or Rock Salt out of the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town

X.  
Allowance upon  
salted Beef and  
Pork exported.

paid on Debentures  
issued to house  
warehouses

On Out of Ex-  
porter or Agent as  
in subseq. Sec.

no Fee for  
Debenture.  
How Money in  
Officers Hands,  
Commissioners  
to pay.

XI.  
Officers may mark  
Casks before laid  
on board.

XII.  
Retaining or re-exporting  
salted Beef, &c.  
Penalty.

XIII.  
Allowance upon  
Outrun, &c.  
exported.

Upon Production  
of Certificate of  
Quantity, &c. in  
Office upon Oaths.

and giving Bond  
for due Exporta-  
tion.

Collector to pay  
such Allowance.

Upon Proof of  
Exportation, &c.  
Bond cancelled.

XIV.  
How Penalties of  
this and former  
Acts distributed,  
how assessed.

XV.  
Persons having  
exported Salt, and

loaded the same in  
Ireland, though  
exported in England,  
notified in Draw-  
back of Duty.  
Provisions to  
avoid

of Berwick upon Tweed and loaded the same in the Kingdom of Ireland although the same was entered in England on the Exportation thereof for other Foreign Parts and afterwards landed in Ireland such Persons or Persons having so loaded the same in Ireland shall be entitled to a Debitum or Drawback of the said Duty of such Salt notwithstanding the same was entered for other Foreign Parts and all Duties or Provisions commenced or to be commenced against any Person or Persons having exported such Salt or Rock Salt for Foreign Parts and loaded the same as aforesaid shall cease and determine

XVI.  
After the 1<sup>st</sup> May  
1706, no Draw-  
back in such Case  
Proviso.

Provision always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven there shall be no Debitum made out or Drawback allowed for any Salt or Rock Salt loaded in Ireland after the said First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven unless the Entry of the same Salt at Exportation be made for some Port in the Kingdom of Ireland

XVII.  
Allowance for  
Wheat in White  
Salt and Rock  
Salt exported to  
Ireland

And whereas White Salt and Rock Salt in the Exportation from England to Ireland are liable to Wast be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of May upon producing such a Certificate as is by Law required from the Collector and proper Officers of the Port or Place in Ireland of the Quantity of what White Salt and Rock Salt was there loaded the Exporter or Proprietor of such White Salt and Rock Salt shall have an Allowance of Four Bushels for every Forty Bushels of White Salt and of Two for every Forty Bushels of Rock Salt put on board in England in order to be exported to Ireland in Consideration of the ordinary Wast in the Carriage thereof and a Debitum or Debitums shall be issued out gratis accordingly by the Collector or proper Officer of the Port or Place in England from whence such White Salt or Rock Salt was exported and the same shall be allowed or paid to the Exporter or Proprietor in like Manner as Debitum as or shall be payable for Salt exported

XVIII.  
Record of the  
1706, 1707, 1708, 1709, 1710, 1711, 1712, 1713, 1714, 1715, 1716, 1717, 1718, 1719, 1720, 1721, 1722, 1723, 1724, 1725, 1726, 1727, 1728, 1729, 1730, 1731, 1732, 1733, 1734, 1735, 1736, 1737, 1738, 1739, 1740, 1741, 1742, 1743, 1744, 1745, 1746, 1747, 1748, 1749, 1750, 1751, 1752, 1753, 1754, 1755, 1756, 1757, 1758, 1759, 1760, 1761, 1762, 1763, 1764, 1765, 1766, 1767, 1768, 1769, 1770, 1771, 1772, 1773, 1774, 1775, 1776, 1777, 1778, 1779, 1780, 1781, 1782, 1783, 1784, 1785, 1786, 1787, 1788, 1789, 1790, 1791, 1792, 1793, 1794, 1795, 1796, 1797, 1798, 1799, 1800, 1801, 1802, 1803, 1804, 1805, 1806, 1807, 1808, 1809, 1810, 1811, 1812, 1813, 1814, 1815, 1816, 1817, 1818, 1819, 1820, 1821, 1822, 1823, 1824, 1825, 1826, 1827, 1828, 1829, 1830, 1831, 1832, 1833, 1834, 1835, 1836, 1837, 1838, 1839, 1840, 1841, 1842, 1843, 1844, 1845, 1846, 1847, 1848, 1849, 1850, 1851, 1852, 1853, 1854, 1855, 1856, 1857, 1858, 1859, 1860, 1861, 1862, 1863, 1864, 1865, 1866, 1867, 1868, 1869, 1870, 1871, 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due and due and payable before the sixth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and five by Merchants and others for the Customs additional Duties Impositions and other Duties on Goods and Merchandises imported into the Kingdom of England was thereby discharged provided the Principal Sums secured by such Bonds were paid before the first Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six And whereas several Merchants and others of the City of Bristol had before the said first Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six paid several Sums of Money amounting in the whole to the Sum of Three thousand eight hundred and eight Shillings to the Collector of the Customs of the Port shew for the Interest of several Principal Sums of Money upon several Bonds by them given for Customs and other Duties on Goods and Merchandises by them imported into the said Port of Bristol which Principal Sums they had also before that Time paid and which Principal Sums and Interest have been since applied to the Use of the Publick and it is equally just that those Sums so paid for Interest should be allowed back to the said Persons to the other Interest should be forgiven to the said Persons pursuant to the said before mentioned Clause Be it therefore further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or any Three or more of them to direct the Collector of the Customs of the said Port of Bristol for the Time being out of the Moneys which shall be at the Time of such Discharge in the Hands of such Collector upon Account of Customs additional Duties Impositions and other Duties on Goods and Merchandises respectively repaid there or which shall from thence next after come into his Hands upon that Account and such Collector a hereby authorized and required accordingly to refund and repay to the said several Merchants and others (who paid in the said Three thousand eight hundred and eight Pounds Eight Shillings) their Executors Administrators and Assigns the Sums and Sums of Money so paid in by all and every such Merchants or others and that thereupon and upon the said Collectors producing Receipts and Acknowledgements for each Sum and Sums such Collector shall be allowed the same upon his Account as if the same had been by him paid upon Account of Drawbacks for Goods exported Any Law or Customs to the contrary notwithstanding.

Revenue for paying the Customs.

Treasury to refund to the Merchants and others who paid to the said Sum of eight hundred and eight Shillings.

## CHAPTER XXX.

AN ACT for the better settling His Majesties Purchase of Cotton House in Westminster

WHEREAS Sir John Cotton late of Westminster in the County of Middlesex Baronet was in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King William the Third of glorious Memory seized for the Term of his Life with Remainder to John Cotton the Grandson (now Sir John Cotton Baronet) and the Heires Male of his Body with other Remainders of and in the Capital Messuage called Cotton House and the [Gardens] and Buildings used and appoyed with the same lying in the Parish of Saint Margarets Westminster in the County of Middlesex and being so seized in the said Twelfth Year of the Reign of the said late King William at the Request of the said Sir John Cotton the Grandfather in the Absence of the said Sir John Cotton the Grandson beyond the Seas an Act of Parliament intitled An Act for the better settling and preserving the Library kept in the House at Westminster called Cotton House in the Name and Family of the Cottons for the Benefit of the Publick was made thereby enacting that Sir Robert Cotton late of Conington in the County of Huntingdon Baronet did at his own great Charge and Expence and by the Assistance of the most learned Antiquaries of his Time collect and purchase the most useful Manuscripts written Books Papers Parchments Records and other Memorials in most Languages of great Use and Service for the Knowledge and Preservation of our Constitution both in Church and State which [Manuscripts and other Writings were procured as well from Parts beyond the Seas as from several private Collections of such Antiquaries within this Realm and] are generally esteemed the best Collection of his Kind now any where extant and that the said Library had been preserved and very much augmented by the late Sir Thomas Cotton Son of the said Sir Robert and by the said Sir John Cotton and was lodged in the said Sir John Cottons Mansion House at Westminster and that the said Sir John in pursuance of the Devises and Intentions of his said Father and Grandfather was content and willing that the said Mansion House and Library should continue in his Family and Name and not be sold or otherwise disposed or imbezzled and that the said Library should be kept and preserved by the Name of the Cottonian Library for publick Use and Advantage it is enacted that from and after the Death of the said Sir John Cotton the Grandfather the said Mansion House with the Gardens and all other Appurtenances and also all the said Library at Collection of Manuscripts Written Books Papers Parchments Records and other Memorials selected and named in a Schedule then and now remaining in the said Library together with all Cotton MSS. and other Bibles and Commentaries in the Library then and now contained be settled settled and vested in the Trustees therein after named To have hold and enjoy to them continued by their Successors for ever to the Uses Intent and Purposes therein mentioned (that is to say) As for the said Time Gardens and Appurtenances other than the Room where the said Library then was or then after might be lodged and a convenient Way Passage and Resort to the same at the Will and Discretion of the Heires of the Family and the Library therein after mentioned to the only proper Use and behoof of the said now Sir John Cotton the Grandson and Heir of the late Sir John Cotton and after his Decease to the First and every the Son and Son of his Body to be begotten and the Heires Male of the Body of each Son or Sons living successively with other Remainders as therein are particularly mentioned Remainder to the right Heires of the said Sir John Cotton (now living) Grandson and Heir of the said late Sir John Cotton for ever And as for and concerning the said Library and Room wherein the same then was or should be contained together with a convenient

For Part of the Cottonian Library.

Recital of Stat. 12 & 13 W. III. c. 2.

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\* inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

19.

Reason for  
passing the Act.Cotton House  
vested in the  
Crown.II.  
Room to be built  
for the Library, &c.Trustees appointed  
for Management.III.  
Trustees how  
appointed.

Purpose for entering themselves upon this Trust and Confidence That the said Trustees and their Successors should and would from time to time and at all Times thereafter as Occasions should require inspect correct and take Care of the said Library and other Particulars above mentioned and also make and appoint such Orders and Rules as they should think proper for the settling and using the same and for their better Preservation and to the Honour or Purpose that the said Trustees or the major Part of them should acquire and appoint a good and sufficient Person well read in Antiquities and Records to have the immediate Care and Custody of the said Library and it is thereby further enacted that the said House with the Appurtenances and the Library and other Particulars aforesaid should never be subject or liable to any Judgments Sentences Recognizances or any other Incumbrances nor should ever be sold or aliened forfeited or Seizable upon any Account or Pretence whatsoever and further that the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper for the Time being the Honourable Robert Harley Esquire then Speaker of the House of Commons The Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons for the Time being the Lord Chief Justice of the King's Bench for the Time being Sir Robert Cotton of Halesley Esquire George in the County of Cambridge Knight Philip Cotton of Conington in the said County Esquire Robert Cotton of Golden in the County of Huntington Esquire and William Husbury of the Inner Temple London Esquire shall be the Trustees to and for the Purpose aforesaid And in case of the Decease of any of the aforesaid Trustees Four Persons the said Sir John Cotton the Grandson or other Heir Male of the said Family who should be in Possession or entitled to the Possession of the Mannor House by virtue of the Letters Patent therein recited should nominate and appoint One or more fit Persons to succeed him or them and supply the Place of him or them so dying And whereas about the making of the said Act very little hath been done in pursuance thereof to make the said Library useful to the Publick except what has been done lately in Her Majesty's Charge and there is no Way or Passage to it set out in the Act did direct nor can there be any Passage to the same but through the best Rooms of the House which would render the House wholly useless to the Family so that the Library cannot be erected into nor have any Orders or Rules been appointed for reading or using the same and thereby the Publick is wholly deprived of the Benefit and Advantage designed by the Act and the Place wherein the Library was then contained was a narrow little Room damp and improper for preserving the Books and Papers and the Condition thereof having been humbly represented to the Queen's most Excellent Majesty Her Majesty to the Intent to grant a Trustee of Books and Manuscripts so generously given for the Publick Service might not remain any longer Useless and [in] danger of perishing for want of due Care and that a way be in Her Majesty's Power to make this most valuable Collection useful to Her own Subjects and all learned Strangers did give Directions for creating with the said Sir John Cotton for the Purchase of the said Cotton House and Gardens and an Agreement has been made for the purchasing the Inheritance thereof for the Sum of Five thousand five hundred Pounds which Her Majesty hath directed to be paid on the inventory the Inheritance of the Premises in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors which cannot be done but by Act of Parliament the said recited Act having directed it may not be sold or aliened may it therefore please Your most Excellent Majesty at the humble Suit and Petition of the said Sir John Cotton the Grandson that a way be enacted and so it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Capital Message called Cotton House and the Gardens and Buildings and and appoyal with the same with the Appurtenances shall be and are hereby vested in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall for ever have hold and enjoy the same against the said Sir John Cotton the Grandson and against all and every [the Sons of the said Sir John Cotton so be begotten and the Heirs Male of the Bodies of each Son or Sons and against all and every] other Person and Persons claiming or to claim by virtue of any of the Uses or Limitations contained in the said recited Act and against the Heirs of the Bodies of Sir Thomas Cotton and Thome Alice his Wife both deceased and against the right Heirs of the said Sir Thomas Cotton and against all and every Person and Persons claiming or to claim by force or under the said Sir John Cotton deceased and freed and discharged of and from their respective Taxes and Duties

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That a convenient Room shall be built on or near Part of the said Grounds hereby intended to be vested in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall by Writing under the Sign Manual appoint in which Room when built all the said [Manuscripts Written Books Papers Parchments Records and other Memorials as also all Cases Metals and other Rareties and Curiosities in the said Library contained shall be lodged and there remain to all Posterity and the said Room when built shall for ever be called and known by the Name of the Cottonian Library and from the building thereof the said Library shall be managed and directed by the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England for the Time being the Honourable Robert Harley Esquire Principal Secretary of State the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons for the Time being The Lord Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench for the Time being Sir Robert Cotton of Halesley Esquire George in the County of Cambridge Knight Philip Cotton of Conington in the said County Esquire Robert Cotton of Golden in the County of Huntington Esquire and William Husbury of the Inner Temple London Esquire and their Successors as Trustees to and for the Use of the Publick for ever

And in case any of the said last recited Four Persons shall happen to dye the said Sir John Cotton or other Heir Male of His Family for the Time shall nominate and appoint One or more fit Person or Persons for the Time being to succeed him or them and supply the Place of him or them so dying and so takes upon any of the said last Four Trustees or others succeeding them shall happen or do

\* inserted in the Bill.

\* inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the said Manuscripts Written Books Papers Parchments Records and other Memorials in what all Courts Mediate Resides and Curiousities in the said Library hereby intended to be lodged in the said House when rebuilt shall be under the same Regulations Directions and Management of the said Trustees to all Intents and Purposes as the present Library and every Thing therein contained now is by the said recited Act liable and subject to and a fit Person for Library Keeper shall be appointed by the said Trustees from time to time as they or the major Part of them shall think fit and the said Library and Library Keeper shall be in every respect under the same Directions and Government as the present Library and Library Keeper by the said recited Act are subject to except where the same is herein particularly altered]

IV.  
The Manuscripts to be under the same Regulations in the present Library.

And to all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate their Heirs and Successors (other than and except the said Sir John Cotton the Grandson and his Son and Sons begotten or to be begotten and the Heires Males of the Bodies of such Son and Sons and other than the Person and Persons claiming or to claim by virtue of or under any of the Uses or Limitations contained in the said recited Act and other than the Heirs of the Bodies of Sir Thomas Cotton and Dame Alice his Wife and other than the right Heirs of the said Sir Thomas Cotton and other than the Person and Persons claiming or to claim by free or under the said Sir Thomas Cotton deceased) all such Right Title Estate Interest or Demand now or yet of the said Premises hereby vested in Her Majesty as aforesaid as they or any of them had or might enjoy if this Act had not been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

V.  
General Scope.

[AND to the intent that an Equivalent in Fee of the said House called Cotton House Gardens and Buildings hereby vested in Her Majesty may be settled in the same Uses the said House Gardens and Buildings were settled and limited by the said recited Act of Parliament Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Sir John Cotton or his Heires shall before or at the Time of receiving the said Four thousand five hundred Pounds from Her Majesty by good and sufficient Conveyances and Assurances in the Law convey and assure Lands Tenements and Hereditaments of Inheritance in the Counties of Hantsagus or Bedford or one of them Part of the present Estate of the said Sir John Cotton of the clear annual Value of Three hundred Pounds beyond ordinary Repairs free from all Incumbrances to the Use of him the said Sir John Cotton for and during the Term of his natural Life and after his Decease to the Use of the first and every other Son and Sons of the Body of the said Sir John Cotton to be begotten and the Heires Males of the Body of such Son or Sons issuing successively And for default of such Issue to the Use of Thomas Cotton Brother of the said Sir John Cotton for the Term of his natural Life And after his Decease to the Use of the first and every other Son and Sons of the Body of the said Thomas to be begotten successively and to the Heires Males of the Body of such Son and Sons and for default of such Issue to the Use of Robert Cotton of Gidding in the County of Huntingdon Esquire Heir of the said Sir John Cotton for the Term of his natural Life And after his Decease to the Use of John Cotton Son of the said Robert Cotton for his natural Life and after his Decease to the Use of the first and every other Son and Sons of the said John Cotton to be begotten successively and the Heires Males of their Bodies issuing And for default of such Issue to the Use of all and every the other Son and Sons of the Body of the said Robert to be begotten and the Heires Males of the Bodies of such Son or Sons successively And for default of such Issue to the Use of Sir Robert Cotton of Harley St. George in the County of Cambridge Knight for his natural Life And after his Decease to the Use of the first and every other Son and Sons of his Body to be begotten and the Heires Males of the Bodies of such Son and Sons issuing successively And for default of such Issue to the Use of Philip Cotton of Caxoborough in the County of Cambridge Esquire for his natural Life And after his Decease to the Use of the first and every other Son and Sons of his Body to be begotten and the Heires Males of the Bodies of such Son and Sons issuing successively And for default of such Issue to the Use of Thomas Cotton of Cotton in the County of Rutland Esquire for the Term of his natural Life And after his Decease to the Use of the first and every other Son and Sons of his Body to be begotten and the Heires Males of the Bodies of such Son and Sons issuing successively And for default of such Issue to the Use of the right Heires of the said Sir John Cotton for ever.

VI.  
Settlement of the Equivalent upon Sir John Cotton.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Lands Tenements and Hereditaments when settled as aforesaid shall never be subject or liable to any future Judgment Sentence Recognizance or Incumbrance nor shall ever be sold or aliened limited or forfeited by the said Sir John Cotton or any other of the said Persons his Remender upon any Account or Pretence whatsoever.]

VII.  
The said Lands, &c. not liable to Forfeiture, Judgment, &c.



## CHAPTER XXXI.

AN ACT for the encouraging the Discovery and apprehending of Housebreakers

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upon Certificate of  
Coroners.

II.

In case of Dispute,  
Judge to direct the  
Discharge of  
Reward upon Cer-  
tificatesShould not pay,  
Penalty.

III.

Execution, &c. of  
Person killed in  
apprehending  
Housebreakers, to  
have the Reward  
upon Certificate

No Fee.

Should not pay,  
Penalty.

IV.

Should, upon pro-  
ducing Receipts,  
sheriffs and Pay-  
ment Account,

WHEREAS the Crimes of Burglary and breaking open Houses in a felonious Manner are of late Years become more frequent than formerly to the great Disquiet Terror and impoverishing of many of Your Majesties good Subjects which Crimes might be in great Measure prevented if due Encouragement be given to such as shall vigorously endeavour the Discovery and apprehending of such Malefactors and some severe Penalties inflicted on such as shall receive or buy stolen Goods and harbour and protect the said Offenders For Remedy whereof he is moved by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Tenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven all and every Person and Persons who shall apprehend and take any Person or Persons guilty of Burglary or the felonious breaking and entering of any House in the Day time and prosecute him her or them so apprehended and taken until he she or they be convicted of such Burglary or Felony shall have and receive over and above the Rewards given by any Act of Parliament made in Westminster in the Tenth and Eleventh Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William of glorious Memory intitled An Act for the better apprehending preventing and punishing of Felons that commit Burglary House breaking or Robbery in Shops Warehouses Coach houses or Stables or the said Houses the Sum of Forty Pounds within One Month after such Conviction to be paid by the Sheriff or Sheriffs of the County where such Felony or Burglary shall be made and done without any Fee for the same to the Person or Persons so taking apprehending and prosecuting the said Offenders he and they receiving a Certificate from the said Sheriff or Sheriffs under the Hand or Hands of the Judges or Justices before whom such Felon shall be convicted for such Burglary or Felony certifying the Conviction of such Felon for the said Offence or Offences and in what Parish the same was committed and also that such Felon or Felons was or were taken by the Person or Persons claiming the said Reward

And in case any Dispute shall happen to arise between the Person so apprehending any the [said] Felon touching [the] Right and Title to the said Reward That then the said Judge or Justices so respectively certifying as aforesaid shall as and by their said Certificate direct and appoint the said Reward to be paid to and amongst the Parties claiming the same in such Share and Proportions as to the said Judge or Justices shall seem just and reasonable and if it shall happen that any such Sheriff or Sheriffs shall die or be removed before the Expiration of One Month after such Conviction and Demand made of the said Reward (as being paid as aforesaid) that then the next succeeding Sheriff or Sheriffs shall pay the same within One Month after Demand and Certificate brought as aforesaid and in Default of Payment of the said Sum or Sums of Money shall happen to be made by any Sheriff or Sheriffs such Sheriff or Sheriffs so making Default shall forfeit to the Person or Persons to whom such Money is due as aforesaid Double the Sum or Sums of Money he or they ought to have paid to be recovered by him or them or his or their Executors or Administrators in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record in Westminster by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information wherein but One Impedance and no Ensign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed with Treble Costs of Suit by him or them expended in the Recovery of the same

And he is further enacted That in case any Watchman or any other Person or Persons shall happen to be killed by any such Burglar or Housebreaker endeavouring to apprehend or in making Pursuit after him or them that then the Executors or Administrators of such Person or Persons to whom the Right of Administration of the Personal Estate of such Person so killed shall belong upon Certificate delivered under the Hands and Seals of the Judge or Justices of Assize of the County where the Fact was committed or the Two next Justices of the Peace of such Person or Persons being so killed which Certificate the said Judge or Justices upon sufficient Proof before them made are immediately required to give without Fee or Reward shall receive the Sum of Forty Pounds from the Sheriff or Sheriffs of the County where the said Fact was done and committed and upon Failure of Payment sworn by the said Sheriff or Sheriffs Double the Sum of Forty Pounds to be recovered against them with Treble Costs of Suit in Manner and Form as aforesaid

And it is hereby further enacted That all Sheriffs their Executors and Administrators upon producing such respective Certificates and the Receipts for the Money paid by them in pursuance of this Act shall be allowed and are hereby empowered to deduct upon their Accounts all Moneys other than Double the Sum and Sums of Money and Treble Costs of Suit which they shall disburse as aforesaid and that if upon Accounts of any Sheriff or Sheriffs there shall not be Money sufficient in the Hands of such Sheriff or Sheriffs to reimburse him or them such Moneys paid by him or them by virtue of this Act that then the Sheriff or Sheriffs having so paid the said Moneys shall have the same repaid by the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury for the Time being out of the Revenue of the Crown upon Certificates from the Clerk of the Pipe in that Effect

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And be it further enacted That if any Person or Persons being out of Prison shall from and after the next Tenth Day of May commit any Burglary or Felony as aforesaid and afterwards discover Two or more Persons who already have or hereafter shall commit any such Burglaries or Felonies so as Two or more of the Persons discovered shall be convicted of such Burglary or Felony any such Discoverer shall himself have the like Reward and Allowance of Forty Pounds lawfully promised to be paid to the Person or Persons who shall apprehend and convict Housebreakers and all other Adventurers given to such Taker and Discoverer and shall also be himself entitled to the gracious Pardon of His Majesty His Heirs and Successors for all Burglaries Robberies and Felonies (except Murder and Treason) by him committed at any Time or Times before such Discovery made which Pardon shall be likewise a good Bar to any Appeal brought for such Burglary Robbery or Felony

V.  
Housebreaker  
being out of Prison,  
and informing  
against Two  
or more, who  
shall be convicted,  
Grand Pardon,  
(Excepted)

And furthermore as the said Felons are much encouraged to commit such Burglaries and Felonies because a great Number of Persons make it a Trade to receive and buy of the said Felons the Goods so by them feloniously taken and also do make it their Business to harbour and conceal the said Offenders after the said Felons knowing the said Felonies and Burglaries to have been by them committed he it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall receive or buy any Goods or Chittels that shall be feloniously taken or stolen from any other Person knowing the same to be stolen or shall receive or conceal any Burglars Felons or Thieves knowing them to be so shall be taken and received as Accessory or Accessories to the said Felony or Felonies and being of either of the said Offences legally convicted by the Testimony of One or more credible Witnesses shall suffer and incur the Pain of Death as a plain Criminal.

VI.  
Receivers of Goods  
stolen, or Concealers  
of Housebreakers,  
Death.

[Providing always That if any such principal Felon cannot be taken so as to be prosecuted and convicted for any such Offence yet nevertheless it shall and may be lawful to prosecute and punish every such Person and Persons buying or receiving any Goods stolen by any such principal Felon knowing the same to be stolen as for a Misdemeanor to be punished by Fine and Imprisonment or other such corporal Punishment as the Court shall think fit to inflict although the principal Felon be not before conviction of the said Felony which shall exempt the Offender from being punished as Accessory if such principal Felon shall be afterwards taken and convicted]

VII.  
If principal Felon  
cannot be taken,  
Accessory may be  
prosecuted for a  
Misdemeanor.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Judge Justice or Justice (before whom such Felons and House Breakers shall be convicted as aforesaid) shall determine and settle the Right Rights and Shares of such respective Persons who by virtue of this Act shall be entitled to the Certificate herein directed to be given and shall also (being thereunto required) make out and deliver or cause to be made out and delivered the said Certificate without Fee or Reward to such Person or Persons entitled thereto before the End of such Assizes or Sessions wherein such Conviction as aforesaid shall be had

VIII.  
Judge before whom  
Housebreaker con-  
victed, to settle  
Rights to Certifi-  
cate, and deliver  
the same without  
Fee

And whereas the Offices mentioned in this Act are generally committed in London and Middlesex and the Rewards lawfully granted being to be paid by the Under Sheriffs of the said Counties by Reason whereof they will be obliged to advance great Sums of Money be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Sheriff of London and Middlesex shall accept demand take or receive of his or their Under Sheriff directly or indirectly either by himself or any Person or Persons in Trust for him or them any Sum or Sums of Money Gentry or Present whatsoever for the Execution of the Place of Under Sheriff nor in any Manner oblige him or their Under Sheriff by Covenant Promise or otherwise to be at any Expence or Charge in Relation to the said Place of Under Sheriff which ought and hath been usually paid and disbursed by the High Sheriff except the Rewards given by this or any other Act for the apprehending Highway Men Clippers Coyneers and House Breakers and the Fees of paying such High Sheriffs Accounts in the Exchequer and such other Debarkments as hath been heretofore customarily sustained by the Under Sheriff.]

IX.  
Sheriff of London  
and Middlesex not  
to accept Gentry  
for Under Sheriff,  
nor oblige him to  
make Expenses,  
&c.

Exception.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Original Act in Three separate Schedules.

## CHAPTER XXX.

En. Parl.  
6. Ann. p. 3. m. 11.

AN ACT for the Continuance of the Laws for the Punishment of Vagrants and for making such Laws more effectual

Recital of Stat.  
at W. III. c. 15.  
as amended by  
Stat. 6. Ann.  
Rec. 6. c. 13.

**W**HEREAS an Act of Parliament made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of the late King William the Second An Act for the more effectual Punishment of Vagrants and sending them whither by Law they might be sent was continued by One other Act made in the First Year of Her present Majesty's reign intituled An Act for continuing former Acts for the exporting Leather and for the Ease of Farms and for making more effectual an Act relating to Vagrants for the Space of Three Years from the Expiration of the said First Act made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of King William and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament and no longer And whereas the said Act have been found of good Use for lessening the Charge and preventing the Abuses and Frauds in conveying of Vagrants Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said several Acts made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of King William and in the First Year of Her Majesty's reign and every Article Chause Matter and Thing in them and each of them contained relating to Vagrants shall from henceforth continue and be in full Force and be put in Practice and Execution according to the true Intent thereof from the Expiration of the said last mentioned Act for the Space of Seven Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament and no longer.

The said Acts as to  
Vagrants continued  
for Seven Years.

## II.

And for the better raising of what Money shall be found necessary to enable the Allowances made to Constables and others for their Loss of Time and Expenses in pursuing of Vagrants in pursuance of the Acts before mentioned in as much as the Methods already provided for raising the same have in many Places been found insufficient be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where the Goal and Marshalsea Money shall not be sufficient to suffice and pay the said Allowances the Justices of Peace within the several Limits of their Commissions shall in each Case at any Time or Times hereafter have full Power and Authority at their General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to assess upon every Town Parish or Place within their respective Commissions such Sum and Sums of Money as they in their Discretion shall think reasonable for Satisfaction of the Allowances made to Constables and others for their Loss of Time and Expenses in pursuing of Vagrants and that the Money so assessed shall be levied and collected according to the Rates and Methods prescribed by any Act of Parliament now in force for the levying and collecting of Money for the Repairs of County Bridges and that the Monies so levied and collected shall be disposed of in such Manner as the said Justices by their Order at such Sessions shall in this Behalf direct and appoint

Quarter Sessions  
May by Assessments  
raise Money to  
assist Constables  
in the Expence of  
pursuing Vagrants

## III.

And be it further enacted That where there are Two or more Treasurers for one and the same County Riding Liberty or Division the Treasurers thereof shall be and are hereby obliged to give Obedience to such Order or Orders as shall be made by the Justices of the Peace in pursuance or by virtue of this Act at their First General Quarter Sessions to be held Quarterly for every County Riding Liberty or Division for the Discharge of all such Sums as shall arise by or from the Conveyance of Vagrants through every such County Riding Liberty or Division Provided that all such Charges be levied according to the Customary Rate of Goal or Bridge Money and that no such Order or Orders shall take place or be effectual till such Time as the Treasurer or Treasurers to whom such Order or Orders shall come have Money in their Hands sufficient for the Payment thereof

Treasurers of  
Counties to obey  
the Orders of  
Quarter Sessions.

How such Charges  
levied.

## IV.

And whereas it is by Experience found That the Combridge Rates have sometimes been very unjust and grievous to the Inhabitants of their respective Townships or Parishes be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall find him or themselves grieved by the Demands for Disbursements which any the Combridge Headboroughs or Tythingmen throughout the Realm shall charge upon or require of the Parishes or Towns into which they or any of them shall or do belong or by any Sum Tax Rate or other Act done by any of the said Combridge Headboroughs or Tythingmen or other Persons whatsoever which may in any Ways concern or relate to any of the aforesaid Demands it shall and may be lawful for such Person and Persons to appeal to the Justices at their next General Quarter Sessions which shall be held for that County in which any such Cause of Complaint shall arise as often as there shall be any Occasion for Complaint which Justice or the greater Number of them shall take Order therein as to them shall seem meet and the Judgment of the Justices of such County is aforesaid at their Quarter Sessions shall conclude and bind all Parties

Persons aggrieved  
by Demands for  
Disbursements by  
Combridge, &c.  
may appeal to  
Quarter Sessions.

## V.

And whereas some Doubts and Disputes have been made about the Privileges and Jurisdictions of Liberties and Town Corporations that by and age within several Counties of this Realm whereas the Justices of the Peace and Chief Magistrates of the said Liberties and Towns Corporations do keep separate or distinct Quarter Sessions of their own and have separate Treasurers for their said Corporations and Liberties or such like Publick Stocks whether all such Liberties and Towns Corporations shall be taken and deemed as Counties at large for the several

Persons for payment  
the Rates therein

Peages and Provision mentioned in the Acts intended to be continued by this Act For the quiering and pressing all such Drakes and Diapers be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Justices of the Peace Chief Magistrates Treasurers Comptrolers and other Officers residing in the said Liberties and Towns Corporate shall in the certifying and conveying of Passengers Vagabond Beggars and other Idle Persons and making and paying of Money not in such Liberties and Towns Corporate as they were by the said Acts impowered and directed to do in Courts at large.

Justices, &c. may  
act in Liberties, &c.  
as in Counties at  
large.

## CHAPTER XXXII.

AN ACT for obliging John Rice to account for Debts due to him in the last Session of Parliament.

Act Parl. 6. Ann.  
p. 2. 8-15.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the last Session of this present Parliament intituled An Act for the Relief of Colonel John Rice it is enacted that upon the summes of Linswick upon the Third Day of October One thousand six hundred ninety one the said Colonel John Rice did bring over his Regiment for the Service of His late Majesty King William and to induce his Officers to join with him in so doing he did give them a Bond in the Penalty of Ten thousand Pounds that they should be received and provided for and that upon the 1st Day of January in the said Year the said Regiment was by Order of the then Lords Justices [of Ireland] taken and their Horses Arms and Accoutrements taken from them in possession of which Bond the said Colonel Rice was obliged to pay and satisfy the Officers and Soldiers of the said Regiment for their Pay and for their Horses Arms and Accoutrements and did by the Mediation of Friends prevail with the respective Captains of Ten of the said Troops to accept of Four hundred and fifty Pounds apiece for their Horses Arms and Accoutrements of their said respective Troops which with the full Pay of the said Regiment according to the English Establishment the said Colonel Rice did pay and satisfy upon which Suggessions there was granted unto the said John Rice the Sum of Eleven thousand four hundred and twenty Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence for the said Horses Arms and Accoutrements and Arrears of Pay which by the said Act is directed to be made out in Army Debentures and delivered unto the said John Rice or his Assigns and which were since made out and delivered unto him pursuant to the said Act and made payable to him or his Assigns all which the said John Rice offered to be due unto himself only for that he had out of his own Money before paid unto the said Officers of each Troop their several Proportions for the said Arrears Horses Arms and Accoutrements sheweth as by the same Act may more at large appear And whereas upon Examination of the Master of Complaints contained in a Petition preferred this Session of Parliament by Captain Morgan O'Brien on behalf of himself and of Captain Kennedy O'Brien Captain Garret Fitz Gerald their Subalterns and other Officers serving both that the said Colonel John Rice had not paid to them or to any the Officers or Soldiers of the said Regiment the said Sum of Eleven thousand four hundred and twenty Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence as was alledged by the said John Rice and had in order to obtain the said Act fraudulently procured Bailment from them for the Pay of their several Troops sheweth upon Assurance by him given that he would pay the Sums in which such Releases were given when he should have received the same from the Parliament but that the said John Rice hath now absolutely refuse to pay the same And whereas upon hearing and examining the said Morgan O'Brien and others and also the said John Rice upon the Matter in the said Petition it doth not appear that the said Monies were ever paid as is alledged in the said Act: Now to the End that Satisfaction may be given to His Majesty how the said Debentures have been disposed and that the said John Rice may be answerable for the same Be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said John Rice or he shall be charged and chargeable to Her Majesties Court of Exchequer to wit with the Sum of Eleven thousand four hundred and twenty Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence and shall be liable to render an Account thereof according to the Course and Method of the said Court as if the said Monies had been issued to him immediately out of the Receipt of Exchequer by way of Impost or upon Account for the Services of the Army the said former Act or any other Manner or Thing to the contrary notwithstanding.

Recd of Issu  
4. 6. 1. Ann. c. 32  
p. 15.

Reasons for passing  
the Act.

The said John Rice  
charged with  
all Leges 1706. 68.

And be it enacted That Richard Earl of Roselagh do with all convenient Speed transmit a Certificate in Prescribed under his Hand and Seal [unto] the said Court of Exchequer of the said Sum of Eleven thousand four hundred and twenty Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence so issued as aforesaid and of the Days and Times when the same were so issued to the said John Rice or any Person by his Direction and the Receipt given for the same and that such Certificate shall be recorded or filed in the said Court of Exchequer.

II.  
The Earl of Roselagh  
is to certify to  
the Exchequer.

And be it further enacted That such Charge against the said John Rice shall be taken and repaid as a Debt by Obligation or Specialty of the Nature of a Simple taken or acknowledged to the Use of Her Majesty according to the Statute made in the Third and thirteenth Year of King Henry the Eighth to oblige the said John Rice to answer and account for the said Eleven thousand four hundred and twenty Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence as aforesaid.

III.  
The said Charge  
shall be a Statute  
Debt.

IV.  
All Debentures, due  
to the Heirs or  
Power of the said  
John Rice, or held  
in Trust for him,  
except in the Crown.

And be it enacted That all and every the Debentures so granted and made out as aforesaid which do still remain in the Hands Possession or Power of the said John Rice or of any other Person by his Delivery Consent or Direction or in Trust for him or to or for his Use and in which the said John Rice hath all any Property Interest or Equity of Redemption and also all other Effects either in Money Bills Notes Lands Tenements Woods Hereafter Goods or Chattels or any other Estate Real or Personal in England or Ireland into which he hath converted or for which he hath disposed any of the said Debentures either in his own Name or in the Name of any Person or Persons in Trust or upon Confidence for him or of which he is to receive the Benefit (except such Debentures touching which other Provision is made after made by this Act) he and he (and they) lawfully vouch in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors

V.  
The Queen may  
appoint, under  
Sign Manual,  
Commissioners to  
take Account of  
such Debentures,  
and of the Money  
arising therefrom,  
who are to certify  
therein to Parlia-  
ment.  
Power to Com-  
missioners to  
examine Persons.

And to the Intent that the Truth of the Foregoing may the better come to be known and a more exact Account taken of the Disposition of the said Debentures he is enacted That it shall be lawful for Her Majesty by Warrant under Her Sign Manual to nominate such Persons as she shall think fit to be Commissioners for examining how and to whom and for what the said John Rice hath disposed or employed the said Debentures or the Money or other Effects into which he hath converted the same and after such Enquiry and Examination to make a Certificate or Return thereof in Writing to the Parliament in their next Session to which said Commissioners or the major Part of their Power is hereby given in a summary Way to hear and examine the Persons by the Oaths of Persons to be sworn by and sworn before themselves or before any One of Her Majesty's Judges in England or Ireland or otherwise as they shall think fit And if any Person or Persons being examined before the said Commissioners shall wilfully conceal any such Debentures Estate or Effects of the said John Rice he or they shall forfeit and lose Double the Value of such Debentures or Effects so concealed the One Half in Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for the Purposes aforesaid and the other Moiety to such Person or Persons as will sue for the same by Action Suit Plea or Information in which no Essoign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed

VI.  
Persons for lease-  
hold Purchasers of  
Debentures, before  
the March next.

Provided That nothing in this Act shall take away direct alter or change the Right Title Interest or Property of any Person of in or to any of the said Debentures or defeat or obstruct the Payment of the Principal and Interest of any of the said Debentures so made out as aforesaid which have been on or before the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six really and bona fide bought or purchased or taken as Security for Money really lent to the said John Rice or any other Person or Persons by any Person or Persons who have or shall have the Possession thereof and who shall give or send an Account thereof in Writing to the Commissioners to be appointed as aforesaid any Time before the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and seven.

VII.  
And for better Sale  
Leases of Money  
upon such Debentures.

And be it further enacted That where it shall appear that any Money have been really and bona fide lent upon Security of any such Debentures that it shall and may be lawful for the said Commissioners or the major Part of them appointed in pursuance of this Act as aforesaid by Sale of any Part of the same Debentures or by or out of any the other Effects hereby vouch in Her Majesty as aforesaid to pay and satisfy such Money so lent by any Persons who shall make such Discovery thereof as aforesaid and all Interests that shall be due for the same whereby such Debentures or the Residue thereof which shall be unpaid may remain to Her Majesty for the Purposes aforesaid and in case such Sale shall not be made and the Debt and Interest due thereon not discharged on or before the First of October One thousand seven hundred and seven that the Person or Persons having such Debentures in Security may at any Time then after sell the same to such Purchaser as can be got for the same and thereon first pay themselves the Principal and Interest due thereon with all Charges relating thereto tending the Overplus (if any) to the said Commissioners.

#### CHAPTER XXXIV.

For the  
Sale of the said  
Debentures, &c.

An Act for continuing the Laws therein mentioned relating to the Power and to the buying and selling of Cattle in Smithfield and for suppressing of Piracy.

1706. 14 Car. 2.  
c. 34.

Continued by Stat.  
1 Geo. 1. c. 12. 1701.

WHEREAS the temporary Laws following which by Experience have been found useful and beneficial are expired or near expiring therefore for continuing the same be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That an Act made in the Thirtieth and Fortieth Years of the Reign of King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the better Relief of the Poor of this Kingdom which was enacted to have Commencement (except what related to the Corporations therein mentioned and thereby continued) until the Twenty sixth of May One thousand seven hundred and sixty five and from thence to the End of the First Session of the next Parliament which said Act by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of the late King James the Second (except what related to the Corporations therein mentioned and thereby continued) was enacted to be in force from the First Day of May One thousand six hundred eighty five and so to continue

for the Space of Seven Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament And by an Act made in the Third and Fourth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the said Act (as to what therein relates to the Settlement of the Poor) was enacted to be in force from the First Day of March One thousand six hundred ninety one but no Provision was thereby made for continuing divers other Parts of the said Act which said Act for the better Relief of the Poor of this Kingdom so as to all Parts thereof not mentioned and contained in and by the said Act made in the Third and Fourth Years of the Reign of Their late Majesties (other than and except what relates to the Corporations mentioned in the said Act for the better Relief of the Poor of this Kingdom and thereby continued) was by an Act made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of the Reign of Their late Majesties continued for the Space of Seven Years from the Thirtieth Day of February One thousand six hundred ninety two and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament which said Act afterwards by an Act of the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of King William intitled An Act for continuing several Laws therein mentioned was continued for Seven Years from the Twenty sixth Day of September One thousand six hundred shall be in force from the First and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven (except what relates to the Corporations therein mentioned and thereby continued) for Seven Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament

and by the  
11<sup>th</sup> W. III. c. 11.  
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and (except as  
before mentioned)  
by Stat. 4. W. III.  
c. 14. 1. 2  
and 11<sup>th</sup> W. III.  
c. 13. 1. 2

Further continued,  
(Exception)  
for Seven Years, &c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That so much of an Act made in the Twenty second and Twenty third Years of King Charles the Second intitled An Act to prevent Frauds in the buying and selling of Cattle in Smithfield and elsewhere which relates to the preventing Butchers within the Cities of London and Westminster or Ten Miles thereof to buy fat Cattle and sell the same again to any other Butcher either alive or dead as also so much as relates to the preventing fat Cattle brought in Smithfield in one Market to be sold there again alive which was [expired and was afterwards by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of the late King James the Second enacted to be in force from the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand six hundred eighty five for Seven Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament with a proviso that the said Act should not extend to Salesmen or Factors employed by Farmers or Feeders and the said Acts were after<sup>1</sup>] continued by an Act made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of King William and Queen Mary for Seven Years from the Thirtieth of February One thousand six hundred ninety two and by another Act made in the Seventh and Twelfth Years of King William was continued for Seven Years from the Twenty sixth Day of September One thousand seven hundred shall be continued with all the Clauses and Provisions therein mentioned (except one Clause which was afterwards repealed by an Act made in the Twenty fifth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second intitled An Act for Repeal of a Clause in a former Act to prohibit Salesmen from selling Fat Cattle) for and during the Space of Seven Years after the said Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven

11<sup>th</sup>  
Stat. 12. W. III.  
c. 21. 1. 2

11<sup>th</sup>  
as continued by  
Stat. 1. Geo. II.  
c. 12. 1. 2.

except as therein  
mentioned,  
and by Stat. 4. W.  
III. c. 14. 1. 2  
and 11<sup>th</sup> W. III.  
c. 13. 1. 2.  
Further continued,  
(Exception)  
Stat. 13. Geo. II.  
c. 14.  
for Seven Years,  
&c.

And whereas there is notwithstanding the Provision of the aforesaid Act a pernicious Practice now in Use for one Butcher to buy a greater Quantity of Fat Cattle or Sheep than he can vend unless by selling them again to other Butchers which reduces the Number of Buyers in Smithfield and may be a very great Inconvenience both to the Graziers and Butcherkeepers by subjecting both the one and the other to such Price as they shall think fit to give or demand Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Twenty sixth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and seven no Person using the Trade of a Butcher shall sell or offer to sell in any Market or elsewhere either by himself or any Servant or Agent whatsoever within the Cities of London or Westminster or within Ten Miles thereof to any Person or Persons exercising or using the Trade of a Butcher any Fat Cattle or Sheep either alive or dead upon pain to forfeit the Value of the Cattle or of such Sheep so sold or offered to sale as aforesaid One Moiety of which Forfeiture shall be to the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to him or them that will sue for the same in any of Her Majesty's Courts at Record by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information wherein no Design Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed as any more than One Imparance

11<sup>th</sup>  
Enacted for putting  
the Enactment.

Butcher selling Fat  
Cattle in London,  
to another Butcher.

Penalty

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That an Act made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of King William intitled An Act for the more effectual suppressing of Pyrracy which was to be in force for Seven Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament [shall be in force in full force for the Space of Seven Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament]

11<sup>th</sup>  
Stat. 11. W. III. c. 2.

continued for Seven  
Years, &c.

[And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon Recovery of any Penalty or Forfeiture imposed or given in and by this present Act full Costs shall be allowed the Plaintiff.]

11<sup>th</sup>  
Upon Recovery of  
Penalty,  
full Costs.

<sup>1</sup> Altered to the Original Act in a separate Schedule

<sup>2</sup> amended on the Roll.

## PRIVATE ACTS

ITEM quodam Petitione private Personarum concurrens in ac forth Actus<sup>1</sup> ordinatio exhibita forensis predicti  
Domini Regis in Parlamento predicto quod Tituli subscriptur (videlicet)

- i. An Act for naturalizing Maria Marguerite Lady North and Grey.
- ii. An Act to enable Henry Grey Second Son of Richard Neville Esquire to change his Name from Neville to Grey according to the Will of Ralph Lord Grey deceased.
- iii. An Act to make the Ship called the Negresse Prisoner (a Foreign built) Ship lawfully bought as a Wreck a free Ship.
- iv. An Act to make the Ship Vigilantia of Steel upon the River of Elbe in Germany (lawfully a Wreck) a free Ship.
- v. An Act for naturalizing John Tigh.
- vi. An Act to enable the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury (for the Time being) to compound with Benjamin Maccoll Citizen and late Merchant of London and his Executors for the Debt owing by him to Her Majesty.
- vii. An Act for Relief of Sir John Mordaunt of the Kingdom of Ireland Knight and Baron.
- viii. An Act for improving the Barons of the Court of Exchequer in Ireland to grant a Commission to some Person in England to administer to Thomas Mordaunt Esquire Remembrancer of the said Court the usual Oath for the due Execution of his Office and to enable him to take the Oath and subscribe the Declaration in the Courts of Chancery in England instead of those requisite to be taken and subscribed by the Barons of England and Ireland in order to qualify him to execute the said Office.
- ix. An Act to enable the Right Honourable Henry Earl of Thomond an Infant to make a Settlement of his Estate upon his Marriages (notwithstanding his Infancy) and for other the Purposes in the said Act mentioned.
- x. An Act for making more effectual a Settlement made by William Lord Bishop of Oxford for the Benefit of his Children.
- xi. An Act for discharging several Lands in the County of Worcester from the Sum of Two thousand Pounds given by the Will of Donna Elizabeth Rich Widow deceased for Charitable Uses and changing the same upon other Lands in the County of Bucks.
- xii. An Act for supplying the Defect of an Appointment for the Provision of the younger Children of John Carham Esq deceased pursuant to his Marriage Settlement and for settling an Estate in Torrington in lieu of Thirteen hundred Pounds the Remainder of a Sum of Money agreed to be laid out in a Purchase.
- xiii. An Act for Sale of some Part of the Estate of Henry Durrell Esquire deceased and leasing or mortgaging other Part thereof to raise Money to pay his Debts charged thereupon and for making Provision for his Widow and younger Children.
- xiv. An Act for vesting Part of the Estate of William Rich Esquire lying in the County of Dorset in Trust to be sold for the Payment of his Several Debts and other Debts and for preserving the Residue free from all Power of Waste and for setting certain Tythes in the Isle of Wight to the same Uses.
- xv. An Act for enabling Agnes Lee Widow to renew certain Leases for Lives belonging to Richard Lee her Son who is an Infant.
- xvi. An Act for settling the Estate of Daniel Thomas Gentleman for the Benefit of His Wife and Children.
- xvii. An Act for Sale of certain Houses near Aldgate in London late the Estate of William Williams deceased and for purchasing Lands in lieu thereof.
- xviii. An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer (of England) or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with Nathaniel Rich Esquire late Receiver General for the County of Essex.
- xix. An Act for the Relief of John Baker his Mother Brother and Sisters Widow and Children of Colonel Henry Baker deceased.
- xx. An Act for making the Ship Prince (Foreign built) a free Ship.
- xxi. An Act for discharging divers Manors and Lands of Henry Duke of Beaufort from the Purport of his Daughters and younger Children by his former Duchesse and for changing other Manors and Lands of the said Duke of greater Value with the like Purport.

<sup>1</sup> continued on the Roll.

1284. AN ACT to enable Henry Pys Esquire to make a Lepture.
1285. AN ACT for Sale of Part of the Estate of William Pitts for discharging his Brothers and Sisters Portions and for Defraying his Marriage Settlements as in the Residue of his Estate discharged of such Portions.
1286. AN ACT for vesting Lands in Cheshire in the County of Middlesex purchased of Charles Lord Clwyne Viscount Newsham in Scotland in the Queen's Majesty for the Accommodation of Chelsea College and other Lands in John Lord Vaughan Earl of Corbury in Ireland and his Heires.
1287. AN ACT for confirming and establishing the Partitions made between William Pierrepont Esquire (since deceased) and the Honourable Charles Egerton Esquire and others of several Manors and Lands in the Countie of Suffolk Kent and Berrie and to enable William and Samuel Pierrepont Infants to make Partition of Land in other Countys and to sell the same and Purchase other Lands to be settled to the same Uses and for rectifying a Mistake in the Marriage Settlement of William Peck Esquire.
1288. AN ACT for vesting in Trustees a Messuage and Lands in Radcliffe Culey in the County of Leicesters to be sold upon the settling of another Estate of as great or greater Value to the same Uses as the Lands to be sold are settled.
1289. AN ACT for the Relief of Alexander Peuchere Esquire in relation to Five thousand Pounds and Interest provided for him out of Lands in Ireland.
1290. AN ACT for the better Support and Maintenance of the Minister of Tarnhall in the County of Stafford to the Time being.
1291. AN ACT to vest certain Mills and Lands in Downton in the County of Wilts (the Estate of William Pys a Lunatick) in Trustees to be sold and for applying Part of the Monies arising by the Sale thereof for Payment of the Debts of the said Lunatick and making some Provision for Anthony Pys his eldest Son and Heir and for applying the Residue of such Monies in purchasing of other Lands to be settled to the same Uses as the said Premises to be sold are now settled.
1292. AN ACT to enable Trustees to sell several Lands at Colegrove within the Manor of Hertfordshire in the County of Hertford and the Manor of the Rectory of Hertfordshire aforesaid late the Estate of Ann Whitwood deceased for Payment of a Debt of Six hundred Pounds and Interest due upon Mortgage and Bond or Specialty and for laying out the Residue of the Money arising by such Sale in the Purchase of other Lands or Tenements to be settled to the same Uses as the said Lands are now settled.
1293. AN ACT for establishing Philip Vanden Enden Merchant.
1294. AN ACT for making the Ship Supply a free Ship.
1295. AN ACT for vesting a Mansion House and Lands thereto adjoining in the County of Middlesex the Estate of William Hyde Merchant in Trustees to be forthwith sold for the better Maintenance and present Provision of his Children.
1296. AN ACT to vest several Lands and Hereditaments in the County of York in Robert Hatch Esquire and his Heires and to settle other Lands and Hereditaments in the said County in lieu thereof and as an Exchange thereof to the same Uses.
1297. AN ACT for rectifying a Mistake and for supplying the Defect in an Act of the Third Year of Her Majesties Reign for Sale of the Estate late of Edward Baines for Discharge of a Mortgage thereupon and for making Provision for his Daughters.
1298. AN ACT for Sale of the Estate in the County of Montgomery late Part of the Estate of Gilbert Charles Esquire deceased and for purchasing other Estates or Estates in the Counties of Nottingham Leicesters or Lincoln to be sold to the like Uses as the Estate in the County of Montgomery was sold.
1299. AN ACT for the Sale of certain Lands contained in the Marriage Settlement of Daniel King and Jane his Wife and for purchasing other Lands of the same or greater Value to be settled to the same Uses also for giving Liberty to Jane Nash Widow and the Executors of Sir William Pinchard to pay Two Score of Four thousand Pounds and Two thousand Pounds mentioned in the said Settlement in the Life time of the said Jane Nash.
1300. AN ACT for Sale of Part of the Estate of John Weedon of Sudbery in the County of Oxon Esquire for Payment of his Father's Debts and Legacies and Portions to his younger Children and for settling the rest of his Estate to the Uses of his Father's voluntary Settlement.
1301. AN ACT to enable Thomas Clark an Infant to make a Lease of a House in Saint Mary Axe in London to Sir Jeffrey Jeffreys Knight.



xl. *An Act* for encouraging the rebuilding the ancient Parish Church of Humberston in the County of Lincoln and settling a Rate Charge of greater Value on the Bishop of Lincoln and his Successors in lieu of the Rectory of Humberston and for other Purposes therein mentioned.

xli. *An Act* for vesting the Reversion in Fee of certain Mannors and Lands in the County of Kent late the Estate of Mountague Drake Esquire deceased in Trust to be sold for Payment of his Debts and Legacies.

xlii. *An Act* for the better Discovery of the Estate of John Aynsworth late of London Merchant.

xliii. *An Act* to enable the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with John Cross Merchant and his Successors for the Debt owing by him to Her Majesty.

xliii. *An Act* to enable the Treasurer of William Elton an Infant to sell Part of his Estate for Payment of his Father's Debts on Speculation.

xlv. *An Act* to enable the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being to compound with John Pys Gentleman and his Successors for the Debt by him and them owing to Her Majesty.

xlv. *An Act* for Relief of Elizabeth Wandesford and Elizabeth Foulk.

xlv. *An Act* for naturalizing John Thomeas and others.

xlv. *An Act* to naturalize Henry Von Holte and others.

ANNO 6<sup>o</sup> ANNÆ, A. D. 1707.

STATUTES MADE IN THE PARLIAMENT,  
BEGUN AT WESTMINSTER, ON THE TWENTY-THIRD DAY OF OCTOBER,  
IN THE SIXTH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF  
QUEEN ANNE,  
AND BY SEVERAL PROROGATIONS AND ADJOURNMENTS,  
CONTINUED TO THE FIRST DAY OF APRIL,  
IN THE SEVENTH YEAR OF THE SAME QUEEN.

Ex Statute Parlamenti de Anno Annæ Reginæ Sexto.

IN PARLIAMENT<sup>1</sup> holden<sup>2</sup> upon Wednesday the Twentieth terte Die Octobris Anno Regni Britannicæ atq.  
Ecclesiasticæ Dñe nre Acie Dei Grati Magnæ Britanniæ Franciæ & Hiberniæ Regiñi Fideli Defensiois ac Sextæ,  
Annæ, Decimæ Millesimæ Supraquingentesimæ septimo et per septuaginta Adjuvantibus continuat<sup>3</sup> sup. ad et in Præsen-  
tia Aprilis Anno Regni Dñe nre Acie Regine Supplicis Clericis cunctis Decemq. non Spiritu<sup>4</sup> quæ-  
Temporal et Censu<sup>5</sup>ali Censu et Regi Majestati Assensu sanctis iuribus ordinis et statuta fuerunt  
expensis lre Statuti ac sequitur (viz.)

POUNCE ACT.

CHAPTER LXXV. (1)

AN ACT for granting an Aid to Her Majesty to be raised by a Land Tax in Great Britain for the Service of

See Parl.  
6 Ann. p. 40

**M**OST gracious Sovereign We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Great Britain  
in Parliament assembled finding it necessary for the Preservation and good of this whole United Kingdom  
in farrish such ample Supplies of Money as may sufficiently enable Your Majesty to carry on and finish the  
present War with Success have cheerfully and unanimously given and granted and by this present Act (towards  
the raising of such Supplies) do give and grant unto Your Majesty the several and respective Rates and Assessments  
hereafter mentioned and we do humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the  
Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and  
Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Sum of Two Millions  
four hundred thirty thousand eight hundred thirty six Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Five Pence Half penny shall be raised  
lower and paid unto Her Majesty within the Kingdom of Great Britain by such Proportions and in such Manner  
and Form as are hereafter in this Act expressed

Penalty

£2,445,136 16s  
1/2 to be raised in  
Great Britain

And it is hereby declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Sum of One million nine hundred  
thirty five thousand eight hundred eighty two Pounds and Five Pence Half penny Part of the said Sum of Two  
millions four hundred thirty thousand eight hundred thirty six Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Five Pence Half penny shall  
be raised levied and paid unto Her Majesty within the Space of One Year from the Five and twentieth Day of  
March One thousand seven hundred and eight and shall be assessed and raised in the several Counties Cities  
Boroughs Towns and Places of England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed according to the Proportions and in the  
Manner following that is to say.

£1,935,882 10s  
1/2 to be raised in  
England in one  
Year, from 17th  
March 1708

FOR the Town of Bedford the Sum of Six hundred ninety two Pounds Eleven Shillings and One Penny.  
For the rest of the County of Bedford the Sum of Twenty seven thousand eight hundred sixty two Pounds  
Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter L. 6 Ann. in the Commons printed Edition, the previous Thirty-four Chapters in these Editions being numbered as  
45 to 78 Ann.

For the Borough of New Windsor and Castle there the Sum of Nine hundred seventy eight Pounds Ten Shillings

For the rest of the County of Berks the Sum of Forty thousand seventy five Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence

For the Borough of Bucks with Burton Barton hold Prebend End Garscott and Lendbarrow the Sum of five hundred and thirteen Pounds Five Pence Half penny.

For the Borough of Wicomb the Sum of Three hundred fifty eight Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence.

For the rest of the County of Bucks the Sum of Forty six thousand four hundred forty nine Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Two Pence Half penny

For the University and Town of Cambridge the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred forty six Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny.

For the Isle of Ely the Sum of Eight thousand and eight Pounds Five Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny

For the rest of the County of Cambridge the Sum of Twenty one thousand nine hundred and Sixty Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Three Pence Half penny.

For the City and County of the City of Chester the Sum of Fifteen hundred eighty four Pounds Seven Shillings.

For the County of Chester the Sum of Twenty seven thousand and fourteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny

For the County of Cornwall the Sum of Thirty one thousand nine hundred seventy five Pounds Six Shillings.

For the County of Cumberland the Sum of Three thousand seven hundred and thirteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Two Pence Half penny.

For the County of Derby the Sum of Twenty five thousand ninety three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny.

For the City and County of the City of Essex the Sum of Four thousand seven hundred and eight Pounds and Five Pence Half penny.

For the County of Devon the Sum of Seventy seven thousand eight hundred seventy five Pounds Two Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny.

For the Town and County of the Town of Poole the Sum of Three hundred twenty eight Pounds Two Shillings.

For the County of Dorset the Sum of Thirty two thousand seven hundred fifty nine Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny.

For the County of Durham the Sum of Ten thousand five hundred ninety seven Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Five Pence Half penny

For the West-Riding of the County of York the Sum of Thirty nine thousand three hundred sixty one Pounds One Shilling and One Penny.

For the North Riding of the County of York the Sum of Twenty six thousand three hundred seventy six Pounds Three Shillings and Eight Pence.

For the East Riding of the County of York the Sum of Nineteen thousand one hundred twenty seven Pounds Two Shillings and Eleven Pence

For the City of York and County of the same City the Sum of Four thousand six hundred thirty nine Pounds Eight Shillings

For the Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hall the Sum of Two thousand fifty three Pounds Two Shillings and Four Pence.

For the Town of Middles in the County of Essex the Sum of Five hundred eighty four Pounds Eighteen Shillings.

For the Town of Colchester the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred forty five Pounds Six Shillings and Three Pence

For the Town of Harwich and Dover Court the Sum of Four hundred and three Pounds Thirteen Shillings.

For the rest of the County of Essex the Sum of Eighty five thousand eight hundred and sixteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Five Pence.

For the City and County of the City of Gloucester the Sum of Thirteen hundred thirty six Pounds Four Shillings and Eight Pence.

For the whole County of Gloucester the Sum of Forty six thousand one hundred and eleven Pounds Ten Shillings and Two Pence.

For the City of Hereford the Sum of Seven hundred sixty three Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Four Pence

For the Borough of Leominster the Sum of Three hundred thirty three Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eight Pence

For the rest of the whole County of Hereford the Sum of Nineteen thousand three hundred and eleven Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Eight Pence.

- For the Borough of St. Albans in the County of Hertford the Sum of Seven hundred seventy four Pounds Two Shillings.
- For the rest of the whole County of Hertford the Sum of Forty one thousand eight hundred and Eight Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence.
- For the Town of Haddington the Sum of Four hundred thirty two Pounds Twelve Shillings and Eight Pence.
- For the rest of the County of Haddington the Sum of Fifteen thousand one hundred four Pounds Twelve Shillings and Four Pence.
- For the City and County of the City of Canterbury the Sum of Seventeen hundred sixty two Pounds Five Shillings and Eight Pence.
- For the Town and Liberty of Dover the Sum of Nineteen hundred twenty three Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Nine Pence.
- For the Town of Folkestone the Sum of [One hundred<sup>1</sup>] forty four Pounds and Nineteen Shillings.
- For the Town of Faversham the Sum of Seventy seven Pounds Eight Shillings.
- For the Town of Faversham the Sum of Five hundred and Nineteen Pounds Two Shillings and Three Pence.
- For the Town of Tynemouth the Sum of One thousand thirty two Pounds Six Shillings.
- For the Town and Liberty of Sandwich the Sum of Nine hundred ninety one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence.
- For the Town and Port of New Romney the Sum of Two hundred forty nine Pounds Seventeen Shillings.
- For the Town of Lym the Sum of Seven hundred sixty nine Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence.
- For the Town and Port of Hythe and West Hythe within the Liberty of the said Town and Port the Sum of Two hundred thirty six Pounds Fourteen Shillings.
- For the rest of the whole County of Kent the Sum of Seventy five thousand six hundred and ten Pounds seven Shillings and Eight Pence.
- For the County of Lancaster the Sum of Twenty thousand nine hundred eighty nine Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny.
- For the Borough of Lancaster the Sum of Six hundred thirty nine Pounds Twelve Shillings.
- For the rest of the County of Lancaster the Sum of Thirty four thousand one hundred and twelve Pounds One Shilling and Seven Pence Half penny.
- For the County of Lincoln with [the<sup>1</sup>] City and County of the City of Lincoln the Sum of Seventy two thousand One hundred thirty seven Pounds Fifteen Shillings.
- For the City of London the Sum of One hundred twenty three thousand three hundred thirty four Pounds Two Shillings and Seven Pence.
- For St. Dunstons Inn in Fleet Street the Sum of Sixty five Pounds Four Shillings.
- For St. Dunstons Inn in Chancery Lane the Sum of Thirty one Pounds Four Shillings.
- For the Inner Temple and Inns of Chancery thereto belonging the Sum of Four hundred Pounds.
- For the Middle Temple and Inns of Chancery thereto belonging the Sum of Two hundred seventy two Pounds Sixteen Shillings.
- For the Society of Lincoln's Inn and Inns of Chancery thereto belonging the Sum of Three hundred forty one Pounds Seven Shillings and Six Pence.
- For Gray's Inn and the Inns of Chancery thereto belonging the Sum of Two hundred Sixty two Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence.
- For the Palace of Whitehall and St. James's the Sum of Thirty thousand seven hundred fifty four Pounds Six Shillings and Three Pence.
- For the City of Westminster and Liberties thereof and Offices executed in Westminster Hall the Sum of Sixty three thousand ninety two Pounds One Shilling and Five Pence.
- For the rest of the County of Middlesex the Sum of One hundred and eight thousand five hundred fifty eight Pounds One Shilling and Seven Pence.
- For the County of Monmouth the Sum of Nine thousand eight hundred and twelve Pounds Six Shillings and Five Pence Half penny.
- For the City and County of the City of Norwich the Sum of Eight thousand five hundred and Eighteen Pounds Eleven Shillings and Eleven Pence.
- For the Borough of Great Yarmouth the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred and twenty Pounds Three Shillings and One Penny.
- For the Borough of Kings-Lynn the Sum of Eighteen hundred and fourteen Pounds Fourteen Shillings.
- For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in the County of Norfolk the Sum of Two hundred thirty one Pounds.
- For the rest of the whole County of Norfolk the Sum of Seventy one thousand two hundred and four Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Four Pence.
- For the Town of Northampton the Sum of Eight hundred and thirty Pounds Seven Shillings and Ten Pence.
- For the rest of the County of Northampton the Sum of Forty seven thousand One hundred Seventy two Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Ten Pence.

<sup>1</sup> contained in the Bill.

For the Town and County of the Town of Newcastle upon Tyne the Sum of Two thousand five hundred and eighty Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Four Pence.

For the Town of Newark upon Trent the Sum of One hundred forty five Pounds Three Shillings.

For the County of Northumberland the Sum of Eleven thousand eight hundred twenty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings.

For the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham the Sum of Sixteen hundred and fourteen Pounds Ten Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny.

For the County of Nottingham the Sum of Twenty five thousand six hundred sixty two Pounds and Two Pence.

For the University of Oxon the Sum of One hundred and eleven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Two Pence.

For the City of Oxon the Sum of Three thousand six hundred and thirteen Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence.

For the rest of the County of Oxon the Sum of Thirty five thousand four hundred twenty one Pounds Eleven Shillings and Eleven Pence.

For the County of Rutland the Sum of Five thousand five hundred twenty five Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half penny.

For the Town of Ludlow the Sum of Two hundred twenty six Pounds Two Shillings.

For the County of Salop the Sum of Twenty eight thousand eight hundred thirty four Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Three Halfpence.

For the City and County of the City of Bristol the Sum of Seven thousand three hundred ninety one Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence.

For the City of Bath the Sum of Four hundred forty three Pounds Six Shillings.

For the City of Wells the Sum of Four hundred eighty one Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence.

For the Borough of Bridgewater with Haggone Tything the Sum of Three hundred sixty six Pounds Ten Shillings.

For the rest of the County of Somerset the Sum of Sixty three thousand seven hundred and ninety Pounds Five Shillings and Four Pence.

For the Town and County of the Town of Southampton the Sum of Seven hundred ninety four Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny.

For the Isle of Wight the Sum of Six thousand two hundred seventy three Pounds Sixteen Shillings.

For the rest of the County of Southampton the Sum of Forty eight thousand one hundred and sixteen Pounds Nineteen Shillings Eleven Pence Half penny.

For the City and County of the City of Lincoln the Sum of Four hundred and twenty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Four Pence.

For the County of Stafford the Sum of Twenty six thousand seven hundred Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence.

For the Town of Ipswich the Sum of Two thousand sixty one Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence.

For the Borough of Bury S. Edmunds the Sum of Two thousand one hundred and six Pounds Three Shillings.

For the Borough of Dunwich the Sum of Forty Pounds Three Shillings and Six Pence.

For the Borough of Eps the Sum of Five hundred and two Pounds.

For the Borough of Sudbury the Sum of Five hundred and six Pounds Eight Shillings and Eight Pence.

For so much of the Borough of Thetford as lies in Suffolk the Sum of Seventy nine Pounds and Four Shillings.

For the rest of the County of Suffolk the Sum of Sixty eight thousand three hundred thirty two Pounds Ten Shillings and Six Pence.

For the County of Surrey the Sum of Sixty six thousand six hundred ninety two Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny.

For the Town and Port of Hastings and Liberty thereof the Sum of Three hundred seventy eight Pounds Six Shillings.

For the Liberty of Bedford the Sum of One hundred forty one Pounds Eighteen Shillings.

For the Liberty of Percy the Sum of One thousand eighty eight Pounds Two Shillings.

For the Town and Parish of Rye the Sum of Four hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings.

For the Town of Winchester the Sum of Four hundred and Five Pounds.

For the rest of the County of Sussex the Sum of Fifty eight thousand one hundred Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Seven Pence.

For the City and County of the City of Conway the Sum of Two thousand four hundred sixty three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence.

For the County of Warwick the Sum of Thirty seven thousand four hundred Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Eleven Pence.

For the City and County of the City of Worcester the Sum of Two thousand two hundred thirty one Pounds Nine Shillings and Eight Pence.

For the County of Worcester the Sum of Fifty one thousand four hundred twenty two Pounds Seven Shillings and Three Pence.

For the City of New Sarum the Close of the street and Charendon Park the Sum of Nineteen hundred thirty five Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Six Pence.

For the rest of the County of Wilt the Sum of Forty nine thousand seven hundred thirty six Pounds Eleven Shillings and Five Pence.

For the County of Wiltshire the Sum of Three thousand forty five Pounds Three Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny.

For the Isle of Anglesey the Sum of Sixteen hundred thirty three Pounds Seven Shillings and Eleven Pence.

For the Borough of Brecon the Sum of One hundred seventy seven Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Eight Pence.

For the rest of the County of Brecon the Sum of Two thousand eight hundred seventy three Pounds Eighteen Shillings Four Pence.

For the County of Cardigan the Sum of Thirteen hundred seventy two Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence.

For the County Borough of Carmarthen the Sum of Two hundred twenty six Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eight Pence.

For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Four thousand one hundred and forty Pounds Three Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny.

For the County of Carmarthen the Sum of Two thousand three hundred thirty seven Pounds Six Shillings and Seven Pence.

For the County of Denbigh the Sum of Six thousand eight hundred Pounds.

For the County of Flint the Sum of Two thousand three hundred and fourteen Pounds Seventeen Shillings.

For the County of Glamorgan the Sum of Seven thousand nine hundred and six Pounds Nine Shillings and Ten Pence.

For the County of Merioneth the Sum of Two thousand four hundred thirty two Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Ten Pence.

For the County of Montgomery the Sum of Five thousand eight hundred fifty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence.

For the County of Pembroke the Sum of Two thousand nine hundred ninety seven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Eight Pence Half penny.

For the County of Radnor the Sum of Two thousand six hundred ninety two Pounds Six Shillings.

And for the Town and County of the Town of Hereford West the Sum of One hundred seventy four Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Four Pence.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That towards raising the said several and respective Sums of Money hereby charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places in that Part of Great Britain called England Wales and Berwick as aforesaid all and every Person and Persons Bodies Rotten and Corporate Guilds and Franchises within the same respectively having any Estate in ready Money or in any Debt whatsoever owing to them within Great Britain or without or having any Estate in Goods Wares Merchandises or other Chattels or Personal Estate whatsoever within Great Britain or without belonging to or in Trust for them (except and out of the Premises deducted such Sums as he she or they do bona fide owe and such Debts owing to them as shall be adjudged due by the respective Commissioners appointed by this Act and also except the Stock upon Land and such Goods as are used for Household stuff and also except such Loans or Debts as are or shall be owing from Her Majesty to any Person or Persons) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings in the Pound according to the true yearly Value thereof for One Year that is to say For every hundred Pounds of (1) such ready Money and Debts and for every Hundred Pounds Worth of such Goods Wares Merchandises or other Chattels or Personal Estate the Sum of Four and twenty Shillings and so after that Rate for every greater or lesser Sum or Quantity to be assessed levied and collected in Manner hereafter mentioned and that all and every Person and Persons and all and every Commissioner or Commissioners having usage or exercising any publick Office or Employment of Profit in England Wales or Berwick aforesaid and all and every their Agents Clerks Secretaries Substitutes and other inferior Ministers whatsoever (such Military Officers who are or shall be in Manner by the Master Master General of Her Majesties Army or in Pay in Her Majesties Army or Navy in respect of such Officers only excepted) shall (towards raising the said respective Sums before in this Act charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places of England Wales and Berwick as aforesaid) yield and pay to Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings which he or they do receive in One Year by virtue of any Salaries Commissions Rewards Money Reward Post Profits Perquisites or Advantages whatsoever to him her or them accruing for or by Reason or Occasion of such their several Offices or Employments and that all and every Person and Persons Guilds Franchises Bodies Politick and Corporate having any Pension Annuity Stipend or other yearly Payments out of the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer in England or out of any Branch of Her Majesties Revenue in England Wales or Berwick or payable or accrued to be paid by any Person or Persons whatsoever in England Wales or Berwick (not being issuing out of any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or charged upon the same revenue which other Duties are given by this Act and not being Annuities or yearly Payments which by any Act or Acts of Parliament made or to be made are or shall be specially exempted from the

III.  
Personal Estates  
except Annuities  
Stipends, Stock on  
Land, Household  
Goods, and Loans  
to Her Majesty,  
to pay 4s. in the  
Pound

Employment of  
Publick Clerks  
Military Officers  
of the Army or  
Navy, to pay 4s.  
per Pound

Pensions and Annuities out of the  
Exchequer, to pay  
4s. 4d.

Payment of Taxes or Aids) shall towards making the said respective Sums before in this Act charged upon the respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and other Places of England Wales and Berwick as aforesaid yield and pay to Her Majesty the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for every such Pension Annuity Rents or yearly Payments respectively and after that Rate for One whole Year the said several Rates and Sums of Money hereby granted to be assessed imposed levied and collected in such Manner as hereafter is mentioned.

## IV.

Lands, Townships,  
Manors, &c.

Also to the End the full and entire Sum by this Act charged upon the several Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places respectively of England Wales and Berwick as aforesaid may be fully and completely raised and paid to Her Majesty Use Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Manors Messuages Lands and Tenements and also all Quarries Mines of Coal Tin and Lead Copper Mordack Iron and other Mines Iron Workes Salt Springs and Salt Works [all Alluvial Mines or Workes all Parks Chases Warrens Woods &c.] Underwoods Coppices and all Fishings Tythes Tolls Annuities and all other yearly Profits and all Hereditaments of what Nature or Kind soever they be situate lying and being happening or arising within the several and respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or Places aforesaid respectively or within any Parts of the same as well within ancient Demesne and other Liberties and privileged Places as without within that Part of Great Britain called England Wales and Berwick as aforesaid and all and every Person and Persons Bachelors Fellowship and Corporate Goods Mynters Franchises and Rectorships whether Corporate or not Corporate having or holding any such Manors Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises in respect thereof shall be charged with as much Equality and Indifference as is possible by a Pound Rate for or towards the said several and respective Sums by this Act set and imposed or intended to be imposed for or upon all and every such Counties Cities Boroughs Towns or other Places hereby charged therewith as aforesaid as that by the said Rates as to be raised or assessed for or upon the said ready Money Debtors Goods Wares Merchandises Chattels or Personal Estates and for and upon the said Offices or Employments of Profit and for and upon the Persons Annuities Rents or yearly Payments aforesaid and for and upon the said Manors Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and other the Premises according to the Purport and true Meaning of the present Act the full and entire Sums hereby appointed to be raised in England Wales and Berwick as aforesaid shall be completely and effectually raised assessed levied and collected and shall be paid into the Receipt of Her Majesty Exchequer by Four Quarterly Payments the First Payment thereof to be made on or before the First of January Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight.

to be charged with  
Equality and  
Indifference, &c.

to be paid by Four  
quarterly Payments  
the First Payment  
on 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 1708

## V.

Lands, &c. subject  
to Rent Charges,  
Annunities, &c.

Also whereas many of the Manors Messuages Lands Tenements Tythes Hereditaments and Premises in England Wales and Berwick upon Twined intended by this Act to be charged with the Pound Rate as aforesaid and incumbered with or are subject and liable to the Payment of several Rent Charges or Annuities or other Annual Payments, issuing out of the same or to the Payment of diverse Fee Farm Rents Rents Service or other Rents thereupon reserved or charged by reason whereof the true Owners and Proprietors of such Manors Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments do not in Truth receive to their own Use the true yearly Value of the same to which nevertheless they are by this Act chargeable with a certain Pound Rate it is therefore declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Landlords Owners and Proprietors of such Manors Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments and Premises in England Wales and Berwick upon Twined being charged with a Pound Rate as aforesaid to state and deduct and to retain and keep in his or their Hands out of every such Fee Farm Rent or other Annual Rent or Payment so much of the said Pound Rate which shall be raised or assessed upon the said Manors Messuages Lands and Premises as a like Rate for every such Fee Farm Rent or other Annual Rent or Payment respectively shall by a just Proportion amount unto as such Fee Farm Rent or other Annual Rent or Payment respectively do amount to Twenty Shillings per Annum or more and all and every Person and Persons who are or shall be any way entitl'd to such Rent or Annual Payments their respective Attorneys Executors and their Deputy and Deputies are hereby required to allow such Deductions and Payments according to such Rates upon Receipts of the Rents of such Manors as shall be due and payable to them for such Rents or Annual Payments reserved or charged as aforesaid without any Fee or Charge for such Allowance.

Landlords may  
deduct the Tax.

If the Rent amounts  
to 20s. per Annum  
or more.

Such Deductions to  
be allowed by the  
Persons entitled to  
the Rent, without  
Fee, &c.

## VI.

The Persons  
hereafter named,  
to be Commis-  
sioners for the  
several Counties,  
&c. in England.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the better assessing ordering levying and collecting of the several Sums of Money so as aforesaid limited and appointed to be raised and paid in the aforesaid Part of Great Britain called England Wales and Berwick upon Twined and for the more effectual putting of this Act in Execution in reference to the same all and every the Persons hereafter named or each of them as shall be duly qualified according to this Act shall be Commissioners of and for the several and respective Counties Cities Boroughs Towns and Places hereafter named.

## For the Town of Bedford

The Mayor for the Time being William Foster Edward Cartwright William Hildon Robert Bell John Spencer Esquires William Foster Doctor of Laws Francis Brent Goughsman William Backer William Fiddes Thomas Hartman and John Peck George Maddis Thomas Wilks Henry White Aldermen William Nichols Robert Courtman William Edwards Henry Lowes Henry Peck Gentlemen.

## For the part of the County of Bedford

The Right Honourable Charles Lord Bruce Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Aylesbury the Right Honourable Edward Lord Russell One of the Sons of William late Duke of Bedford the Honourable Robert Bruce Esquire the Honourable James Bruce Esquire the Honourable William Ashburnham Esquire Son and Heir Apparent to the Right Honourable John Lord Ashburnham the Honourable Charles Leigh Esquire Sir William Gostwick Sir John Napper Sir John Cotton Sir John Baggins Sir James Alcock Sir Pymont Charnock Sir John Osborne Sir John Mortimer Sir Saint Andrew Saint John Sir John Chester Sir Philip Boteler Barons Sir Thomas Holt Sir Henry Johnson Sir James Astley Sir William Milnes Sir George Bag Knapples Oliver Lake Lewis Monnox Roger Baggins Thomas Brown William Beecher William Hillenden Thomas Napier John Carr William Foster son: William Foster William Palmer Richard Stone John Vaux John Cockayne Richard Edwards William Alcock George Edwards Robert Manton Walter Cary John Harvey of Tharley Henry Ashley junior Samuel Robt William Pym Humphrey Fish Charles Grey Robert Bell William Foster junior Sir John Thompson John Harvey of Edwell Marlow Dennis Charles Dymocke senior John Lonsay John Wapell Nicholas Bardsley Richard Orlebar William Botcher of Wootton John Hanley John Egg William Newbills Richard Buckley Harriet Abbott Edward Gaug Anthony Dodsworth Paradise Levesy Richard Cockayne John Gostwick Thomas Wall Thomas Cheyne John Hillenden Lewis Dove Nicholas Lake Allen Bathurst John Keyling Samuel Ogley Bernard Halfpenny Joseph Edmunds Joseph Johnson Anthony Enrick John Apple Robert Palpey of St. John in the County of Huntingdon William Apple Thomas Halsey William Levis William Odson Richard Andrews John Magdrell James Aery Charles Berry Humphrey Fish junior Ralph Bromell John Odson Thomas Bromell of Banham Richard Heider George Blandell George Burdett John Cripps John Crowley and John Cross Esquires George Nodds French Bess Hugh Sells William Barr Thomas Arnold William Seides John Ashcroft Thomas Upwood Henry Whitwell John Cockayne George Edwards Robert Coorman Joseph Godfrey Richard Hanley William Chew John Wright Allen Reynolds William Barker Doctor John King William Leach Gentlemen John Woodhouse Doctor of Physick and Chetwood Doctor of Theology Henry Pyle Richard Norman William Chester Morgan Hyde and Nicholas Carve Esquires Richard Crowley Esquire Mahabul William James Aery Gentlemen.

## For the Borough of New Windsor and Castle there

The Mayor Aldermen and Deputy Sheriff for the Town being Doctor Gregory Heakard Dean Doctor Samuel Post M. Edward Jones M. John Harcliffe Pastors of Windsor Charles Aldworth William Oldfield John Darrell George Littleton William Bowles Charles Post Thomas Rowe Henry Proctor Theodore Rindar Esquires Richard Thompson George Woodson John Bruch David Cury Gentlemen Richard Hyde John Crumpton Doctor of Physick the Right Honourable John Lord Viscount Fitzharding of the Kingdom of Ireland and Richard Topham Esquire.

## For the County of Berks

John Lord Viscount Fitzharding in the Kingdom of Ireland John Lord Viscount Farnborough of the Kingdom of Ireland the Right Honourable Sir John Holt Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench and One of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council the Honourable Colonel Harry Needham the Honourable Robert Bertie Esquires Sir Humphrey Foster Sir John Stanhouse Sir William Rich Sir Oliver Aubcombe Sir Thomas Chigoe Barons Sir Simon Harcourt Sir Edward Norris Sir Christopher Wren Sir William Whitlock Sir Jonathan Raymond Sir William Trumbull Sir Thomas Travel Sir William Scroven Sir Henry Johnson Sir Owen Buckingham Sir Jacob Backs Sir Thomas Dolman Knight George Pitt John Bandy Richard Nevill Edmund Wainford Sir Anthony Cresson Richard Jones Henry Pyr Edmund Pettipiece Thomas Pettipiece senior Edmund Dunch Henry Kingsmill Thomas Fildwell James Stanhouse senior Charles Gerard Leslie Delgoulli William Paul Thomas Vane Charles Pettipiece Paul Coulson John Hapely senior Robert Southby of Appleton Esquires Francis Frederick Samuel Travers Her Majesty's Surveyor General Thomas Fitzplace junior James Perrot Anthony Blagrove Frederick Hale of Kington Little Scory Barker Esquires Thomas Backmidge William Wineman Henry S. John Esquires Thomas Strickland William Jenner John Whitfield senior Francis Popham Richard Aron James Hayn Edward Sherwood Richard Southby Thomas Turner Francis White John Southby John Whitlock Edmund Serode Thomas Beynour John Smith Robert Knight Robert Parker Esquires John Fosse Blady Waurman John Plummer Samuel Whitlock Christopher Willoughby Robert Mayon John Wells John Holloway William Aspel William Thompson John Withden Henry Perceck Thomas Gurnard John Hapely junior Thomas Harwood William Smith William Barker John Head of Hockot William Whitlock Bertholomew Tipping Robert Lee Felix Cadron Robert Robt Francis Kack Thomas Goodluck Peirey Price James Whitwick Richard Little John Aldworth John Pascoe John Ansell of Hatfield John Dae John Blagrove of Wandfield John Dalry Charles Wills Esquires Richard Knapp Nicholas Courtney Thomas Lander Alexander Popham senior John Pottinger of Salisbury Edward Lovell Charles Palmer Doctor of Physick Francis Pary Lovelace Henry Harry Stephens George Fitzwillb Edmund Bry Richard Begg Charles Collier Lovelace Begg Francis Goddard Richard Sherwood William S. John John Hillenden Hugh Keir Michael Hyde William Bellock Henry Farnock John Whitfield junior George Blagrove Charles Tucker Esquires Samuel Barker Joseph Cavallade Abel Bagley Ralph Howland Edward Hangerford Thomas Herre John Begg Doctor Francis Cartwell John Winder John Pottinger of Ischpen William Yaldill Robert Thompson William



Berres John Bell John Martin Thomas Reels Daniel Hyers Robert Jennings James Jennings Richard Stinner  
 Charles Lusk Samuel Garrett James Goodyer Rice Watkins Richard Paine Anthony Leaver Richard Sayer William  
 Smith Richard Blackhall Thomas Stevens Samuel Wallington George Langport Richard Tinsore William Bowles  
 Esquires Henry Langport John Thorne junr Francis Brown Robert Selwood John Selwood Robert Greenway Richard  
 Gill Henry Knapp Edward Cohen Richard Haw Thomas Haynes John Mandy of Lezcombe-Basset John Baser of  
 Charlton Barbokowes Yuss Thomas Shagure of Kenwood George Cokes Edward Dalby Adam Smith James  
 Quarington John Silvester John Foster William Norbery Francis Pigot of West Charlton Edward Poole Thomas  
 Stratton junr Richard Fetherbarre Peter Sawyer Mason Gill William Wright James Stonehouse jun Robert Almond Clerk  
 Anthony Meek Esquires Richard Clarke Nathaniel Grattel Robert Mason Richard Cooper senex Gregory Goring  
 Edward Hutton John Pope junior Charles Loader Francis Loader John Reiter Thomas Oakes James Maynard Thomas  
 Cornish James Mathew Richard Lyford John Walker John Fellows Richard Potanger John Head of Langley James  
 Brewster Doctor of Physick Thomas Jenner Allen of Bessiden Benjamin Redford William Waterman Esq.  
 Henry Nelson Henry Bishop John Mitchell Richard Topham William Southby Richard Wing John Dodson William  
 Richards Clerk William Pascock Richard Cooper junr Robert Eyre George Bayly Robert Hastings Walter Kay  
 Richard Hyde Jonathan Edwards Principal of Jesus College in Oxford Richard Skinner of Alder William Gearing  
 Thomas Tyrrell Richard Sims of Conest Robert Sayer of Hudders Benjamin Thompson John Brooker John Dick  
 Richard Hobbs of Aughton Thomas York of East Hindrod Humphrey Beckley junr Ferdinando White William  
 Gower Robert Parren Richard Wanch of Bray John Grove Joseph Hine James Quarington Thomas Conwille of  
 Reading Edward Jennings of Harwell Henry Widdar Thomas Berres Thomas Loveday Raby Curtis Charles Bayly  
 Peter Alexander alias Thomas Valence Croome James Harrison Doctor of Physick Adam Head of Chilton John  
 Shagborough Esquires James King Miles of Reading Hugh Chapman Thomas Tyrrell Adam Smith  
 Robert Boske William Boske William Sylvester William Howe Francis Knight Thomas Horne sen. William Wither  
 of Reading The Mayor of Abington The Mayor of Reading The Mayor of Newberry The Mayor of Wallingford  
 The Mayor of Windsor Thomas Beeton Clerk The Mayor of Maidenhead The Alderman of Ockington for the  
 Time being William Tyrrell of Drayton Walter Tyrrell of Stamford in the Vale Owen Backington Henry Crossell  
 Colwell Brackleton Henry Proctor Esquires John Hume Edward Dore Gentleman Thomas Bokerlyville Francis Justice  
 of Saxon Basset Dew Edward Bales junior The Honorable Frances Powlett John Head of Hudders Clement Kay  
 Benjamin Child Robert Dean of Reading Peter Naise William Hutton John Fuller of Shewbury John Tensill of  
 Reading Edmund Medcott Thomas Fuller John Silvester William Hawkin junior John Fountaine Edward Roberts  
 Charles Ambrose William Dickinson Richard Harrington Richard Pascock of Cheshy Gray Nevill John Tompkins  
 John Paine George Pige John Hanger John Bow junior Charles Aldworth Esquires Alexander Popkin junior  
 William Beach Clerk Bend of Redfield Clerk John Sale Clerk Edward James Clerk Francis Bernard Clerk  
 Thomas Curtis of Garsford John Pinner of Mardoun William Collins Richard Shadlington Doctor of Divinity Edward  
 Colwell Clerk Nathan Bacon Surveyor of Faringdon Esq. John Aldworth Clerk Surveyor of Haywards  
 Edward Richard Esq. Ambrose Brookbank Clerk Leonard Blain Charles Fane George Genarville Francis Stonehouse  
 Richard Pascock of Dilly Esquires Samuel Norris Clerk William Archer Esq. Edward Rudge Esq. Henry Skelley  
 John Doyly James Jennings Michael Kewlings John Cooper Esquires Frances Britton Gentleman John Almy  
 Gentleman Polway Gentleman John Carlow James Steele Esq. Robert Blake Gentleman Richard Aldworth  
 Esq. John Rawlins Jeremiah Hutton George Tipping Richard Clements John Tyrrell Joseph Stockwell Charles  
 Haghas Joseph Sprague Gentleman Thomas Medcott Esq. Joseph Barnes Clerk.

For the Town of Buckingham with Berton Barton in Old Parished East Gawcott and Lamberough

The Bailiffs of Buckingham for the Time being The Right Honorable Lord Viscount Farnham of the Kingdom  
 of Ireland Sir Richard Temple Sir Harry Tyrrell Sir Edmund Denton Barons Thomas Price Brown White Edward  
 Barr Esquires Henry Andrews John Rogers Esquires William Hartley William Mason High Sheriff Richard North  
 High Amers Edward Parnell George Little Jonathan Seaton Gent. Oliver Pinder Vicar

For the Borough of Wycombe

The Mayor Recorder Alderman Bailiffs and Town Clerk for the Time being The Right Honorable Henry Lord  
 Viscount Shalburn Charles Godfrey John Sparks Esquires Samuel Wells John Basse Richard Bates Thomas Rigg  
 Gentlemen.

For the County of Bucks.

The Right Honorable Edward Lord Russell One of the Sons of the late Duke of Bedford The Right Honorable  
 James Lord Cavendish One of the Sons of the late Duke of Devonshire The Right Honorable John Lord Viscount  
 Fitzmauragh of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honorable Henry Lord Stablesone of the Kingdom of Ireland  
 The Right Honorable Archibald Lord Polwarth of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honorable Charles Berke [The  
 Honorable Henry Berke The Honorable Henry Herbert.] The Honorable Henry Page The Honorable Ralph  
 Vesey The Honorable Maurice Thompson Sir Richard Temple Sir John Chester Sir John Puckington Sir Samuel  
 Gerard Sir Henry Tyrrell Sir William Sawyer Sir Paul Whitcroft Sir John Wintour Sir Peter Tyrrell Sir  
 Henry Seymour Sir Joseph Adams Sir Thomas Tipping Sir Francis Duckwood Sir Edmund Denton Barons Sir  
 Thomas Winford Cooke Sir Cass Wood alias Gower Sir James Edwidge Sir Roger III Sir William Whitlock

Sir William Gove Sir Marmaduke Deyrell Sir Henry Jackson Sir Owen Badingham Sir William Scovell Sir Edward  
 Cobb Sir Charles Desautelle Knight Thomas Watson of Edgely Gent. John Thurnstone James Selby Serjeants at  
 Law Richard Hampden Roger Penn of Penn Richard Barker Cesar Wood alias Crumner Thomas Tyndill Edmund  
 Waller Henry Neel John Blackwell Francis Desautelle of Broughton Charles Godfrey John Nicholas Johnson  
 Cox John Puckerton George Wrayle Edward Hart of Brill John Horwood Simon Maise John Miller Nicholas  
 Blacket Robert Dormer of Lea Edward Bates Richard Pouches of Turfild Court in the County of Berks Francis  
 Tyringham Winwood Serjeant Richard Greenhill senior Richard Greenhill junior Tyringham Backwell John  
 Duke John Proby William Clapen[s.] junior Thomas Hulsey John Lee Wilkins Little James Chase John Rogers  
 Thomas Camer of Oakley Barber Warren Henry Stephens Edward Leigh William Lowndes John Wenworth  
 Crowell William Johnson William Evelyn Horwood Dormer John Hampden Robert Dormer James Dormer of  
 Dorset The Honourable Arthur Annesley Edward Leves of Lincoln Francis Lygde William Freeman of Fawley  
 Court James Tyrrell of Oakley John Peyton Thomas Chapman Serjeants Laure Joseph Haynes Henry Guide  
 Robert Tush Hugh Horton Francis Hutton Simon Heyworth Richard Crawley Leonard Worsell Thomas Lister Daniel  
 Robert Thomas Robinson Brown Wilks Henry Andrews Thomas Standen of Newland John Stopped of Ladbroke  
 Joseph Neel Edward Ashmole Thomas Eyrns William Abell of East Chychoa William Russell Thomas Hill Richard  
 Chychoe of Chelsea Park William Cock John Dormer of Brill Edward Sayer Thomas Eyles junior John Knapp  
 Edward Lane John Dowle Henry Rowe Edmund Rowe Patrick Lash James Tyndill Richard Smith D. of Physick  
 Henry Pounce Richard Wintchewch Philip Keese William Mayne of Hogon Dutton Hobbert Collins Edmund  
 Jacob John Powney Anthony Bart. Sides John Watfield Richard Deyrell of Lillingham Richard Bear of  
 Berdridge John Fulkam John Woodlyne John Davenport John Woodhouse D. of Physick Peter Deyrell Thomas  
 Rice Robert Gulesford senior George Wale Richard Ross Nicholls of Olney Edward Harvey of Chilton  
 Thomas Bury D. of Laws Michael [Newham?] Robert Gapes of Stoke Charles Hall Thomas Ayliffe Doctor of Laws  
 William Hill of Kingswood Thomas Smith of Beconsfield Thomas Lygde of Stoke Mandeville John Thos of Lisle  
 William Dorochever of Budey End Henry Case Matthew Case William Edgell John Ferris alias Tuxer Thomas  
 Gibson Timothy Deyrell Thomas Plummer of the Lee Christopher Toney John Holmden Richard Cookman Richard  
 Berdridge Weldon Thomas Hodgkin Henry Cairy Richard Deyrell Peter Ditchman Henry Fletcher of  
 Marlow John Gibbons Thomas Smeater Matthew Butterfield Richard Sille Robert Gamsford junior Michael Bear of  
 Marlow William Hill junior of Chesham Jonas Taylor William Elliot Robert Adams of Swanshurst Edward  
 Mayne of Hoggston James Sermer of Pollicott John Tanner Doctor of Physick Woolton William Johnsons of  
 Nuge Nicholas Swarzen Timothy Wingfield John Stace Simon Peryman Charles Dace Thomas Lake of Buckland  
 Thomas Mitchell Thomas Baxterfield Robert Chittall James Harman senior William Chelmer Joseph Claver Francis  
 Mead Doctor of Physick William Jarman John Parns William Cannon Francis Johnson William  
 Lamborne Esquires Richard Lane John Franklin John Bagg William Neal Thomas Aldridge Jacobus Harwood  
 Edmund Baxterfield Edward Baxterfield of Preston River John Price Robert Lowndes George Franklin William Child  
 of Chesham Anthony Randle John Bone William Thos. of Ladbroke John Webb Bernard Hill Thomas Green  
 John Gilfill Richard Harsh Richard Bone John Bone Samuel Wells John Jordan Edward Martin William Hawfield  
 Thomas Goodson John Eustace George Honour Bernard Chevall of Woughton William Collett Thomas Fellow  
 Thomas Barnaby Joseph Sampson William Wilemore George Gower Thomas Rigall Lane Gessery William Thos  
 of Horton William Bartley John Hew of Freedom John Ridgill James Ashew William Robinson Henry Bidd  
 Thomas Shute James Harman junior William West of Chesham William Ware of Chesham William Giles Richard  
 Rose of Crifon John Peryman George Dudley of Woolton Wells of Swagbee John Chevall Goodwin  
 of Spetcham Thomas Brastow Roger Adams Gentlemen Henry Ashurst John Throckmorton George Phipps  
 Alexander Horson William Aveling William Farrer junior Bernard Terry Esquires Christopher Thos. of Merton  
 Richard Blackwell of Moulton Kibbore John Devrell senior of Swanshurst Stephen Wotton of Eaton Richard Pouch  
 Robert Pease senior of Newport Robert Farrer junior of Newport Thomas Handgill of Loughton Gentlemen  
 Richard Utwer Daniel King Esquires Simon Mayne junior Richard Bellum Thomas Jordan Robert Reynolds Henry  
 Ashburne Ferdinando Stirlington of Penn Richard Deane Joseph Chavell William Rawles William Grace William  
 Fox Pargur of Storrington Hugh Smith of Woolton John Goodson of Simon John Walch Specta  
 of Hand-Cross John Parns Gentlemen John Tucker Esquires Edward Mayne Gentlemen.

For the University and Town of Cambridge

The Vice-Chancellor for the Time being The Mayor for the Time being The Heads of all the Colleges and  
 Halls for the Time being The Honourable Arthur Annesley The Honourable Siric Windsor Esquires Sir John  
 Cotton Recorder of the Town Sir Rowland Cotton Sir John Jacob Barons Charles Wright Thomas Thurlin  
 Nathaniel Viscount Miffo Barnes Wolfram Stubbs Henry Firdence John Edwards Matthew Pearson Robert Masse  
 Doctors in Divinity Richard Berry William Balcan John Barker Charles Orway John Brooksbek Thomas Ayliffe  
 John Eaton James Johnson Doctors of Laws Christopher Green John Brewster Thomas Cook Thomas Robert  
 Thomas Thornton Doctors of Physick The Proctors for the Time being John Pounce Hugh Martin Edward Clarke  
 Esquires John Moore Joshua Barras Ferdinando Seythies Henry Hawley John Leag Bartholomew in Divinity Andrew  
 Barron Thomas Standish John Lightdale Charles Beaumont William Puckley Reginald Hawkins Masters of Arts  
 Samuel Newton Thomas Ewes Thomas Fox senior Nicholas Eagle Charles Chambers John Feobek Thomas Fowle  
 senior William Nevill Thomas Fowle junior Thomas Fox junior Daniel Love Francis Percy William Ranshild  
 Alderman John Hind Cotton David Rawland Grenada Paggot Anthony Thompson John Wilkins John Ruz William

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For the Isle of Ely

The Right Honourable Richard Lord Gorges of the Kingdom of Ireland Arthur Bradstreet Chief Justice of the Isle The Honourable Charles Bertie Esquire Sir Scorus Peyton Baronet Sir Edward Tasson Sir Roger Innes Knights John Chicheley Esquire Thomas Edwards Bailiff of the Liberty of the Isle Anthony Harwood Dependant Trudford David Rowlands John Jeynes Wilham Fortrey James Fortrey Hugh Underwood Ralph Benson John Pasaphys Henry Tazoe Robert Appance Anthony Thompson Nicholas Mulder Thomas Folkes Anthony Folkes John Twiss John Turner John Waldham Susan Folkes Edward Thompson Thomas Swaine Bezazery Bell George Underwood Joseph Taylor John Keshall Wilham Browne James Wallymont Harcourt Goodrick Thomas Palmer Hugh Martin Edmund Willmetts Simon Kerion John Marshall George Mayfield Esquires Doctor Lamb Dean of Ely Ralph Perkins Doctor of Laws John Wright Doctor of [Wright Doctor of] Physick Wilham Balan Doctor of Laws Francis Fene Probandary of Ely John Bellamy Thomas Mulder James Mulder Philip Williams Wilham Newtham Clerks Thomas Whinnam Henry Edwards Thomas Beckworth Samuel Garwood Richard Read Robert Twiss John Wren Robert Barleigh John Maglinsk Yoger Foster Henry Willmetts Wilham Bourne Richard Marsh Wilham Munt Wilham Cole John Kaze George Devenon Wilham North Peregrine Doyley John Hentley Thomas Martin Wilham Woodard Nath Richard Drury Walter Walker Robert Rowland Richard Woodwith Thomas Wason Wilham Cawthorne Gentlemen Thomas Saywell Isaac Strong Robert Lightfoot Edward Downes Wilham Downes Gentlemen James Wright Gentlemen Ralph March Esquire Richard Cottle George Peacock Gentlemen.

For [the rest of the County of Cambridge

The ['] Right Honourable Richard Lord Gorges of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Hildesheim Lord Alington of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Christopher Hutton Sir John Cutton Sir Paul Winchecott Sir Richard Colles Sir Scorus Peyton Sir John Jacob Sir Thomas Hazzard Sir John Bagnall Sir George Dering Sir Peter Skipwith Sir Cane James Sir Samuel Clarke Sir Robert Dovers Baronets Sir Robert Cotton Sir Marmaduke Dwyall Sir Roger Jeynes Sir John Ellis Sir Edward Tenner Knights Thomas Hutton John Cotton John Chicheley George Downing Robert Clarke John Bromley Grande Pyott John Bennett Edward Nightingale Ralph Lane Anthony Harwood Anthony Thompson Thomas Schiler Mathew Holworthy Wilham Fortrey Robert Hagar John Mfione Gilbert Wigmore Tirrell Dahan Wilham Laper David Rowlands Christopher Jefferson Thomas Archer John Pasaphys Trigonwell Phrangus Thomas Cradd Colkess Russell Robert Kemp Roger Rant Roger Sier Thomas Folkes John Folkes John [Pew'] Hugh Martin Thomas Rendish James Butler John Gape John Riet Wilham Packer Allington Harcourt Roger Poyss Peter Sadler John Cleath Midway Downson Andrew Jocelyn Thomphill Trill Wilham Everston Charles Noyes John Carter Thomas Richens of Chestersford Park Gregory Wale John Gusham of Ibleham Wilham Clayton Robert Swann Daniel Love Esquires Desc Cromer Marna Hill James South Deacon of Ditchley Wilham Balan Doctor of Laws Doctor Henry Doctor Kerby Charles Bennett Alexander Barrell John Wason Wilham Woodrough Clerks Richard Mach of Mfione John Withore Thomas Beck Charles Berry Richard Leeds Wilham Selgwick Wilham Halgate Wilham Harvey Charles Skales John Pyke George Winder Wilham Woot Esquires Thomas Hish John Bacon Wilham Bernard Edmund Glenister Thomas Dodd Wilham Cawthorne of Foulham John Wakelyn Maglinsk John Marden Wilham Fairchild Robert Cole Thomas Happpy Robert Chalin John Westropp John Kaze Samuel Love Wilham Halbart Alexander Parker Allen Hand Stephen Jackson Gentlemen Wilham Lunn Clerk James Madell Esquire Richard Drury Gentlemen Samuel Garwood John Cornw'ell Doctor of Divinity Richard Colbie Gentlemen.

For the City and County of the City of Chesser

Humphrey Page Esquire Mayor Roger Comberbush Esquire Recorder Sir Richard Loving Knight John Wilham Esquire Wilham Ince Wilham Wilson Hugh Sackey Francis Skellern Peter Bennett Wilham Allen Henry Bennett Wilham Bennett Thomas Head Michael Johnson Edward Paragins Edward Palston Palston Paragins James Hildreving Aldermen Thomas Wilham Joseph Madgeon Sheriff Benjamin Chackley Robert Harry Robert Hewit John Kymston Wilham Sackey Thomas [Madlocks'] Aldermen Richard Adams Town Clerk John Warrington Owen Ellis Wilham Allen junior Wilham Coler John Marshall Thomas Paragins John Thompson Daniel Peck Thomas Houghton John Stricker Thomas Dyer Francis Sayer Sheriff Peter Sir John Wenden Baronet Sir Henry Baskley Baronet Sir Wilham Mordach Baronet Thomas Warrington Doctor of Laws John Egerton Thomas Beale George Booth John Harleston Jonathan Bruns Robert Brewwood Robert Gumpson John Massey Richard Ayle Wilham Garsall Thomas Cooper Peter Weston Thomas Muller Esquires Captain John Sparks Captain John Nelson Robert Cole Robert Fralke Samuel Taylor Thomas Bennett Samuel Heath John Bridge Thomas Rotherhead Gentlemen.

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## For the County of Chester

The Right Honourable Richard Lord Newport Sen and His Appoint to Francis Earl of Bradford The Right Honourable Richard Lord Viscount Bulkeley of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Leonard Lord Viscountess Sen and His Appoint of the Earl of Dyott The Honourable Charles Stanley The Honourable George Booth The Honourable Robert Booth The Honourable Cecil Booth The Honourable Henry Newport The Honourable George Cholmondeley The Honourable Langham Booth Esquires The Honourable and Reverend Archdeacon Booth Sir Joseph Jekyll Chief Justice of Chester Sir Salubell Lovell Sir John Trevor Master of the Rolls Samuel Daniel Esquire High Sheriff for the said County [S<sup>r</sup>] Thomas Delvon Sir Thomas Aston Sir William Merrell Sir George Wadsworth Sir Thomas Mawering Sir Richard Bracken Sir Thomas Bellar Sir Robert Duchanfield Sir Roger Morpys Sir Francis Layconer Sir John Worren Sir Orlando Bridgman Sir Henry Embury Sir John Chetwood Baroness Sir Robert Cotton Knight and Baroness Sir John Crew Sir Richard Levings Esquire Thomas Delvon Thomas Bracken Charles Duchanfield Thomas Cotton of Conscience Nathaniel Booth爵士 Leigh of Booths George Booth John Lawton John Crew Oliver John Allen of Bagley Charles Cholmondeley Roger Mawering senior Roger Mawering junior Nathaniel Lee John Leigh of Adlington Thomas Stevens and Thomas Stevens junior Esquires Roger [Wibraham?] Thomas Vernon Henry Leigh Richard Lister Peter Shackleton Jonathan Brown Assis Leigh Richard Arden Thomas Mainwaring John Davenport Esquires Thomas Swinburn of Swinburn Edmund Swinburn Thomas Aldersey Edmund Jodrell Hugh Oliver Peter Warburton of George Thomas Warburton John Booth Lawrence Wright Robert Glegg William Whitmore of Thimington George Leicester Esquires Samuel Hardwars John Hardwars Edward Mansfield of Seke Randle Wibraham Rickenall of Preston senior William Wilmers Richard Walford William Marshall John Harston William Clayton of Leverpool Esquires Richard Marshall George Lucy John Egerton of Tarro Robert Wharley John Ward John Baskerville John Pickering Edward Thornecliffe William Swinburn Thomas Cotton of Cotton John Egerton of [Oaken?] Ralph Harston John Pickford Charles Wright William Donville William Lawton junior of Lorton Esquires Ralph Wilmers Esquire John Groom of Penkton Richard Alport Edward Glegg of George Thomas Wrenshall John Dodd of Broom William Oldfield senior Thomas Higgenbottom Gabriel Wrenshall George Milnes junior John Glegg of Treasore John Hux Donis Heyford of Millington Thomas Ashton of Ashley Henry Ardern Robert Burrwood Lawrence Booth Esquires William Bursary Robert Coopers Thomas Cooper John Dodd of Marley Thomas Glouce junior William Gassall Thomas Halford of Newburgh Thomas Leigh John Leach of Caudon John Massey of Goshington Leitch Oldfield John Shillens William Tetton Edward Wern Esquires Robert Wadsworth Esq. George Shakspeare Gentlemen William Jackson Doctor in Physick Robert Dodge Roger Combesham Peter Werns George Swinburn George Davenport of Calcey Esquire Walter Young Henry Brachure of Marple Esquire John Cooper Philip Egerton John Dod Peter Leigh Clotha Thomas Tynhill Richard Leigh of Turbinton Thomas Elmsley of Maudslow Richard Anna Gentlemen John Leigh of Hawthorn Hamill Wilmshury Richard Syddall John Parker Richard Vernon of Middlewich John Massey John Massey Broadfield Colhurst of Colhurst Hill Thomas Bookes of Gileston John Worrall Samuel Vernon Hugh Delvon of Nantwich John Dodd of Hampton John Broadhall James Baile Thomas Baile James Lewis [John?] South of Warrington Robert Dodge of Borden Thomas Vernon John Hooper Gentlemen William Stanley John Swann of Knarford Zachary Anson Thomas Better Thomas Mawering of Nantwich William Jackson of Seabach Lowndes of Bostock Charles Chamber John Berkenhead of Buckford George Bird of Broom Barnstone of Trafford Edward Bertles of Bertles Thomas Clifton of [Chaston?] William Booth of Upton Frodham of Elton Robert Hyde of Cumbull Thomas Hall of Ascalup Thomas Hyde son: Gentlemen Robert Glegg Esq. Jeremiah Townsend of Christington Esq. M<sup>r</sup> James Mawering of Chester Thomas Clayton [of?] Christington Hugh Pool of Bolegus William Dod Charles Lake Esq. of Wyrescull William Oldfield junior Thomas Porell of Bolegus Gentlemen Robert Aldersey Esq. of Middlewich Charles Willey of Sulgrave Thomas Hale junior the Mayor of Macclesfield for the Time being Thomas Swinburn Recorder Thomas Last John Blagg John Houghton Richard Worthington Adam Endon Nicholas Thornley Roger Rother John Beaton Samuel Wood Ogden Gentlemen Master Charles Fletcher Master William Thrombton Rave Donz John Hewkins Leach junior John Aynson Richard Lowndes junior James Hockwell Esq. Charles Ward Esq. John Thompson Esq.

## For the County of Cornwall

The Right Honourable Henry Lord Hyde Sen and His Appoint to Lawrence Earl of Rochester The Honourable Francis Roberts Esq. The Honourable Rosal Roberts Esq. The Right Honourable Francis Lord Rydon Sen and His Appoint of Selby Earl of Godolphin Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain Sir Richard Vyryan Sir William Geyron Sir William Godolphin Sir John S. Arles Sir John Makenworth Sir Nicholas Morrice Sir Bowcher Wray Geyron Sir Henry Seymour Burrows Sir William Scaven Knight Hugh Boscawen John Trevelyan of Corbup Charles Talsary Richard Edgcombe Samuel Roll George Gosselle James Zauch Charles Godolphin John Trevelyan James Butler John Butler Joseph Sewle Robert Rolle John Makenworth Charles Grills Thomas Vinn John Nicholls of Trevena Anthony Nicholls John Anson [of Trevena Arthur Anson of the same Dunale Anson?] Selby Godolphin William Courtney Hugh Fortescue Edmund Fortescue Edward Elliot William Nelson John Fortescue Arthur Fortescue John Talsary Warwick Michan Edward Elliot junior James Kendall John Grogger Alexander

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Pendarvis Samuel Trefain Francis Scobell Francis Bassett Hugh Pyper John Trevel Francis Calmady Henry Manton Richard Hils John Wolcomb Walter Hayle Nathaniel Hayle Joseph Hayle John Poole William Bond Remond Bellot John Polowich Nicholas Motter Emmanuel Pyper John Benn Richard Erley William Harris Alexander Carver William Carver Philip Mayne John Probable John Warb Henry Fleming Wilkes Belgers Francis With Thomas With George Spay Henry Jones Henry Vincent Hugh Taskyn Thomas Taskyn of Lambrope Francis Manton John Courtney Henry Scobell John Hicks Thomas Johnson of Litchard Esquires James Knott Marston Lattick Warrenk Hensky Gregory Peters Simpson Hill William Bailey Jonathan Pridmore William Williams John Williams of Treowery John Clarke Stephen Robins Thomas Widdow William Martin John Knott William Hancock of Hesles John Worth William Kekewich Thomas Haurle John Pinner Thomas Johnson James Kelwyn Joseph Marks Richard Hams of Roake Henry Braddis William Yoo John Trepigne Robert Reese Charles Griffin junior John Barlow of Penderis Edward Pearson of Pearson John Swite Thomas Hoblyn of Treowery Thomas Cadyen Charles Scobell John Vernon John Marley Paul Orchard Samuel Gilbert Charles Orchard John Mance John Oliver of Sittany John Benn Thomas Carver William Flennoch of Baccus John Brown Richard Trowton of Treow Water Langford of Langford Hill Francis S. Arden George S. Arden William Hall Francis Paster of Treowk Peter Kekewich John Arandell of Treowest Samuel Kempe John Williams of Cossanton John Peter [William?] Spy of Blisland John French William Burgoyne Henry Jones of Pearson Hugh Jones Edward Bennett of Hoxworthy Samuel Knite of Treow William Benathan Samuel Gilbert junior Esquires Charles Huddy Thomas North Reginald Bowden Richard Jack Bennet Hensky of S. Mewes John Walter John Archer Nicholas With junior of Kynwell Richard Treogere of Lannston Philip Thimms John Robins Thomas Hoblyn of Peckings Samuel Foot Hugh Bowden Richard [Doge?] of S. Ives Thomas Glytzer Gentlemen Nicholas Knadall Clerk Esquire Gully Francis Hoblyn of Newenden John Cole of Carnarar Francis Pearson John Anon John Anon junior Anthony Tanner William Vake of Trevel John Pelford junior Thomas Brown Jonathan Webber Gentlemen Thomas Worth junior Marcus Killygrew Esq. Thomas Fisher Richard Dudge Gentlemen Joshua Thomas of S. Jan Francis Colquh John Pomeroy Peter Major John Goodell William Toller Abraham Stephens John Worth junior Richard Butler Philip Myre junior Esquires Thomas Wulver Gent. Robert Coker Mescham William Hams of Fickwell Edward Treowery Clerk John Pinner Clerk William Hanley of Trebleheik Gentlemen John Andrew of Treowery Gentlemen John Grosville Esquires Lancelot Blackburn Clerk Marcus Rydes Esquire John Hill of Lidore Gentlemen Charles Bassett Clerk John Nicholls of Treow John Treow Grosville Peter Esquires Simon Leach Gentlemen John Rowe of Pender Charles Treowdy John Fox of Treow Francis Foot James Nicholas Henry Grosville Lewis Treowere Rasthoklaw Treowest Esquires Richard Treowerson junior William Hamby of S. Neve Esquires.

## For the County of Cumberland

The Honourable Sir John Dalton Sir Henry Fletcher Sir John Lowther Sir Richard Sandford Sir William Pennington Sir Richard Manners Baronets Sir William Fleming Baronet Joseph Pennington Christopher Manners Richard Manners George Fletcher James Sandhope John Agkoby Wilfred Lawson Gifford Lomon Sir James Manners Thomas Stansie Richard Langhugh John Benner John Dalton Leonard Dikes James Lowther John Pomeroy Richard Hadfield Evan Christie Ferdinando Lams Edward Suesley Andrew Hudson Anthony Hume Thomas Brewster Preshall Dales John Tostre Wilkin Gulpin Henry Bence Robert Pennington Timothy Ferbenough John Seabrooke John Nicholson Charles Orphure Richard Harrow John Lupton Christopher Coates George Leno Henry Selkirk Henry Fletcher Christopher Dalton John Stanley Esquires Anthony Perckins Wilkin Askew Wilkin Copley Henry Copley Gower Wren Richard Agkoby James Huddicke Humphrey Seabrooke Thomas Langhugh [The Mayor of Carlisle] for the Time being Thomas Addison John Brewham Andrew Whitdale Henry Flackoth Wilkin Gorey William Ballantine George Seimons Esquires John Gale John Gale junior Captain Seabrooke James Musfield junior Thomas Simpson Thomas Cooby Wilkin Nicholson Joseph Reed Joseph Parker Robert Law William Tait Robert Blacklock Robert Langens Joseph Relfe Thomas Dares Charles Saultan Richard Graham Gentlemen.

## For the County of Derby

The Right Honourable John Lord Marquess of Granby Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Rutland The Right Honourable [the Lord] James Cromwell one of the Sons of the late Duke of Devonshire The Right Honourable Thomas Coke Vice Chamberlain and one of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council Sir William Gessley Sir Robert Bardet Sir John Harper Sir Henry Every Sir Edward Coke Sir Henry Boodby Sir Philip Gell Sir Paul Jenkinson Sir Charles Pye Barren Sir Edward Abney Sir Charles Schizophure Sir Richard Leung Sir Gilbert Heathcote Esquires John Cannon John Harper Thomas Sorbop William Coke of Trevel Henry Gilbert Robert Sachewell Simon Dagg Francis Munday John Low Mathew Smith Gilbert Munday Henry Kay John Gibson John Harper of Laidover Alexander Sandhope John Bonner Henry Gilbert junior Thomas Collett John Every Thomas Goodwin Jacob Barr Francis Thacker Robert Holden Edward Munday Paul Bullock Thomas Allory William Horne Francis Burton Esquires John Hattinson Samuel Bradshaw John Holden Anthony Bradshaw Middleton Pillingham William Hesser John Richardson Samuel Richardson Robert Norton Leonard Eastbrook Christopher Pegg Gentlemen The Mayor of Derby for the Time being Sir Thomas Parker Knight Recorder the Aldermen of Derby for the Time being Theor Cutter John Francis William Turner George Bradshy Joseph Parker John Gibbons Hugh Bateman Edward Large William Charnock Thomas Graham junior Benjamin Parker Edmund

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Fisher Edward Parker James Mottram Richard Richardson Solomon Roberts Philip Wrensen John Holster Thomas  
 Robert Isaac Charles Gilbert Capthorn Samuel Cheshire William Woolly junior Gentleman Walter Barden John  
 Berley Robert Widmer of Osmaston Robert Harding Charles Jevons Gilbert Thacker John Allen William Barnes  
 John Wilkins Philip Payne Godfrey Clarke Robert Barlett Thomas Grealey Robert Wilson junior of Osmaston  
 Walter Horton William Browne of Sutton in the Fields Esquires Henry [Viscount of?] Sturmy Rowland Cotton  
 John Yeatherbert William Yeatherbert William Cavendish of Doveridge Samuel Paul Godfrey Mepell of Bradley  
 Thomas Browne of Bradley Robert Widmer of Chaddan Robert Wilson of Deffold Richard Bates Edward  
 Widmer of Spendon Charles Hart Rawland Okeover Isaac Bower Thomas Okeover Paul Jodrell Esquires Ralph  
 Dury John Hart of the Sud Walter Capstick William Lees Humphrey Perry Thomas Edward John Bradshaw  
 John Chaloner William Shalcross Richard Stridman Thomas Miles Gentleman Brook Booddy Thomas Eyre  
 Michael Burton Henry Fenn John Berrford James Trot Esquires George Newell Sampson Baker Francis Sleight  
 Robert Mellor Robert Fenn Benjamin Howard Tristram Ridgway Gentleman William Archer John Skelton  
 George Barth Henry Bradshaw Thomas Sadler Henry Edgely John Edgely Alexander Ratcliffe Benjamin Ashwin  
 Robert Ashwin James Chatham Esquires Tho<sup>o</sup> Bagshaw Charles Bagshaw John Statham James Elmer Richard  
 James Richard Bagshaw of Cantlew Adam Bagshaw Samuel Swain Gentleman Thomas Gladwin John Gossman  
 George Sewell John Wygill Thomas Stone Robert Revell Robert Ashwin Thomas Woodhouse Samuel Dalton  
 John Love of Parkhill Post of Parkhill Robert Barker Robert Newer son Robert Newer jnr : Esquires  
 John Dabney John Richardson of Newton The Mayor of Chesterfield for the Time being John Revell Alderman  
 Thomas Hely John Smith George Edward John Wrayfield of Huddersburgh Francis Gregg Robert Bassman of  
 Hudders Richard Hall Godfrey Warkison Paul Webster John Turner John Baker William Hodgkinson of  
 Overton Henry Gill Ralph Burton Gentleman Stephen Offley Esquire William Scriven Gentleman Andrew  
 Gossman Robert Gossman Charles Gossan Esquires,

## For the City and County of the City of Essex

The Mayor Recorder Aldermen and Common Council for the Time being The Honourable Sir Edward Seymour  
 Barron The Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Exeter for the Time being Sir John Elwell Knight  
 Thomas Gibben Sergeant at Law William Martin Thomas Northmore Robert Wolcombe James Glyde Peter King  
 John Bellfield Francis Drew Esquires Thomas Wainhouse John Ormond William Musgrave Doctor of Physick  
 Robert Walter Nicholas Murray Courtney Crocker Nicholas Brookling Richard King John Hicks Esquires Isaac  
 Ellis William Mathews William Ellis Samuel Perrie Thomas Michael Francis Cook Tristram Sawley Philip  
 Henry Thomas Smeaton Jeron King Benjamin Wile Jonathan Dye Joseph Clerk George Knowling John Denle  
 Joseph Isle Nathaniel Gude Peter Radcliffe Charles Aldin John Pym Edward Clarke Roger Pevens Roger Payne  
 John Borchbrooke Thomas Dary William Speye Clement Weeks Henry Dart Francis Oliver Edward Cross Nathaniel  
 Rowland Francis Worth Edward Allen Jasper Radcliffe Esquire William Barnhill Thomas Jeffery Richard Poyman  
 Christopher Leidebridge and James White Merchant William Moore Courtney Crocker Esquire Benjamin Hawkins  
 Gent.

## For the County of Devon

The Honourable the Lord Edward Russell The Honourable the Lord James Russell Sons of the late Duke of  
 Bedford The Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Doneraile of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable William  
 Ashbampton Sir Edward Seymour Sir Edmund Prideaux Sir George Chudleigh Sir Francis Drake Sir John Pole Sir  
 Francis Northcote Sir Arthur Chichester Sir William Courtney Sir John Dury Sir Hugh Ashland Sir William Drake  
 Sir Nicholas Morris Sir Walter Yonge Sir John Trevilian Sir William Corpton Sir Thomas Pate Sir Beaulieu Wray  
 Sir John Leare Sir John Rogers Barron Sir Symon Latch Knight of the Bath Sir John Elwell Knight Henry  
 Portman Samuel Rolle Robert Rolle Richard Edgcombe Richard Hely George Parker William Pole Richard Duke  
 senior Richard Duke junior William Cary James Courtney George Courtney Henry Courtney Richard Reynolds  
 John Courtney William Courtney of Down Jonathan Prideaux Dennis Rolle senior Richard Curry John Hicks  
 John Cholwich Charles Fortescue William Harla John Harris of Washham Nicholas Moore Roger Woolcombe  
 William Haydon Christopher Savery Thomas Northmore Gilbert Yard Henry Maxton Henry Chichester John  
 Ridgely Edward Clarke John Gifford William Coleman Henry Wakend William Walsand John Sandford William  
 Twiss William Bragg Roger Hely John Wolcombe Edward Yard of Temyers-Berr Nicholas Fry John Anscott  
 Arthur Trevellick Arthur Trevellick junior Richard Archard Thomas Roop Hugh Fortescue Edmund Furness John  
 Bapleigh Hugh Sandford Thomas Sandford Charles Treloway John Pollock Thomas Berr Josiah Calandry John  
 Williams John Worth Richard Housman Charles Parker Thomas Gibon Nicholas Hooper John Pratt Sergeant at  
 Law George Murgrev John Fowkes Edward Yard of Chanton Thomas Cleverdon John Harris of Musaken  
 Thomas Melleswell Edmund Pollock Peter Berr Richard Stephens Hugh Stephens John Barnfield Ellis Berton  
 John Bauldry William Drake George Yeo Francis Gwin Thomas Denton John Fry John Treloway of Hana John  
 Pridmore Courtney Collier Edward Holwell Andrew Quick Samuel Weston Thomas Wise William Pals<sup>o</sup> Jps Robert  
 Fry John Leigh Richard Haller Thomas Southton Hill of Priory Robert Marwood Gilbert Fry James Young  
 Robert Avery John Ayott Adria Swait Robert Wolcombe Thomas Cholwich Henry Hoake Nicholas Fowden  
 Walter Shapcott Nicholas Roop Edmund Reynolds Thomas Palsam William Martin junior of Osmaston Downton  
 Merchant Thomas Prewsed William Martin senior William Dyer Thomas Parker Anna Crispe Jasper Radcliffe

\* Inserted on the Roll.

Christopher Bale Arthur Champenowne John Sparway Peter Adlam Roger Tackfold John Crowps Francis Shaped  
 Andrew Dury Richard Brooke Samuel Tansar Theodore Tansar Benjamin Oliver Seathorn Leonard Arthur  
 Kelley Edward Ford Robert Barnidge Samuel Rolfe junior John Dury Marshall Ayres William Downe John Macle  
 John Langford Christopher Leffbridge Richard Watson James Babble William Stearns George Gave sen  
 William Harris of Tickwell Henry Moor John Upcar Matthias Jenkins John Dodge John Polge William Cardian  
 William Halper William Eckford William Gibson John Hagdon John Raymond James Northleigh William Brown  
 George Trebridge John James Edward Wood Thomas Pyne Doctor of Physick Nicholas Tynt Bartholomew  
 Anthony John Gay John Fortescue David Long Thomas Beaud William Ebert William Chelwich Henry Tremblay  
 George Brode Comeline Hayne John Full Robert Elgouthe jun: Giles Yard Richard Fowen jun. Richard Kerr  
 James Smith George Cookman Thomas Hale Frederick Herne Nathaniel Herne John Corinton William Wilkner  
 John Hale Thomas Warren Richard Mallock Luke Blackmore Roger Penary Christopher Woodman Nicholas  
 Brookings Joseph Oliver Edward Gould Edward Pyne Thomas Wood Rager Gifford Peter West John Han  
 Thomas Totchill Robert Cadman Robert Blunt John News Thomas Worth William Merwin senior Charles  
 Vaughan Humphill Reel Abraham Dennis John Rawleigh Philip Denton Henry Jackson Hugh Serle John  
 Symkin John Horneum of Plymouth Jonathan Elford of Beckham George Back of Bedford Marchant Thomas  
 Marshall John Harland William Chambercooke John Rogers Joseph Webb William Darys Samuel Medlock John  
 Stockley Henry Langford Arthur Chidmose John Natt of Imberbour Philip Drake William Wood John Armes  
 William Warren of Plymouth Marchant George Thompson of Pownington William Isaac William Hockmer  
 Clement Rowledge Richard Dyer Richard Troye Clothe Francis Dow Francis Dewe Barlow John Roope of  
 Milnes Roger Clothe Henry Lane Arthur Pyne Samuel Cooke William Noyls Thomas Pearce Rowling Mallock  
 John Berrington Peter King John Harris Marchant Charles Taylor John Bennett William Ape Samuel Potes  
 Francis Peggly Thomas Dyer Christopher Redford Clerk Justice Henry Wake of Topsham Richard Cappelton  
 John Capleton of Berwick Martin Kyder Henry Walrod Barister John Barnidge Francis Walrod of Berwick  
 Francis Walrod Kympson Naboth John Beck Marchant Nicholas Cove William Long Richard Hawrod Henry  
 Downe Edward Pyne of East Down Stephen Hunt Henry Chidmose of Fostleigh John Thome William Barre  
 Doctor of Physick Joseph Ralph Henry Parryman Richard Parryman John Symons Nicholas Brookings of Bally  
 Hugh Pomeroy Nicholas Ache of Somers John Gibson Tapper Langdon Edward Gould George Thomas Henry  
 Groubille Abraham Twiss The Mayor of Plymouth The Mayor of Burnstable and The Two Aldermen The Mayor  
 of Bedford The Mayor of Totnes The Mayor of Truro The Mayor of Torrington The Mayor of Dartmouth  
 The Mayor of Southamton The Mayor of Oshampton The Mayor of Plympton for the Time being John Serburn  
 John Fountain Arthur Rooker of Pollans Esquires.

For the County of Dorset

The Honourable Henry Tipton The Honourable Massey Ashley The Honourable William Ashburham Esquires  
 Sir John Pole Sir Nathaniel Napier Sir Charles Napier Sir John Newnham Baronets Sir John Hawke Sir Jacob  
 Banks Knights Thomas Strongways Thomas Chafin Henry Poynter The Right Honourable General Charles  
 Churchill The Right Honourable Lieutenant General Thomas Earle One of His Majesties most Honourable Privy  
 Council Samuel Rolfe Nathaniel Napier Richard Fowen Thomas Brode George Chardhill Edward Nicholas John  
 Banks George Pitt Michael Harvey Robert Robert Brodripp Robert Browne of Frempton Robert Coker Thomas  
 Strongways junior Richard Fowen junior William Okolea Edward Seymour John Williams Gibson Melan William  
 Errick Henry Connerane William Constantine John Mitchell junior John Sall Walter Paps Thomas Pile William  
 Bowles William Whistler Maurice Berkeley Robert Fricks Thomas Fricks Richard Bagham Hugh Hodger John  
 Eastmont Charles Evans John Mitchell William Floyer Anthony Floyer Thomas Skinner William Suddetham Richard  
 Swaine George Dabney William Lawrence John Gould William Winton James Gould Robert Humey Robert  
 Humey Thomas Bower Richard Heaville Thomas Gaudy Henry Hesley Nicholas Hardy Richard Rose Robert  
 Pope Henry Chafin Charles Kent of Westhall Richard Hallet Thomas Gelpie Abraham Churchill Thomas Monk  
 Anthony Start Alexander Pitfield John Fisher Spence Wharcombe General Wood Thomas Somerset Robert Supton  
 William Fricks Robert Culford William Bennett of Hargrove Nicholas Browne Andrew Loder Henry Clapott  
 Richard Churchill George Barber Christopher Farr Doctor of Physick John Pitt Thomas Cockman John Tregowder  
 of Andover Robert Gould James Gould of Wyney John Chardhill Henry Tremblay John Marston George Radwin  
 William Hall William Bennett of Sharns Francis Hall John Sall Roger Montgomerie John Richards Henry Arnold  
 of Kingston John Pike Lewis Cockman Robert Barnidge John Edwards Targwell Frempton William Payer Richard  
 Wadlow John Sagittary Doctor of Physick Abraham Fawcett Physician Solomon Andrews Anthony Eades David  
 Dagdale Robert Swaine Robert Butler Robert Barker George Ryves John Cooke Anthony Lander Arthur Pile  
 John Pitt Thomas Hawke Thomas Williams Philip Taylor Marchant The Mayors of Dorchester Shaftsbury Heyworth  
 Melcomb Regis Corfe Wareham and Lase Regis for the Time being The Sheriffs of Dorchester and Bridport for  
 the Time being George Jagger Robert Russell John Odine George Mallin Spence Orchard Thomas Corbett of  
 Shaftsbury George Brode John Windham Edward Chell William Collyer James Hall William Feels William Row  
 Edward Kennell William Shepley George Lewett William Lewis William Lewes John Hawke Thomas Rose of  
 Purbeck Robert Combes John Bythwood Robert Hesley Courtney Crocker John Fostinger Peter Walter Nathaniel  
 Smith Peter Barncombe John Vincent of Frempton William Harding John Whitcombe Samuel Bishop Dennis Bond  
 Richard Channing of Croton William Tauxon Edward Heaville Samuel Whitcombe David Ashburham William  
 Bowles junior William Weston junior John Barnidge John Sorell of Totton John Odinch of Dorchester Marchant  
 Cury Boucher Gent. Thomas Shepley of Dorchester Marchant James Richards Richard Dablin John Trapp  
 Anthony Eladon Captain William Harding Captain Theobald Townsend Charles Langbridge Shelden Morris Esquires

John Wood William George Robert Bush George Little of Bridport Edward Dureman Henry Winson Robert Pike of Dorchester Robert Fry John Gray Henry Saunders John Polden of Castle Robert Cohen Andrew Purchase of Dorchester Philip Caldecott Richard Dibben William [Chilchewick?] Thomas Heywood and William Harvey Esquires Henry Devondish John Bond Esquires Robert Seymour Esquire Martin Bewes Esquire Thomas Hussey Esquire Nicholas [Joye?] Robert Farr Esquires John Tucker of Nuth Gendleman Gabriel Olingaile Gendleman.

## For the Town and County of Poole

St. William Philip Knight Samuel Weston Esquires George Lewin [Morm?] David John Carter William Williams Esquire Shadrach Beale William Brendish Thomas Hyde Esq. present Mayor William Cooke Thomas Young Esquire Robert Bennett John Gigger.

## For the County of Durham

Mark Shute High Sheriff Esquires The Right Honourable Henry Lord Lonsdale eldest Son of the Earl of Salisbury The Right Honourable Lord William Powlett Second Son of the late Duke of Bolton The Honourable Gilbert Vane Esquires The Honourable Charles Montague Esquires The Honourable William Vane Esquires Robert Turner Esquires One of the Justices of Her Majesties Court of Common Pleas and Temporal Chancellor Sir William Williamson Sir Nicholas Cole Sir Henry Liddell Sir John Clavering Sir Richard Sandford Sir John Delaval Sir John Copley Sir Robert Eden Sir Edward Blackett [St?] Richard Maugrave Barons Sir Ralph Carr Sir Henry Bellasis Sir Francis Baker Knights The Honourable Doctor Montague Dean of Durham and the Prebendaries there for the Time being Doctor Brookbank Spiritual Chancellor The Honourable Arch. Deacon Booth Doctor Hartwell Doctor Allason Henry Lampton Esq. Attorney General Thomas Liddell John Temper Thomas Carpenter John Eden Lynell Tye William Lampton James Darcy Robert Byerly Thomas Darbion William Brontley Richard Maugrave John Bates William Bellingham John Hedworth Robert Wright Robert Bowers Robert Keyton James Clavering George Warland Francis Carr Robert Elton Matthew Whitefield William Scrother William Carr Henry Liddell James Clavering Esquire Charles Wren George Bewes Solicitor General John Speersman Ralph Stogardson Ralph Mylton George Bewes Esquire Thomas Platts Tensell Lampton Ralph Lampton John Merland William Errick Anthony Selvin James Nicholson Charles Allason William Darson David Johnson Nicholas Hall Captain Cassoworth Anthony Errick Richard Middleton Christopher Sanderson John Forcett John Carr Esquires John Tong Leonard Shute Percell Foster Michael Farwick Clerks William Wilkinson John Cathbert Thomas Wilkinson Thomas Robinson Cathbert Bowers Robert Poulington John Elmh Ralph Hutton The Mayors of Durham for the Time being and the Aldermen there The Mayor of Stockton for the Time being and the Aldermen there John Richardson John Ayton Abraham Hifton Robert Cotte Thomas Brame George Hush Humphrey March Richard Robinson John Holdson George Cooney William Shaw John Haddison junior William Garth junior Francis Baker John Harrold Ralph Harding Thomas Shute John Stevenson John Haxton Thomas Watson Henry Wolk Robert Chilton John Martin Ralph Holman Peter Burrell Richard Stenechwer Gabriel [Swales?] George Cox John Thompson John Shedes Francis Kibbs Gilbert Speersman Timothy Wright Henry Eden Samuel Barton Francis Smart Thomas Blackett Richard Bewes Thomas Bower William Blackbourn Bernard Downham Matthew Harrold Simon Gilpin Clerk Thomas Monack John Eake John Peart Thomas Sanderson Thomas Barleton Thomas Smith Nicholas Greenwell Gendleman Major General Milne Thomas Farmer Samuel Oyle William Oyle George Oyle of Long Ridge Edward Deheral William Taylor William Out of Fellingham Thomas Oyle of Grindon Esquires William Selby Francis Talbot Gendleman Anthony Kiron William Cooper David Snow Anthony Hall Esquires Doctor Thomas Wharton Thomas Hawley William Cassoworth Robert Johnson Robert Seron Thomas Wilkinson of Maresy Thomas Kendis Thomas Owen Bernard Forwick Francis Woodman John Richardson Gendleman Henry Grey Esquires James Craggs Esquires Anthony Carpenter Esquires David Lampton junior Esquires Robert Blake of Twissell Esquires John Wydalefeld Gendleman William Wrightson Gendleman Mark Scrother Esquires.

## For the West Riding of the County of York

The Right Honourable the Lord William Powlett Second Son of the late Duke of Bolton George Lord Viscount Cantillon of the Kingdom of Ireland Henry Lord Viscount Downe of the Kingdom of Ireland George Lord Fitzgibbon Thomas Argyle in the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Henry Baylis Esquires Chancellor of the Exchequer and One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council The Honourable Sidney Warley Montague The Honourable James Sanderson The Honourable Thomas Wentworth The Honourable Henry Fairfax and The Honourable Cooper Darcy Esquires Sir George Savile Sir John Dalton Sir William Strickland Sir Henry Goodrick Sir John Aspley Sir Arthur Kaye Sir William Remsey Sir John Bland Sir John Ingley Sir Bryan Stephens Sir Thomas Fendland Sir George Cooke Sir Godfrey Copley Sir William Wentworth Sir Walter Hawthornthwaite Sir Lyon Pilkington Sir Bartholomew Jackson Sir John Wolstantholme Sir Edward Blackett Sir George Temper Sir John Middleton Sir Richard Wyome Sir William Remond Sir John Wentworth Sir Hugh Smithson Sir Roger Beckwith Barons Sir Thomas Yarbrough Sir Richard Oshalden Sir William Hantley Sir Abel [?] Sir John Darcy Sir Thomas Tensell Sir Charles Durendish Sir William Thomson Knight Richard Maugrave William Blackett Robert Monckton William Wentworth Thomas Harrold William Lewther William Palmer Robert Byerly Christopher Stockdale Robert Midsworth Cyril

\* Chilchewick O.

† Joyce O.

‡ Morris O.

§ attached to Sir Ralph.

|| Swales O.



Arthington Walter Calverley Andrew Pulley Reginald Gribben George Crowle Francis Fawkes Thomas Thorsdail  
 William Norton Henry Carter Thomas Fairfax Robert Fairfax John Maudslowe Lupton Isaac Knight Arthur  
 Ingram John Stappleton Francis Fyfe Thomas York John Ransden Thomas Vincent Anthony Lewis Baxter (?)  
 Rector of Spilforth William Woodroffe John Luter Claudi Luter Robert Bligh Edward Wootley William Vanebo  
 Henry Stappleton Thomas Lister of Wootley John Neville Benjamin Wade William Neville Godfrey Bourne William  
 Jessop John Bagley (?) Thompson of Kirby William Wickham Henry Edmunds William Hanson Thomas  
 Postaine Richard Washington Jasper Kikman Torkard Rehnard Doctor of Physick James Furze Henry Beach  
 Miles Sorely Henry Cooke Hugh Salthouse John Bradshaw Robert Benson Robert Milford Wootley Goli Thomas  
 White Edward Parker John Baker John Tasker Richard Thompson Richard Witton Bryan Sandford Thomas  
 Barker Richard Sterne senior Richard Sterne junior William Jessups Peter Jennings Joseph Melkiss Thomas Harvey  
 Boynton Boynton John Beadlow Thomas Beadlow John Walker of Haddingley John Hatfield of Lougham senior  
 John Hatfield of Lougham junior Mark Shafes Anthony Duncumbe Henry Carrer Nicholas Payer Robert Farnard  
 Thomas Kite Benjamin Farnard John Rooker William Haywood Robert Capley John Aubrey Rector of Thorsdail  
 Francis Lockier Rector of Haddoweth John Silverer John Sharpe Francis Lindsey William Ellis senior William Ellis  
 junior William Beckwith Nemo Parker John Bury Thomas Crofts William Wakefield Jonathan Stappleton Roger  
 Newell Laurence Childers John Stappleton of Haddingth John Stappleton of Ecclesall junior Thomas Wootley John  
 Wilkinson of Greenhead Ralph Lowther Robert Lowther Andrew Wilkinson Reginald Elber George Tolson William  
 Drake Thomas Robinson of Fockeby Lyonel Copley Francis Topham Thomas Hoaks John Carville Richard Tynes  
 Roger Coates Richard Wren Sergeant at Law Nicholas Fosse Elizabeth Horton Henry Jenson and Robert Fosse  
 Esquires John Ammings of Nether Shillingham Doctor Wyeall Dean of Rippon Richard Richardson Doctor of Physick  
 Samuel Thorsdail Doctor of Physick Joseph Backs John Neal Physician William Ingens Robert Bardett William  
 Herdill Thomas Robinson John Hatfield (?) John Milner of Pulley Robert Parker John Copley James Greenwood  
 William Norton junior John Grace Jonathan Lee Thomas Edmunds senior Thomas Edmunds junior Richard Howe  
 Stafford Arthington Henry Greenwood William Satheron Andrew Holden Richard Rhoda Nicholas Maudslowe  
 William Tatham William Richardson Jonathan Asclan William Wharton John Spencer of Canon-Hill Stephen  
 Wilkes Robt Skelton Mark Wison of Esham George Wootley of Gales Henry Eyre of Bramley John Daxley  
 Hugh Taylor Samuel Walker William Swape Richard Thomlinson William Kendall William Green of  
 Thorsdail-Grange Anthony Todd John Brooks of Dobverth Clark John Wilkinson of Halifax Clark Thomas  
 Bulver Thomas Wilson of Beccroftall Edward Langley Thomas Crosse Richard Lowther Nicholas Thomas  
 Francis of Applethrewek Thomas Tomlinson Edward Foster of Thorne John Wootney George Wootney  
 William Harrison of Capreton senior George Ellis Edward Goodwin Thomas Marton John Sney John Bight  
 of Bazaarston junior Andrew Langley of Priestley Green Robert Ware Richard Wainhouse Rector of  
 Silchester Michael Heth Richard Park John Wise William Bracke of Lamb Francis Elrick Lawrence Knight  
 Thomas Cotes Cuthbert Chandon Patience Ward Gregory Feh William Faroy Robert Isman Richard Wae  
 Caprin Bedford Petuhall Feh Robert Bell Christopher Greenwood John Wainhouse Thomas Wainhouse junior  
 Christopher Dawson Richard Watts Thomas Thompson Elkanah Rich Samuel Toman William Hatfield William  
 Jackson Edmund Watson James Knowle Peter Hall William Beaumont Thomas Pallen of Bailey William Appleyard  
 Richard Green of Berks Thomas Thomsen Francis Barlow Robert Wood Theophilus Shelton John Blackburn  
 John Cates William Harbode Christopher Weatherhead Richard North John Isak Joseph Wokinson Thome  
 Redback William Scrymgeour William Laypall John Tomlinson of Bam Mathew France Robert Scanz of  
 Greeneslope William Murehood Henry Pevson Nicholas Wainhouse George Rhodes John Richardson of Woudell  
 Thome Swynn Charles Wilkinson Thomas Wilkinson junior Edward Stappleton of Baken Samuel Swaye John Sway  
 Robert Selmer William Dawson Thomas Elwick Edward Farnard of Haddingth George Banforth Thomas Ty  
 William Thomsen Nicholas Sand John Tatham Peter Hudson Robert Goldson John Wootney of Eton Tansill  
 John Woodroffe Edmund Sturley John Simpson George Beaumont of Chappell Thorpe John Rhodes of Flock  
 Thomas Sadell Genderson The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of Pontefract for the Time being The Mayor  
 Recorder and Aldermen of Doncaster for the Time being The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of Rippon for the  
 Time being The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen of Leeds for the Time being John Martin of Hooton Robert  
 Ward of Pontefract Gentlemen Bailey Thompson Esquire.

For the North Riding of the County of York

The Lord William Pwlet Henry Lord Viscount Downe Christopher Lord Viscount [Caster?] William Cecil Esq  
 Fairfax Comptre Darcy John How Esquire Sir Marmaduke Wynd Sir William Stockdale Sir Griffith Beynon Sir  
 William Foulle Sir Charles Herbert Sir Bryan Stappleton Sir John Bult Sir Nathaniel Naper Sir Philip Sydenham Sir  
 Thomas Fritchland Sir Henry Narwood Sir William Caley Sir Thomas Pennington Sir William Clayton Sir Edward  
 Elckert Sir James Brook Sir Hugh Salthouse Sir William Robinson Sir John Wentworth Sir Roger Beckwith Sir  
 Walter Hawkerworth Berenett Sir William Haster Sir Henry Bolton Sir Richard Oshildon Sir Abbotson Dobby  
 Sir Charles Duncrope Sir James Wilson Sir Robert Constable Sir William Thompson Knights William Pallen Thomas  
 York James Darcy Robert Byrly John Aschby Christopher Rockdale William Thompson Convent Peyton Thomas  
 Convent Roger Gale Edward Thompson William Chaloner Richard Butherford John Wastell John Hemon Roger  
 Talbot Francis Wyndill Hugh Cholmeley Leonard Sook Charles Tarnor Thomas Wootley John Hill Richard Pevson  
 Charles Tarnor Thomas Cook John Stappleton Thomas Fritchland (?) Reginald Graham William Hackett James Pennington

1 Taken O

2 Castle Corner O

3 Redworth John Aschby Edward Thompson of Marston Henry O

4 of Hatfield O

5 William Dawson Thomas Mervill Thomas Hooton

Arthur Cayley Medicalist Robert John Boonshay John Gibson John Milbank Daniel Lancelot William Rowley  
 William Wakefield George Wright John Tonden Beadle Edmund Barrow Thomas Felch William Mear Carbone  
 Payer Thomas Meredith of Naggs Henry Darcy Arthur Ingham Francis Fawkes Ralph Lowther Thomas Stans John  
 Hopson William Penrymas Thomas Sillington Hugh Bebell William Norton Luson Paine Christopher Percypay Charles  
 Robert Charles Alanson John Radcliffe Doctor of Physick Francis Topham Leonard Thompson Thomas Waddell  
 John Talbot Henry Daxley John Daxley Edward Hutchinson William Tancrod Henry Fookland Timothy Maderover  
 William Dickenson Thomas Wilkinson Christopher Wilkinson Thomas Robinson Thomas Robinson of Rockaby  
 William Robinson Thomas Robinson Chasley Turner Thomas Langley Thomas Gimson John Meredith of Beldaby  
 Richard Mordale Lawson Treator Robert Fairfax William Rousfield Richard Magrove Thomas Beadlow John  
 Turner William Waters Roger Correll Benjamin Purchas William Kitchingman Rowland Place Ralph Hopson Henry  
 Bernard Thomas Barton Thomas Hane John Hurland William Tully Thomas Hill Thomas Southam Richard  
 Richard John Radd Christopher Frisick Henry Rapier Esquires William Fookland Robert Ward Clerk Edward  
 Gohart James Conyers Ralph Bell John Ward George Bawa Thomas Harvey Nathaniel Harrison George Pickery  
 John Robinson Ralph Pinner Roger Lee Thomas Lancelot Henry Wilkinson Thomas Thornhill John Robinson of  
 Tully Richard Almon Francis Wilkes John Daxley Thomas Dalton Edward Carr John Kitcherell William Robinson  
 James James Goddard Francis Cradfield Robert Cradfield Robert Kempton Timothy Wiggmore James Hapden Thomas  
 Selous Thomas Crosser John Wingle Plunard Ford Robert Davies William Cooper William Perrett Thomas Povey  
 William Ford John Saunders William Tuckett John Pitman Henry Place Robert Bell Robert Idle John Warrup of  
 East Tashfield John Warrup of Gotesky James Wane William Beckwith Thomas Beckwith William Byss William  
 Ward John Parande James Robinson The Mayor Aldermen and Recorder of Richmond for the Time being The  
 Justice and Recorder of Scarborough for the Time being.

For the East Riding of the County of York

The Right Honourable the Lord William Paulet The Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Downe of the  
 Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Henry Boyle Esquire Chancellor of the Exchequer and One of Her  
 Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Sir Griffith Egerton Sir Charles Northam Sir William Strickland Sir Henry  
 Goodrich Sir William S. Quisen Sir Robert Wylford Sir Thomas Radcliffe Sir John Legard Sir John Napier Sir  
 Uved Fitzkington Sir Godfrey Copley Sir Thomas Fookland Sir John Wentworth Barons Sir Michael Wharton Sir  
 Mathew Permes Sir James Bradshaw Sir Richard Ouldred Sir William Hunter Sir Charles Dancombe Sir William  
 Scrope Sir Robert Casselle Knight Hugh Bebell Fairfax Norfolk William Ouldredon Inghy Daniel William  
 Gimson William Thompson William Gos William Houlton Henry Guy Charles Osborne Clerk Bradshaw John  
 Ramsden William Palmer James Hollethwaite Ralph Wharton Anthony Dancombe William Fawcay Christopher  
 Anstey Thomas Northam Charles Warton Charles Dismock Champion of England Edward Bernard Thomas  
 Redish Walter Strickland Robert Mearkton Robert Bebell Thomas Langley Richard Resenewagon Richard Gee  
 Ralph Grey Francis Bequest Francis East Mathew Appleyard Robert Eberington Tobias Jenkint Thomas  
 Tomkinson James Andrew Bradshaw Walter Crompton John Taylor Thomas Alcock Thomas Medleywaite Ralph  
 Copley Francis Atteley Thomas Worsley Thomas Sillington Thomas Southby Esquires Edward Thompson John  
 Moyer Captain Richard Moore Robert Halle Edward Dancombe John Harvey Charles Aldworth William Munro  
 Henry Thompson Leonard Thompson Thomas Candon Thomas Wakefield William Aldworth Christopher Percypay  
 James Hunter William Dawson Yorksough Countable William Lister Bequest Overton Bernard Lister William  
 Permes Robert Hunter John Permes Thomas Gos Thomas Lerton Charles Best Richard Daxley William Wickham  
 Henry Bernard William Deper Randolphas Catwell Hedketh Holman Richard Fawcett Joseph Fawcay Lancelot  
 Rapier Benjamin Minkins Anthony Dancombe Ralph Selous William Southam William Roswell William Gibby  
 James Esquires Hodgson Johnson Doctor of Physick Captain Robert Fairfax Esquire Captain James Barry Richard  
 Moore John Hudson John Bower William Wilberforce Philip Wilkinson Thomas Kitchy Leonard Robinson Thomas  
 Shaw Robert Appleton Thomas Henry Robert Ask Francis Blant Francis Elwick Sir William Thornton Robert  
 Idle of Warton Robert Mason senior Thomas Norton Christopher Robinson of Buckton Francis Tackson John  
 Overton Nathaniel Harrison Thomas Myers Thomas Swainhouse Mark Kelsey John Barckas William Barckas  
 William Cowle Nathaniel Rogers John Ashrop Thomas Helmes Richard Worsay Henry Rutter Philip Goundwell  
 John Duns James Hunt John Temperance Charles Suttell John Dakenon Mathew Adams Edward (Milton) The  
 Mayor Aldermen and Recorder of Kingston upon Hull for the Time being The Mayor Aldermen and Recorder of  
 Beverley for the Time being The Mayor Aldermen and Recorder of Hesden for the Time being Ralph Thompson  
 Esquire.

For the City and County of the City of York

The Lord Mayor Aldermen Recorder and Sheriffs for the Time being The Honourable W. Finch Dean of York  
 Sir Uved Fitzkington Sir Henry Marwood Sir James Brooke Brownson William Southforth Doctor of Divinity Henry  
 Wilkinson Doctor of Laws Richard Wm Esquire Sergeant at Law William Penson Archdeacon of Nottingham Henry  
 Sappington Edward Thompson Thomas Hutton John Aschley John Sharpe John Moyer Richard Rowdell Richard  
 Stone Robert Fairfax Henry Thompson Leonard Thompson William Wickham John Taylor Thomas Crafts Thomas  
 Beale William Wakefield Esquires William Gurlford Thomas Thompson Richard Wilson Thomas Barrow Francis  
 Dakenon Christopher Hutton Samuel Benson William Cornwell Charles Perrett Richard Reynolds Nicholas Sage  
 Richard Bower John Daxley Thomas Empson Robert Geldard Christopher Bower Robert Waller William Heakins  
 John Best Henry Benson Gerdeman.

## For the Town and County of Kingston upon Hull.

The Mayor Aldermen Recorder Sheriff and Chamberlains for the Time being The Wardens of the Trinity House for the Time being Sir Griffith Boynton Sir William St. Quintin Barons Sir Michael Wharmby Sir James Bradshaw Knights William Maiter William Dawson John Legard Ingby Daniel Lake Lillingstone Clerk Bradshaw James Barry Lawler Roger Esquires Mark Kirby William Hyon William Crowle Nathaniel Rogers James Mould John Thomas Towers Wolfe Edmund Dunsdale William Lill Andrew Parnon Joshua Scott John Watson Thomas Broadly Joseph Penney John Rogers Benjamin Wade John Field Charles Best Robert Jackson John Chappelow Broadly Shaw Laurence Robinson John Haglan William Barchus John Barchus Jonathan Brilly Ralph Peacock Gentlemen.

## For the Town of Malton

High Brown Gentlemen Peter Robyng Gentleman Rydell's Anthony Bousson Esquires High Steward Sir Charles Harrington Barret Monmouth Erasmus William Fyche Esquires John Conyns Sergeant at Law Recorder William Brumpton Doctor of Divinity John Ford Samuel Pond Matthew Whitmore Thomas Gibson Gent. Aldermen James Taverner Gentleman Town Clerk John Stephens Roger Farrey Thomas Gresh Isaac Fisker Jacob Bartles Gentlemen Alexander Linley Thomas Alexander Gray John Mame Clerks William Foulger Benjamin Chamberlains Zachariah Taylor Gentlemen Edward Kilday Clerk Edmund Houghley Edward Hawker Esquires William Cox Charles Cox Thomas Richmond Henry May Gentlemen.

## For the Town of Colchester

The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen for the Time being Sir John Mordant Sir Thomas Webster Barons Sir Isaac Rehove Sir Thomas Davall Sir Thomas Cooks Knights John Eldred John Shaw Lemmy Rehove Joseph Tharnton Samuel Rawstone Hope Gifford Thomas Russ William [Hert.] jun: Thomas Green Samuel Reynolds Esquires The Governor of the Bay Hall for the Time being Joseph Coffield Clerk John Savill Matthew Ite John King Mathias Hetherington Gent. Robert Moses Esq: John Freeman George Harrison Richard Daniel Pove Convey Eschel Sherman Jeremiah Daniel Capote Charles Richardson Peter Johnson Edward Brooker Benjamin Cook Gent. John Rayner Benjamin Dyar Arthur Wintley Gentlemen.

## Town of Harwich and Dover Court

Captain Richard Grey Mayor and the Mayor for the Time being Sir Thomas Davall Knight Recorder Sir Isaac Rehove Knight John Ellis Esquire Richard Tye Daniel Smith Charles Smith James Sandford Thomas Langley Philip Dean Captain Philipson Aldermen Captain Robert Stevens Captain Mathew Hunt Miles Redland Captain Burgeses.

## For the rest of the County of Essex

The Honourable Robert Berke Benjamin Molineux William Maynard Esquires Sir Charles Harrington Sir Henry Beadish Sir Harry Hicks Sir Samuel Tryon Sir Francis Mathias Sir Richard Edmund Sir William Luckan [Sir] Robert Jocelyn Sir Thomas Littleton Sir Martin Laxley Sir Henry Elton Sir Edward Smith Sir Robert Bernards Sir Charles Tyrrell Sir Nicholas Garsard Sir Robert Smith Sir Richard Child Sir Peter Soume Sir William Maynard Sir Cane Jener Sir Robert Mathias Sir William Cayton Sir William Daves Sir Edward Bousson Sir John Smith Sir Chpton Allen Sir Henage Fetherston Sir Orlando Bridgman Sir Samuel Mayor Sir Henry Dumas Cole Sir Thomas Webster Barons Sir John Sparrow Sir Edward Turner Sir Thomas Davall Sir John Marshall Sir Thomas Swamp Sir Thomas Cooke Sir Henry Johnson Sir John Houlton Sir Isaac Rehove Sir James Collier Sir William Cole Sir Gilbert Hetheridge Sir James Bousson Sir Jonathan Andrews Sir Stephen [Kraus] Sir Francis Dailwood Sir Michael Hetheridge Sir Richard Heare Sir Samuel Soume Sir William Brown Esquires Sir John Bonart Knight Sergeant at Law Thomas Mallowe Doctor Barret Richard Bacer Esquires John Conyns the Quorum Council Sir Thomas May Sir Edward Whitaker Knight Sir Richard Pyn Lord Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench in Ireland John Green Sergeant at Law John Wych Carew Hervey alias Midway William deker William Gwyed Edward Clarke Thomas Dourcy Robert Bousson William Palmer Anthony Baldolph Henry St. John Francis St. John Strange Jocelyn Henry Gov. Robert Henrywood Ralph Freeman senior Ralph Freeman jun: Charles Turner Thomas Harrington of Hethfield William Peck Richard Harchman Thomas Argill Evan Lloyd William Wright Thomas Denbowe Francis Harrington John Harrington Edmund Waterman Francis Gardner Christopher Fowler Joseph Oflery Anthony Bampton Thomas Mollington Robert Boothby Edward Leigh Nathaniel Touch Richard Vaughan Col Stephen Poyer John Reherston John Nicocks Robert Ashton Thomas Burgh William Beaumont John Tisdall Robert Cole John Eldred senior John Fosse William Westmore Robert Westmore John Cox William Cooke of Chisell James Rolyson of Walden Francis Maitland John Bellock John Lackey Joseph Jory John Fleencer William Walker of Norton Thomas Wesley James Butler George Tyrrell Pace Onslow Thomas Lynges Oliver Dent John Turner of Mowenhill John Knoll Andrew Sirle William Frith Alexander Pascoe William Martin William Harvey John Lubbock William Scott Wilson Nan Thomas Turner John Sparrow John Cressmer Henry Gilecock William Pelham Samuel Westman John Moad Henry Aphell William Moad John Lloyd of Balaban Henry Pyn The Honourable

\* Mart G.

\* inserted on the Roll.

\* James D.

High Seny Esquires Nathan Wright Thomas Cotton Edward Luther of Miles Mansfield Benjamin Francis  
 Deaford Nicholas Carell Nicholas Lawrence senior George Grist Henry Pencil Edward Thoroughgood Thomas  
 Gibson of Dordham Nicholas Winkler John Haywood John Goldbold John Allan James Smith of Wrotham Digby  
 Tufford Francis Begg Christopher George Nicholas Martin Samuel Kanesman Samuel Clarke William Pyche  
 Henry Wright John Mortimer William Marshall Ady Colford Nebenth Lyde Esquires George Brampton Doctor  
 of Law Samuel Warner Edmund Godwyn Dossent Taylor William Hanna Thomas Green John Jodell Joseph  
 Richardson John Savill Wilkin Beyer John Peter Henry Lamb Hope Gifford Charles Wale of Widdon Richard  
 Croyer John Elliot Nicholas Jekyll George Wale of Rotherhithe Thomas Cox Thomas Fardley Benjamin Heskew  
 Abraham Forster John Clarke of Tibury by Chace George Coldham John Nevill Nathaniel Gaudman senior  
 Michael Grantham junior Esquires John Thoroughgood of High Eastons William Raymond Daniel Steven John  
 Fitzpaul John Barlock Henry Althor junior John William Thomas Hickenfild James Sparrow William Mot  
 junior George Amer Thomas William Druce Hall James Coker William Thompson Thomas Elton junior Gentlemen  
 John Courtyes Benjamin at Law Thomas Chambers Ralph Creffield Peter Saller William Russell John Shaw Samuel  
 Reynolds Edward Harlands John Barrett Daniel Smith of Harroth Samuel Smith Giles Brown John Eldred junior  
 Rogers Robert Coates John Rayley Robert Beer Robert May John Reeve Peter Kesterman William Kesterman  
 John Aylett of Becking Robert Glascock John Barrer John Austen John Barlow Edward Nurse Thomas Jackson  
 Thomas Edin John Pearce Thomas Langley junior Thomas Little of Hales John Davis Gentlemen Thomas  
 Cokerode of Canshall William Walford of Becking Gentlemen Thomas Bowdler Samuel Kingsworth Jenningsham  
 Chaplin Robert Wangford John Wale of Sutton Walter William Holgar Edmund Southam Esquires Abraham  
 Wilmer Richard Berfille Gentlemen Silvester Chilton Charles Downing George Hockenbald Esquires Richard  
 Clarke Gentlemen John Wreth junior Edward Percival Joseph Thurston Charles Tynell John Markes Richard  
 Robinson Cuthbert Leonard Brown Esquires Thomas Papps Thomas Langley senior William Radford  
 Gentlemen John Porter of Goring Temple Richard Scott Thomas Wilson Gentlemen Maria Carter Esquire  
 Edward Thurston John Carter David Clarke Robert Harila Samuel Goldsmith William Storey James Fox Gentlemen  
 Evan Pugh John Sparrow of Biddles-Hestingham Richard Spiby Jonathan Reeve Joseph Reeve William Byatt Joseph  
 Dyke James Claxton Martin Livermore Gentlemen Theophilus Boughby Esq. Joseph Martin John Morley Mathew  
 de Samuel Duke Gentlemen William Walker of Lamborne William Barnes Jeremiah Shaw William Bellamy  
 Esquires Zachariah Taylor Robert Wild Timothy Leacy Samuel Jones Esquires Robert Thompson William Cox  
 Charles Cox William Stokes John King Gentlemen Benjamin Roobey William Ellis Thomas Renda Henry  
 Fusham Esquires Edward Ambrose James Richardson Thomas Mitchell James Clarkson Samuel Fowler Richard  
 Tye of Harroth Peter Holyst John Raggles Samuel Thauber James Lamb Joseph Wyatt William Fressen Samuel  
 Thompson William Bolding Gentlemen Wilkin Dyer Godfrey Webster Esquires Wilkin Brampton Daniel  
 Berensenden Edward Hawker Richard Stubbs William Stones of Forrest-Hall Thomas Wentrow Esquires Edward  
 Selwy Merchant Thomas Beaupre John Serle Gentlemen (David) Brule Jonathan Ambrose Esquires M. Joseph  
 Arny M. Edward Jocelyn of High Rodin M. John Dean William Midway Esq. M. John English M. Charles  
 Samuel of Stanfield M. John Rogers John Beaupre William Begg John Taylor Esquires Captain Zachariah  
 Taylor Samuel Fulk Gutz Richard Eggen William Calvert Esquires Richard Reynolds George Crowder Gentlemen  
 James Worley Colonel John Fawcett Thomas Wad Anthony Collins Richard Galsome Thomas Case Leonyng  
 Echow Thomas Ruse Nathaniel Lawrence junior William Spryng James Isaacus Fisher Teach John Cooper Figgitt  
 Har Arthur Bayley James Lockhart Francis Platt Timothy Fokes Cromwell Diddow Thomas Sedy Esquires  
 William Ward of Halesham William Thompson Thomas Roberts Gentlemen Stephen Beckington Esq. M. William  
 Dasher William Glascock Edmund Humphreys George Fath John Dore Nathaniel Mathew Richard Thoroughgood Esq.  
 Robert Rack Richard Cockerell Thomas Wastons Roger Hamond Thomas Green Thomas Harrington Gentlemen Robert  
 Mewer Samuel Burgh Robert Heysham William Maude Mathew Humberstone Esquires Doctor Thomas Hagben  
 Daniel Hockerton Edmund Clark Davie Knightley Chevered Dean of Gloucester Richard Dyon John Gould  
 Edward Raby George Finch Senex Thoroughgood Esquires Thomas Richesford John Savage John Hatcher Gentlemen  
 John Nicholson Herman Gladys senior John Otchay Captain John Brownwell James Bayre John Thoroughgood John  
 Tye Esquires Robert Moore Esquires John Freeman Thomas Goodall Thomas Everett Benjamin Cock John Peter  
 of Werrington Frances Smith of W. Odin Gentlemen Captain Robert Dorrill Thomas Lake Offspring Netham of  
 South Oxenden Thomas Harper of Ower Edmund Kelly of West Hamfild Simon Fuller of Balfin Gentlemen  
 James Chapin Gentlemen Nicholas Beckenridge Jeffrey Stanes Esquires John Bookden Isaac Fresham Thomas Brad  
 Esquires Thomas Strahan Gentlemen Thomas Dent Doctor in Divinity Nicholas Westcombe Nathaniel Maude  
 Andrew Brant Esquires M. John Lister Afra Sanders David Gamell Henry Seaford Josiah Kinnas John Pyar  
 Richard Bude George Roy George Clark Gentlemen Hope Chanderlin William Coteworth James Wakingham John  
 Maude of Ladb John Kemp Ady Mee Richard Andrews David Congard John Nicholas of Woodford Thomas Burwell  
 Robert Barwell Thomas Velly Esquires Thomas Wilford of Becking James Lawrence John Raysham Mathias  
 Hickenfild Gentlemen M. John Wilmer Daniel Darrell Henry Campton John Moore Wilkin East George Braze  
 William Huckerbie James Beck Nicholas Partridge Esquires Thomas Jervill Francis Wyrill Edmund Willmores  
 Peter Nicholas Pelleson Esquires Isaac Hahar John Kirkland Esquires Thomas Parke John Foor James Taylor  
 Gentlemen Samuel Gibbs Richard Hew William Levins Esquires Edward Butler John Cooch John Wright  
 Gentlemen Captain Robert Senex Trafford Smith of Wrotham George Blackhall John Althor Thomas White  
 Esquires Doctor Calah Coteworth Daniel Wray John Beaupre of Chigwell Newdigate Osley Ketwrick Gentlemen  
 George Clarke Herman Oltan junior Thomas Foulstone Robert Waine John Gibbs Esquires Rick rd Bowell  
 John Wick Gentlemen John Hellingworth Philip Bets Ellis Turner Nathaniel Collins William Hatherly Gentlemen

Thomas Duvall Robert Walker Gentlemen John Southey Esquire Wigram Edwards Thomas Chevely Martin Brown Esquires Colonel John Wika Esquire Henry Grey Esquire Robert Young of Dunsenow Gent: Robert Clark Edward Clark Gentlemen Robert Conway Esquire Edward Cuscut Esquire Robert Mason Gentlemen.

For the City and County of the City of Gloucester

The Mayor Aldermen and Sheriffs for the Time being Sir John Powell One of the Justices of the Queen Bench Sir John Gase Sir William Rath Maynard Colchester Edward Cooke Wilkes Trye Francis Windham John Cooke William Guise John Haskary William Cooke John Vary Esquires Nicholas Webb junior Thomas Guise William Smith Gabriel Harris Joshua Worrell Samuel Barnoughs Samuel Hayward Francis Tate John Arnold Rolfe Sheriffrane Thomas Wade William Hodges Gentlemen Nathaniel Lye Doctor of Divinity Richard Cooley Richard Parsons Chancellor of the Exchequer Thomas Ludlow John Gellman Samuel Johnson William Josias William Smith John Singleton James Pacey Thomas Nicholls Thomas Mee Richard Green Capel Longdon Gentlemen.

For the County of Gloucester

William Lord Vincent Tracy of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Gilbert Country Esquire The Right Honourable John How Esquire The Honourable Robert Tracy Esquire One of the Judges of the Common Pleas Sir Robert Adams Knight of the Bath Sir Robert Adams junior The Honourable Sir John Powell Knight One of the Justices of the Queen Bench Sir Richard Omdow Sir John Guise Sir Ralph Dutton Sir Robert Jenkins Sir John Newton Sir Thomas Littleton Barons Sir William Forrester Sir Richard Cooke Barons Sir Michael Hicks Sir Edward Fast Sir George Hunger Sir Richard How Sir William Jonson Sir Richard Hildard Sir William Dumas Sir Thomas Day Sir John Smith John Aplewerth Esquire Master Ascardell junior Sir Thomas Cress John Arnold Esquire Captain Barkham of Lechlade William Baggott John Browning Thomas Brown Henry Curlew Henry Cressock Walter Esmont William Esmont Esquires Miles Beale Stephen Baldwin Gentlemen Giles Esmont of Ninesfield Thomas Edwards Samuel Barker Esquire William Bishwraye John Berkeley Maynard Colchester Konard de la Berr Charles Dowdwell Esquires Edward Field Gentlemen Charles Freeman of Twining Deser John Beale Richard Beken of Haglaw William Chamberlaine Gentlemen Richard Beken of Sate Braville John Dumas Colt Esquires Abraham Farvin Gentlemen Thomas Foley Edward Cooke Esquires William Cooke John Cooke Esquires Thomas Franks Esquire Edmund Beldin William Besser William Bacon of Bacon on the Hill Robert Godrington Edmund Chamberlain Richard Dowdwell Esquires John Dewie Samuel Dobson of the Forest Esq: Richard Dighton Gentlemen Henry Dobbins Esquire Thomas Drom Thomas Dunning Gentlemen William Goffs Esquire George Gwynne Richard Jones Gentlemen Henry Inard Clerk Theophilus Lee Esquire Robert Leader senior William Green Charles Gough Joseph Jones senior Richard Ingles of Sennen William Lawrence Gentlemen Daniel Lysine John Jeffries [Esquire?] Charles Jones Gentlemen John Gase Esquire William Goddard William Jones Esquires Edward Late Doctor Nathaniel Lye William Gaskier of Gylston Manor Robert Goddard Doctor Anthony Lawrence Master Edward Light Master Goddard John Griffin William Gough William Lane Henry Innes Rimon Jones Esquires John Ines Gentlemen Thomas Hale Thomas Hodges John Jenner of Marston William Johnson John Jones of the Farm in South Cerney William Hale Danvers Hodges Esquires Thomas Kble of Southrop John Meredith Esquire Thomas Masters Samuel Harvyn William Hodges Gentlemen John Madox Esquire James Madell Doctor Kinkley Thomas Kings Richard Hyman Esquires William Bates John Meredith junior Daniel Kemble Richard Kble of Lechlade Thomas Marga junior William Moreton Gentlemen Edward [Hil Gabriel?] Hale Esquires John Hopkins John Mee Thomas Merrick William Hestoy Richard Haywood of Redgife Huskiss James Hawkins Gentlemen John Hook of Crocks Nicholas Harding junior Walter Kble of Southrop [M:] Harris of Pethweth John Marmot Esquire Edward Macha Esquire Thomas Manna Walter Nane John Nelson Gentlemen Robert Noydall Esquire Robert Paine John Roger Richard Nest Gentlemen Henry Sackville Esquire William Sought Gentlemen William Pannetford John Pakhurst Esquires Giles Nash Reginald Pinder Nathaniel Pyke Esquires Thomas Parrell Thomas Norwood Doctor Robert Parsons Rector of Oldington Thomas Packer Gentlemen Edmund Prydall William Hayward Esquires John [Trinne?] Esquire Robert Outridge Gentlemen William Playor John Penote Thomas Pinder William Robinson Lionel Rich Thomas Omdow Thomas Rounay John Robins of Marston Robert Stephens Nathaniel Stephens Samuel Robinson Samuel Shepherd Esquires Nicholas Hicks Clerk William Rogers Robert Radcliffe Clerk Thomas Smith Olee Richmond William Rogers of Dowdwell Esquires Philip Shappard Thomas Stephens of Lupton Esquire Smith James Thayne Samuel Treason David Vernon Walter Tate Robert Tate William Winstor William Willer William Try Esquires Thomas Veale Samuel Skinner William John Thomas Workman Gentlemen William Winstor Jasper Chapman Esquires Jasper Selwyn Edward Semon of Tostington John Babour Thomas Yagg Gentlemen Thomas Try Esquire Charles Smith Nathaniel Wade Edward Webb Charles Cooke Esquires George Cosmar William Wilson Nicholas Wrenford Edward Toyle George Townsend Esq: John Collet senior Henry Collet Esq. The Honourable John Tracy Esquire William Whitmore Thomas Warner Esquires Thomas Webb of Gloucester The Bailiffs of Tewkesbury for the Time being Christopher Woodward Thomas Woodward Richard Tupper Gentlemen Edward Chamberlain Esquire Charles Wind Nicholas Trenchard Thomas Chamberlain John Croser Edward Chamberlain of Margrebury Esquire William Brown of Freshay John Broadwell Esquires John Driver William Dodwell Esquires William Frouche John Hyford [Esquire?] Marmot Hyt of Abou John Jacob William Jones [Esquire?] William Holley Edward Houghurst Matthew Hale [Esquire?] Master Jackson at the Parks John Major George

<sup>1</sup> O. omis.

<sup>2</sup> Esquire G.

<sup>3</sup> mentioned in the Roll.

<sup>4</sup> Master G.

<sup>5</sup> Esq. G.

Best Esquire Christopher Bond his Son Henry Cape Esquire Charles Cooks Clerk Jonathan Gendema Esquire Charles Grewell Anthony Collett of Boston Henry Collett of Shingler John Chandler Richard Talboys of Dublin Doctor Greenwood Dean of Gloucester Anthony Edwards Gentleman The Honourable Robert Dormer Esquire One of Her Majesties Justices of the Common Pleas Edmund Bray Esquire John Badgman Hugh Farnsworth Edward Freeman of Clifton Esquire Thomas Dawes John Bellon Gentlemen Edmund Bond John Stanford of Milton First [M<sup>c</sup>.] Best Seed William Smart Thomas Walter Esquire Henry Ware Gentlemen John Simmons of Gloucester John Stoen Wilham Sandys Esquire [M<sup>c</sup>.] Searge of Toldway Edward Stephens of Eastington Gentlemen John Davon William Dunning Gentlemen William Sandage of Seewell Esquire Reynold Bray William Bray Esquires John Brown of Norton James Bennor Gentlemen Mathew Hale Thomas Savage Esquires John Sawney John Seymour Gentlemen Edward Stephens of Lyggyre Esquire George Seall Thomas Seall of Avening Gentlemen Francis Woodward Nicholas Webb of Gloucester junior Thomas Bulb Richard Coddington Clerk George Smith Esquire Thomas Davis William Window [Esquire?] Edward Stephens of Alderley Esquire [M<sup>c</sup>.] Stephen Skene Captain Skene John Vincy Henry Poole Esquires Thomas Pitke Gentlemen George Pitt of Seewell Francis Wyndham Esquire Thomas Berk Gentlemen Thomas Stephens of Lyggyr junior Esquire Mathew Dacy Morton Esquire Captain Michael of Cheltenham Wilham Batoon Thomas Brown of Gloucester Wilham Bridgstock Esq. Giles Bailey Samuel Cooper of Charlton Kings Thomas Backle of Uckington Gentlemen Francis Wells of Preshay Clerk Ralph Willet Clerk Allen Buthart Robert Stephens Nathaniel Day Esquires Nathaniel Bond Thomas Berra Gentlemen John Rogers of Oakley Esquire John Holder of Teynton Gentlemen John Carr of the Farm at Bessock Gentlemen Adam Lyle of [Blacken?] Court Gentlemen David Watts of Upleston Gentlemen Richard Gaverstock Gentlemen George Blackhall Abraham Elton Esquires.

## For the City of Bedford.

The Mayor for the Time being The Right Honourable James Lord Seadenham of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Coningsby of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable James Brydges Thomas Foley James Morgan Henry Cornwall Robert Symonds Robert Delbryns mayor Robert Delbryns junior Hamock Harford Nicholas Philpotts Samuel Birch Esquires Wilham Wadley Care Woadhouse Richard Wadley Richard Poole Gabriel Byke John Home Henry Smith Josiah Taylor Thomas Alden Roger Williams James Lane Benjamin Hill John Wiggins John Hill Richard Hankins Richard Byrdson Wilham Symonds Hugh Robt Edward Weaver John Smith James Lloyd Thomas Rood James Worthington John Papwell Richard Philpotts Gilbert Here Paddy Scordant George Worthington Wilham Radham Charles Polce Wilham Mathews Thomas Fraser Thomas Withemore George Green Rowland Andrews Benjamin Phillips Thomas Papward Thomas Bayley Francis Lamb Maddocks John Simon Gentlemen.

## For the Borough of Leominster.

The Bailiffs for the Time being The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Coningsby of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Robert Crofts Baronet High Sheriff of the said Borough Edward Harley Esquire Recorder of the same John Watson Edward Bingham Isaac Thompson John Dutton Colt Esquire Henry Brown Thomas Harris Price Town Clerk Richard Powle Humphrey Lawrence Richard Hadgou Caleb Powell John Bingham Samuel [Tyler] James [?] Powle James Cornwell John Cornwell John Powle John Whittington Samuel Clarke Edward Williams Thomas Chelmside Wilham Bothe Janstina Twerry John Jennings Francis Nabe John Stanbury Joseph Partridge Thomas Tildesley James Poughell Captain John Cornwell Richard Nicholson.

## For the rest of the County of Bedford.

The Right Honourable the Lord Arthur Somerset Second Son to the late Duke of Bedford The Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Seadenham of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Coningsby of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Robert Harley Esquire One of Her Majesties Principal Secretaries of State The Honourable Henry Thynne Robert Price One of the Barons of the Exchequer Charles Brabazon James Brydges Thomas Cornwall John Seadenham Esquires Sir Francis Charlton Sir Herbert Crofts Sir Barnabas Seadenham Sir Thomas Morgan Sir Bennet Hookes Sir John Packington Sir Richard Cooks Sir Hopens Wilham Sir Edward Gooder Baronet Sir John Williams Knight Sir James Bauman Henry Gages Lawrence Pyrennes James Morgan Sir John Radhall Worthington Anne Biddway John Dutton Colt Edward Cornwall Henry Cornwall Thomas Foley of Witley Thomas Foley of Strat John How Charles Cornwall Samuel Per Herbert Aubrey John Prior Robert Dobbins mayor Edward Harley Samuel Whittington John Salway John Birch Sergeant at Law Wilham Jones of Linsayre Francis Buckerell Marshall Brydges Thomas Wiggins John Nourse Wilham Dunsen senior Wilham Dunsen junior Humphrey Thomas Richard Kipp Thomas Hurley Wilham Hanbury Edmund Lardhouse Francis Brydges Robert Dext Robert Stanes Timothy Gowers John Kirc Richard Bessely Richard Reed Robert Chaplin Younger Cooke Robert Fane Wilham Giffins of Loughton James Woodhouse Henry Wignome Anthony Biddolph Thomas Rawles Humphrey Mays George Carver of Upen Henry Hall of Dunford Samuel Birch Robert Cutler Thomas Giffins John of Withchurch Brindstock Harfield John Youngham of Bucknall Peter Sherburn John Carver Richard Bough John Trist Francis Gowers Wilham Brydges of Colwell John Shepherd Robert Delbryns David Rowlands John Stratford Richard Hoper Henry Trist John Delbry of Eversley Robert Moore John Jeffries Esquires David Williams and Wilham Brewster Doctors of Physick Wilham Barnsley George Mason Merthons Wilham Lamb Wilham Boskyss

• Mace G.

• Esquire G.

• Barons G.

• referred to the Roll.

Thomas Penoyrs of the Moor Thomas Howarth Richard Withersone William Wall William Heydell John and Philip Huskyns of Barnham Henry Jones Thomas Owen of Little Broughton John Scudmore of Treadth Thomas Allmon of Marlington Thomas Carpenter of Tillingham senior James Wentling Thomas Munton John Beveridge of the Breckhous Francis Woodhouse John Killy of Fausdhope Joseph Clark John Harford of Hensley Edward Phely Daniel Kerry senior Thomas Leigh of the Hill John Smith of Humer Alban Thomas Francis Footbrock John Gensly Thomas Carpenter of Tillingham junior John Middlebrook Thomas Harper of Quoth Joshua Cross Nicholas Philpotts Thomas Jemey of Wilewick Paul Williams Gilbert Horne John Corwood of Lenton Joseph Jerry Richard Armes John Holgan Henry Jones junior John Capel [M.] Chamberlain of Lenton William Lewis Thomas Harris John Delahay Farley Osborne John Noble Gey Edl William Dams junior Benjamin Brewster Richard Bond of Walford Capens Norgrave of Markland Richard Price of Bradnor George White of the New Wound Edward Pys Chamberlain Robert Waters of Amursey Thomas Herb Charles Cutler of Ledbury John Hall of Raden John Carpenter and Martin Bedford of Dinton William Phelys of Newton Thomas Rodd William Skanes of Backerton John Barnes of Hall Court and Edward Yennens Gentlemen Allen Cliff of Moshon Esquire Henry Vaughan Gentlemen Samuel Smith Esquire Charles Swift Gentleman Richard Hopson John Skipp John Kirle Enock Robert Symons Esquires George Wallington John Hyatt of the Broome Tusherton Gwilym Henry Jones of Minnow Gentlemen John Walburn Esquire Major Crosby John Abraham of Ash Gentlemen Philip Jackson Esquire Thomas Delahay junior of Treven William Gurnace Gentlemen William Williams William Scudmore John Cox Nicholas Leitchner Simon Truxar Maynard Colchester Markey Abraham Cooke Sherburne William Skewels Cypriot Cornwall Gwyn Harman Esquires John Wellesley Thomas Apperley Doctor of Physick John Carpenter of the Nidfeld Gentlemen John Blais of Kingston Clerk.

For the Borough of St. Albans

The Mayor Recorder and Aldermen for the Time being The Honorable George Churchill Esq. Sir John Bucknall Knight Henry Kilgrew John Cape Joshua Lomax William Brooke Thomas Arrie Lewis Montgomery Esquires Samuel Loft Charles Loft Edward Sebrocke Thomas Croftfield John Tisdell George Cook John Kestish John Leigh senior John Tumbles James Bennet Esquires John Cole Andriesson Thomas Cape Robert New John Dalton Gentlemen

For the rest of the County of Hertford

The Honorable Robert Carril Esquire The Honorable George Churchill Esquire Sir Samuel Garrard Sir Henry Masson Sir Robert Jocelyn Sir John Spencer Sir Thomas Seafight Sir John Napier Sir George Warburton Sir Richard Oslewe Sir Benjamin Maddox Sir Thomas Franklyn Sir Edwin Sadler Sir Thomas Pope Mow Sir William Luckin Sir Peter Seam Sir John Shaw Sir William Buck Baronet Sir Ralph Radcliffe Sir Edward Turner Sir Thomas Rolt Sir David Mitchell Sir John Bucknall Sir Henry Chancery Sir Benjamin Yethbarne Sir William Cox Sir Robert Beuchcroft Sir Thomas Clerk Knight Henry Gey Charles Goss Ralph Freeman senior Ralph Freeman junior Thomas Halsey Robert Elwes Lynon Lyness William Moxness Thomas Hyde William Lockin Gentlemen William Hale Richard Goshorn William Harvey Richard Harrison John Hanson Philip Beeler Edward Rok John Hamer Walter Plummer Edward Chester Robert Chester William Goss James Whitewright John Cape John Aspin William Peck William Lowndes George Hadley Edmund Fild John Wray Francis Pleyer William Levine John Paynter Edward Supper William Barnes William Allen Samuel Robinson George Nades Thomas Park John Lomas John Cook Franklin Miller William Culbert Felix Calvert Simon Harcourt John Coppyn John Christian Abraham Hoshion Richard Hoshion Richard Wynne Robert Elwes junior Edward Hyde John Hyde William Dyer Thomas Peasely Henry Kilgrew William Peasely Ralph Wengem Thomas Blackmore junior Joseph Hale Thomas Ewe Henry Ewe William Hale of Thorley William Peet Williams John Tangle Richard Hatchinson John Woodhouse Edward Noel Joseph Edmunds Nicholas Beasley Robert Kay Thomas Aspin Robert Chester of Eppuray Richard Helder John Smith Inuit Mayo George Mayo Roger Cantingby Samuel Jones Henry Child Thomas Child Edward Briscoe junior William Brooke Edward Brooke de Newbury Thomas Arrie Henry Widdington Richard Woodman Thomas How Pike Croxeth William Gore of Tiding Savage Jocelyn Charles Turner Adolphus Merckish Edward Saymore William Feasens Edward Radcliffe John Aeger Thomas Bennett Henry Knapley Thomas Taylor Joseph Jordan William Gerdiner Thomas Papworth Giles Dunster Thomas Dunster Thomas Day Henry Goghill senior Henry Goghill junior Godwin Joshua Goldsbrough Thomas Bird of Hadon Thomas Heyland Joseph Marsh John Dancombe senior John Dancombe junior Joshua Lomax Thomas Lomax William Pym Francis Rowe Edward Enrick Robert Heydman Spencer Cowper Robert Frangson Edward Smith Robert Markham Richard Waller William Greshall Edmund Radley James Bennet Jonathan Blackwell William Bacon John Kuttley Richard Crowley John Esmeyna George Blackhall John Slaughter John Huskyns John Cockkin Marmaduke Roydon John Kestish John Standford John Richardson William East Daniel Nicholas Philip Farwell Spencer Garrard William Goss George Nevill John Hadley George Neadham Thomas Turner Allen Cox Esquires John Cox senior John Mariner William Jervas Lewis Montgomery John Robinson William Wake John Belden John Cressie John Esmeyna John Whitaw Richard Bardin Morgan Bird Thomas Baldwin Robert Gale Robert Halden John Goghill John Locky Daniel Nicholas John Nichols of Allenhay John Nichols of Mares Richard Emmerton Thomas Emmerton Charles Puch John Ashby Richard Steghead John Higg of Lawrence Edl Richard Threlk Susan Lucas John Roberts William Fletcher George Underwood Robert Thorogood Henry Smith junior of St. Michaels Henry Smith junior of Langley Robert New Richard Duggeril Richard Rigg Matthew Williams John Gell Edward Dewey Richard New Daniel Laddington William How of St. Albans Marmaduke Alliton Francis Kay senior Francis Kay junior Jonathan





## For the Town of Northwich.

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Sir Thomas Hales Sir Samuel Drevell Sir James Gundersen William Broadnax John Graydon John Taylor Esquires William Deeds Doctor of Physick.

## For the Town of Faversham

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Thomas Nisleton Esquire.

## For the Town of Tenterden

Sir George Cheast Robert Austen Esquire [M<sup>c</sup>.] William Finch of Lye Coram [M<sup>c</sup>.] John Holston [M<sup>c</sup>.] Edward Russell [M<sup>c</sup>.] Thomas Sharpe.

## For the Town and Liberty of Sandwich

The Mayor James Bullock and Town Clerk for the Time being Sir Henry Farnese Josiah Barchett Esquire

## For the Town and Port of New Romney

John Brewer Esquire Walter Whitfield Esquire The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being [M<sup>c</sup>.] Edmund Marja [M<sup>c</sup>.] Robert Cole [M<sup>c</sup>.] Robert Muscull.

## For the Town of Lidd

The Mayor Bullock and Jurats for the Time being William Edwards John Skinner Nicholas Dyer Captain Elenden.

## For the Town and Port of Hyth and West Hyth within the Liberty of the said Town and Port

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being John Bantler William Brookman Festplace Norr Esquires

## For the rest of the County of Kent

The Right Honourable the Lord William Villiers Son and Heir Apparent of the Earl of Jersey The Right Honourable Sir George Raikes One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council The Honourable Henric Finch The Honourable James Bertie Esquires Sir Thomas Twissell of Peckham Sir George Brown Sir Thomas Palmer Sir William Hardress Sir John Sedley Sir Thomas Culpeper Sir Robert Masham Sir Philip Boulter Sir Thomas Knatchbull Sir Thomas Stiles Sir Basil Dumas Sir Stephen Leonard Sir James Gundersen Sir John Rapney Sir William Horswood Sir Thomas Hales Sir Humphrey Miller Sir George Parry Sir Robert Fagg Sir Robert Finner Sir John Shaw Sir George Cheast Sir John Morrin Sir John Lathewell Sir Jacob Anley Sir Francis Head Sir Edward Beninson Sir Michael Biddulph Sir Gilbert Heathcote Sir Compton Fitch Sir Richard Sandys Sir Christopher Dewing Sir Martin Lowley Sir Thomas Twissell of Bradburn Sir William Swan Baronet Sir Francis Leigh Sir Robert Finner Sir Nicholas Tooke Sir Edward Gregory Sir Thomas Moore Sir James Edwidge Sir John Sparrow Sir Isaac Ribow Sir John Leigh Sir Richard Rames Knight Henry Lee George Storer Edward Knatchbull William Cags John Brown Thomas King John Machell Matthew Apskey Philip Papillon John Botcher John Tooke James Hays William Ash William Hooker Thos. Shas Jacob des Bourvels Edward Riggs Herbert Randall William Stenswood Francis Balfour John Hild William Broadnax Thomas Delison Leonard Dugby William Lambard Thomas Lambard Jeffrey Amburst of Riverhead Permal Hart Richard Britton John Litch John Gason Samuel Leonard Charles Burgrave Humphrey Syble Richard Thornhill Brucke Bridges James Masters of Yokes Philip Packer Riggs Twissell Edward Filmer John Hardens Nathaniel Deane George Scott Laurence Bridger Humphrey Miller Robert Fane Charles Selby [Archdean] Cadogan de Louste Christopher Wason John Bennett Robert Austen James Masters John Taylor William Brookman Thomas Moyle William de Laune Esquires Sir James Bence Baronet George Petty William Selby Peter Delaby William Aldworth Edward Clay John Perry Major Gibson Thomas Osborne Ralph Boken Edward Goshall Reynolds Peckham William Sanderson John Wilkinson William Haywood of [Edinburg] Richard Goshall Thomas Masley Thomas Lake William Fleetwood John Moslow Simon Biddulph Edward Laver Henric Dremay Edward Corfield Robert Kennard William Glazell Robert Gore Nicholas Cooke Henry Gundersen John Nisleton Short Hawley James Hawley James Codd Robert Heath John Evelyns Edward Austen William Wilkinson William Emmerton Leonard Baskinshaw Dreyton Roberts George Gilford William Roberts Charles Faraday Thomas Felley John Buggin John Benn Fisher Robert Horswood Abraham Hill Edward King Francis Barrell Edward Grace Thomas Gifford James Farrey Esquires Edward Davenport Captain Pellet John Godden Norrish Ran Godfrey Maseud Arnold King Ellis Casella William Herman Francis Warrinsea Captain Perch Daniel Ware Captain Stephens Thomas Scott William Courbope Samuel Manner William White Charles Pass Thomas Nisleton Edward Nax Robert Mitchell Thomas Wacher Samuel Shaw Thomas Selvyd Edward Nisleton John

1661 John Crompte John Dyke Edward Tonks Charles Kendrick Richard Mabe John Godfrey John Bond William  
 Turner Henry Godfrey William Baxter Roger Kirby Edward Bagshaw Peter Godfrey Thomas Turner Samuel  
 Mills Hunsford Tugman Stephen Ashton Charles Cesar Francis Wheeler Richard Simms William Tyndall William  
 Spencer John Seely John Brown William Dixon John Coppag of Deal Thomas Morrie Charles Fagg Thomas  
 George Esquires Doctors William Deris Thomas Nowe Esquire Boys Captain Watson Henry Deale Thomas  
 Turner Doctor Salabary Cade the Mayor of Rochester for the Time being John Hogg junior William Head  
 Nathan Hayes David Heath the Mayor of Maidstone for the Time being Gervas Calvert Francis Black George  
 Pryor William Rinder William Weldish Francis Curle John Bryan Thomas Fagg William Brox Gentlemen.  
 The Mayor of Gravesend for the Time being Christopher Warton William Tans Thomas Chiffinch James Brooke  
 George Charter Edward Chapman Robert Conay Fitzpatrik Stott John Ball Balgaine Deppa Kenneth Gregory  
 James Bonner John Skinner Thomas Waller William Borewell Carew Halford William Woodlyer Robert Holden  
 of Hastings Lake Spencer Thomas Lamer Thomas Plemmar William Symmonds Felix Cadwell Nicholas Smith  
 junior Gilbert Kneller John Robinson Edward Chapman John Holman Benjamin Crocker John Masell The Mayor  
 of Gresham Charles Finch William Hodgkin William Smith John Norriss William Finch Gentlemen (\*) John  
 Pollitt John Ambrose William Erasmus Thomas Maywood Samuel Levin Francis Nicholson Edward Bigham  
 Richard Semson Richard Smeaton Edwin Wyatt Seijones at Law John Dyke Stephen Ashton Edward Beecher  
 John Bannant Thomas Marshall Isaac Lowder Esquires Richard Goodfellow George Chidman Gregory Page Mathias  
 Peckles Marryott Pitt Arthur Appley John Goodridge Robert Bennett William Hewson of Charing Joseph  
 Wright Captains William Farley Captains Thomas Jennings Joseph Leman Mayor Richard Ekins Thomas Carle  
 Isaac Walter Gentlemen The Ballials and Jurors of Romney Marsh and the Expenditor for the Five Waterings  
 Jack Bridges junior Frederick Horne Solomon Hougham Edwin Wye John Sange Richard Gos John Stepham  
 Junor Courtships Samuel Boys John Tuckor Esquires Charles Pollitt Robert Darret Walter Haynes John Masell  
 Charles Manning of Dartford William Lee of Woolwich Richard Head Thomas Marshall Edward Beerna John  
 Jewell Christopher Searle Anthony Ball of Bransley William Denew Captain Peter Martin Richard Baker Joseph  
 Mills Gentlemen Smiling Thomas Robert Thompson Esquires John Nares Edward Nephther James White  
 Gentlemen Henry Stephens of East Church John Hicocks John Ball John Walter Esquires William (\*) Burton  
 Gent Thomas James Nathaniel Smith Finch Humphrey Walter Walden Richard Thomas of Lamberth Esquires  
 Robert Carr Gent Peter Burnell Edward Boys George Barrett Thomas Jenkins Esquires Robert Yardley John  
 May Thomas Rogers of Woolwich Gentlemen John Geydon Stephen Lushington Esquires George Carter John  
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 Durren Gent Richard Bowerer Robert Kennard Richard Wood Gentlemen Zachary Kingsford Francis Wrysell  
 William Dew [Esquires] Porter Chaplin Dutton Seale Richard Shalder George Lenny Derring Henry Potter  
 Chidlin William Dew Major Samuel Skott Captain William Watson Robert Gibbon George Ballard [Esquires]  
 John Holman Gent George Verney Thomas Farrington [Esq.] Thomas [Best Edward] Maps Gent Sir Henry  
 Fausse Knight Reginald Peckham junior Josiah Barchett Henry Vane Thomas Deak Esq. Thomas Rogers  
 Thomas East Thomas Lock Gabriel Walters John Burys John Widgic Gentlemen David Pollitt Juriam  
 Champney Charles Aldworth William Hambleton Gregory Page John Durren Mathias Hickerfild George  
 Henry William Colseper Philip Gibbons Esquires John Moun John Callist Gentlemen Joseph Kirk of Charlton  
 John Courtships of Hornsunder William Storywood of Chertown Henry Pollitt Samuel Ogley Thomas Belcher  
 Christopher Des Boveries Thomas Dolben Esquires Sir Ambrose Cowley Knight [M.] Henry Walter Godfrey  
 Walter Esquire [M.] West of Lee John Conle Esquire Doctor Glessen Doctor Grant Probands of Rochester  
 William Whitfield Joseph Kirk [Esquires] Thomas Watson Thomas Whitest Captain Jordan Sandy Sir Owen  
 Buckingham Abraham Harrison Henry Pollitt (\*) Baldeys Deppa junior Samuel Beiler Philip Gibbons John  
 Waker Esquires.

## For the County Palatine of Lancaster

The Honourable Charles Stanley Esquire the Honourable Henry Finch Dean of York the Honourable Edward  
 Finch Rector of Wigan the Honourable Robert Booth the Honourable Geoff Booth Sir Charles Houghton Sir  
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 John Hand Sir Thomas Stanish Sir John Bragman Barons Sir William Fleming Barons Sir Alexander Rigby  
 Sir Edward Chiswell Knights Richard Shartworth Robert Heysham William Heysham Thomas Leigh John Ward

\* John Lake Peckes Minstrel Esquire Thomas Bannant Gentlemen G.

\* Barrow of G.

\* Moore G.

\* Esquires G.

\* mentioned on the Roll.

\* Thomas Pollitt G.



## For the use of the County of Leicester

The Right Honourable John Lord Marquis of Granby Son and Heir Apparent of John Duke of Rutland The Right Honourable Scroop Lord Viscount Howe of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Viscount Windsor of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Bennett Lord Steward of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Thomas Coke Vice Chamberlain to Her Majesty Household The Honourable Charles Bertie Esquire The Honourable Doctor Verney The Honourable John Noll Esquire The Honourable George Watson Esquire Sir William Villars Sir Robert Hastings Sir Thomas Mackworth Sir Thomas Cave Sir John Manners Sir John Chester Sir William Beaumont Sir Gilbert Pickering Sir George Sackville Sir Wolstan Dixey Sir Richard Hallifax Sir Edward Smith Sir Benjamin Hobson Sir William Ellis Sir Nathaniel Curzon Sir John Hargreaves Esquire Sir Edward Wigley Sir Edward Albery Sir Charles Dancowbe Knight Robert Hedcliffe Jeffrey Palmer Edward Smith John de la Fausnais Richard Shuttleworth Thomas Babington Crew Olley William Chester Thomas Earl William Whaley junior John Coke Edward Harvey John Aylshy John Wilkes James Worsley John Thornburgh Richard Halked Stephen Harvey Thomas Boothby George Wright Charles Jennins Francis Moody Henry Turner Esquire at Law Nathaniel Johnson Clerk of the Parliament George Aubrey Thomas Gillingham Esquire Thomas Grubly Thomas Beadwell William Inge Charles Morris Richard Lister John John Roper Richard Evelyn George Herwin William Boothby John Wilson Robert Wilson Thomas Harrop Roger Rowland Woodhouse Pack Samuel Blanchbridge Esq. Bowell Archdale Palmer William Boothby junior James Hodges John W. John William Woodhouse William Chaslyn Henry Tice Thomas Galsworthy Henry Highall Harry Dyson Richard Chaslyn Barclay Street Edward Nicolson William Whaley junior Leonard Vow James Hallall John Atkins Henry Low William Heycock Hackett John Marriott William Rodings Walter Rodings George Rodings William Aubrey Henry Gosse Shugborough John Charrell Mead Roger Smith George Pechin Thomas Goldcott William Foster Robert Dingley William James Samuel Cotton Barnard Capan John Major William Harrop John Mordaunt Doctor John Gory Doctor Henry Hechance John Brown William Phillips William Belgrave John Boscilge John Boscilge Thomas Charnels William Frank Michael Waglaen Matthew Symonds Thomas Broadgate William Boscilge John Worsleyman Torengham Stephens Charles Farman Samuel Shallicross Esquire John Goodman of Barcon Miles Watworth Henry Smith William Clerk John Smith Robert Smith Charles Harrold Edward Reynolds Thomas Loring William Mead Richard Burgess William Wells senior William Wells junior Robert Smalley John Oldenham John Hall Hicks Beveridge Edward Maggleston Thomas Widdington William Joyce Gentlemen George Newell Bachelor at Law Richard Cox Andrew Barnaby Samuel Daniel and John Otter Clerks.

## For the County of Lincoln and City of Lincoln and County of the said City

The Right Honourable John Lord Marquis of Granby Son and Heir Apparent of John Duke of Rutland The Right Honourable Peregrine Lord Willoughby Son and Heir Apparent of the most Noble Marquis of Lindsey Lord Great Chamberlain of England The Right Honourable the Lord William Powlett Second Son of the late Duke of Bolton The Right Honourable [the] Lord Steward of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable William Giff The Honourable Charles Cecil The Honourable Charles Beale senior The Right Honourable Peregrine Bertie One of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council The Honourable Albemarle Bertie The Honourable Charles Bertie The Honourable James Beale The Honourable [M<sup>rs</sup>] Verney The Honourable James Sanderson The Honourable Wray Sanderson The Honourable Colonel Thompson Sir Henry Mordaunt Sir John Tyndale Sir John Rolles Sir Thomas Trollop Sir George Merthons Sir Willoughby Hickman Sir William Ellis Sir William Masingbeard Sir Fulwar Skipwith Sir Rowland Wynn Sir Edward Rutkyn Sir Thomas Willoughby Sir Robert Dutton Sir John Thorsell Sir Charles Osby Sir John Newton Sir Thomas Clugna Sir Thomas Skipwith Sir Edward Parnes Sir Thomas Rolt Sir Michael Wharfen Sir William Rock Sir Edward Housay Sir John Sherard Sir Harphall Warrington Sir Richard Carr Sir Richard Wrench Sir Edward Inby Barons Sir Thomas Mordaunt Sir Thomas Trollop Sir John Moss Knight The Honourable Chespen Dymocke Charles Bertie junior Hugh Fortment Stephen Rothwell Christopher Hales Joseph Short William Thomas de Réby Richard Sherwood John Booth de Roston Henry Newwood William Mordaunt Cyrus Woodall Peter Short William Long de Burton John Nickleways junior Thomas Newcombe Robert Rothwell Edward Dymock de Lincoln John Pier Martin Brown Henry Thorsell John Wilkyn John Apleyrd George Laugan Richard Ellis Charles Dymock de Gouthorpe John Bryan Philip Newe Rowson Eliot Thomas Lister William Stamford William Hyde Thomas Ynker Samuel Wyndham Gilbert Berry Edward Hales Anthony Whitfield Christopher Beauford Francis Fox Viscount Grantham George Whitcomb Bryan Nevill Peter Bathurst John Chagles Cyprian Thornton Richard Hallifax Thomas Barrell de Dowley Jonathan Gentile Snow Richard New Robert Goodall Lewis Hare Henry Horne William York Thomas York John Tallor Robert Fisher Daniel de Ligne Sigismund Trafford James Boller Ralph Pearson Richard Parker William Ambler Robert Pinder Mathew Pinder Thomas Cox George Newcombe Charles Fox Charles Bates Francis Anderson John Leach of Horwastle Esquire Stephen Haddon of Spalden William Hardy Thomas Hardy Benjamin Smith Richard Cuffbert Gentlemen William Wilson Samuel Barker Thomas Abbott John Ely Edwin Anderson John How John Towne William Towne George Smith Richard Willoughby David White Warner Warner Richard Beadell John Chaslyn Peter Maynard Thomas Hales Robert Sanden Adam Hild Isaac Newton John Burton William Buxton William Cotton John Appleyard John Key William Taylor de Heckington Dymocke Walpole Anthony Burton Humphrey Hild Anthony Thompson Henry Lamb William Stafford John Quincey Robert Jackson Thomas Bithells Charles Berry

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 Thomas Poole Robert Harris Henry Keywood Eustace Norton Edward Wilby Bevil Witherley William Delamare  
 Henry Andrews of Osgoby Humphrey Watson John Browne William Wilby Henry Bolton John Hodson Robert  
 Calkerton Peter Haseock George Browden Gentlemen George Leese Doctor Redier George Mosson Richard  
 Wynne William Erke Esquires John Skelton Gilbert Brown Robert Long Henry Bell Gentlemen John Thorold  
 Andrew Hackett Thomas Emerson Edward Pain John Pitt John Poley Esquires Arthur Moore George White John  
 French senior Richard Gilbert John Shaw John Thornbough John Warrop John Garland Gentlemen Thomas  
 Lodington Doctor of Civil Law Henry Cook John Gape William Marwood Thomas Brook Gentlemen Charles  
 Calkerton William Hyde Thomas Thorne Esquires Anthony Palmer Charles Bowles Gentlemen The Mayor  
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 Kike John Towne William Towne Edward Garthwaite Joshua Tidd Edward Haywood Thomas Johnson John  
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 Nicholas Newmans William Trollop John Goodrick Samuel Lodington Edward Turrey David Fells William  
 Bartholme Isaac Gardner Edward Secher John Bradfield William Desjaily John Colcraft William Chapman  
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 Thomas Young William Thompson of Rotholme John Halsey John Fisher Philip Stanford George Clayton William  
 Portrey John Wayman Samuel Cooper William Abell William Snow Christopher Reade William Chapman de Margate  
 John Fensale James Robert Laming William Fells William Stewens Langley Gue Arthur Cross John Brown  
 William Arlark John Phillips Thomas Mace John Tulley James Talley Richard Miter Robert Cracraft Christopher  
 Rolston Richard Chapman William Woolby Henry Newe de Skelbrook Robert Dymock George Dabwood Richard  
 Stanford Edward Gresham George Hardy Richard Kellian Peregrine Waller Robert Palmer Sepia West Plowood  
 Farington John Nichol Morris Leman William Witherley Thomas Cooley Richard Salt Michael Behn William  
 Fallock William Gunt of Buntingham Matthew Kirke Edward Brown of Gresford Brown junior of  
 Gresford William Trollop John Peachter Charles Norton Samuel Preston Richard Delton Esquires Thomas Key  
 John Middlelife Thomas Nicholl John Parker Samuel Bevan Edward Broadhead William Gervile Vincent Atmore  
 de Harrington Motron of Ingildeswell Richard Polkington John Bobb Thomas Willington Gentlemen  
 William Gilly of Lincoln Zachary Barton Sponsor John Armap Gentlemen Webb Robert  
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 Eastled of Buntingham Anthony Thompson of Boothby Edmund Ingelfill John Marshall Robert Gaudin David  
 Field William Alcock William Tulley Joseph Chapman Samuel Neale Robert Popplewell Mark Richard Gervile  
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 Robert Cogges John Popplewell William Woolby Samuel Motman John Thony John Shaw Dymock of Gersly  
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 Thompson Gentlemen William Marshall of Thursthorpe Matthew Benschert William Caseworth Esquires Edward  
 Darrell William Sorevan William Alcock of Ingelham George Sewring John Robertson Doctor Leigh of Gresham  
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 Esquire Richard Walslow John Elwell Esquires.

For the City of London and Liberty of St. Martin le Grand

The Right Honourable John Smith Esquire Speaker of the House of Commons and One of Her Majesties most  
 Honourable Privy Council The Lord Mayor and Aldermen for the Time being Sir Salustius Lovell Recorder and  
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 Sir Simon Harcourt Knight Her Majesties Attorney General Sir James Montague Her Majesties Solicitor General  
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 Sir Thomas Watson Sir William Hedges Sir Robert Cotton Baroness Sir John Backworth Sir Henry Farnese  
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James Beaman Sir Richard Rainer Sir Gabriel Roberts Sir Stephen Evans Sir John Cape Sir Robert Adams  
 Sir George Newland Sir William Milnes Sir William Brown Sir Edward Wells Sir William Benson Sir Ambrose  
 Crowley Knights The Honourable Henry Page Esquire Sir Theodore Jones Sir William Humphreys Sir Richard  
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 Philip Pughell William Strong John Jeffreys William Dubovory George Roddington William Fooker Richard  
 Charles Godolphin Henry Connah John Ward Edmund Reuter Matthew Haskewstone Martin Ryder  
 Duncan Dr John Morgan John Dunde Thomas Vernon Nathaniel Waters John Scott Samuel Oagley Thomas  
 Powell William Beckford Arthur Moss Edward Clarke Nathaniel Tench Godfrey Webster Thomas Coalson  
 William Nicholas Joseph Mayle Joseph Martin in Road Lane William Lewis Frederick Horne Robert Ashurst  
 Alexander Field Nathaniel Horne Francis Eyles William Eberick Richard Cradock Robert Child Robert Heysham  
 Thomas Hall Leonard Wensell Thomas Scovon Amathus Churchill Thomas Radshaw Richard Taylor Foot  
 Oaker George Townsend John Marice Nathaniel Gold Michael Perry Thomas Guy William Coatsworth John  
 Lane John Lenz John Nicholas John Bliars Thomas Andrews John Moore in Messing Lane Esquires D. Henry  
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 Cayson John Harvey Samuel Rawlins senior Henry Raper William Goodfield William Ford Capain Samuel  
 Eyreth Abraham Tutton Francis Forke Abraham Houlton Francis Pastoret Thomas Ennes Felix Peat Richard  
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 John Hais John Nicholson Robert Compton Thomas Peace William Brown Merchant Gibson Bagall Richard  
 Glover John Hungerford Esquire Thomas Hammond Thomas Lockington Joseph Chaplin James Oates Gabriel  
 Smith Roger Hudson Thomas Turckfield Thomas Selter Peter Fisher Benjamin Hooper John Blackhall Charles  
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 William Rouse Robert Knight Benjamin Smith Thomas Cole Edward Ribbar William Scolling Timothy Lowry  
 Esquire Richard Reiske Benjamin Rookby Samuel Jackson George Nichols John Midgley Daniel Wray William  
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 Bellack Edmund Clarke Thomas Fryer Josias Ogley John Pettit Samuel Lock Thomas Clarke Thomas Carpenter  
 junior Charles Harle Daniel Allen Samuel Lettisher Edward Sraze Robert Clavell Rupert Brown Charles Lee  
 Thomas Stinger Ambrose Cox Charles Marshall Braken Smith Ephraim Beauchamp Paul Deconque Esq  
 John Schoepers Anthony Hammond Henry Grould Edward Hammond William Peckell Matthew Lock Esquires  
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 John Watson John Morron Humphrey Mance Samuel Brewster Thomas Gheen Charles Dakins Major Robert  
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 Sherry James West William Dimes John Rolfe John Curzonell Thomas Curzonell Francis Porter Christopher  
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 James Tucker Peter Duncan Thomas Stone senior Nathaniel Hudson Capata William Smith Thomas George  
 Richard Cook Richard Chiswell Benjamin Joseph Richard Taylor senior Joshua Foster John Barker Daniel Wifmet  
 Richard Clark Jeremiah Marbin Daniel Clark Joseph Bagall John French Franquier Thomas Ward Thomas Oldy  
 Thomas Fenners Berthelewes Palmer Jeremiah Jazays Thomas Jazays John Aplche Isaac Crabb Robert Yardley  
 Robert Stockdale Joseph Martin in Lere Lane Charles Russell William Blumfield Robert Baylis John Amy John  
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 Viner Duxor Calk Coatsworth John Stone Gunfman Benjamin Tadmam Peter Delrose Zachariah Fossil  
 Randolph Kaype Wilmet Gore Esquire William Brown Samuel Eyre William Proctor Edward Morris Sergeant  
 Richardson Hammond Peter Edward Fowler William Ramsay Esquire John Primaty John Longard Esquire Robert  
 Adams Joseph Major Esquire James Whitbarch William Perce Daniel Shilling John West John White Peter Jo  
 Sire Esquire Henry Daniel Gregory King Alexander Jacobs Samuel Road John Joshua Joseph Markes Thomas  
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 Dubovory John Pett Capata Timothy Thumbury Henry Lyell John Andrews Merchant Thomas Peishome  
 James Tully Thomas Mann Richard Hickock Samuel Barker Esquire William Gold Matthew Benson Thomas  
 Corbin Lawrence de la Chausse Edward Grosvenor Charles Coze Charles Mason Edmund Whetson Esquires  
 John Cox in Millier Square William Hodges Esquire Philip Shepard John Hawkins Thomas Clarke Edmund Clerk  
 William Percot Deputy Prison Thacker Samuel Felles Francis Lee Samuel Overig junior

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## For Serjeants Inn in Chancery Lane

The Lord Chief Justice Holt [M.<sup>c</sup>] Justice Powell [M.<sup>c</sup>] Justice Gould [M.<sup>c</sup>] Baron Bary [M.<sup>c</sup>] Baron Price [M.<sup>c</sup>] Justice Doreau [M.<sup>c</sup>] Serjeant Lonsell [M.<sup>c</sup>] Serjeant Hall [M.<sup>c</sup>] Serjeant James Selby [M.<sup>c</sup>] Serjeant Chatham [M.<sup>c</sup>] Serjeant Barnston.

## For Serjeants Inn in Fleet Street

The Lord Chief Justice Trevor The Lord Chief Baron Ward [M.<sup>c</sup>] Justice Powys [M.<sup>c</sup>] Justice Benson [M.<sup>c</sup>] Justice Tracy [M.<sup>c</sup>] Baron Smith Sir John Turtin Sir Thomas Powys [M.<sup>c</sup>] Serjeant Hooper Sir Thomas Parker Serjeant Wynn Serjeant Selby Serjeant Connors.

## For the Inner Temple and Inn of Chancery thereto belonging

William Bartley Esq.; Treasurer Sir Simon Harcourt Knight Her Majesty's Attorney General Edward Jennings Esquire and the rest of the Benchers of that Society.

## For the Middle Temple and Inn of Chancery thereto belonging

Sir William Wrothlocke Knight and John Conyers Esquire Her Majesty's Counsel Sir Edward Northey Knight and the Treasurer for the Time being and the rest of the Benchers of the said Society

## For Lincoln Inn and the Inn of Chancery thereto belonging

Sir James Montague Knight Her Majesty's Solicitor General Robert Eyles Esquire One of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law The Treasurer for the Time being and the rest of the Benchers of the said Society Henry Flemyng George Naylor Richard Foley and George Townsend Esquires.

## For Gray's Inn and the Inn of Chancery thereto belonging

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## For the Palace of Whitehall and Saint James's.

The Right Honourable Francis Lord Ryalston Son and Heir Apparent of the Earl of Godolphin The Right Honourable Sir Thomas Mordaunt Baronet Comptroller of Her Majesty's Household The Right Honourable Henry Boyle Esquire The Right Honourable Thomas Coke Esquire Vice Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household The Honourable Robert Cecil Esquire The Honourable Henry Paget Esquire The Honourable James Braggs Esquire Sir Thomas Fildes Baronet Sir John Stanley Baronet Sir William Forrester Knight Sir Charles Cornwall Knight Sir Christopher Wren [Knight Henry St. John's] junior Esquire William Baskewill Esquire Charles Sutherland Esquire Edward Gifford Esquire Charles Godfrey Esquire George Churchill Esquire John Charles Esquire John Howe Esquire Spencer Compton Esquire James Clark Esquire Thomas Latre Esquire Thomas Arthur Esquire Francis Anna Esquire John Tucker Esquire Richard Wynn Esquire Thomas Hopkins Esquire Francis Nisps Esquire Peter Haase Esquire John Perry Esquire Joseph Addison Esquire Freeman Lewis Esquire William Lowndes Esquire Sir Edward Lawrence Knight John Gascoigne Esquire Henry Ledlow Esquire John Vankrugge Esquire Clements King at Arms Peter Leneve Esquire Morrey King at Arms.

## For the City and Liberty of Westminster and the Liberties thereof

The Right Honourable John Smith Esquire Speaker of the House of Commons and One of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council The Right Honourable Richard Earl of Ranelagh of the Kingdom of Ireland The Lord William Pringle Second Son to the late Duke of Belem The Right Honourable John Lord Viscount Fitzharding of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Henry Lord Hyde Son and Heir Apparent to the Lord Rochester Henry Lord Woodstock Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Portland Baron Lord Bessard of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Coningsby of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Charles Lord Tynny of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Sir Thomas Mordaunt Baronet Comptroller of Her Majesty's Household The Right Honourable Henry Boyle Esquire Chancellor of the Exchequer The Right Honourable Robert Harley Esquire Principal Secretary of State The Right Honourable Sir Charles Holles The Right Honourable Richard Hill Esquire The Right Honourable Sir George Rooke The Honourable Colman Philip Howard The Honourable James Standonron Esquire Sir John Woolsthorpe Sir Robert Mordaunt Sir William Courtney Sir William Henrywood [Sir'] Robert Cotton Sir Richard Onslow Sir John Hingham Sir Thomas Leighton Sir Henry Marwood Sir Philip Parker The Right Honourable James Vernon Esquire Sir Edmund Poleman Sir Henry Dalton Col Sir Peter Vandeput Sir Richard Newman Sir John Cotton Sir John Hamble Sir Richard Newman Sir Gilbert Dahlen Sir Thomas Skipton Sir William Hoar Sir Edward Waldo Sir Thomas Hansacre Sir Charles Holles Sir

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 Benjamin Bayley Charles Hooper Peter Larner Thomas Moody John Andrews William Lilly Thomas Kromson  
 Henry Trem Robert Pease Charles Carr Kossin Russell Robert Hudson Charles Hudson Carver Reynolds Joseph  
 Grosbous Philip Brigham William Nash Thomas Carr Daniel Andrews William Hookes George Chene  
 Thomas Baker Marmaduke Bading Thomas Crathcock William Dale John Maccock Alexander Small Richard  
 Rydoff Matthew Edwards William Smith Thomas Dance Thomas Phillips John Stone Robert Stone Edward Noble  
 John Davis Thomas Conspire James Elsworth Samuel Slater John Bell Thomas Mills Edward Atghery Thomas  
 Hardwick Thomas Tarrant Jeremiah Elwell John Beall Thomas Cole William Haman William Hayton Lawrence  
 King Robert Rogers Francis Best John Edmes Humphrey Hetherington Joshua Whitehead Thomas Marshall  
 Seals Gostley Henry Cross Thomas Jones James Vasey James Williamson William Smith William Elliott senior  
 Edward Beard Edward Bird William Elliott junior Richard Jackson James Tully John Brackett Evan Lloyd  
 Charles Greenwood Benedict Moll George Noble James Sals Leonard Plucknett Henry Ludlow John Knight and  
 William Knight John Ralston Edward Lloyd William Bellamy Robert Thornhill junior Richard Dickson John  
 Fisher George Mortimer Edward Tuffall John Holmes Miss Gminger Richard Page Thomas Tomsen Thomas  
 Whitehead James Kales Thomas Wadmore Samuel Mitchell Robert Jeff James Vasey Roger Smith John Nichols  
 senior John Nichols junior Thomas Post Constable Wheeler William Fisher John Smith senior John Smith junior  
 Stephen Terry John Woodward William Richardson Thomas Bams John Nicholas Joseph Bormsey Richard  
 Jackson Joseph Smith William Tully John Chamberlain Doctor John Polke John Lowe John [Partridge?] Edward  
 Rumball Maye Penrhone Captain Joseph Fozzys John Isledon John Braghton Samuel Beck Thomas  
 Jen junior Richard Alard Hault[u?]y Edward Salisbury Anna Keaton Richard Vincent George Wright  
 Thomas Smith Thomas Robinson Lancelot Kent Francis Kemton Richard Phillips John Mills Genderson Roger  
 Smith Esquire Paul Collins Thomas Bakkeys Gentlemen William Wallis William Rollinson Maximilian Stephens  
 Thomas [Lightner?] Richard Butler and Richard Pagett Esquires George Tuffnell Stephen Emmett John Marshall  
 Stephen Barnes Thomas Barnes Esquires.

For the rest of the County of Middlesex

The Right Honourable John Smith Esquire Speaker of the Honourable House of Commons and One of Her  
 Majesties most Honourable Privy Council the Right Honourable the Earl of Hertford eldest Son to his Grace  
 the Duke of Somerset the Right Honourable the Lord Edward Russell and the Lord James Russell Sons of his  
 Grace William late Duke of Bedford Henry Lord Colborne of the Kingdom of Ireland the Right Honourable  
 Robert Harley Esquire One of Her Majesties Principal Secretaries of State the Right Honourable Sir John Holt  
 Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesties Court of Queens Bench the Right Honourable Sir John Trevor Master of the  
 Rolls the Right Honourable Sir Thomas Trevor Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas the Right Honourable  
 Sir Edward Ward Lord Chief Baron of Her Majesties Court of Exchequer The Lords Commissioners of the  
 Admiralty for the Time being The Commissioners of the Excise for the Time being Sir Simon Harcourt Her  
 Majesties Attorney General Sir James Montague Her Majesties Solicitor General the Honourable Henry Popham  
 Robert Posen Casses Howard James Berke Robert Berke Thomas Newport Gilbert Conway Robert Sherley  
 Philip Howard James Brydges Peregrine Bards Hugh Hare Thomas Warrworth Esquires Sir John Hutton Sir  
 Honourable the Lord Mayor of London for the Time being Sir John Wolvenstone Sir John Cope Sir Edward  
 Seymour Sir Thomas Franklin Sir Thomas Franklin Sir Hede Hook Sir Thomas Hales Sir John [Husband?] Sir  
 Case James Sir Henry Johnson Sir Richard Middleton Sir Richard Nevill Sir Richard Oakes Sir Charles  
 Pyle Sir John Smith Sir Thomas Skagwith Sir Robert Dacy Sir Michael Wharton Sir John Copley Sir James  
 Ashe Sir Philip Boteler Sir Robert Miersden Sir John Bowden Sir Richard Raynall Sir William Rooper Sir  
 Robert Davies Sir Basil Firbank Sir Charles Gerard Sir James Robinson Sir Roger Hill Sir John Stanley Sir  
 Henry Dutton Colt Sir Henry Ashhurst Sir Robert Smith Sir Samuel Gerard Sir Godfrey Copley Sir Marmaduke  
 Widdall Sir Edward Bennett Barons Sir Charles Holles Sir Edward Abney Sir William Ashurst Sir Robert  
 Davies Sir John Backwell Sir Owen Buckingham Sir Francis Lee Sir Francis Blake Sir Henry Bellais Sir Charles  
 Connell Sir Thomas Cook Sir Lucas William Child Sir Francis Child Sir John Cooper Sir John Cope Sir James  
 Emswale Sir Thomas Rasthous Sir Thomas Greenham Sir John Hookens Sir Richard Hallford Sir Michael  
 Hemyng Sir Thomas Tressell Sir Joseph Jekyll Sir Robert Legard Sir Thomas Lane Sir Thomas Powell Sir John  
 Parsons Sir John Nere Sir Thomas Rolt Sir William Trumbull Sir William Wagon Sir Edward Wallis Sir William  
 Whitlock Sir Edward Frewen Sir Thomas Middleton Sir Charles Dancombe Sir Josely Jeffreys Sir Sebastian Manners  
 Sir Edmund Harcourt Sir Edmund Turner Sir John Williams Sir John Darrell Sir Thomas Mowat Sir Joseph Wolfe  
 Sir Roger Jennings Sir Edward Turner Sir Humphrey Edwin Sir Thomas Almy Sir Samuel Blount Sir John Leake

Sir Thomas Dorell Sir Richard Hear Sir Edward Humes Sir William Croves Sir Stafford Fairbairn Sir Charles  
 Thorsell Sir Stephen Fox Sir Edward Wemyss Sir John Bennett Sir Benjamin Geyser Sir George Newbold Sir William  
 Baines Sir Jonathan Andrews Sir William Milman Sir John Cook Sir Roger Jennings Sir John Elwell Knight. All  
 the Masters in Chancery for the Time being John Astor William Astor John Aldrich Robert Anderson John  
 Agar Henry Ashurst Thomas Arnold Edward Anderson Thomas Allen Adam Andrews Thomas Arty Francis  
 Arty Edward Allmon Thomas Allen Patrick Adams Captain Astor Robert Andrews Thomas Andrews  
 Joseph Adams John Arnold Christopher Arty Nemo Avery Abraham Arledge Roger Arter Edward Anthony  
 John Archer of High Holborn Wilson Abell Thomas Aldridge John Ancoy Francis Anzley John Archer  
 William Arrell Agents of the Treasury for the Time being William Aldham Joseph Adams Steele Barker Ralph  
 Becknell Anthony Bowyer William Bridges Robert Bridges Daniel Baker James Buck Richard Bowyer Francis  
 Brown Thomas Bets Shers Bridges Richard Brown Thomas Bontley Richard Bowne Edward Brayton Robert  
 Thomas Daniel Brattle William Bowler Charles Boulton Bartholomew Bladworth Richard Bower John Bower  
 Thomas Brown Anthony Bull Henry Box Mansfield Brumby James Blagrove Robert Bullocke Brooke Brydges  
 Doctor John Buss Daniel Brown Robert Baskett Nicholas Burrell Abraham Brown Thomas Bridges John  
 Brist Thomas Barrow Benjamin Brink James Brune Thomas Bruns Francis Brewwood Leonard Brown Samuel  
 Buck William Bucknall John Bull John Burton Doctor (\*) Beumont Henry Bule George Bunter Thomas Bures  
 Doctor Joseph Burren John Burrewell Edward Buckley Thomas Brumfield Charles Burreman Benjamin Bulby Robert  
 Bacon James Burslem James Bulby Nicholas Baker Robert Buss Humphrey Brubshaw Robert Butler of Chelsea Thomas  
 Brewster Thomas Blackburn senior Thomas Blackburn junior Richard Burt Stephen Beckington Robert Barker  
 of Holborn John Burt Gilbert Bagnall Robert Burt Richard Burrey William Burt Samuel Blackaby Henry Boudah  
 William Bulby Arthur Bulby Edward Baker Whitlocke Belerrote Charles Bolls Hopfield Bontall John Brydges  
 Robert Brewster Edward Bulmer John Bullon James Bulmer Michael Baker John Blow Nathaniel Bard Edward Bures  
 Bowling Broomjohn of Bromford Henry Biddys Samuel Biddys Joseph Bisset Thomas Breece Edward Bresham  
 Thomas Baskwell Edward Bule Samuel Besson Robert Barker Walter Beyer Joseph Bagnall Joseph Bookbinder  
 George Bennett Robert Best John Bensley John Bannan William Brock Francis Barry Richard Begg James Besh  
 Ephraim Beauchamp William Beckford Nathaniel Barnardine George Bower John Beckett George Beckell  
 Richard Beeding Mennelake Beeding Richard Byrned George Baker Moses Bodicot of New Bromford Thomas Brooman  
 Edward Burton Samuel Baker Henry Beckley Robert Briton William Bawa John Conyers One of Her Majesties  
 Counsel at Law Maynard Colchester William Clarke Christopher Cliffrise Daniel Coggs Gyles Clarke Francis  
 Clark Andrew Cad John Cook Thomas Chambers David Crawford Daniel Crawford Andrew Cook John Coas  
 John Croft Henry Coe Charles Chamberlain Bernard Chaffield Gerard Conyers Thomas Cress William Cole John  
 Clarke William Churchill John Coggs Nathaniel Confield John Coas Thomas Colby senior Henry Coas Nicholas  
 Coas George Cromwell Richard Cooke Thomas Clew John Chomley Thomas Colby junior Coas Chamberlain  
 George Carter Johnhill Coas Thomas Callum James Cole Thomas Cooper of Queens street Morris Corrie Richard  
 Chryse John Chene John Crookick John Croser senior Thomas Coas John Cole Michael Coe John Clarke John  
 Crookall Anthony Collins Miles Caister Thomas Child of Chesham Francis Child of Acton John Child John Child  
 junior James Caister Thomas Coas Milford Crow of Wilmersley Jewell Chapple Dr. Hugh Chamberlaine Richard  
 Chapman Christopher Carewren John Cock William Colfield George Cook Joseph Cook Daniel Child Hope  
 Chamberlaine Robert Child Joseph Caults Robert Crofts senior John Coas Charles Cholin Henry Cress The Six  
 Clerks in Chancery for the Time being John Chamberlaine James Cardanall Charles Coas Henry Clerk of Hockley  
 Thomas Dabman William Dwyer Richard Dyer Thomas Dent Paul Dockranage Benjamin Dedrick Abraham  
 Delius Thomas Dickson Samuel Dodd Henry Dedrick George Delson Dr. Richard Dandell William Deope Benjamin  
 Deydon John Daking Thomas Duck John Dares John Denne Richard Devison David Daggett James Delby John  
 Devereux John Dodd Philip Dares James Dealey John Drape Henry Denner Thomas Dodd William Deiter James  
 Delby Richard Delby Fleetwood Dorrer George Devenax Samuel Daves William Drake John Dootson Charles  
 Denner Daniel Dodd Nicholas Dearing Thomas Dares Francis (Dakin\*) Benjamin Drake Daniel Doffe Thomas  
 Deoth Richard Denson John Doffe George Edwards William Emmerton John Edisbury William Enderick Barrington  
 Esau Robert Epps Francis Edwards John Eas Thomas Essoe senior Thomas Essoe junior Jasper English John  
 Esau Anthony Epps John Eas of Clerkenwell Colman Thomas Evans of Acton Henry Ezzner John Elvick Charles  
 Esau Thomas Earsley Stephen Emmet Thomas Edwards William East John Ekias John Ewell Simon Felke  
 William Fen John Fairwell Robert Fennimore Robert Fish Henry Fense Richard Foley Rodney Fyne Robert Fowle  
 John Fawcarrow Edward Farrington Charles Finkhouse Martin Folkes Thomas Figg John Fendroy Henry Fy  
 Chads Feltham Robert Fisher John Francis Jones (Fountain\*) John Fuller Thomas Fraser Felix Faust Samuel Fendroy  
 Thomas Field Thomas Freeman Zacharias Fomell Daniel Fox Henry Fendall John Farenes Matthew Ferns Thomas  
 Fike Charles Fox William Fenwick George Finch Thomas Fink Thomas Fennington Ralph Freeman David Field  
 Thomas Freshbly Isaac Fennett Nathaniel Gould Edward Griffin Peter Gon Thomas Goss Henry Guy Edward  
 Goldsborough Richard Goodall Thomas Granger Thomas Gery William Glover Richard Gough Anthony Goudar  
 Peter Gehlrey Richard Geynes Robert Gower Thomas Gole Thomas Glover Edward Gold William Gress John  
 Goss Samuel Goodall William Grier Thomas Graves John Gorman James Gress Moses Goodrey Captain Henry Goss  
 George Goss Benjamin Gorer Robert Gress Nicholas Goodwin senior Nicholas Goodwin junior John Goodwin  
 Richard Goodwin John Goodwin Peter Gery Edward Goss Charles Goodier John Gamley Robert Goodenough John  
 Goodland Scutler Gresham William Giles Robert Guy John Gable Samuel Grooms Doctor Thomas Goff Thomas  
 Goodwin Sergeant at Law Ralph Hawley James Hawley Simon Harcourt Galton Harvey Leonard Hemmell John  
 Herkins Rowland Holt John Brew John Husley Thomas Hisey John Hungerford Francis Bush Humphrey

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\* Doctor G.

\* Freeman G.

Hetherington Henry Hinz Isaac Hotteywood Thomas Hall John Henken John Hastings James Hooper Edward Hays  
John Hodgson Frederick Horn Edward Hyde Edward Hucks Philip Harnan Richard How Nathaniel Hudson Ralph  
Hewwood Edward Heward John Hifford William Hicks Charles Hooden Charles Hooper James How William Hunt  
John Harrison Edward Hume Samuel Hooper William Houthinson Charles Hooper Peter Hudson Robert Heading  
Abraham Houser William Hoyon Benjamin Hiles Percival Holton John Hill Doctor John Harris of White Chapel  
James Hams Ralph Hestrey junior John Hesley Jasper Hester Edward Hiele Gales Hooper Richard Hobson John  
Hild William Harvey George Haskley Richard Hume Bernard Hilgenny Nathaniel Hill John Hobson Leonard  
Hancock Matthew Holworthy William Hurrewood Matthew Howard John Hobbet Charles Hancock John Hyde Morgan  
Hinde Richard Hinde Robert Hinde Nicholas Harding William Hacks James Hays Robert Halsead Thomas Hind  
Thomas Halls junior Stephen Hursey John Hill of Enfield Thomas Harnock Capula Thomas Hedwick Theodore  
Hume William Hawkins David Haskinsene Bardt Heme John Hagland Robert Hastings John Haswood Richard  
Haghen Richard Hamage of Idsworth Thomas Harwood William Henry Abraham Harrison Francis Hays Nicholas  
Hardinge junior Robert Hastings William Haskerly Nicholas Harding junior Henry Henry John Jeffries Edward  
Jennings Edward Jenkins Matthew Johnson William Jullife Barnock Johnson Thomas Jackson William Johnson  
Thomas Jopson John Jennings of Horn Henry Jones George Jorus Roger Jones Edward Johnson Joshua [Jennings?]  
Edward Jones Lancelott Johnson Thomas Jores Joseph Jory William Jones Robert Jones Nathaniel Johnson  
Robert Jones George Jackson of Minster Square John Jackson of Heston Philip Jennings Samuel Jones Thomas Jones  
of Aston James Hingworth Thomas Jones of the Insolvency Office James Jossens Paul Jebrell Clerk of the Household  
House of Commons Benedict Jelliff Paul Jebrell junior Samuel Kirk Gregory King Peter Knight James King William  
Edgell William Knight John Kirton Doctor John Kiger Thomas Knight Robert Kingston John Kings John Knight  
Daniel King Robert Kirby William Kingford John Knight Daniel Kemp Warwick Lake Timothy Lacey Narcisse  
Lawrell Edmund Leigh Edward Leigh Dennis Lydell Henry Ladlow (\*) William Laura Peter Le New Peter Lambard  
Edward Laidgold Peter Layne Daniel Laddington Stephen Lawrence Thomas Lambell Ralph Lane Nebemah Lyle  
John Lattall Edward Lockey Mays Peter Le Caux James Laidlaw John Lay Rodrick Lloyd Edward Lloyd  
Jonathan Lugh Edward Lutter Ewen Lloyd Nicholas Laws Charleswood Lewton John Loving Edward Lee George  
Langton William Lamb Capula John Lekens Thomas Melbail Thomas Mulock John Marshall John Mear minor  
John Mear junior Richard Mear Robert Moore William Monna Richard Mays John Martin Charles Mangus  
Arthur Monne Charles Managuan Harnum Masters James Medley Capula John Malbert William Maues  
Nathaniel Meniere Thomas Morris Peter Manger William Middleton James Mison Stephen Mangus William Maude  
Thomas Mewna Leonard Mier Richard Marsh senior Richard Marsh junior Thomas Mear Joseph Meaux Philip  
Monard William Morrison John Marsh Ralph Marsh John Merck William Milham Alexander Mervall Joseph  
Marsh Henry Marsh of Haveresme Richard Meast Richard Merewether Edmund Miles Milington  
of Idsworth Hugh Merdenth James Medfist [Charles Medfist?] Clayton Milburn Reginald Merrett Benjamin  
Mordant William Miller Joseph Moore Henry Mordant James Moody Henry Midgates John Monale Thomas  
Mortier Thomas Marshall Nathaniel Micklethwaite Morgan Mathews Charles Marshall John Mafford John Mair  
John Marsh of Henden John Mills Gent Daniel Nichol Thomas Nicoll of Bosby George Naden Thomas  
Napier Edward Noell Edward Norwood William Norley John Norman Richard Nelson John Nicoll of Pagroston  
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Newdegge John Nicoll Samuel Nash John Nicoll of Coney Nash Michael Noble John Nash Edward Nethersge  
Samuel Nicoll of Haddington John Nicoll junior John Nicholas George Naylor John Nicoll junior of Henden  
Place Port Oskow Joseph Olley Thomas Olley Nathaniel Owen Richard Oshdy Thomas Owen Thomas Ount  
John Olley of the Middle Temple Alexander Pyfold John Perry William Peck Lilliana Powell Richard Page  
of Grindon Edward Procter Cresser Peyton William Phelps Andrew Phillips Henry Postens Richard Price Richard  
Parker William Peter William Robert Paine John Painter Henry Parsons William Penderley Peter Pannas Samuel  
Powell Francis Page John Powell Leonard Pluckton Edmund Phillips Michael Peirce Thomas Paine Thomas Parker  
Tacey Pannofort senior Samuel Philips Robert Paine Thomas Philips Thomas Powell Thomas Peter Daniel Parker  
John Page of Harrow Richard Pary Henry Passons William Passent John Pinner William Parker Peter Parker John  
Peck Edward Pett William Pridgen John Patten James Parberich Mays John Parnidy Tracy Pannofort junior  
Edward Pannofort Robert Paine of Brewhard Robert Paffen Edward Pannell Christopher Peck William Pannings  
James Pannidge John Pannell Joseph Parnes John Page of Wrenthay John Passos Major Thomas Pann Pannell  
Price John Pryor Thomas Pannell Hugh Parker Richard Phillips Capula Robert Paines Maria Pryde Richard  
Ryder Samuel Reynolds Philip Ryke Robert Reruch David [Rowlands?] John Raymond Christopher Rack John  
Rogers Samuel Robinson John Reynolds Thomas Ramage George Rogers Richard Robinson Joseph Reynolds  
Samuel Read Joseph Read Samuel Radcliffe George Rolles Nicholas Rolfe Edward Rolles Richard George Richards  
William Rease Rowland Reynolds William Richards Samuel Roycroft Edward Rogers Richard Richardson Doctor  
Tanner Robinson Giles Radcliffe William Richards John Radcliffe Samuel Reynolds Robert Rawson James Robinson  
Capula William Richards Henry Reyell William Rowman Thomas Rabbone Doctor John Radcliff John Radcliff  
John Richardson Hugh Swithoon Richard Shoudack Robert Sheldall John Seash John Seamus Francis Semchouse  
William Springer John Seefeld John Seubly Edward Smith Joseph Short Daniel Short Philip Stales Francis Swann  
Benett Swann Joseph Smith High Square Samuel Soutarford Maudelien Stephens Anthony Swan Henry Stephen  
Philip Skippin Roger Smith Doctor  
Slays Joseph Smit William Stangness Emma Smith John Smith  
Francis Stanson Edmund Say John Speye Richard Stephens Henry Stedbrooks Robert Streeter Henry Summer  
Edward Stubbury William Stuns Edward Sayer Edward Stacey Thomas Stene Charles Smith William Smith  
Richard Sutton Thomas Swenter William Stokum Richard Suples Thomas Sayney William Spott Charles Stale

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John Styles John Street Samuel Sturbridge William Sturlings George Sturges Thomas Staring John Styles  
 Thomas Styles      Squire of Broomfield William Strole Captain John Storey Henry Stourton Thomas Stourton  
 William Stourton Thomas Sutton George Styles John Street of Peter John Shaw Robert Shewdell John Scott  
 John Spence of St. Gern in the Fields James South Thomas Sheriff Jeremiah Sheld Braken Smith Thomas Scott  
 Francis Tynon John Trowe Leonard Thompson Robert Thompson William Thompson John Tynard Henry Turner  
 Samuel Tynnon Arthur Trever Robert Thorsell John Turner Richard Taylor Roger Thompson William Tames  
 John Todd Edward Townsend John Thompson Bryan Turbottfield Samuel Twyne Thomas Tyrone George Turville  
 John Tovey Thomas Taylor Joseph Trotman Joseph Thompson senior of Hockney John Taylor John Tully James  
 Tully Francis Tynon junior James Titchmarsh      Tynon John Trowle Francis Thacker Timothy Thurnbury  
 Arthur Turner John Take John Tyndall James Yemon Thomas Vine William Underwood John Venables Thomas  
 Yemon Joseph Vandeberghs George Underwood Constantine Varotti Richard Vilescy Cyprien Samuel Vincent  
 Robert Uthwatt James Vane John Venter Charles Warick John Walker Edward Walker Nathaniel Wall John  
 Wall Alexander Ward William Waterson Nicholas Wakenholme Richard Walker Arandell Warfield John  
 Wall Richard Webb Robert Webb Richard Wingfield Richard Woodward Roger Wood Thomas White William  
 White William Wakelin William Woodlinton John Woot John Warner Richard Wiby Richard Ware John Warren  
 Benjamin Wilks Thomas Williams Philip Williams John Wodall Thomas Wright William Wright Richard Wyse  
 Thomas Webb Edward Woodfield Thomas Wilkes Nathaniel Withers junior Henry Withcott John Webber  
 Nathaniel Wenden Thomas White of Hockney Henry Warner Thomas Werge John Wesley Samuel Wheeler John  
 Whistley John Ward Francis Williamson Chas Windham John Wilmer John Woodson junior Thomas Woodcock  
 Henry Wilkin William Wilkinson Edmund Williamson junior Constable Wheeler John Wheeler Whitfield  
 Henry Wakenholme James Ward Richard Woodlinton James Williamson Nicholas Wentcombe Joseph Whitland  
 John Ward of Hockney Peter Walden James Woodley William West William Wilkinson Isaac Wilks Thomas  
 Whately Edmund Widdow Richard Young Christopher Yates Esquires and Gentlemen.

## For the County of Monmouth

Sir Hopton Williams Baronet Sir Thomas Powell Baronet Sir James Herbert Knight Sir Charles Kemmery  
 Baronet Sir Humphrey Mackworth Knight John Morgan of Tredegar Esquire Henry Probert senior Esquire Henry  
 Probert junior Esquire Nicholas Arnold Esquire John How Esquire James Morgan of Hereford City Esquire Thomas  
 Morgan of Llanvynny Esquire John Morgan Merchaut George Kemmery Esquire Thomas Price Esquire  
 Christopher Price Esquire Edmund Morgan Esquire Henry Morgan of Pwllhely Gerdinan Roger Owen Gentlemen  
 Charles Hughs Esquire John Sampson of New Parks Esquire John Florer senior Esquire John Florer junior  
 Gerdinan John Hambury Esquire Henry Tomkins Esquire Roderick Gwyn Esquire William Powell of Llanble  
 Esquire John Gwyn of Llangun Esquire William Goco Gentlemen Edmund Kemmery Esquire Captain Thomas  
 Williams of Uke Gerdinan Trevor Williams of Llanfihly Gentlemen John Morgan of Uke Gentlemen James  
 Phillips of Gwentland Gerdinan James Spriggett Esquire Thomas Lewis of St. Fines Esquire Philip Conall Esquire  
 Walter Chell Esquire Yoar Herbert Esquire Francis Lewis of Magor Gerdinan Charles Jones of the Ford  
 Esquire Walter Jones of Trevor Gerdinan The Mayor of Newport for the Time being The Portree of Uke  
 for the Time being William Bletin Esquire Nathaniel Williams Gerdinan Walter Alder Gerdinan Thophas  
 Reginald Esquire William Powell of Pwll Esquire Ezra Walters Esquire Thomas Goodwyn Gerdinan Richard  
 Jenkins of Gwentland Gerdinan John Jones of Gwentland Gerdinan Thomas With Clerk Thomas Watkins of  
 Llanth Clerk Samuel Morgan of Uke Clerk Griffith Davis of Llanegreth Clerk John Mann Clerk John Walter  
 Powell Esquire Hugh Harris Gerdinan Henry Ramsey Esquire John Dumas [Cok.] Esquire Henry Gabb  
 Gerdinan Tracy Catchen Esquire James Guster Esquire Thomas Evans Esquire Edmund Bay Esquire The  
 Mayor of Monmouth for the Time being John Stratford Recorder James [Hughes] of Gelly Gerdinan Richard  
 Roberts of Aberystwyth Esquire John Roberts Gerdinan Walter Jones Esquire Adam Addies Gerdinan John  
 Penns Gerdinan John Phillips Gerdinan Charles Probert Esquire Michael Boken Gerdinan William Scudmore  
 Esquire Nathaniel Morgan of Uke Gerdinan William Jones of the Priory of Uke Gerdinan William Jones of  
 Uke Harbiter Roger Cadogan Gerdinan John Franks Clerk Roger Myles Gerdinan William Thomas of  
 Cefn Gerdinan William Kene of Cefn William Rogers of Cefn Gerdinan Roderick Rogers Gerdinan  
 Robert Harle Gerdinan John Harle Gerdinan Charles Morgan of Aberystwyth Gerdinan Charles Morgan of  
 Llangun Esquire Henry Morgan of Thornwell Gerdinan William Sykes of Newport Gerdinan Thomas Chor Clerk  
 Thomas Basset Clerk Charles Herbert Clerk William Sampson Clerk William Goodweyde Clerk Richard Vaughan Clerk  
 Philip Hewkins Clerk Francis Williams of Dingor Gerdinan Thomas Lewis of Magor Gerdinan Joseph Clarke  
 Gerdinan William Roberts Gerdinan William Rex Gerdinan William Dudd Gerdinan Charles Fisher  
 Gerdinan Philip Medley Gerdinan John Mathias Gerdinan David Medley Gerdinan Richard Hykin  
 Gerdinan John Robins Gerdinan John Stephens Gerdinan Thomas Edwards Gerdinan Thomas Stephens  
 Gerdinan William Medley Gerdinan Richard Taylor Gerdinan William Bradshaw senior Gerdinan of  
 Aberystwyth Cradock Jones Gerdinan John Handley Gerdinan of Pwllpole Nathaniel Handley Gerdinan of  
 Pwllpole John Curry Esquire Thomas Lord Vincous Wyndham of the Kingdom of Ireland Charles Morgan of  
 Llangun Esquire James Sykes Gerdinan Robert Mann Isaac Dault Henry Davis of Chepstow Walter Davis of  
 the same Gerdinan

## For the City and County of the City of Norwich.

These Barons Esquire Mayor Stephen Gardener Esquire Recorder Richard Barry Esquire Sarward The rest of the Justice the Sheriffs and the Aldermen for the Time being Doctor Humphrey Pildoux Dean of Norwich Doctor John Jeffreys Thomas Tanes Chancellor of Norwich John Kayser Thomas Bacon Thomas Townsend Arthur Broadway Francis Lang Robert Reiff Thorough Garden Wilkes Bacon William Brooks John Chambers Algernon Peter John Pock Jewell Chylen Roger Crow William Heleys Esquires John Winkler Thomas Palmer Richard Carter senior John Mackrell Edward Thordthorpe William Price Samuel Brown John Haver Gentlemen.

## For the Borough of Great Yarmouth.

The Mayor for the Time being Maurice Kendall Esquire Recorder Benjamin England John Nicholson Samuel Fuller Peter Cusker Nathaniel Symonds Anthony Ellis senior Gabriel Ward Benjamin Engle Joseph Colman Anthony Ellis junior Richard Porter Esquires John Carlow George Spelman junior John Spangman William Spooner James Aris William Brown Henry Borrer James Davison John Andrews Samuel Wakeman Aldermen Thomas Ellye Gentlemen.

## For the Borough of Kings Lynn.

William Holly Esquire Mayor Robert Beniffe Esquire Recorder Sir John Turner Sir Charles Turner Knight Robert Walpole Esquire Benjamin Keme John Kidd Edmund Hoek Robert Sparrow Henry Framingham Henry Bell Charles Turner Robert Awhome John Turner Henry Chensery Aldermen.

## For the Borough of Thetford.

The Mayor for the Time being Sir John Wodehouse Sir Thomas Harmer Sir John Holland Sir Jacob Astley Barons Robert Benson Thomas Taylor Charles Wright Maurice Kendall Philip Ryly Edward Wilson Esquires Jonathan Browning John Wright Winesley Heberster Richard Burch John Tyndell Joseph Sharp Thomas Cook John Kerke under John Kerke justice Gentlemen Thomas Brown.

## For the rest of the County of Norfolk.

The Right Honourable Charles Lord Paxton Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Yarmouth The Right Honourable Henry Lord Coleridge of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Hildesford Lord Allington of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Roger Townsend Esquire The Honourable Roger North Esquire Sir Edmund Bacon Sir John Wodehouse Sir Richard Bessy Sir John Marham Sir Robert Deary Sir Nicholas Lennage [Sir] John Holland Sir Thomas Baines Sir Augustine Palmer Sir George Petas Sir Robert Kemp Sir Roger Peto Sir Ralph Hare Sir Edmund Bacon of Gillingham Sir Jacob Astley Sir Edward Ward Sir Nicholas Gernard Sir William Cook Sir Francis Baskley Sir Robert Marham Sir Francis Windham Sir Richard Allen Barons Sir Edward Turner Sir William Best Sir Cyril Wyck Sir John Turner Sir Thomas Rushmore Sir Isaac Prouse Sir James Edwidge Sir Charles Turner Sir Andrew Fountain Sir Edward Chenshall Knight Robert Walpole John Hubbard Edmund Wodehouse Francis Windham Ash Windham Robert Kemp Algernon Pitt Philip Astley James Hoste Thomas Horne Charles Le Grosse Donnell Onslow Christopher Colthorpe of Bades Clement Horne Robert Seckling Erasmus Ezle John Harvey Robert Cory Samuel Butler Thomas Elton John Noma Christopher Beedingfold George England Ralph Hare Arthur Broadway Robert Beniffe Charles Sir John Wages Andrew Fountain Maurice Kendall Robert Gooch Leonard Mages John Rypps Thomas de Goff John Heaghen Anthony Frounce Thorough Gaudon Partridge of Buckenham Oliver Le Nor Benjamin Delrick William Walsh Christopher Crow Edward Obsolete of Serthing John Thurston Roger Coll Bessinghams Gaudy William Bayley Philip Skippon Edward Lee John Boken Edmund Bolan William Broadway Giles Hindwell Gabriel Aringer Thomas Howfield Rabies Berens Henry Nugent Edward Wilson Edmund Briff Harro Benner John Wodehouse Thomas Day John Ayl John Arny Thomas Townsend Mansford Spelman Henry Spelman Thomas Brown John Page Francis Long Nathaniel Symonds Martin Colborne Edmund Lamber Thomas Wright Francis Gaudier Bagg Fountaine Benjamin England Thomas Botney Smith Pinewood John Lovell David Long George Vernon Thomas Rutz Richard Farrar William Sidley Sigismund Trafford Frederick Flatt Clement Rypps John Marriott Horatio Walpole Thomas Marham John Fell Charles Turner senior Thomas Bacon Henry Oxburgh John Kayser Joseph Weld Jacob Prouse Charles Wright of Edwinton Robert Bacon William Spelman Thomas Percer Baron of Kewingham Thomas Edwards James Trease John Berry of Wootton John Berry of Westwick Robert Douglas of [Ranworth] George Dabwood Orlando Bridgman Roger Pype Charles Bodahild (\*) of Beesbury Richard Dabwood John Fresham John Horne Clare Games of Beedon Henry Hart of Docking Charles Mowen Edward Bulwer of Woodhaling Thomas Clark of Mansford Thomas Hoyle Herbert Astley Thomas Archdale Thomas Curzon Thomas Bendish of Collick Jonathan Symonds James Foubt Walter Bacon Philip Ryly Esquires Robert Horne Edward Lennage Clement Gooch Francis Nugent James Colkham Thomas Talbot Robert Selkman Sir Roger Arny Knight John Caulte Thomas Bopode Robert Berens of

John James Walsingham Buckenham Philip Vincent Humphrey Rast Nicholas Salzman William Coney Nicholas  
 Heley John Ward Robert Fink Francis Le Neve Charles Burrell William Stafford Leonard Mages junior  
 Edward Knight Edward Swift Timothy Cason William Person Robert Saull Thomas Brown Robert Horne  
 William Hain John Brown of Sarnsey John Pack Peter Wilson Thomas Copley Edmund Thomsen Roger  
 Cox William Buller of Goswick John Benton Roger Jennings James Benn John Malton Robert Jackson junior  
 Henry Bell Benjamin Bell Edward Barnes William Kelly Edmund Relf William Rylands Lawrence La Bore  
 Henry Twell William Newman of Baconthorpe Francis Jerray William Paine Warner Warner Robert Brandy  
 William Langley Henry Hall Richard Taylor Richard Hassard John Turner Edward Eyre John Lovell junior  
 John Bowen John Bendish Thomas Herne Charles Hestle of Steady Barnham Raymond Samuel Babin of  
 Birlington Augustine Hall John Cooper John Cade of Ormsby John Hennessey of Canor William Turner  
 of Ingham Christopher Harris Thomas Sayer John Clarke Mathew Long Henry Davy John Davy Edward Kense  
 of Great Melton Henry Frimingham Richard Carter John Bowers Robert Houghton Peter Scaman Graham Page  
 Howard Ward Roger Lonsgrave Henry Jay Edward Carter Thomas Widdall of Britton Robert Gooch of Brook  
 John Sayer Thomas Bransby Thomas Upwood Francis Herne Desmond Nisbet John Barroughs Gentleman Richard  
 Moxon Esquire Riding Smith John Frimingham of Walsingham Thomas Sotherton Robert Doss of Crooke Edward  
 Wilson Gentleman Christopher Sayer Esquire Christopher Colthorpe Esquire Sir Robert Jennings Knight Edward  
 Barber of Denver Gentleman Humphrey Pridmore Dean of Norwich Edmund Miller Esquire of Spaxton Hall  
 John Lang of Baconthorpe Esquire Jeremiah Chaplin Esquire William Coombe Esquire John Holloway Esquire  
 Thomas Rogers Gentleman [M.] John Benn John Chambers Esquire Edward Clark Esquire Sir James John Bennett  
 Sir John Smith Baronet Gyles Curving Gentleman Robert Bottingfold Daniel Farrington Esquire William Kemp  
 Esquire The Heere Esquire Edmund Bruffe William Ashill Gentleman Anthony Arfild Gentleman Clara Wadham  
 Wilkeson Bransby Thomas Harris Thomas Scott John Rast of Drayton Gentleman William Clayton Esquire  
 Reynolds Colchery Esquire John Macon Gentleman William Guyton Esquire Mordwell Wimes Anthony Hammond  
 Gentleman The Heasemills William Felling Esquire John Smith Gentleman.

## For the Town of Northampton

The Mayor for the Time being Sir Robert Haderige Sir Justinian Isham Sir Mathew Dudley Barons Sir John  
 Knight Thomas Cartwright George Manners Francis Arundell Robert Haderige Francis Arundell junior  
 Richard Rainsford Hervey Elkins Edward Stratford William Ward Thomas Thompson Thomas Andrews Henry  
 Benson Gerrard Gort Smith Fletwood Robert Benton Knightley Daunt Esquires Daniel Greenwood Doctor of  
 Physick John Collins John Clarke Benjamin Bullivant John Selby John Warner Thomas Chadwick James Green  
 Edward Ismay William Agarson senior William Petre Richard Saunders senior Henry Jelfcoat John Knight George  
 Heyes William Gooday John Manning John Parre Edward Whiston John Walth John Elkin William Pinner  
 Richard Clifford senior Gentleman.

## For the rest of the County of Northampton

The Right Honourable the Lord James Russell One of the Sons of William late Duke of Bedford The Right  
 Honourable the Lord Compton Son and Heir Apparent of the Earl of Northampton The Right Honourable the  
 Lord Northampton Son and Heir Apparent of the Earl of Pembroke The Right Honourable the Lord Huntingdon  
 Son and Heir Apparent of the Earl of Dyson The Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Culpeper of the Kingdom  
 of Ireland The Right Honourable William Lord Pitt Wilkeson of the Kingdom of Ireland The Lord Chief Baron  
 Ward M<sup>r</sup>. Justice Wilkeson M<sup>r</sup>. Justice Denham The Honourable William Codd The Honourable Charles Codd The  
 Honourable Charles Bertie The Honourable Sidney Wortley alias Montague The Honourable Charles Egerton The  
 Honourable John Knoll The Honourable Harry Northcott The Honourable William Manners The Honourable  
 Thomas Wentworth alias Watson The Honourable Henry Paget The Honourable James Griffin The Honourable  
 George Cockburn The [Right] Honourable Thomas Coke Vice Chamberlain and One of Her Majesties most  
 Honourable Privy Council Esquires The Honourable Verney Doctor in Divinity Sir John Egerton Sir  
 Robert Haderige Sir Justinian Isham Sir Thomas Care Sir Erasmus Norwich Sir Edward Nichols Sir Pope Daines  
 Sir Lewis Palmer Sir John Loughan Sir Robert Dryden Sir Robert Duncanson Sir John Walsingham Sir James Robinson  
 Sir John Stoughton Sir Isaac Andrew S. John Sir Mathew Dudley Sir Thomas Samuel Sir Court Child Sir John  
 Gorton Sir Richard Newman Sir John Humble Sir Gilbert Pickering Sir Gilbert Dolben Barons Sir William  
 Carew Sir John Beloe Sir Robert Clarke Sir Charles Noel Sir Thomas Travers Knight Thomas Cartwright  
 George Manners Ralph Freeman Francis Arundell senior Francis Arundell junior Charles How Edward Sturford  
 Henry Sturford Tobias Channery Hervey Elkin Samuel Tryon Wilkeson Ward Nicholas Bennet Thomas Woodcock  
 Edward Harley William Holbeck William Waddhouse Henry Benson Lucy Knightley Charles Kirkham Thomas  
 Thomsen John Hackett William Lee of Cole Ashby Henry Sawyer John Elms John Hodges Thomas Tye Haden  
 Compton Richard Reynolds Gerrard Gort Anthony Palmer Edward Saunders John Parkhurst Thomas Steward  
 Mathew Oshesheie John Creed John Alcock Thomas Andrews Edward Bradstreet William Walker Thomas Hurby  
 William Lide John Picklington Edward Bagshaw Charles Fox Michael Woodhall George Lynn John James George  
 Knicker John Hastings Samuel White alias Jones Robert Andrew William Langton Thomas Lister Henry Langville  
 Allen Redman William Ives John Freeman William Harvey Charles Sheppard George Ashby John Bridges Samuel  
 Childer Richard Kinnman Thomas Nisbet Noah Nisbet Charles Parker Edward Hill Andrew Saunders Lewis Smith

James Markham Thomas Dutton Thomas Bowell Roger Penkerton John Ash John Winton Nathaniel Parkhouse Richard Gonsale John Wentworth Crowell Walter She Charles Berle Junior James Tryon Charles O'Brien Edward Catbourn Thomas Manning William Dove James Compton Thomas Hancock John Wiseman Henry Raynsford Edward Neill John Weaver Henry Bacon Robert Becton John Margus John Robinson Thomas Cox Elmer Spinkes Edmund Bannan Eschelus Bowell John Durrers Esquires Doctor Thomas Welley Arch Dutton of Northampton George Clarke Thomas Maltwell Jacob Dwyer William Sumrell Joseph Ayle Thomas Jennings George Bosan Edward Adams James Lowry Robert Newcomb John Rowell William Ash Edmund Bush Robert Freese William Poughman Joseph Haynes John Stephens George Luffield John Knight Thomas Boughton Edmund Sparks Richard Freeman Richard Baile John Adams Richard Dickson John Hume Foreman Garsell Henry Green Thomas Perkins Thomas Beall William Wright Dyson Richard Bosan John Ward John Chapman Richard Fisher John Dwyer William Catbourn John Garner John Clarke of Yelverford Timothy Root Gentlemen Robert Whitsett Clarke The Mayor of Northampton The Mayor of Buckley The Mayor of Higham Ferrers for the Time being Thomas Lane Valentine Lane Gent.

For the Town and County of Newcastle upon Tyne

The Mayor Recorder Aldermen and Sheriffs for the Time being Sir Henry Liddell Baronet James Clavering Esquire Joseph Huchinson Esquire Robert Ellison Esquire John Rogers Esquire Joseph Barnes Esquire Joseph Carr Esquire Nathaniel Blackston Esquire George Ledger Esquire Edward Johnson Merchant John Ball Gentlemen William Huchinson Merchant Anthony Isaacson Gentlemen John Cotesworth Esquire [Scries'] Swabhouse Esquire John Wilkinson Gent.

For the Town of Berwick upon Tweed

Thomas Warren Esquire Mayor Samuel Ogle Esquire Recorder John Pitt Thomas Greive Anthony Campion Junior Thaddeus Snow Justice Stephen Jackson John Pigg Samuel Foster William Campbell Bailiffs John Sibbs Alderman Sir Francis Blake Knight Edward Mayne Jonathan Huchinson Esquires Anthony Campion senior John Sleight William Scott John Scott Robert Wesson Arthur Edmonson John Stannan Catbourn Swaly Joseph Foster William Parkinson Edward Crip Matthew Foster Benjamin Greive James Rawly Gentlemen William Dobbin Esquire.

For the County of Northumberland

The Honourable Charles Montague Esquire Sir John Dalrymple Sir Charles Heron Sir John Mordaunt Sir William Van Coten Sir Edward Huchett Sir Henry Liddell Sir Thomas Lonsdale Sir John Clavering Baronets Sir Francis Blake Knight Henry Grey Thomas Forster of Edmonson senior Thomas Forster junior John Grey Edward Delaval William Ogle John Shafte Thomas Forster of Cornhill Thomas Collingwood Robert Milford John Bacon Samuel Ogle William Carr of Ashby Matthew Wainfield William Forwick Joseph Carr William Carr Thomas Beach Robert Forwick Michael Walden Edmund Main Nathaniel Blackston Nathaniel Ogle James Swabhouse Richard Forster Edward Rodham John Douglas William Kersey Thomas Markinsay William Taylor William Grey John Addison Robert Algood Robert Shafte William Lomax John Rogers Francis Forster Henry Forster Vaughan Phillips John Cotesworth Ralph Bounding Edward Cook Roger Wilson Robert Lidd William Struther John Forster William Ramsey Henry Collingwood Alexander Collingwood John Hall Luke Clement Thomas Burrell William Brown Esquire The Bailiffs of Newcastle for the Time being John Rodham William Shafte John Rowland John Forwick Ralph Goss George Lawson Gilbert Park Ralph Anderson George Wilson William Pearson Thomas Grey William Chaiton of Lee Hall Matthew Chaiton Robert Forster Thomas Kersey Thomas Nith George Fletcher William Reed John Reed John Cook Nathaniel Bontfleur Nicholas Goreswell Thomas Tensdale Ralph Potter Gabriel Hall of Catclough Joseph Forwick Thomas Carr Thomas Wallis William Alder of Kirk Newton Richard Ord Henry Rickston John Cook of Tynson Thomas Smith John Charlton Edward Charlton Christopher Barrow George Alder of Frendick William Walton John Buckton.

For the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham

The Mayor the Aldermen and Deputy Recorder for the Time being George Gregory Matthew Smith James Fawcett Heyrick Ashby Samuel Hillman Thomas Manley Esquires William Grouse Samuel Coster George Langford John Screwin William Rippon William Jackson Jacob Thoms John Collins Thomas Smith Gentlemen Doctor John Bee Benjamin Green Thomas Perridge John Noddi John Hatfield Alexander Barden John Swerepple Robert Eggington Thomas Trigg William Trigg Joseph Sells Joseph Hewes Richard Warkinson Joseph Clay Roger Radford James Hathorne senior John Woodhouse Doctor of Physick

For the County of Nottingham

The Right Honourable the Lord Viscount How Baron of Clonely of the Kingdom of Ireland the Honourable John Noddi Esquire Sir Thomas Willoughby Baronet John Thurnburgh Esquire Sir Francis Mollison Sir George Seale Sir Willoughby Hickman Sir Thomas Fulkins Sir Geoffrey Copley Sir Nathaniel Curzon Sir William Pearson

*Barnes* Sir Matthew Jackson Sir Thomas Tansell Knight Robert Sachevell John Plumptre Esquires Sir Harbottle Womersley Baronet Robert Malherworth Esquire The Honourable James Sanderson Esquire John Digby Esquire John Blackstone Baronet Warren Parfitts Chaworth James Fawcett Thomas Miskley George Gregory Sumard Robert Beaton Parkins Sumner Parkins Christopher Rolleston William Burrell Charles Stanhope Darcy Mollington John Emerson Thomas Charlton Robert Boring Philip Leach Chaboner Chase of Durdon John Steward George Mould Richard Butler Thomas Thorton Winkford of Lissam Richard Fingould Munday Messrs Richard Lloyd Edward Paine Christopher Barriord William Cartwright George Catteright Thomas Newgate Lee of Norwell Richard Sutton John Snow Francis Stronger William Lodin Charles Mollis Joseph Mallis John Rayner John White Thomas White Thomas Hewitt John Claxton Isaac Knight George Nevill Thomas Mansfield John Lister Bartholomew Barton Correy Edge William Sachevell John Simpson John Harvey William Gibby William Gibby junior D. Andrew Thorough William Jeauy Henry Sharboak James Snyfith Esquires Edward Dickinson Robert Hacker John Hacker Jonathan Acklan John Gandy John Kercheville Thomas Belmore John Nink John Walker Jeffrey Brock John Story Brough William Drury George Wharton Joseph Hall Edmond Southworth Christopher Johnson Stephen Rose William Ward George Dunston Thomas Hall Francis Thornhill John Walbore John Collins Edward Nevill Joseph Banks John Clarkson junior Thomas Baylyford Edward Ward Genl; Samuel Cromwell John Bee William Woolhouse Doctors of Physick William Darwin Robert Darwin Nicholas Lenke Esquires The Mayor and Aldermen of Newark for the Time being and the Bailiffs and Six under Aldermen of Eux Bedford for the Time being Nicholas Bray Genl.

## For the University of Oxford

The Vice Chancellor for the Time being all [the] Heads of Colleges and Halls William Bromley Esquire Sir William Whitelocke George Clarke Esquires D. John Hammond D. Thomas Burton D. William Stanford Canon of Christ Church D. David Gregory Edmund Halley Revillus Professors D. Thomas Hay Professor of Physick D. Joseph Woodward D. John Ludwell The Proctors for the Time being George Cooper Registrar Peter Cox Giles Thierstewy Charles Harris Jacob Robert James Almond John Brookes Thomas Phillips Popeye Susan Child Anthony Poley Ralph Hobson Alexander Wood Calpepper Thackerston Charles Atkins William Langford John Freeman Henry Clements William Hopkins William Hackett and Edward King Gentlemen.

## For the City of Oxford

The Mayor and Bailiffs for the Time being The Honourable Henry Bertie Sir John Walter Baronet Thomas Kewney Esquire Sir Robert Jackson Sir John Deyley Sir Robert Dulwood Baronets Sir Edward Norris Sir Edward Warcup Sir Sebastian Smith Sir Robert Harrison Sir William Chalkon Knight Henry White James Mansell Aldermen William Wright Esq; Recorder John Taylor Timothy Bourne John Knibb Daniel Webb Thomas Selter Michael Copps Tobias Paine William Bodley Aldermen Charles Harvie Genl. Richard Carter Esq; George Philip Gunkern.

## For the rest of the County of Oxon

The Right Honourable Edward Lord Viscount Cornbury Son and Heir Apparent to Henry Earl of Glouceston Henry Lord Hile Son and Heir Apparent to the Right Honourable the Earl of Rochester The Honourable Henry Bertie The Honourable James Bertie Esquires Sir John Cope Sir Robert Jackson Sir John Deyley Sir John Walter Sir Thomas Lifford Sir William Glynn Sir Henry Ashburn Sir Charles Farplace Sir Robert Dulwood Sir William Kich Sir Edward Cobb Sir Thomas Whiston Sir Thomas Tipping Sir John Thorton Sir William Oshalderton Baronet Sir Simon Hartout Her Majesties Attorney General Sir Edward Hungerford Knight of the Bath Sir Edward Snyfith Sir Henry Johnson Sir Edward Warcup Sir William Whitelocke Sir Sebastian Smith Sir Francis Bink and Sir Thomas Coley Knights John Corley John Carr Miles Stapleton Doctors in Divinity Thomas Boucher Doctor of Law Anthony Hungerford Richard Lish Chasmon Stone George Allston Henry Allston Francis Clarke John Dorrer Edmund Dorch Thomas Hood William Bully John Crook Harry Cole Robert Butler Edward Parrott James Parrott William Pudsey Henry Hall John Wallis William Jennings William Tipping of Ewden James Jennings Robert Mayne John Nore Simon Wharwood a Dean John Daverne Thomas Kewney Samuel Treman James Norrery Thomas Cartwright Thomas Carter Thomas Snyfith Philip Womans William Oakley John Gann Thomas Pulley William Whitlock Roger Paine Edmund Bray Walter Knight Thomas Woodall William Aldworth Andrew John Polled John Wm. Jamin Steward Lenthall Treman John Bray William Walker Sunbank Vasey William Sachevell Henry Buxock Thomas Jordan George Tipping Bartholomew Harris William Parsons Edmund Woodward Gregory Barley Richard Taylor of Wilstone Francis Knapp Robert Parsons Maria May Thomas Smith of Kidlington

*Heads of Hampton Guy John Hyfield Gilbert Jackson Thomas Severus Thomas Brighman Francis Grouway Richard Eyns Anthony Eyns George Cate Thomas [Balls] Richard Thompson Sutton Cagill John Windsor John Croker Lawrence Lord under Lawrence Lord junior John Dawdell John Wise of Drayton John Smith Giles Devon Richard Blackhall George Gooding of Lachford Charles Heale Thomas Wharwood of Tockley Richard Crook Robert Stander John Cooke Jonathan Sawyer Russell Knight John Wilew Edward Wharley William Blackhall Charles Hall John Collier Thomas Abell Thomas Gummerod of Chisleton John Clarke of Acon Henry Beck William Rawleson Henry Ashburn Richard Smith Philip Newman John Conant D<sup>r</sup> in Law William Wright Lorenzo Farplace John Dancor of Acon Stephen Glynn William Coventry William Freeman Richard*



Lydall John Saunders Thomas Wright John Scurry William Burton William Goodenough Henry Bailey William Newell John Moxall Edward Harvey Thomas Edwards William Ashby John Dayley Edward Sailer Edward Carter Robert Cox Doctor in Divinity William Bean Doctor of Laws Henry Borton Francis Keck John James Hawkins Richard Warren James Tyrrell Thomas Coghill Peter Sayer George Phipps Thomas Read Doctor Miles Stephen Charles Aldworth Rowland Lucy Clement Kent Richard Clarys Robert Rich Esquires Sir Thomas Read Baronet John Hollaway Robert Verry Gabriel Seymour John Medall Anthony Lobb Adam Newman John Caser Richard Lowrey Richard Blacker of Kington William Taylor of Wilton Richard Coomes Richard Lamb Esquire Shavers Papston Thomas Nash of Wotton Thomas Eastock of Purton William Tovey of Henley Nicholas Marshall First of Henley Francis Nash of the same Richard Winch John King of Berwick Thomas Hall of Chinner John Mason of Stoken Church John Newell of the same Randolph Hobbs of Wotton Thomas Dabson of Arton John Lydall of Uxanton Henry Waldenholme Richard Higg Joshua Tull John Jordan of Fethbrooke Leonard Hapton John Coker Richard Bartholomew Samuel Bodwell Henstige Lestall Thomas Lee Ralph Trumbull Master of Wines Henry Cury Clerk Thomas Gostelow Richard Blackall of Wottonham William Waltham Goodwin John Robinson Clerk Thomas Corneish of Wottonham Gentleman The Mayor Aldermen and Town Clerk of the Town of Woodstock for the Time being The Mayor Aldermen Capital Burgesses Recorder and Town Clerk of the Town of Banbury for the Time being The Warden of Henley for the Time being The Bailiffs of Banbury Chipping Norton and Witney for the Time being John Lamball Esquire of Banford William Boothby Esquire Thomas Vernon Doctor of Physick George Townsend Esquire Francis Sayer Clerk.

For the County of Rutland

The Right Honourable Baron Lord Sheriff of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable George Verney Doctor of Divinity The Honourable John Noel Esquire Sir Thomas Mackworth Sir Thomas Barker Baronet Sir Jeffrey Jeffries Knight William Hall Sergeant at Law Major General Shrimpton Esquire Sir Philip Sherrill Richard Halford John Brown Robert Mackworth Edward Brown Edward Horner John Wingfield Clement Brown John Weaver Charles Tyrrell Walsbourn Will Sarsell Tryon Christopher Clarke Thomas Burrell Thomas Cox William John Richard Snow Bartholomew Burton William Johnson Esquires Charles Wilson Doctor of Physick William Finckert Thomas Roberts Gentlemen.

For the Town of Ludlow

The Bailiffs for the Time being The Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Newport Sen and His Apparent of the Earl of Bradford The Right Honourable Robert Harley Esquire One of Her Majesties Principal Secretaries of State Sir Lancelot Powsy Knight One of Her Majesties Justices of the Queen's Bench Sir Thomas Pwysy Knight Her Majesties First Sergeant at Law Recorder Sir Francis Charlton Baronet Francis Herbert Maudslon Charles Acton Baldwin George Herbert Robert Powis William Gower John Salway Henry Wignore Littleton Powell Rowland Baugh Abel Kestly George Wakert Thomas Downes Francis Baylis Thomas Jones Valentine Dimes Thomas Sobrey Esquires Thomas Lea George Long Philip Cole John Sherrill Edward Southam John Brown Edward Robinson Aldermen Doctor Staal Richard Dunn junior Samuel Bowdler Richard Wilney John Davis Robert Kerr Richard Cole senior Benjamin Carter John Baldwin John Jones William Price Edward Lea John Acton Samuel Waring Gentlemen.

For the County of Salop

The Right Honourable Robert Lord Viscount Rothery of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Richard Lord Newport Sen and His Apparent of the Earl of Bradford The Right Honourable James Lord Mordaunt of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Robert Harley Esquire One of Her Majesties Principal Secretaries of State The Honourable Henry Thynne Esquire The Honourable Henry Newport Esquire The Honourable Thomas Newport Esquire Sir Lancelot Powsy Knight One of the Justices of Her Majesties Court of Queen's Bench Sir Charles Lisleton Sir Robert Corbett Sir Humphrey Briggs Sir Richard Vernon Sir Edward Acton Sir Richard Myddleton Sir Francis Charlton Sir John Wynn Sir William Williams Sir Edward Leighton Sir William Forster Baronet Sir Lucas William Child Sir Henry Gough Sir Humphrey Mackworth Sir William Forrester Sir Thomas Pwysy Her Majesties First Sergeant at Law Sir George Norton Sir Thomas Trowell Knight Charles Lambton Edward Leighton John Charlton Arthur Manwaring Charles Kynaston de Gortley John Kynaston de Harleley Richard Fowler Francis Herbert Roger Owen William Owen George Widd Richard Corbett Walter Mosley Thomas Spoor Charles Coates John Coates Walter Waring Charles Bakewell Roger Pope Brumetoch Pope John Lucas senior John Lucas junior de West Copper John Gwynne John Wise John Boswell Bartholomew Lantley John Bridgman Blunden Charleson John Sulley Joseph Sobley William Humeer Sheaguan Dunsport Eldred Lancelot Lee Thomas Lister Thomas Child John Thomas John Harley Wake Christopher Edward Kerry Richard Mims senior Richard Mims junior Edward Vaughan Edward Child Edward Kinnerley Thomas Hunt Thomas Edwards William Gower William Taylor Thomas Widd Robert Piger Dryden Piger Clerk William Young Thomas Wingfield Lloyd Edwards John Powell Thomas Powell de Park John Walter Francis Berkley Arthur Weaver James Green Sergeant at Law Robert Lloyd Edward Cowell Henry Mison Philip Jennings Edward Whitcomb Edward Owen de Woodhouse Thomas Jones de Sandford Bartholomew Beale Thomas Sackford de Sandford Richard Leighton de Rodenham

Bartholomew Cotton Andrew Charlton Thomas Gardner Edward Doffe Grey James Gross Thomas Severin Henry  
 Powell Esquires John Epton Clerk John Hollings Doctor in Physick Adam Orley Arch Deacon Doctor in  
 Divinity Doctor John Price John Groom Samuel Darison Roger Carben The Mayor of Shrewsbury for the  
 Time being The Bailiffs of Bishop's Castle for the Time being The Bailiffs of Wenlock for the Time being  
 The Bailiffs of Bridgworth for the Time being The Mayor and Canon of Coventry for the Time being John  
 Hill Buckley Mackworth Simon Hamner Esquire Richard Hoole Richard Saker Edward Gessell Jonathan Scott  
 senior Jonathan Scott junior John Scott Thomas Owen de Shrewsbury Thomas Owen de Willeby Thomas Cole de  
 Shrewsbury Richard Higgin Richard Presthead John Williams Gabriel Wood Francis Baldwin senior William  
 Chapman senior Edward Lloyd John Cooke Draper Rawland Bugh Thomas Acton Whitmore Acton David Marlow  
 Esquire John Lazen de Salop Gentleman William Brown Arthur Derwent Charles Walcott Richard Stann de  
 Acton Philip Cotton Thomas Crempson Lancelot Stephens John Mason de Burrow Timothy Hamill William  
 Hammond George Sandford William Kymeron de Ryton Edward Kirkby Abel Kirkby Esquires John Ridge  
 Richard Littlehale John Sheppard Charles Mason Henry Best William Badger Richard Walker Thomas Whickstead  
 de Bridgworth Edward Mathias Humphrey Owen Andrew Hill Thomas Howle junior Edward Jordan Andrew  
 Kendrick Robert Clive John Harbridge John Morris Medlicott of Welford John Hubbs Walter Wallston Richard  
 Turner Roger Finch Robert Will Edward Blackway John Baldwin de Munklow Benjamin Whitefoot Robert Kerry  
 John Sheppard de Elppennes Edward Pardo Alexander Duncorn Samuel Dodd Robert Dodd Edward Shiley  
 Thomas James de Shact Richard Sheppard William Russell Edward Owen of Eaton Marston Bernard Hammond John  
 Prior John Ludlam Thomas Hill de Sochen Thomas Hill de Sochen junior James Kestley Thomas Spensard  
 Nicholas Jones William Child Lancelot Shadwell Thomas Clive Robert Moore Bail Wood Edward Jordan  
 William Whitmore Richard Whitmore Edward Baldwin de Salop William Smith John Bright William Leghton  
 William Eynes Esquire Joseph Mackleson Edward Jones Thomas Calcott of Berwick Robert Pevin John Kinnerley  
 of Berkeby Roger Orkeley Corfield of Charewell William Bowdler George Pally Thomas Hurley Edward  
 Holey Thomas Heald Richard Hyde John Wilson Richard Ward of Hamon Mackworth Young John Whitwell de  
 Dodington John White William Robinson of Guts John Whitmore Humphrey Scotland Thomas Farmer de  
 Chukinall Thomas Harwood William Buckley William Wetherley Thomas Groat of Shrewsbury George Seld  
 Thomas Luttrell George Herbert Anna Baldwin Charles Baldwin Charles Chamber Thomas Burroughs Herbert  
 Langley John Fleming Esquire Edward Phillips Doctor in Physick Timothy Seymour Adam Orley Richard Lloyd  
 John Hill of Bredeston Thomas Kymeron John Higgins Roger Gething Andrew Lloyd Thomas Downes James  
 Davis Thomas Brevins de Clun John Eddon Edward Morris Maria Baldwin William Church George Walton  
 Esquire William Hamner Clerk Edward Baldwin of Ditchbury Esquire Francis Berkeley junior William Adams  
 Samuel Birch Esquire Jeremiah Brown Thomas Phillips Andrew Seld Thomas Moore of Larden Esquire Thomas  
 Moore of Milschop James Beeton Samuel Jordan John Weaver John Weaver junior John Bennet John Dickens  
 Esquire John Selwy Thomas Hill of Sidington Robert Phillips Draper Richard Lloyd Lee Brooks James Gibbons  
 of Amrley Gentleman Roger Whaley Thomas Jenkins Thomas Bowdler Peter Barker Richard Edwards Joseph  
 And William Wood of Muckleton John Edmestons Thomas Adney Henry Bowdler William Hayward Maurice  
 Hayward Philip Berdell Richard Berdell Daniel Perrow George Ambler William Baldwin of Hens Gentleman  
 Richard Prior John Frichard of Rucklorn Esquire Thomas Sahy Gentleman John Williams William Pennell Edward  
 Baldwin Wrenwley Beeson William Furnon de Bridgworth Richard Dovey de Farncott John Kervill Richard Edwards  
 de Middleton Joseph Best Gentleman Acton Moseley Thomas Jobber Richard Furnage John Hollings Esquire  
 John Eddon de Bridgworth Gentleman Richard Bugh Clerk Samuel Bennett James Milington Gentleman William  
 John Robert Wood Richard John John Isaac Hwkins Esquire Roger Achterley Charles Hamner Esquire Madras  
 Asley Gentleman John Harding Clerk John Waring George Ambler Walter Williamson Gentleman Samuel Cooke  
 Morris Lloyd John Lloyd Thomas Lowe Gentleman Philip Lortley Esquire Thomas Mervill Thomas Powis William  
 Knapp junior Esquire John Barnes Esquire William Eytan Esquire Thomas Edwards Arthur Long Edward George  
 John Tonge Samuel Severin Samuel Adderton William Gask John Twiss Joseph Waring Humphrey Davenport  
 Roger Green Daniel Griffith Rector Thomas [Adams] Rector Henry Tension Esquire Kerick Eynes.

## For the City and County of the City of Bristol

William Winthead Esquire Mayor The Mayor and Sheriffs of the said City for the Time being Robert Eynes  
 Esquire Recorder Sir Thomas Day Sir William Chatterbeck Sir John Knight Sir Thomas Cuss Sir John Duddleston  
 Sir William Daines Sir John Hawkins Sir William Lewis Edward Colman Joseph Crowder William Seymour  
 William Jackson Robert Yee Samuel Wallis John Berchard Francis Whitmarsh Nathaniel Day George Stephens  
 Joseph Knight Thomas Edwards Richard Haden John Saxon Michael Pope Thomas Cole Robert Bosley Joseph  
 Jackson William Browne Robert Langens Joseph Earle Thomas Day John Scope Humphrey Conley Thomas  
 Munklow John Cary Thomas Edwards junior Giles Earle John Rastey Nathaniel Hagger Richard Taylor John  
 Bentley John Munklow George Morgan John Loyde Nathaniel Wide John Sandford Nathaniel Bowdler John  
 Thomas Robert Dowling Henry Cornish John Bradway James Hiltidge Robert Board Samuel Bely Richard Bely  
 Abraham Elton Christopher Sker Thomas Hart Henry Winthead Anthony Seymour Henry Walker Morgan  
 Smith Nathaniel Webb Henry Perrott George Mason Thomas Moore William Richard Richard Fookyns Francis  
 Rogers William Burnside Abraham Hock James Wallis Oonigham Thobald James Hanes Thomas Tyke Henry  
 Mann Philip Fook Hugh Baldwin Thomas Winsons Nicholas Hicks Thomas Clowes William Bely Edmund

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Mountain Thomas Hangerford Richard Levenedge Francis Plummer William Hart Fashell Longman Edward Tuckell William Standers Edward Jacob John Blackwell Robert Earle William Seymoure junior Abraham Elton junior.

For the City of Bath

The Mayor and Bench of Aldermen for the Time being William Bathurst Esquire Samuel Thomas Esquire John Touchard Esquire Recorder.

For the City of Wells

The Mayor for the Time being Peter Davis Esquire Recorder Jacob Wormli Matthew Bacon Thomas Cooper Holger Cooke Charles Bacon Joseph Norton Matthew Smith Archibald Harper Gabriel Odams.

For the Borough of Bridgwater

The Mayor for the Time being Sir Francis Warre Baronet Recorder Sir Thomas Wroth Baronet Nathaniel Palmer John Gilbert George Crane Thomas Barr George Balch John Harvey at the Castle Nicholas Seely Thomas Maguire Samuel Darby Doctor Allan Doctor Morgan John Miles.

For the rest of the County of Somerset

John Lord Viscount Fitzharding of the Kingdom of Ireland Francis Lord Hawley of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Henry Thynne Esquire The Honourable Francis Greville Esquire Sir Edward Seymour Sir Philip Sydenham Sir Thomas Wroth Sir John Smith Sir Thomas Hales Sir William Winstons Sir John Trevetton Sir Francis Warre Sir John St. Bebe Sir Francis Wyndham Sir John Tynte Sir Richard How Sir Henry Seymour Sir Thomas Webster Barons Sir Stephen Fox Sir John Knight Sir George Norton Sir Thomas Tinsell Sir William Wogan Sir Charles Cantwell Sir Jacob Banks Sir John Howell Sir Richard Newman Sir John Robinson Sir Roger Hill Knight Henry Portman Thomas Strangways George Horner John Warrs William Bartley Nathaniel Palmer John Piger John Winkham John Spoke John Sandford Francis Gwynn John Hunt Alexander Luttrell Joseph Langton George Rodney Bridges William Bathurst Edward Clarke Edward Baber Robert Langton Edward [George] Wilkes Euseb Baldwin Mallet William Mallet William Boller Carter Midway Richard Fowkes senior Richard Fowkes junior William Gore Robert Tate Henry Halsey Thomas Carew Francis Rolle John Leigh John Coddington George Maignere William Long Thomas Barr of Hamdun Thomas Chais Richard Morgan John Frowce of Ashbridge James Frowce Samuel Rolle Henry Bridges William Cowdrey George Doddington John Handington William Pleyer Thomas Montgomery Maurice Berkeley Thomas Palmer Edward Coakson Philip Bennett junior Richard Cross Robert Vickie John Marton Heydell Thomas Edwards senior Francis Hollis Newman George Maignere junior John Turrell James Medlicott Thomas Medlicott Thomas Rich Thomas Sandhouse Edmund Beyer John Tassell John Young of Trust Richard Fraser Philip Bennett John Isaac Arthur Lucy Edward Duke Alexander Popham Joseph Earle William Earle William Spoke William Lide Anthony Ellenden Corallin Lide John Landdown John Hedy John Woll John Hobb William Coward William Withchurch John Williams James Wallis James Aston Squire Goodenough General Marton William Phelps Edward Phelps William Edlind of Sea Benham Hurlington Anthony Stooke John Hilder John How Henry Litt Henry Mompson Thomas Dyke of Tame William Hughs Anthony Hesley John Burridge John Strachey Marshall Bridges William Bridges Thomas Edwards junior William Okeden Henry Barr William Steele of [Burlington] Edward Steele of Dean Thomas Warre William Jones Henry Blanchard of Cantons Court Christopher Farwell Robert Sydenham Thomas Beever William Worley John Woth Francis Vaughan John Delle William French Nicholas French Humphrey Sydenham Thomas Gale Roger Leverage Robert Blake of Ash Priors John Barford D<sup>r</sup> Robert Pever Peter Acourt Richard Cook John Britton Samuel Pitt Merchants William Blackford Richard Carr Genteron Verner William Man Roger Sydenham Robert Evered Thomas Longington Samuel Raymond Hugh Beltham John Pratt John Blunham Thomas Compton David Yes Wilkes Blake of Monkland Edward Kyder Thomas Bacon Nathaniel Wade Richard Nancecombe Nathaniel Day Thomas Henry Henry Bonner Thomas Bonner Doctor John Hall of Taunton John Pyman Doctor Pever of Taunton George Vaughan Edward Colthampton Henry Garthall Isaac William John Hobbs John Baker of Hamwood Thomas Bonner Anthony Poole John Gould Nathaniel Pitt George Crane Esquires The Mayor of Taunton for the Time being Francis Holman senior Francis Holman junior John Forest John Tindale George Balch John Gilbert William Sealey Robert Lucas John Southey Thomas Goves Andrew Twells [Nicholas] Marshall Thomas Baker Christopher Randall Thomas Corbin Edward Webb William Weber William How junior John Bond Charles Bonden Edward Dew John [Strackley] John Tanner John Wogg of Porington John Salmon junior of Beedles Robert Smith of Ledons Henry Wencombe William Bell Herbert Smith junior Gabriel Odingsells Gentlemen The Mayor of Gloucestershire for the Time being Henry Steele Thomas Cooth Charles Morris Henry Wilkes of Bathons William Wickham Thomas Jett junior James Twidall D<sup>r</sup> Francis of Bathons Peter Davis of Wells Counsellor at Law Joseph Brown of Gloucestershire Francis Winkham Esquire Richard Maignere Esquire John Gardner of Kings Whimpton William Marny John Thomas Samuel Brich Gentlemen Francis Newman Charles Barr Walter Robinson Gentlemen William Stacker Gentlemen Abraham Elton Gentlemen.

## For the Town and County of the Town of Southampton

The Mayor for the Time being Robert Eyras Esquire Recorder the Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Woodstock Sen and His Apparent to the Earl of Portland Adam de Cardonell junior Esquire Sir Archibald Aikine The Honourable Lewis Manduast Admell Aylmer Thomas Jerrard Esquire George Rodney Bridges Esquire Edmund Dummer Commissioner William Bulkeley Esquire Adam de Cardonell senior John Speed senor (Doctor of Physick) John Speed junior Doctor of Physick Christopher Smith Thomas Cornish John Tharburgh William Cropp Robert Cullford Roger Clatterback Thomas Rice Anson de Verville Robert Vernon Richard White Daniel Pined Arthur Asherley William Godfrey John Baskinase Richard Smith Thomas Machan Patrick Garner John Garre Nathaniel Knight Edmund Moody Roger Andrews Richard Taunton John Wanser Philip de Verville Gentlemen.

## For the County of Southampton with the Isle of Wight

The Right Honourable John Smith Esquire Speaker of the Honourable House of Commons and One of Her Majesty most Honourable Privy Council Charles Lord Marescote of Winchester Sen and His Apparent of Charles Duke of Bolton The Right Honourable the Earl of Galloway of the Kingdom of Ireland The Lord Mount Potercoort of the Kingdom of Ireland The Lord Viscount Blenheim of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable the Lord William Powlett Second Son of the late Duke of Bolton The Right Honourable the Lord James Russell One of the Sons of the late Duke of Bedford The Right Honourable Edward Lord Viscount Gumbury Sen and His Apparent of the Earl of Chertenden The Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Woodstock Sen and His Apparent of the Earl of Portland The Honourable Francis Grenville Esquire Sen and His Apparent of Falk Lord Brook Sir Robert Worsley Sir Charles Barrington Sir John S<sup>r</sup> Barb Sir Nicholas Spawart Sir Thomas Solley Sir Thomas Dillington Sir Hugh Strevell Sir Richard Mills Sir Robert Smith Sir Basil Hawk Sir Richard Osborn Sir Boskely Lucy Sir Bruce Gardner Sir John Shackharraugh Sir William Oglander Sir John Miller Seniors Sir Dery Bulkeley Sir George Ranker Sir Jacob Banks Sir John Cape Sir Thomas Halton Sir Edward Lawton Sir John Hawley Sir John Gibson Sir William Gifford Knight Lieutenant General Thomas Earle Governor of Portsmouth Richard Norton George Pitt James Zouch Norton Powlett John Wallage Frederick They Thomas Jervoise Richard Chaudelot Anthony Bosley George Rodney Bridges Thomas Bruce senor Edward Chanc James Dewy Richard Edgcombe Gabriel Whitely John Leigh Richard Holt Richard Cobb Charles Cole James Tuckhouse William Belpoy William Salmon John Pelton Anthony Dowley Charles Wilton William Wilkes of Maidstone Andrew Withers William Withers of Aversh Richard Norton of Alford Richard Reynolds Colborne Edward Goldard Edward Boudier John Brantfield William Knappall Henry Knappall Edmund Lambert George Clarke William Stanley William Prouss Henry Hook Lewis Buckle Arthur Hale George Deben John Bosley Major General Southampton Major General John Webb Henry Grey William Hoar Thomas Lewis William Foster Peter Moss Thomas Chaffin William Cago Leonard Elton Edward Hooper senor Nicholas Hedger Thomas Phipps Richard Woodman Ralph Beckrall Edward Richards Alexander Drake Roger Harris George Bosley Benjamin Radford Charles Norton Robert Mackel Ashbarnham Tall Gauden Deper Anthony Margia Thomas Baskley George Oglander senor Henry Worley James Woolley Charles Worley John Worley George Bridges junior Thomas Davies John Freeman Isaac Younshead Roger Barton Henry Foxcroft Francis Swanton George Duke Edward Nicholas Robert Poinis Henry Payer Thomas Edwards Thomas Dewar of Walling Thomas Downe of Brooke Thomas Brocas junior Thomas Warr John Lumhrey Edward Pile Richard Pyle Abraham Winkas Thomas Brewer John Gooder Peter Remond Henry Bosley Elia S. John Lovdase Rigg Walter Godfrey Edward Allen William Stephens John Lake Edward Lake Jeremiah [Grey] William Knappan William Golden Anthony Radnor Samuel Prouss Roger Clatterback John Walter Edward Hooper junior Dutton Gifford Henry Holmes Joseph Hinzman Thomas Hinzman John Foyle John Brown Charles How Henry Hart Esquire Thomas Wickham Don of Winchester Doctor Nicholas Doctor Markland Doctor Thomas Sayer Doctor Thomas Dixon Doctor Robert Eyras Arch Deacon Boucher William Lowth Clerk Doctor Name Arch Deacon Biddouke John Speed junior Hugh Willoughby William Smith Mathew Combs Doctors of Physick John Saffeld William Enoch John Pitt Thomas Flannery Henry Flannery George Marley William Taylor John Radford Anthony Scott Edmund Dummer Henry Holt James Harris George Vernon James Vesibles William Boverman David Verry of Exton Thomas Urry of Gurneah Francis Dickson James Gray Robert Maies Richard Kent Paul Bernard George Bernard Elia Moss Thomas Coward Robert Love Edward Wilson George Yates Henry Lucy Richard Cooper James Blake Daniel Park Robert Kercher William Emden Giles Lyford Tho: Ridges Henry Morrison William Knight of Chawton John Acon William Bennett Graham Richard Knight Robert Blacklock Thomas Blom Simon Bower Thomas Brantfield Bishop of Yarmy Esquire William Hall Lawrence Jackson Capito Lane John Weigan Francis Ashley Edmund Dummer of Swarling John Whatehead John Stephens of Barnes William Stephens of Guss Edward Stephens [William] James William Russell Richard Cordale William Cooper John Butler senor of Alton John Butler junior John Harwood senor of Dean John Harwood junior Robert Park Agatha Elche John Hooper Goodenrich John Green Clerk Thomas Hawkins John Allen John Nieve Francis Mills John Hewkins of Eares Town Joseph Harwood Robert Downes Richard Bode Thomas Rawlston William Hooper Walter Thomas Thomas Bosham William Walden William Fisher Edmund Wansell John Goodley of Alton John White William Turner Stephen Lock George Wheeler Gustavus John Boucher Robert Bunney Stephen Worledge Anthony Palmer Thomas Robinson Nicholas Blais Robert Funder Robert Lampert Bryan Richards Goodenrich

William Legg of Gorham Clerk Benjamin Williams Clerk Joseph Cusfield Clerk      Gilbert of Fox Clerk  
 John River Robert Higham William Goldwyse Richard Widdowes Clement Newham Captain Clements Gentleman  
 The Mayor of Winchester for the Time being Edward Grace John Parke senior David Wessell Richard Good  
 James Barfoot Henry Sharpe Anthony Yalden John Baker Gilbert Wessell Thomas Pisk John Panton Thomas  
 Crapp Edward Hooker junior Charles Trellis Thomas Cressy Nicholas Pike Alan Garvey John Tarnes Edward  
 Hooker senior James Pike Gentleman The Mayor of Linsington for the Time being Francis Hinchbury Nicholas  
 Stanley Gentleman The Bailiff of Andover for the Time being Jaugh Warblen Gilbert Goldway John Soden  
 William Hinton John Kyle Edward Warham Nicholas Flower William Barwick John Bray William Wesscombe  
 ('') Isaac Cooper James Greve Joseph Skypson Thomas Mackerell Richard Bradburn senior Gentleman The Mayor of  
 Portsmouth for the Time being John Blakley Henry Sanger Joseph Whitehouse John Vasing Thomas Bann  
 Henry Stanfield William Smith Gentleman The Mayor of Parnfield for the Time being William Pay John  
 Palmer Edward Kneke William Parker Gent<sup>l</sup> The Mayor of Ramsey for the Time being Henry Pope William  
 Green Thomas Barwick John Good Gentleman The Mayor of Chant Church for the Time being Thomas Soper  
 The Mayor of Beauprook for the Time being The Mayor of Newport for the Time being John Redburn senior  
 Robert Leigh Benjamin Bagner John Leigh of Newport George Muggat John Machel William Sygny  
 William Ury Robert Lannan Gentleman The Mayor of Yarmouth for the Time being Anthony Rack  
 Esquire Thomas Ruck Esquire.

For the City and County of the City of Litchfield

The Bailiffs and Sheriffs for the Time being Samuel Meneely Richard Ball Gentleman Sir Michael Riddell  
 Barnet Sir Henry Gough Knight Richard Dyot Richard Post Esquires Peaplace Nott Esquire the Reverend  
 D. Beke Dean of Litchfield John Edwards Isaac Haskins Esquire Thomas Furness John Rawlins John Dyot  
 Richard Barnes George Bessell senior George Newell junior William Robinson James Hamond Thomas Deane  
 Richard Pasky Robert Flop George Harding Francis Bagly Thomas Adye William Grubly John Barker John  
 Parker John Ballock George Hector Henry Redburn Gentleman William Port Gentleman.

For the County of Stafford

The Right Honourable Jerome Lord Paragon of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Charles  
 Eyrton The Honourable John Gray The Honourable Henry Paget The Honourable William Wad  
 The Honourable Ferdinando Dudley Sir Charles Lisle Sir Bryan Broughton Sir Thomas Peblis Sir  
 Charles Welsley Sir Walter Wootenley Sir Edward Bagot Sir Edward Lisle Sir Thomas Lawley Sir  
 Thomas Bellen Sir Michael Riddell Sir Robert Barton Sir John Harper Sir Henry Assy Sir Charles Pye  
 Sir Charles Broadfield Sir John Chetwood Berens Sir Edward Hunsford Knight of the Bath Sir Henry  
 Gough Sir Charles Strensham Sir John Tusten Sir Thomas Parker Sir John Floyer Knight Sir Thomas  
 Parker One of Her Majesty's Serjeants at Law Henry Gray Benjamin Joffe Edward Byrch William Ward  
 junior John Wootenley Thomas Broughton Esquires Simon Dag Edward Lintown Thomas Foley Charles  
 Bagot senior Charles Bagot junior William Welsley Philip Foley Paul Foley Humphrey Wyley the Reverend  
 Doctor Wale Dean of Litchfield the Reverend Peter Byrch Doctor in Divinity Edward Malmesbury Thomas  
 Riddell Walter Charward John Port Thomas Lane Robert Leveron Edward Ashburn Rowland Okner  
 Okner junior Rowland Cotton George Rodney Bridges Henry Vernon Walter Gough Esquires John  
 Hen Serjeant at Law George Parker Philip Holmes Matthew Floyer      Richard Ralph Floyer Golden  
 Clerk Charles Chadwick Francis Elde Richard Pyot James Wood John Lawson Richard Dyot William Walmsley  
 William Seyd Thomas Crompton William Inge John Digby Charles Coats Joseph Amphlett Esquires Harry  
 Vernon junior John Shilton Peter Parhouse James Greenway Thomas Greve Richard Sheldon William Assy  
 Peter Warham William Tindall Thomas Leigh Esquires Edward Noden Michael Noble William Leigh late  
 Haskins William Mansell William Brody Richard Wilks John Lane Thomas Fowle Edward James John  
 [Edginton?] John Dikins of Leaton Esquires John Langley junior Henry Harworth Rowland Byrch John Bown  
 Henry Leigh Thomas Whitley John Berford John Congreve Esquires Rupert Hantbach Gent<sup>l</sup> Thomas Fowle  
 Doctor of Physick William Trevelyan junior Mathew Dury Norton George Loy Thomas Foley of Stoke Thomas  
 Bagrell Walter Fowler Edward Wilson John Jarvis Esquires William Shillous Thomas Wile      Wile  
 Gent<sup>l</sup> Thomas Browne Walter Mosely John Badilly Edward Barber James Kidwell John Wedgewood John  
 Wheeler Esquires John Dolphin Edward Sheldon William Lawton Gent<sup>l</sup> Bailiffs of Yarmouth for the Time being  
 The Mayor of Stafford for the Time being Leigh Brooks Esquire Walter Noble Gent<sup>l</sup> Francis Whitwick Edward  
 Sutton Samuel Ashbury Charles Gusey John Arden Christopher Rade Richard Whitworth Charles Whitworth  
 Thomas Whitley junior Ralph Seyd Thomas Blakley Robert Borde Esquires Thomas Vernon William Brown  
 Gentleman Oswald Moseley Esquire Thomas Manlove Ralph Adderly William Oldfield Isaac Villars Gentleman  
 Thomas Kintreby William Crenchall Esquires Thomas Dudley John Broadbent Esquires Richard Sherrott William  
 Wale Gentleman John Morris Edward Elroker Charles Adderly [Esquires?] James Bayly Wm. Bayly Walter  
 Young John Craddock Gentleman Lancelot Shadwell Thomas Noble Humphrey Foye William Piske Richard  
 Serjeant Esquires Humphrey Hadgins John Taylor John Williamson William Abert Gent<sup>l</sup> Thomas Levis William  
 Abert of Audley John Dancer Henry Walker John Dyot Richard Barnes George Beck Thomas Hollinghead  
 Thomas Ponce Gladish Lane Gentleman Joseph Gidder Serjeant at Law Thomas Gray Esquire The Mayor of

\* Thomas Wootenley G.

\* Edgerton G.

\* Esquire G.

*Notables for the Time being* WILLIAM LUTINA WILLIAM BARDEN SAMUEL BELL THOMAS HEEDEN THOMAS HANMAD  
 RICHARD BARNES GORDON JOHN CHEWYND of Rugby Esquire WALTER CHEWYND of Bracton Gentleman EDWARD  
 SOUTHWELL Esquire THOMAS ALLEN EDWARD BIRD and/or EDWARD BIRD junior ROBERT LANDER NICHOLAS MINORS WILLIAM  
 GUEST Gentleman RICHARD SHELLEY RALPH GILBERT CLEMENT KINNESEY EDMUND PARKER Gentleman.

For the Borough of Ipswich

The Bailiffs and Pursemen for the Time being WILLIAM THOMPSON Esquire JOHN BESSER Esquire LORENZO MARIN  
 Esquire DEVEREUX EDGAR Esquire NICHOLAS EDGAR Esquire DOCTOR JOHN DALE CLAUDIUS WHITAKER Surgeon at Law  
 JOHN WRIGHT Esquire MR. CHARLES WRIGHT WILLIAM CHURCHILL Esquire MR. HENRY SPURGEON MR. THOMAS BOWELL MR. SAMUEL  
 REYNOLDS MR. HENRY HILL MR. ISAAC BAXTON and/or MR. ROBERT SCOTTING

For the Borough of Bury St. Edmunds

The Aldermen Recorder and Capital Burgesses for the Time being Sir THOMAS FELTON Baronet AUBREY PORTER  
 Esquire

For the Borough of Dunwich

The Bailiffs and Aldermen for the Time being Sir ROBERT KEMP Sir JOHN ROUSE Sir CHARLES BLISS Baronet  
 ROBERT KEMP JOHN ROUSE Esquires THOMAS BENS Esquire Recorder.

For the Borough of Eye

The Bailiffs and Capital Burgesses for the Time being The Honourable SPENCER COMPTON Esquire Sir JOSEPH  
 MYLL Knight One of Her Majesties Secretaries at Law ROBERT BRETTFIE Esquire

For the Borough of Salisbury

The Mayor Aldermen and Steward for the Time being Sir HARVEY ELVES Sir THOMAS ROBINSON Baronet PHILIP  
 SHIPPON SAMUEL WARNER Esquires CLEMENT RAY THOMAS HALL ROBERT SCARLE SAMUEL CARTER ROBERT GURTING JOHN  
 PARISH THOMAS PARISH ROYCE VOICE JOHN FEN JOSEPH WAIN MARTIN HARRIS JOHN VOICE THOMAS FLEMING THOMAS GILBERT  
 ROBERT SPURGEON EDWARD SMITH THOMAS ROBINSON Gentlemen.

For the rest of the County of Suffolk

HAIKINARD LORD ALBANY of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Sir JOHN HOLT Lord Chief Justice  
 of Her Majesties Court of Queen's Bench and One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council Sir ROBERT  
 BACON Sir THOMAS HAMMOND Sir THOMAS FELTON Sir JOHN PLAYFORD Sir WILLIAM BARKER Sir ROBERT KEMP Sir SPENCER  
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 BARNARDISTON Sir FRANCIS MATHAM Sir ROBERT DAVIES Sir CHARLES HOYCE Sir WILLIAM COCKER Sir THOMAS ROBINSON  
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 Wickham THOMAS BRIGHT WILLIAM HANMAD senior SAMUEL WALLER GEORGE GELTING JOHN ELMED THOMAS WILD  
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 WARNER SAMUEL MADOCKS JOHN BRIND SAMUEL BRIND of Edwinton Bartholomew SUMNER WILLIAM BRIGHT THOMAS  
 BRIND THOMAS FOLKES RICHARD PHILIPS senior WILLIAM TYE JOSEPH WILD NATHANIEL SYMONDS RICHARD FRYER JA. LEVARD  
 ANTHONY WINGFIELD [ROBERT] ABBEY CHARLES DREWING EDMUND HAREY JOHN CALDWELL CHARLES WRIGHT THOMAS  
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 WILLIAM RUSSELL JACOB BRIND WILLIAM LEE ROBERT DANKEN JOSEPH BROWNE JOHN FRYER of Hingham HENRY HEBBER  
 ROBERT CULVER THOMAS KIRK of Beland SAMUEL BARELY JOHN BARKER JOHN JACOB BARTHOLOMEW PASSANT BARNABY  
 GILSON junior JOHN WARREN EDMUND COLEMAN NATHANIEL DAY WILLIAM HAVES JOHN DUNKEN THOMAS MILLS JOSEPH  
 TRENCH DOCTOR JOHN THOROUGHGOOD WILLIAM BEAUMONT NATHANIEL BARNARDISTON FRANCIS DICKINS RICHARD FRESTON JOHN  
 BACON BARTHOLOMEW YOUNG ALEXANDER BACON WILLIAM FOTHERGILL THOMAS FOTHERGILL WALTER CARY CALLEMAN

John Frybeck Thomas Mitchell Nicholas Edgar George Wain Richard Jenkins Edward Mason Thomas Feigh  
 junior Desmarz Edgar Thomas Smith of Thessington Francis Edgar Richard Threshill Baker of Henselick  
 John Poley Marz of Furness John Spencer Richard Foster Thomas Macew John Fowle John Fensley  
 Richard Prince senior William Turner John Turner Jeffrey Maltwood James Jeffy Joseph Tharnton John Wright of  
 Ipswich James Harvey Robert May Milcent Edgar George Gale Thomas Carter John Parish John Gibson Philip  
 Beorn John Morden John Paraphs Robert Jedd Robert Wangle (Rich<sup>y</sup>) Brown William Brown Thos Tayle John  
 Swaye John Spathan Robert Seith Samuel Lawrence William Copley John Polton Thomas Meadows William  
 Bryant George Gaudy William Nelson Stephen Alcock Richard Philips junior Thomas Lenton Frances Badley  
 Stephen Ames Henry Darnet Christopher Caloape Thomas Parsh Mathew Jack Edward Alton James Cole John  
 Lamb Robert Baxton John Burrough John Wade Samuel Reynolds Henry Applethorn Henry Sparrow John  
 Spurlawke William Best Thomas Cooper Edward Thompson Stephen Soame John Coleman William Motz junior  
 Christopher Bury Robert Foke Philip Hazard John Hoake Walter Crook Richard Gibbs John Goodwyn Lester  
 Naman John Rann Edward Othens Robert Buckling John Brewster Doctor Fawcettbridge Clouse Garrish Clavin  
 Reddingfield Philip Skippen Thomas Rind Edward Lee George Vernon Samuel Warner Thomas Bacon John  
 Canham of Midsenhall John Ridley of Thame Colles Rushbrooke Richard Harris William Vessey Benjamin Thompson  
 Nathaniel Lawrence Doctor Thomas Tharnton Samuel Sparrow Roger Scudley Anthony Gwydier John Right Dome  
 Hugh Chamberlaine John Brinkley William Churchill Richard Richardson Badle Thomas Knights John  
 Maryatt John Sayer Thomas Hays Oliver Taster William Coase Robert Richmond Charles Barwell Anthony Berry  
 Samuel Barmister Thomas Atly John Coltham Sparrow of Lavenham Joseph Chaplan Thomas  
 Harndenston Richard Prince senior William Hayes Christopher Smith John Mount Anthony Goffs of Soding  
 Thomas Hartman Thomas Best of Odson Robert Dovers William Maynard William Smith John Brown Edmund  
 Draper John Dalton Thomas Waring Ambrose Kerrington [John<sup>y</sup>] Thoroughgood of Kersey Palem Bermadison  
 Edward Wile senior John Burwood John Brown of Rotherham John Higham of Gillingham John Arvey Samuel  
 Gibbs William Laxan Ralph Conon John Barker of Ash Robert Sparrow Robert Newton John Goodwyn of  
 Molefield Coleman of Brent Elay John Robinson Bartholomew Backs Esquivas John Smith James Ward  
 George Foot Gerdenses William Litch John Smith of Larkfield Thomas Borchs Esquivas Sir Robert Rich Barrow  
 John Aldred Robert Clarke of Southwell John Haughton Esquivas Henry Hall of Ipswich Gent, Anthony Samuel  
 of Woodbridge Robert Thompson Esq: John Newton Gunterman.

## For the County of Saxe

The Right Honourable William Feilding The Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Hyde Son and Heir  
 Apparent to the Earl of Rochester The Right Honourable the Lord Kergalle of the Kingdom of Ireland The  
 Right Honourable Thomas Lord Windsor of the Kingdom of Ireland The Lord Albans of the Kingdom of Ireland  
 The Honourable George Finch Esq: The Honourable Sir Charles Holmes Knight The Honourable James Vernon  
 Esq: The Honourable Maurice Thompson Esquire Sir Walter S. John Sir Francis Vincent Sir Edward Gresham Sir  
 Richard Oulow Sir William Scriven Sir Edward Northey Sir Joseph Alston Sir Richard Child Sir John Lee Sir  
 Henry Darnet Col: Sir Robert Mathias Sir John Conon Sir Paul Whitehorn Sir William Glynn Sir John Buckworth  
 Sir John Smith Barons Sir William Bosles Sir Mathew Andrews Sir St. John Bradefield Sir Christopher Buckle  
 Sir John Parsons Sir Thomas Vernon Sir Peter Vandepout Sir Edward Bannison Sir John Thorrycott Sir John  
 First Sir James Beaton Sir Henry Furness Sir George Newland Sir John Elwell Sir John Jennings Sir Nicholas  
 Walse Sir Jeffrey Jeffrys Sir Thomas Cooke Sir Richard Lawton Sir William Robinson Sir John Leake Sir Godfrey  
 Kneller Knight Henry St John Francis Vincent Thomas Oulow Nicholas Carew senior Nicholas Carew junior  
 Leonard Wound John Evelyn Thomas Cotton Francis Fuller Sergeant at Law John Nunner Anthony Boveyer Davell  
 Oulow Henry Pyne James Taitheborne Morgan Rendell Thomas Scriven Foot Oulow Peter Hensley William Drage  
 John Weston Edward Nicholas George Evelyn John Evelyn junior George Rodney Bridges Edward Harvey Junr  
 Zouch William Evelyn Arthur Moore Frederick Tilney George Woodcock Robert Worth Ambrose Brown Robert  
 Darnor John Puttyward William Forwick James Clarke Sigismund Sydolph George Duntzon senior Paul Duntzon  
 [Charles Dominguez<sup>y</sup>] Henry Byas Edward Bay John Sand David Colwell Thosiphos Oglethorpe Richard  
 Nicholls Shem Bridges Ambrose Maitland William Clayton William Harvey Richard Oulow Christopher Buddie  
 Thomas Lutz Charles Buckles William Hutton Robert Guelle John Mitchell John Wright senior John Wright junior  
 Henry Ledlow Robert Landley Lloyd George Vernon Thomas Vernon Anthony Hammond John Parkhurst William  
 Temple John Temple Charles Gresham William Gresham Samuel Ashanson John Ribbes John Boucher William  
 Elliot Edward Threland George Higgott William S. John John Jeffryes John Temple Francis Pannan Sophia  
 Glynn William Perry John Love Henry Cooper John Ward John Selford Richard Norton William Hutton Thomas  
 Trappa John Hatherburn Marm Fordkin John Turner Thomas Molyneux Captain Salomon Edward Evelyn Benjamin Le  
 Case Charles Cox Ralph Snow Samuel Somerset Henry Cornwall John Conyers Captain Donnell John Lade Jonathan  
 Scott Thomas Beath Henry Martin Abraham Barrow Philip Frowd Arthur Tamour Edward Tanser Richard Leeson  
 Edward Badgen Nicholas Hardon Nicholas Hardon junior John Chokely William Deshouwerie John Yacoble  
 Robert Douglas Anthony Stanz Colonel Fragers Charles Goodwin William Clarke Francis Barton Edward Woodward  
 Spencer Cooper Captain John Langport George Hawood Thomas Lowfield Thomas Burrow Peter Darnes  
 Laurence Marsh John Trimmer Urban Hall Wilson Jordan Leonard Hammond George Perry Henry Fould  
 Leming Robert Henry Pannan William Newer John Waker William Walsham John Shorer William Pelie

John Child Thomas Moore Edmund Lee John Latham Abraham Deffeney Joseph Wood William Atwood Samuel  
 Persons John Maford Peter Delaney Francis Withinson Ralph Herby Henry Weiten John Tichbourne Charles  
 [Tynes] William Leffersley Gainsford Thomas Wilkin Hoskyns William Ivatt William Dandel Humphrey Styles  
 John Wicker Henry Persons James Vernon junior Edward Harvey junior Leigh Stave Francis Nuge James Cook  
 Thomas Williams Chiddister Paul Alexander Akhurst Edward South Nathaniel Hensley Richard How Edward  
 Wood Thomas Haver George Smith Berleigh Fern John Loozell Edward Lancelotti Lee Ralph Lane Richard Hays  
 William Gayer Robert Sanders John Fulkam Thomas Powell William Marshall Samuel Hall Benjamin Tarnar John  
 Stepper John Gervais John Coleman John Blake Robert Ford Robert Coom Thomas Clepton Henry Bishop Thomas  
 Cooper Thomas Fox Edward Surfard John Jacob John Hagbin Daniel Allen Edward Tennison Robert Rosse  
 John Hunter William Waterman senior William Waterman junior John Dery High Sheriff Charles Dabala Mathew  
 Gower William Hubbard Thomas Cooke Edward Laigold Richard Lee Henry Rodes Henry Asworth William  
 Blagden Thomas Wyatt Walter Cook John Hunter John Towner John Case John Stephens Stephen Giles Gyles  
 Howard Daniel Wight Thomas Baker William Mitchell Edward Bellin William Reeves George Cole Ephraim  
 Bishop Nathaniel Stephens Lawrence Parker Thomas Morgan John Oster Thomas Rogers John Towner Arnold  
 Spelm Benjamin Newington Thomas Lucas Henry Payton William Cooper Thomas Sanders senior Thomas Sanders  
 junior Charles Martin William Wright Isaac Leader James Aspin William Perkins John Martin Robert Castle  
 Thomas Drake George Peck Charleswood Stanley John Dible William Harvey Samuel Wrinop John Peke John  
 Case John Fensile Thomas White John Fekrop James Isaacson Elton Spinkon Edmund Hunt Thomas Noorham  
 John Stanton Robert Perry William Russell senior John Herley Richard Dyott Doctor Saye Doctor Deancome  
 Doctor Hampton Doctor Gibson Doctor Shortridge Doctor Morron Doctor Bernard Doctor Tawell Doctor Tipping  
 Doctor Hadwood Richard Knibbell Thomas Chate Robert Freeman George Deancome junior Philip Redenham  
 Edward Charlston Richard Edmondson William Comber Nicholas Carler John Tichbourne Henry Dery Samuel  
 Waterman Henry Barton junior George Allen William Angell William Skedd David Peale Daniel Thomas Doctor  
 Luter Captain John Clements Captain Anthony Clifford Christopher Gentry senior Robert Aspin Captain William  
 Ruckley Thomas Phillips Captain Joseph Washell Patrick Lamb Richard Morgan Henry Dawkin Robert Bayes  
 Francis Withinson Major Benjamin Botsick Bryan Fairfax Henry Wheatley Charles Baker Richard Harrington John  
 Allen Nathaniel Hoskyn Doctor John Rembrigg Wilkes Gainsford Thomas Aspin Thomas Taylor John North junior  
 Edward Levere Spencer Gurnard Richard Girth of Norden Thomas White Henry Barton senior Thomas Genswick  
 Thomas Webb Richard Peake Edward Reading Robert Woodroffe Thomas Redhead The Mayor of Guildford for the  
 Year being The Bailiff of Kingston for the Year being The Bailiff of Farnham for the Year being Leonard Child  
 William Shaw Peter Quidell senior Lawrence Lidger Robert Berry Joseph Hambrick John Smalperce Richard Ford  
 Richard Flatter Caleb Woods senior John Vaux Henry Quibel John Hirston Thomas Agar John Bell Neimken  
 Emly John Terry Joseph Lee Francis Lee Richard Girth Richard Lowe Richard White Thomas Jordan John  
 Spencer Edward Pilby Thomas Babin Captain Bartholomew Thomas Bartholomew Thomas Canon Christopher  
 South Philip Foster John Angell Henry Foreman Henry Johnston William Sower Gerrard Andrews Henry Wyatt  
 Thomas Wyatt William Devotion John Crumbed Ulpian Hunt Peter Kerseman William Kesteven William Hamble  
 William Overman John Elwell Gabriel Glover Isaac Cox Thomas Henswood Richard Hammond Richard Woodman  
 Daniel Wight Edward Smith George Heath Philip Durn John Roberts Robert Bristow William Burtick Nicholas  
 Books John Cox Nathaniel Bourne William Golden John Screen George London John Boyes Richard Devon  
 Francis Tarringtons Therophilus Heath James Deane Edward Diercksen Charles Dubois William Rutter John  
 Gerrard John South Henry Pesson John Ledford Bequada Craker Thomas Maylin Philip Hooper Richard Smith  
 John Stubbs Thomas Burrey Philip Price James Groves Nathaniel Cox Henry Mactonfield Timothy Radcliffe Thomas  
 South Henry Bishop Richard Hesse William Gower Thomas Bishop Captain Thomas Burrey Edward Lane John  
 Penington Richard Bogan William Smith Roger Shorter Francis Southward John Gant Charles Baker John  
 Lambie Joshua Atkinson William King William Cook William Reeves junior Robert Norman John Hickman Richard  
 Glover Anthony Furrington Hugh Sharings John Barman Reginald Harriott John Whaler Isaac Sherd Richard  
 Sanders Edmund Halsey Thomas Todd Bacon Gwin Christopher Tison John Ellis John Hamble Henry Smith John  
 Harrison Gilbert Ear William East Lake Mose John Bell John Billingham Richard Arnold Benjamin Haskinsley  
 Joseph Haskinsley William Trennan John Fox Andrew Parker William Stephens Joseph Sherwin William Puryear  
 Richard Meggott Edward Jackson Thomas Bruster William Henswood John White Benjamin Lordell John Shedd  
 Thomas Harris Henry Hare Joseph Walsh Thomas Allen Thomas Paxton of Clapham Thomas Tyne Joseph Shum  
 Henry Spence John Cripps John Lewis John Deaton William Browne John Jones Charles Hapton James Comber  
 Henry Bowler William Blinghford Thomas Chalcraft Henry Baker Edward Budget junior Euse Evans George  
 Wood Thomas Allen John Brightwell Edward Jackson senior Edward Jackson junior John Saunders William Barnes  
 Richard Woodman Thomas Arnold senior Richard Arnold Samuel Atkinson William Stevens Nicholas Royle  
 Thomas Holt William Hamble John Dwyer William Angell James Comber Francis Pater James Pater John Brighton  
 John Pyke William Rutter Roger Peck John Jones John Dwyer Thomas Haron Jeremiah Boytes William Smith  
 Thomas Cocks John Hyland Captain Richard Olden Benjamin Serry Benjamin Thaxbury Samuel Bagwell George  
 Tynley William Woodhouse John Wren John Mith Richard Wells William Harrison Walter Hamby Richard  
 Jewell John Roberts Edward Hunt William Stephens Evelyn William East Thomas Aubrey Edward Sandford  
 William Kingsford Richard Wells Henry Wilson Charles King James Jarrett Henry Maria Equies John Miller  
 Equies William Newark Equies Benjamin Hooper Samuel Rath senior Edward Saxford John Taylor Henry Wether  
 Nathaniel Ford Sagarus Samuel Rush junior Ganesius Adolphus Nath John Hill.



## For the Town and Port of Hastings and Liberty thereof

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being The Honourable William Ashburnham Son and Heir Apparent of the Right Honourable John Lord Ashburnham John Pulney Esquire Sir George Parker Baronet Peter Gott Esquire Edward Milward John Collier Town Clerk.

## For Seakirt and Perremy

The Honourable Spencer Compton Esquire The Bailiffs and Jurats for the Time being Sir George Parker Baronet William Lowndes Esquire George Naylor Esquire William Dohel Esquire

## For the ancient Town and Parish of Rye

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Edward Southwell Esquire Philip Gibbons Esquire Philip Herbert Esquire Sir George Parker John Odarne and Stephen Odarne Gentlemen Joseph Tucker John Young Edward Wilmshurst Joseph Odley Esquires.

## For the Town of Winchelsea

The Mayor and Jurats for the Time being Sir George Chouse Sir George Parker Sir William Ashburnham Baronets Sir Nicholas Pelham James Hayes George Dodington Robert Binsow Robert Anson Joseph Odley Esquires Charles Clayton Thomas Jenkins Hawkins Gentlemen.

## For the rest of the County of Sussex

Algernon Earl of Hertford Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Somerset The Right Honourable William Ashburnham Esquire Son and Heir Apparent to the Right Honourable John Lord Ashburnham The Honourable Spencer Compton Esquire Sir Cecil Balguy Sir Charles Goreing Sir Robert Fagg Sir William Ashburnham Sir Richard Onslow Sir William Wilson Sir Philip Gell Sir George Parker Sir George Chouse Sir Maria Landey Sir Richard Parvington Sir John Miller Baronets Sir Edward Dargford Knight of the Bath Sir John Boscawen Sir Nicholas Pelham Sir Thomas May Knight Thomas Pelham Henry Pelham Thomas Newdigate Esquires Thomas Briggs Doctor of Law George Goring John Mosley Trevor Thomas Bevil Somers Bayne John Spence Esquires John Fuller George Baker Milner Esquires John Parker Gentlemen Richard Osborn Henry Yarn George Gantzer Nathaniel Palmer Esquires William Wilson Gentlemen Peter Gott Thomas Fowles George Courtchop Esquires John Marlet Randolph Turry Edward Page Gentlemen Thomas Woodjear Esquire Walter Roberts Thomas Gray Gentlemen John Aspley John Cook of Petworth Esquires John Chasle Richard Boyle John Cook of Goring Gentlemen John Lee Esquire Richard Cooper Thomas Nash Humphrey Jewkes Thomas Knowles Richard Banks Anthony Costedens Robert Hall John Nicholls Paul Bernard Gentlemen The Mayor and Aldermen of Chichester and Arundell for the Time being Samuel Wente Gentlemen Charles Goring John Pollard Richard Neukin Richard Parker Hugh Reeson John Middleton Thomas Grawick of Hen. Robert Baker John Rausler junior George Osborne Gentlemen Stephen Group Esquire Lewis Backle Richard Hay Arthur Tarnes Edward Madgick Christopher Nevill William Dohel Gentlemen Richard Bridges Charles Fagg Robert Greve Richard Payne Anthony Spraguet John Brewer Robert Anson Esquires Aspley Newton Gentlemen Robert Fagg Esquire Thomas Barrell Gentlemen Benjamin Whit Doctor of Physick John Yabar Doctor of Physick Edward Mosley William Cobden John Hayes John Wicker John Shelley John Wicks Gentlemen John Peachy Robert Thorndike Richard Burcher George Oglander Stephen Fuller William Packy of Petworth Gentlemen Peter Corbush Henry Cawpin Richard Shelley Esquires John Newcomb John Board John Groves John Walter John Baker Walsingham Mitchell Thomas Chawson William Teyser Samuel Boscawen Thomas Westman Gentlemen Richard Pechlam Esquire John Rudolphe Gentlemen John Parvington Flerswood Parvington Charles Serpiche Dennis Lyddall Esquires Sir Henry Peachy Knight Samuel Bayne Gentlemen Timothy Barrell Esquire Ogile Eggs George Pitt Thomas Barker Joseph Bradley Gentlemen John Cospas Esquire Doctor John Pockhant Thomas Arays Doctor John Joy Capain William Fletcher Walter Butler Esquires Sir Edward Fowles William Barry Andrew Westman Gentlemen William Leves Esquire William Scarce Hugh Finfold Gentlemen Doctor James Baker Doctor Abraham Newman Richard Lkass Leonard Gale Walter Barrell William Balguy George Steeger Edward Page George Tiffman Alexander Bridges Francis Peachy Richard Poore Robert Haulton John Sedgwick Thomas Sanders Gentlemen Captain Nicholas Best William Braye John Grawick of Levin Esquires Francis Farsley Peter Bateworth Lewis Bisco Thomas Bisco John Sadler Gentlemen Lawrence Alsack Esquire Thomas Nodley John Pollard Gentlemen Francis Wyatt Esquire Richard Boyle Gentlemen William Nelson Esquire John Boveri George Parker Gentlemen George Moore Gentlemen Thomas Pelham of Canfield Esquire Thomas Frowe Edward Crane William Watsbanks of Eisted Esquires William Board Thomas Feller Samuel Burton Gentlemen John Ashburnham Esquire George Stanley Thomas Baker of Mayfield James Pinner Gentlemen Thomas Aldborne Esquire Robert Hall John Barrard John Grawick Johna Baudet Gentlemen Thomas Chouse William Posa Esquires Doctor Mordant Thomas White Esquire Harry Goring John Mitchell junior William Such

Goods French Gentlemen. Sir Richard May Knight Joseph Offley Nicholas Mennock Thomas Curt Esquire John Taylor William Yalden of Mucklow Greenhouse William Henshaw Esquire John Stone of Nonsay Edward Manning Daniel Giffins Nathaniel Trenchard John Ellis William Withersed Gentlemen John Ward Esquire Francis Most Gentleman Henry Beckley Esquire George Stanley of Cockham Walter Elphick Jacob Withers John Elgar French Goods William Golds Gentlemen James Butler Carew Weeks Esquires Thomas Beworth Henry Alderson Gilbert Goldham William Tansoe Edward Ward Gentlemen The Balliffs of Malbury for the Time being Thomas Bernard Nicholas Heberden Robert Britton Juniors John Dyke Gentlemen Charles Goodwin of Rowen Philip Chul Gentlemen Thomas [Linton?] Gentleman William Pollard Esquire Nicholas Gilbert Gentleman The Balliffs of Moulton for the Time being Henry Collins Gent. John Backridge George Bridger Gentlemen Miles Edgar Edw. Pale Thomas James John Grevick of Sherrins Bay Gentlemen William Mills of Goutham Esquire Henry Cobden of Wroden Gentleman Richard Holmes junior John Dennen of Melton William Grevick John Synter

Shut of Yaptis Edward Jordan senior Gentlemen John Barlow Esquire John Rolfe Gentleman Henry Bay Esquire George Mills William Sepke Gentlemen George Pale Charles Adams John Elton Gentlemen John Peckham Merchant Henry Capton John Alcock of Melton Gentlemen Doctor Henry Cheynell Samuel Plummer of Melton George Tilden of Bred John Freestdy of Ulmar Edward Le Nive of the same James F. Anson Gilbert Lancelot Lee Charles Everfield Esquires John Kenna Thomas Nevill Richard [Chancel?] sen. Gentlemen Henry May Esquire Thomas Cawcher Gabriel Egles John Egles junior John Tredwell Edward Godman John Young Walker Bartlett of Stockham Bridge Gent. Robert Palmer of Peterworth Esquire James Morson Esq. George Newton Gent. John Fuller junior William Wilson Esquires Peter White Gent. Thomas Jenkins Philip Harcourt Henry May Robert Rochester Esquire John Marshall Richard Mitchell Henry Fane Robert Pale Gentlemen Edward Edward James Morson Edward Shetley Philip Henshaw Esquires Edward Jordan Edward Tredcroft Henry Gale Gentlemen John Hargrave John Linfield Arthur Rowland Thomas Lammes George Holdcroft of Radgwick Gentlemen John Evered Esquire Nathaniel Strat Gentlemen John Marshall Esquire Richard Mitchell John Crisp Henry Marshall Gentlemen

Shard of Miland Esquire Ayling of Wrotham Thomas Grevick of Ham William Grevick of Hen Edward Manning John Nash of Walsham William Yalden John Alcock Robert Heath John Spence junior Edward Radcliffe John Lilly Thomas Bewen Thomas Bunsfield French Bunsfield Thomas Melley junior Benjamin Drye William Visall John Alford Hugh Offley

Desert Hills Thomas Ernest William Swase Richard Darnest George Laxford Esquires Wenden Humphrey Fowle John Eccles junior Joseph Fowers John Alcorn Richard Alcorn Richard Gaycock Mathias Colford Samuel Roberts Robert Thomas Beron Thomas [Wilverd?] Francis Smith Ferdinando Peckham Henry Johnson Anthony Tremble Marat Turner George Goring junior Thomas Moore John Marshall John Grevick Henry Kelly Benjamin Hillan Robert Lomas of Stinking John Young John Gosmore Edward Pelling Doctor of Divinity Charles Elash Doctor of Divinity John Deane John Weaver Anthony Marley William Vincent John Hewe Thomas Country Thomas Holt John Farrington Esquires William Haley Dean of Chichester Richard Beecher Arch Deacon of Lewes William Barrett Edmund Gibson John Wrigle William Wilton Roger Williams Richard Farrington Nicholas Covert John Peckham senior Merchant John Sedgwick Thomas Gauden Thomas Nevill John Cloudley John Sherrer John Whitford Francis Doyley William Harrier Edward Page senior George Tippet Robert Harcla Guy Wansler Gentlemen John Nash Doctor Nicholas Stephen James Thomas Bayle Esquires William Knight Esquire Samuel Gyles Richard Goodson Guyton Richardson Henry Beckley Gary Weeks John Elton Richard Nash Junior Lane John Cumbold George Teasler George Stampes James Vassar Robert Smith Thomas Parker William Lloyd Nicholas Cloudsley Beate Beckley Henry Beckley of Chibben

Beckley junior John Cooke Beate Bradley Doctor William Nicholls John Cloudsley junior William Peckham John Lang William Lavers George Napier William Knight Woodward Esquires John Charnan Gentlemen William Woodfor Thomas Nevill John Tawke William Dewe William Square of Stuyving senior Tufford Smith John Laic Esquires Richard Covert Henry Weller of Fint Richard Barham of Lifield Gentlemen John Gradogge Clerk Edward Bart Gentlemen Richard Dettell Esquire Charles Rastell Covert Henry Sniker Gentlemen James South Esquire.

## For the City and County of the City of Coventry

The Mayor Aldermen Sheriffs and Council for the Time being William Leed Dight of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Christopher Hales Sir Orlando Bridgman Barons Robert Hopkins Edward Hopkins Thomas Hopkins Thomas Guy Bart Polding William James William Dagdale Edward Hales Samuel Wade Edward Taylor Henry Green Berne Hopkins George Babin John Bower Robert Beck Thomas Bugh Thomas Bayley Henry Smith Robert Smith Edward Hill Humphrey Barton senior Norman Hanson Rowland Berkeley also Green Arthur Gregory Thomas Skerston also Brown Esquires Humphrey Barton junior David Donne Samuel Wiling William Byrd John Hissard Samuel Hart John Phillips Simon Lucas Bryenne Breckhurst Jos. Child Luke Barnes William Enslay Thomas Kunnan Sen. Thoms Aberneth Owen John Collins junior Christopher Wade Henry Garsenore William Bowerth Edward Smith Stephen Smith Richard Claxton Christopher Lander John Fox senior Gentlemen Francis Hish Edward Beaumont Esquires Thomas Wright senior Samuel Walker Thomas King Abraham Anson Henry Jagg Richard Bird John Barber Benjamin Rogers Gentlemen.

## For the County of Warwick

The Right Honourable James Viscount Courtenay Sen and Heir Apparent of the Earl of Northampton The Right Honourable Henry Lord Viscount Hyde Sen and Heir Apparent of the Earl of Rochester The Right Honourable

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Henry Lord Folke of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable William Lord Dugby of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Gilbert Comstock The Honourable George Verney Doctor of Divinity The Honourable Francis Crevin The Honourable Edward Leigh The Honourable Dodington Grenville Esquires Sir John Mordaunt Sir Charles Hob Sir Robert Burdet Sir Simon Clarke Sir Richard Temple Sir Clement Fisher Sir William Boughton Sir Jacob Astley Sir John Bridgman Sir John Stockburgh Sir John Burgoyn Sir Thomas Wallingbury Baronet Sir Thomas Rouse Sir Felton Skene Sir William Wansler Sir John Hobson Sir Christopher Isher Sir Richard Newdigate Sir Orlando Bridgman Sir Richard Cotton Sir Henry Parker Baronet Sir William Underhill Sir John Clapton Sir Andrew Haddock Sir Thomas Rushmore Sir Thomas Weymouth Sir William Wilson Knight William Bromley Andrew Archer Clabery Hob William Somerville Robert Bardon Orlando Bridgman George Lucy Basil Falding Richard Newdigate Andes Asherley Edward Rappington Hercules Underhill Edward Clapton William Palmer John Knapley also Whitwick Richard Hopkins Edward Hopkins Humphrey Whitby William Jonon Hugh Brown Hugh Parker Late Hackett Thomas Viner Samuel Brookridge John Newham Tobias Harvey Anthony Thomas Hugh Clapton Thomas Romney Francis Kock Thomas Featherston Charles Beasley Thomas Andrews Anna Ingram William Colmore Ward Dilke Charles Jenner John Chetwind Susan Hildolph William Digdale Robert Harvey Robert Fisher Henry Green John Jenner Roger Bargains Humphrey Jenner Robert Jenner William Jenner Humphrey Boughton Edward Boughton William Boughton John Stockburgh Theodore Stamford John Farmer Abraham Brookridge John Cooke Thomas Fees Russell Whistly John Harrier George Robert Thomas George Henry Nade Thomas Newham Charles Kennel Marrett William Holbeck Thomas Woodhall William Estourme John Andrews William Kingwell William Leggin John Appleton Humphrey Greenwell William Boughton Richard Evans William Green William Fecke George Socherville Charles Chadwick William Halse junior Thomas Bailey Giles Palmer Thomas Archer Basil S. Nicholas William Purcell William Ings William Bolton Arthur Gregory Gilbert Asherly William Leggin John Anley Henry Hodges Thomas Leving William Eborall Lieutenant Colonel Ogden Thomas Cooke Edward Brandwood George Birch John Adla Joseph Andon John Halesford Robert Boies Thomas Stanton Forpence Knott Esquires Charles Ward Michael Ashill John Galsburn Humphrey Whitbread Robert Smith Thomas Hewitt Doctor of Physick Thomas Leggin John Galsley Thomas Chambers Henry Gossnold George Alsop Francis Blithe Thomas Gibbs Blackwell Perkins John Saunders Gentlemen Gilbert Rappington William Parker The Mayor of Warwick for the Time being The (\*) Mayor of Stratford for the Time being The Bailiffs of Tamworth for the Time being.

For the City and County of the City of Worcester

The Mayor Aldermen Sheriff Town Clerk and Capital Citizens commonly called or known by the Name of The Twentry four for the Time being Robert Wykle Thomas Wykle Samuel Swift Charles Cocks Esquires John Vernon Edward Philby Gentlemen

For the County of Worcester

Sir Robert Atkins Knight Richard Amphlett William Amphlett John Appleton Esquires William Andrews Richard Arvont Gentlemen Nathan Karl of Bellmoun of the Kingdom of Ireland Charles Baldwin Reueland Berkley also Green John Beacroft Timothy Brichlinsdale John Bromley of Holt William Bousley of Upton Street Barber John Bragg William Bell Esquires Martin Bullock William Boskey John Bowers Thomas Bach Thomas Bushell Robert Bushell Thomas Burdett Arthur Bughaw Robert Bagger Thomas Bond Gentlemen Nicholas Bursley Richard Bursley Esquires The Bailiff of Bewdley Thomas Brough Esq Stephen Biddens Gent Sir Anthony Green Baronet William Caldwell Esq Thomas Charnock Sir Thomas Cocks also Winkford Baronet The Honourable Gilbert Coventry Charles Cocks John Chaplin Francis Clare Thomas Cornwall Alline Cliffe of Ardley Esquire Alline Cliffe [of Ardley] junior Alline Cliffe of Melford Thomas Chole Higgin Cooks Thomas Cocks junior Compton Richard Curwens Arthur Charlett Bonham Caldwell Edward Clifton Henry Chetwell Edmund Chambers Gentlemen Robert Cocks Joseph Cox Sir Edward Dineley Knight Sir Ralph Dawson Baronet Richard Dowdwell [George] Dowdwell Charles Dowdwell John Dunsan Robert Dowiey Robert Dorrer Edward Dyson The Bailiff of Droitwich The Mayor of Evesham Henry Lord Folke of the Kingdom of Ireland Thomas Foley of Whitley Thomas Foley of Stoke Philip Foley North Foley Richard Freeman Esquires Richard Fallowell John Fenton John Field Gentlemen John Flowerdew Ambrose of Worcester The Honourable John Gray Henry Gorges Abel Gower George Goodfellow Benjamin Green Esquires Edward Gibbs Gent Sir Edward Goodyer Baronet Humphrey Gossnold Esq The Honourable Henry Herbert Sir Thomas Haleswood Knight William Hancock Charles Hancock John Harnden John Harris Henry Hart Esquires Thomas Hart Henry Hart Cade Hill Thomas Hadley Gentlemen Doctor Moses Hedges M. Henry Hicks of Sturton Thomas Harle Esquire Thomas Hammond Gentlemen Thomas Jervise Benjamin Jelliffe Higgins James Henry Jeffries James Jennings Esquires Samuel Jewkes Gentlemen Doctor John Kephron Phineas Jackson Esquire Charles Kennel Esquire Sir Charles Lindsay Baronet Anthony Leckern William Ligon Thomas Lench Charles Littleton Esquires Edward Leach Arthur Lowe Edmund Law Gentlemen Thomas Love Humphrey Love Esquires William Moore Francis Martin Gentlemen Mr William Martin of Larkscote Thomas Maun Gentlemen Lieutenant Martin Esquire Edward Martin Gentlemen Robert Miller James Myrick Gentlemen Henry Nois Richard Naden Thomas Naden Esquires George Nash Richard Nash Esquires William Norton Richard Nuthary Gentlemen M. Thomas Owen of Leomb Sir John Packington Sir Henry Parker Baronet Hugh Parker Thomas Perret John Perret Samuel Pin Giles Perrett George Perret Edward Palmer

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John Philipot M. Edward Purington Gentlemen Thomas Pownsey Rector of Fladbury Sir Thomas Rouse Sir James Roshaw Sir William Ruch Barons John Rodge William Rodge the Knight Edward Russell High Reuben and Edward Russell Gentlemen Thomas Rowley Esquire Richard Seabright Thomas Savage Robert Savage Walter Savage Walter Savage junior George Savage William Savage Anthony Searbuck Francis Sheridan Esquires John Sheldon Daniel Sheldon Samuel Shide Thomas Selby Gentlemen Samuel Self Thomas Stephens senior Thomas Stephens junior John Selby Humphrey Selby Chambers Slaughter Esq. M. James Sillingsfoot M. Richard Smith of Uppe Charles Swift Gentlemen Samuel Saunders Genl. Erasmus Saunders Clerk The Honourable Robert Tracey One of the Justices of the Common Pleas Sir John Talbot Knight Edward Taylor Henry Townsend Francis Taylor Henry Topo Gentlemen Francis Taylor Genl. Packington Tompkins Esq. Thomas Tompkins Samuel Taylor Gentlemen Thomas Vernon William Vernon senior William Vernon junior John Vernon Esq. The Right Honourable Thomas Windice Viscount Rockwater in the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Ferdinando Dudley Esq. Ward The Honourable William Ward The Honourable John Westworth William Webb Swayne Windham Robert Wilde Thomas Wilde Francis Windham Esquires Doctor George Wells Rector of Hick John Wheeler Edward Wheeler Nicholas Wheeler Thomas Walter Thomas Wance Gentlemen William Waddcourse Esq. Edward Walker John Wall Phoebe Wallcut Gentlemen John Webb Rector of Boscote Thomas Yarnold Thomas Yates Esquires Edward Perlewick Esq. John Mason Clerk Charles Sophens Clerk John Bradley Clerk Martin Sander Esq. Arthur Caldwell Genl. William Lloyd Doctor of Divinity and Chancellor of Worcester William Halkier Doctor of Divinity William Warr Archdeacon of Worcester.

For the City of New Sarum the Close of the man and Clarendon Park

The Mayor and Aldermen for the Time being Robert Eyre Esquire Recorder Charles Fox Thomas Jerome William Windham Charles Munropon Francis Swenna George Windham Herbert Saladin John Hill James Harde William Hewer John Guesford Thomas Chalka Marks Thomas Lambert George Stanley John Rolfe William Hewer Edward Garrett Richard Kent William Wastfield Esquire John Cooper John Manners Richard Marsh Robert Cooper Matthew Pitts William Green Gentlemen

For the rest of the County [of] Wilts

The Right Honourable John Smith Esq. Speaker of the House of Commons and One of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council The Honourable John Lord Mordaunt Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Peterborough The Honourable Edward Lord Viscount Cornbury Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Clarendon The Honourable Charles Lord Bruce Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Aylesbury The Honourable Henry Lord Hyde Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Rochester Henry Lord Coleraine of the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Henry Thynne The Honourable Robert Bruce The Honourable James Bruce The Honourable Maurice Ashby Cooper The Honourable Henry Bavin The Honourable Robert Bertie The Honourable Francis Grenville The Honourable William Ashburnham Esquires The Honourable Sir Edward Seymour Baronet The Honourable Sir Charles Hedges Sir Walter S. John Sir Jo. Buxton Sir Seymour Pyle Sir Richard Howe Sir James Houn Sir Henry Seymour Sir Edward Erle Sir Walter Long Sir James Long Sir James Ash Sir Robert Dabwood Sir William Phoebe Baronet Sir Edward Hengford [Knight of the Bath Sir George Hengford] Sir John Talbot Sir Stephen Fox Sir Richard Holford Sir Francis Child Sir John Hawker Sir Charles Dencomb Sir Owen Buckingham Knight Henry S. John Edward Seymour John Windham John Erle Esquire George Fox Alexander Popham Robert Hyde Henry S. John junior Charles Munropon Edward Nicholas John Hill Curve Saxley William Willoughby John Eyre Robert Eyre Thomas Lewis Thomas Thynne Richard Jones William Turke Thomas Bennett of Baldrop Edmund Dancer Thomas Master of Chancery Edmund Lambert Francis Popham Thomas Jerome Thomas Pitt John Bingham Edmund Warrford Maurice Rockhead Alexander Threlkewin William Ash Charles Fox Edward Nicholas of Wootton Bassett Jo. Nicholas of Altonings Francis Goddard Thomas Frode of Haveringham Francis Stonehouse William Trenchard Jo. Glazell Thomas Boscarnell Edward Mott John Nicholas of Bishop-Castles Thomas Chamberlain William Harvey Thomas Pennardock William Windham William Windham George Windham Walter Gribb Henry Oliver Richard Chandler Edward Young Charles Best Thomas Philips of Heywood Jo. Young Jo. Kely Jo. Waldham Samuel Ash Richard Norrell George Decker Robert Hepdell Charles Raymond Charles Tucker Benjamin Gifford Samuel Whitlock Edmund Hengford Jo. Bennett William Hewer William Wall Jo. Dew Isaac Sells Edward Topp Henry Pyle Samuel Barker Henry Cockes Edward Poore of Alton Jo. Hardy junior Thomas Hapley Thomas Smith of Melksham Jo. Danvers of Mashes Jo. Allott Francis [Merryweather Jo.] Merryweather Dams of Plymth Thomas Bevan Robert Nicholas of Domes William Wastfield of Fekwith Thomas Brewer William Stothbury Gifford Verbury Michael Erle Richard Long Edward Little Norrell Mascoffe Francis Threlkewin William Payer Walter Green Benjamin Gyles George Clarke Jo. Touchard Thomas Escourt Robert Pitt James Munroge George Speke Pety Thomas Goddard of Radloe Thomas Chalkin of Zoules Edward Burton Oliver Oakley John Smith of Alton Thomas Melish of Badbury Post of Durrington Jo. Ash senior Jo. Jacob junior Jo. Hill of Sarum Scory Barker Richard Kent Thomas Lambert of Sarum Walter Parker senior Walter Parker junior Robert Duke of Lake Thomas Chalkin Marks Jo. Guesford Francis Swenna Jo. Webb Charles Bowles William Halkier Henry Puvell Francis Eyles Jo. Curle Edward Foyle Controller at Law Stephen Black Jo. Long of Boscote Walter Erle Henry Clarke of Blackmoore Joseph Halkier Charles Scrope William Beach of Edmore Andrew Drake Walter Long of Wransell Jo. Long Jo. Windham Jo. Kent of Boscote Robert Smith

Henry Danks Edmund Playhill of Medghall Thomas Webb Sergeant at Law Jo: Hurry [Jo:] Huston Edward  
 Sumner Daniel Webb Richard Dene Jo: Jeffreys Jo: Knighton Charles Brindley of Wootton Bassett William Cole  
 Thomas Faller Benjamin Beacher Thomas Greaves John Clarke George Hill William Lyddell Thomas Powell  
 Thomas Hayward Nicholas Elliot Thomas Hasket William Green of Sarum Christopher Mitchell  
 of Peckery Matthew Smith Jonathan Hill George Toogood Walter Sharpe William Pymont Jo: Flower Henry Whitman  
 Henry Eyre of Woodstockton Edward Goddard of Putney Henry Skilling Henry Scrobby Jasper Chapman George  
 Masley Jo: Landford Edward Ash Jo: Fisher of Chate Francis Coles Thomas Franklin Robert East Charles Meddiss  
 Jo: Harvey of Cote Paine Christopher Willoughby Jo: Mitchell Edward Goddard of Oylsworth George Duke of  
 Sarum Peter Temple Joseph Houston James Anthony Trotman William Duds of Highworth Anthony Stuchess  
 Lovelace M<sup>rs</sup> Thomas Phillips Richard Crough William Shore Thomas Jacob Edmund Eweren Glen Earle James  
 Harvis of Sarum Richard Earle senior Richard Earle junior Thomas Earle Jo: Ballard Doctor of Physick Robert Grove  
 Francis Keeble Edward Meddiss Thomas Hax of Lavington Jo: Goddard Isaac Warriner Anthony Meddiss  
 Jonathan Rogers William Perry of Emsay Gray Thomas Sharpe Thomas Hubbert Alexander Baxter Edward Playhill  
 William Greenfield Jo: Horton of Beighton Thomas Class Jo: Smith of Chazewood Christopher Slade Humphrey  
 Penrhober Robert Jenkins James Wall Thomas Sharpe of Compton Bassett Jo: Mervin Christopher William Vince Joseph  
 Wright William Cole of Sarum Jo: Feyle Bunter at Law Thomas Denott William Menpoy William Swaine  
 Jo: Horton of the Devises Richard Bert of Crickhill Jo: Thicketts George Turner William Pinkney Reynolds  
 Colkynge Jo: Albi Jo: Eyles Thomas Bennett of Seale Adams Robert Robinson Sarlington Savary Doctor of Physick  
 George Harrison George Walker Walter Knight William Storkley William Barton Robert Tuck of Lynton Jo:  
 Ralph Richard Knight of Fensham Robert Symonds Beadles Browne Jo: Wadman Robert Hawkins George Freeman  
 James Power Richard Spencer Walter Scott of Chippenham Jo: Scott of Ivy Ambrose Boddley Richard Kingston  
 junior Thomas Smith of Corsham Thomas Rookes Thomas Harris of Greshams Jo: Harding William Slade William  
 Green Robert Burleton Thomas Hunt [of] Enford John Child Richard Bakerhill Joseph Hunt Richard Goddard of  
 Swindon Richard Bunder Thomas Butler Edward Price of Devizes Edward Pinnas Jo: Baines of Smallbrook  
 George Mullings Doctor of Physick Thomas Edwards of Winton Robert Mansdall of Compton-Bassett Clement  
 Burdall Josias Sheppard George Tedy Richard Greenfield Thomas Fairfax Richard Smith junior Robert Bush  
 Edward Thresher James Druce Adam Tuck of Chippenham Jo: Haglan Jo: [Samuel] Hope Long Thomas Clarke of  
 Milton Jacob Self of Melksham Charles Savage Andrew Auley of Seen Edward Rider Henry Mann Francis  
 Kempton Samuel Gibbs of Westbury The Mayor of Salisbury for the Time being The Mayor of Winton and the  
 Mayor of the Devises for the Time being The Mayor of Marlborough and the Two Justices of the Peace for the  
 Time being The Aldermen of Salisbury and the Burgesses of Chippenham for the Time being Pierce Acourt Richard  
 Miller James Barton Benjamin Street William Barton Ambrose Partridge of Sees Jo: Paschall Thomas Samuell of  
 Lavington Thomas Sowden Thomas Long of Rowden Thomas Smith of Corsham Mitchell of Caenon Edward  
 Horst Henry Barrett Jo: Langford Henry Huskins Richard Haw Thomas Scott of Kington Oliver Rishwold of  
 Ashton Keynes Nicholas Daniel Richard Madox William Charles of Bradford Thomas Sweet Jo: Taylor Thomas  
 Hardman William North Constable at Law Jo: Giffmors William Moore of Bognor Jo: Adye of Twesley Jo:  
 Taylor William Harding Jo: Parkes James Long Jo: Rapley The Mayor of Wootton-Bassett Thomas Cooper Edward  
 Ginn Edward Davis Thomas Colver Sir Orlando Bridgman Bartlett The Honorable Paul Methuen Esquire John  
 Dineen Benjamin Hockyns Esquire Edward Hope Edward Watson Charles Flower Jo: Lyddell Jo: Phelps the  
 Broomham Robert Houston Henry Clarke Thomas Sieper of Minton Matthew Hax Jo: Tuck of Broomham Richard  
 Pearce William Somers Isaac Asford Henry Blake Constable at Law George Keston William Coleman Richard  
 Salway Esquire Robert Hipsley of Wimbrough Jo: Phelps of Draycott.

## For the County of Wiltshire

Sir Richard Smadford Sir William Feilding Sir William Fleming Baronet James Lawther Robert Lowther Richard  
 Sherdworth James Graham Richard Bestways John Deben William Graham Bestwick Owey Charles Owey  
 Richard Cuckershop Edward Wilson William Nerison Alice Chamber Thomas Heblethwaite Thomas Goddall  
 Christopher Elliot Christopher Rawlinson James Bird Thomas Dawes William Enge John Archer Daniel Wilton  
 Thomas Henry Fleming Michael Fleming Richard Fleming Esquires Thomas Sheppard Thomas Parnson John Edgar  
 William Johnson Edward Beckhouse Reginald Dobson John Fisher Edward Blane Robert Kilne Lancaster Esq:  
 William Goddall John Webster Gentlemen John Sluithill Thomas Wilson The Mayors of Appleyby and Kendall for  
 the Time being Edward Wilson Robert Habbard.

## For the County of Wiltshire

Richard Lord Belfrey Vincent Enhill in the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Roger Mordaunt Sir Arthur Owen Baronet  
 Nicholas Bagnall Francis Bulkeley Henry White John Williams William Robinson Owen Lloyd Conningsby Williams  
 Thomas Wynne John Owen of Penrhosne William Meyrick John Owen of Penrhosne Owen Hagin Simon Foulke  
 Dr John Jones Dean of Bangor Dr: Robert Wynne Chancellor of St. Asaph Dr: Robert Morgan William Griffith of  
 Carrigfoyle Robert Owen Owen Meyrick William Morgan Roger Higgins William Jones Francis Edwards Hugh  
 Wynne of Treworth Owen Roberts John Williams of Chiswick Tho. Fletcher William Owen Hugh Wynne  
 Esquires John Owen of Bodley Thomas Roberts of Cancellor William Roberts of Cayre Thomas Williams of Quist  
 Henry Williams of Treardur John Griffith of Landdyma Robert Griffith of Trebryn John Vaughan Esq: Her Majesty

\* Joseph G.

\* D. 1707.

\* Samuel G.

*Answer* for North Wales Gentlemen. Owen Davies Robert Humphreys Henrick Eytan Henry Rowlands Clerks  
The Mayor of the Town of Beaumaris for the Time being Owen Williams of Merion John Lloyd of Manby Bach  
Hugh Jones Rowland Jones.

## For the Town of Brecon

The Bailiff Aldermen and Recorder for the Time being Sir Edward Williams Sir Jeffrey Jeffreys Knights John  
Morgan of Tredegar John Jeffreys John Winters John Price Robert Lucy Lodowick Lewis William Vaughan Richard  
Single Henry Jones Josiah Price Charles Perry Esquires Daniel Winter Doctor of Physick John Jeffreys Henry  
Thomas Edward Hughes Henry Williams Samuel Guesley Daniel Price Roger Jeffreys Mathias Morris William  
Junder Daniel Williams.

## For the rest of the County of Brecon

The Right Honourable Sir Tho. Mansell Baronet Comptroller of Her Majesties Household and One of Her Majesties  
most Honourable Privy Council. The Right Honourable Lord Arthur Somerset Second Son of Henry late Duke of  
Bouffant The Honourable William Ashburnham Esquire Sir Thomas Williams Baronet Sir Edward Williams Sir  
Jeffrey Jeffreys John Jeffreys John Morgan of Tredegar John Lewis of Goodricke William Vaughan Sachell Gwynn  
Marwick Gwynn John Winters Robert Lucy James Parry Thomas Bowen Lodowick Lewis Richard Jeffreys John  
Wibberd James Donat John Lewis of Langosse Godfrey Harcourt William Phillips Robert Ramsey Howell Morgan  
Henry Jones Thomas Price Rees Price Howell Gwynn John Watkins Lewis Lloyd Richard Hughes Lewis (Powell) of  
Owen Cht Thomas Perry of Llyva Kentwin John Hanbury Miles Sedman of Dale y Gae James Gwynn of  
Terebach Richard Lewis John Boucher Edward Gwynn Trengoe Charles Perry John Davies Walter Williams William  
Williams of Velin Newell Edward Jeffreys Esquires Daniel Williams Paul Williams Edward Hughes Corcor Henry  
Williams of Langstock William Jones of Tallyn Thomas Jones of Tredegar Josiah Perry Thomas Madock Edward  
Gwynn of Kay Francis Lewis Lewis Howard of Devenock Josiah Jones of the same James Watkins of Llanthorn  
John Proctor of Tallyn James Phillips William Saunders Edward Jones of Llanthorn Henry Herbert William Lloyd  
and David Price Henry Williams of Bayley Brith Edward Thomas Gendlemen Charles Williams Esquire Hugh  
Powell Chazner of S. Davids William Powell Gregory Parry Clerks Daniel Wyther William Morgan Doctors of  
Physick.

## For the County of Cardigan

The Right Honourable John Lord Viscount Lichborne of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Vaughan Price Baronet Sir  
William Morgan Knight Sergeant at Law Sir Humphrey Mackworth Knight Sir Charles Lloyd Knight M. Serjeant  
Neville M. Serjeant Vek M. Serjeant Lloyd John Lewis David Parry William Wogan John Tindleskin Thomas Jones  
John Langham Edward Jones Thomas Lloyd of Boverdd Henry Cornwell Richard Lloyd John Lewis of Trede  
Rhe John Lewis Gurnea John Lloyd of Powisell Walter Lloyd of Okearch Morgan Lloyd of Porthallig Samuel  
Hughes Walter Lloyd of Vauk Samuel Hughes of [Algoth] Esq. Lloyd Rodrick Richards Nathan Griffiths Francis  
Vaughan John Jones of Abernack David Lloyd of Fyny Maddid Erasmus Lloyd Richard Phillips David Lloyd of  
Llanthorn Lewis Gwynn Morgan Howells of Penrhader Lewis Price William Powell Stephen Parry Esq. The  
Mayor of Cardigan and Aberystwyth for the Time being The Reverend Doctor Jonathan Edwards John Bowen of  
Mowbraytham Oliver Howells Thomas Knowls Edward Price Morgan Howells Thomas Lewis William Lewis John  
Lloyd Simon Parry John Lloyd of Cerk Howell William Hughes John Jones of Taglyn John Parry of Cerydillyn  
William Walter Esq. James John Morris of Cefing David Griffiths Thomas Lewis of Edgwyn Hector Morgan  
Charles Lloyd Stephen Parry of Rhodmard Henry Parry John Lloyd Unkang Thomas Bowen Charles Lloyd of  
Llanthorn James Lewis John Bowen Edmund Lloyd James Williams Esq. Price Hugh Lloyd of Aberthorwyn  
Gendeman Charles Price Erasmus Lewis John Parry Rees Griffith Howell Parry Owen Evans Thomas Ingram  
Henry Rogers Thomas Richards Clerks Edward Williams Vicar of Cerron Moses Roberts Vicar of Llanilar William  
Bennet James Jones William [Bones] Morgan Lloyd of Aberllynor John Lloyd David Lewis Richard Lewis John  
Williams of Aberystwyth John Pughe Esquires John Jones Stephen Parry William Matthews William Williams  
Gendeman Thomas Lloyd of Penybont Esquire Owen Briggs Esquires William Briggs John Esquire Mayor  
Richard Wade Samuel Davies Esquires Thomas Vaughan Esquire Lewis Powell Esquire Stephen Parry Gendeman  
Griffith Lloyd Gendeman David Hughes Gendeman David Phillips of Ynnewyd Gendeman David Howells of  
Cardigan Gendeman Edward Phillips of Cardigan Gendeman Thomas Richards Clerk John Jenkins Clerk Thomas  
Price Clerk Josiah Griffith Gendeman Thomas Josiah Gendeman The Mayor of Tregeon for the Time being.

## For the County Borough of Carmarthen

The Mayor Council and Sheriffs for the Time being Sir Arthur Owen Sir Thomas Powell Sir Nicholas Williams  
Bennet David Gwynn William Trengoeck John Edwards John Morgan and John Powell Esquires William Lloyd  
Gendeman.

## For the County of Carmarthen

The Honourable William Ashburnham Son and Heir Apparent of John Lord Ashburnham Sir John Phillips Sir  
Thomas Bapsty Sir William Mansell Sir John Crew Sir William Russell Sir Arthur Owen Sir Edward Mansell Sir

\* Intended as the Bail.

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Thomas Powell St Nicholas Williams Berenets Sir William Wagon Sergeant at Law St Charles Lloyd Knight Philip  
Nere Sergeant at Law Thomas Webb Sergeant at Law Henry Lloyd Sergeant at Law Richard Vaughan Junior  
Tudorham Griffith Rice Richard Vaughan of Doreth David Gwynne Radcliff Gwynne Thomas Lloyd Thomas  
James Morgan James Thomas Lloyd of Fawcote Griffith Lloyd Rowley Mansell Richard Noddleham Roper  
Mayewing John Lloyd William Bridgcock Randleham Mansell junior Henry Owen Thomas Lloyd of Dymally Owen  
Bridgcock Margus Owen John Williams Thomas Gwynne Edward James Francis Lloyd John Williams of Cammerham  
Samuel Hughes Samuel Hughes of Llynn Evans John Vaughan John Edwards John Langbein Thomas Mayewing  
John Morgan Erasmus Lewis Fairy Odum Nathan Griffiths Walter Margus George Lewis William Dawkins John  
Powell Thomas Morgan Thomas Williams Nicholas Williams Lewis Lloyd Zachary Beaman David Lewis of Llan  
Newick Ross Thomas David Lewis Henry Vaughan Enghien Thomas Gwynne junior Henry Phillips Owen Bowen  
Henry Lewis John Scarbark John Williams John James of Colchester James Phillips Daniel Llewellyn Rowland  
Philip James James Edward Phillips Thomas Morgan Hugh Jones John Herbert David Williams Anthony Williams  
Edward James Mathew Herbert Jenkins Ross Richard Phillips of Llover Lodge Anthony Jones Thomas Phillips  
John Phillips John James Evans Price David Evans Lewis Jones Margus Davies Oliver Howells Rowland Davies  
Zachary Bunbury Thomas Durbin Griffith Price Morgan Lewis Gwentlan.

For the County of Cassiar

The Right Honourable Augustine Berns Lord Wilkaghtly of Evedy Sen and Hair Apparent of the Marquess of Lindsay The Right Honourable the Lord Edward Russell The Right Honourable Richard Lord Buckley Viscount Cobell in the Kingdom of Ireland The Honourable Thomas Buckley senior The Honourable Thomas Buckley junior Sir John Wynne Knight and Baronet Sir Roger Moseley Sir Griffith Williams Sir Arthur Owen Sir William Williams Baronet John James Deas of Bangor Robert Wynne Chancellor of S. Asaph Deacon of Denbigh Nicholas Bagnall William Griffith Richard Vaughan Roger Price Owen Hughes Henry Vaughan of Pauleage George Cosgrave of Coontown George Twendish Thomas Wynne of Bodfryn James Brunker Lloyd Bodell Thomas Fletcher Arthur Williams Esquires Rowland Wynne of [Llhwedd] Thomas Kyffe Richard Madrin Edward Holland Griffith Wynne of Syddelin Rowland Wynne of Glasawen William Morgan William Wynne of Wenne Thomas Edwards Hugh Lewis Owen Wynne of Pen y bryn Richard Lloyd Simon Peatfin Francis Edwards Humphrey Meredith Esquires John Griffith of Aber Huwys Robert Robert Lloyd of Treborth Owen Owens of Lefa Hugh Davis of Cerkon William Griffith of Penist John Vaughan Edward Price of Llyfarn Isaacst Buckley Clerk Owens of Bodfryn Robert Griffith of Bedy Stet Robert Lloyd of George Thomas Roberts of Vardhol John Vaughan Esquires Her Majesty's Attorney for North Wales Timothy Edwards Gustavus Robert Sabahary John Aswell John Lloyd Robert Wynne John Lloyd Thomas Wynne George Kyffe Clerk Thomas Price of Llyfarn Gwladys.

For the County of Dunbarton:

The Right Honourable Sir John Trevor Master of the Rolls and One of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council. The Honourable Robert Pryor Esquire One of Her Majesty's Barons of the Court of Exchequer The Honourable Sir Joseph Ayliff Chief Justice of Chester The Honourable John Pocklington Esquire Thomas Holland Esquire High Sheriff of the County of Durham Sir John Wynne Knight and Baronet Sir Edward Bagot Baronet Sir Richard Myddelton Baronet Sir John Conway Baronet Sir Roger Mostyn Baronet Sir William Williams Baronet Sir Robert Corrie Knight and Baronet Sir Edward Braghaugh Baronet Edward Vaughan Esquire John Masley Trevor Esquire Robert Davies Junior Robert Davies Junior Edward Brereton Richard Mostyn Richard Vaughan of Badbury Andrew Thwaites Herriek Eytan senior Harriek Eytan junior Roger Mostyn Peter Lee Joshua Edmonds Cadwalader Wynne William Robinson Hod Lloyd John Middleton Ellis Lloyd Selwyn Godolphin Thomas Jones Owen Wynne John Hill Ellis Meredith Thomas Meredith David Maurice Edward Marston Thomas Wynne of Dyffryn Aber John Williams Esq. the Queens Attorney John Williams of Powy-gryffid Robert Griffith William Carns John Chambers John Wynn of Gap John Wynne of Gwrth Mollis John Palemon of Harrold-y-Wen Esquires Robert Wynne of Menn-Mochant Esq. D<sup>r</sup>. Robert Wynne Chancellor of S. Asaph John Lloyd at Gwydyr Humphrey Kynaston John Lloyd of Bryn-Llyrth Henry Vaughan Edward Wynne of Llanyfyllid Ffoulk Vaughan Evan Wynne of Cwmanw Kapell Jones Lloyd Clerk Master James Clerk David Lloyd of Bodorgan David Lloyd of Llangollen-Vorhon John Palemon of Puhall Edward Lloyd of Dyffryn John Peter Foulkes of Trawsfeld Doctor Michael Rowlands Edward Lloyd of Laureman Thomas Price of Glynva Thomas Price of Bwlch Hugh Hughes of Bryn Tŷgar William Salisbury Esquire Meredith Wynne of Nanglyn Anthony Tomshead Thomas Lloyd of Cefn Thomas Morton Richard Wynne of Aber-cynlluth Edward Maurice William Edwards of Eryth Thomas Corrie Esquire Robert Salisbury Clerk Peter Foulkes of Mennaford Roger Gethys John Vaughan of Cress John Lloyd of Hlan Egliphan John Dolben Esquires Robert Jeffreys John Roberts Roger Salisbury Thomas Roberts Thomas Salisbury Eliza Yale Eubank Thewell George Eubankley of Cwmrth George Langford of Trawell John Shuckley Esquire John Ashpole John Lloyd of Berth Gantonian Robert Foulkes Clerk Henry Roberts of Rydamen Gantonian John Jones of Squeean Gantonian The Aldermen and Burgesses of the Town of Denbigh for the Time being The Aldermen of the Town of Ruthin for the Time being The Mayor of Halk for the Time being Edward Griffith Esquire Jacob Conway Thomas Copper Gantonian.

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## For the County of Flint.

The Right Honourable Sir John Trevor Master of the Rolls and One of Her Majesties Privy Council Sir Thomas Hunter Sir Robert Corrie Sir Richard Myddleton Sir John Conery Sir William Glynn Sir Roger Morry Sir William Williams Barons Sir Joseph Jekyll Knight Chief Justice of Chester John Pocklington Esq. Thomas Morry of Rhyl Esq. William Hunter of the Fens Esq. William Carter Esq. Roger Pryor Esq. Richard Vaughan Esq. Robert Davies Esq. Robert Davies junior Esq. William Lloyd of Halton Esq. Richard Morry Esq. Thomas Lloyd of Gwerchafel Esq. Edward Lloyd of Tythan Esq. Thomas Whitley of Ashton Esq. Edward Bowen Esq. Thomas Salisbury of Bergegralg Esq. William Raine of Basingwyl Esq. John Roberts Esq. Thomas Epton Esq. Ellis Young Esq. William Young Esq. John Wynne of Cappelary Esq. John Wynne of Cappelary junior Thomas Evans Esquire Owen Barton Esq. George Hope Esq. John Williams Esq. Thomas Griffith Esq. John Morry Esq. Thomas Salisbury Esq. Twleton Esq. Kenrick Epton Esq. John Lloyd Esq. Charles Kynton Esq. Peter Pennant Esq. Roger Pennant Esq. Joseph Jones Esq. David Pennant Esq. Thomas Fawkes of Vayrol Esq. Thomas Williams Esq. Peter Davies Esq. John Wynne of Farnes Esq. Edward Conery Esq. John Middleton Esq. Thomas Rowncroft of Niddall Esquire Thomas Salisbury of Llandbrook Esq. John Lloyd of Killin Esq. Doctor William Stanley Dean of St. Asaph Rector of Perchelli Doctor of Divinity Robert Wynne Doctor of Divinity and Chancellor of St. Asaph John Davies Forester of St. Asaph Peter Williams Vicar of Mold Thomas Pennant Esquire Roger Morry of Kyllan Esq. Roger Morry of Gyrn Esq. John Hughes Esq. John Pennant Esq. Doctor Pryor John Palmon of Fiddell Esq. Francis Edwards Esq. Thomas Gantley Esq. Edward Dymmock Esq. Richard Lloyd Esq. M. Griffin of Henneb M. Whitehead of Llywys Eryia John Wynne of Gledham Esq. John Parry of Pwllhelo Esq. Thomas Fawkes of Murryn Esquire Thomas Lloyd Esq. Register of St. Asaph John Lloyd of Pengwyn Esq. Thomas Edwards of Brindford Esq. John Whittall Esq. Humphrey Lloyd Esq. Roger Davies of Dunry Esq. Edward Parry of Puth y Mawr Gentlemen Thomas Pryor of Gwerchgron Gentlemen Edward Lewis of Soughbon Gentlemen John Lloyd of Ioughbon Gentlemen Robert Fawkes Gentlemen John Wynne of Llanwood Gentlemen Thomas Hunter of Maipwelled Gentlemen John Wynne of Trewer Esq. Samuel Hoston Gentlemen Eubole Wynne Gentlemen William Gantley Gentlemen Thomas Jones Gentlemen Roger Jones Gentlemen John Williams of Carnethon Gentlemen Humphrey Jones Esq. John Lloyd of Downing Gentlemen Thomas Williams of Brackydd Gentlemen William Butler Gentlemen John Lloyd of Rhydwylly Gentlemen Thomas Edwards Gentlemen Thomas Mawson Gentlemen William Robinson Esq. Joshua Edmery Esq. Peter Ellis Esq. Edward Griffith Gentlemen Thomas Panton Gentlemen Edward Lewis Gentlemen Thomas Jones Gentlemen Andrew Thwell Esq. Thomas Humphreys Gentlemen Evan Lloyd Esq. Robert Brookes Gentlemen Thomas Hughes Gentlemen Robert Matthews of Erbistock Thomas Salisbury of Erbistock Thomas Whitley jun. Esq. George Williams Gentlemen Pryor Matthews Gentlemen Richard Davies Clerk Rice Jones Rector of Bangor John Shore Rector of Wootton Esq. William Ball Clerk Richard Edwards Clerk Christopher Eryor Clerk.

## For the County of Glamorgan.

The Right Honourable the Lord Viscount Windsor of the Kingdom of Ireland The Right Honourable Sir Thomas Nassall Baronet Comptroller of Her Majesties Household and One of Her Majesties most Honourable Privy Council The Honourable William Ashburnham Esq. Sir Edward Smalting Sir John Aveling Sir Edmund Thomas Baronet Sir Rowland Gwyn Sir Humphrey Mackworth Sir Humphrey Edwin Knight John Morgan of Tredegar John Morgan junior Tho. Lewis Esq. Jenkins Richard Esq. Francis Wadham Philip Herbert Charles Burton Robert Jones Richard Corrie Francis Gwynn Oliver S. John Thomas Betton Robert Bacon William Matthew of Abercromby Philip Basset Edward Turlerel Edward Marshall Samuel Edwys Griffith Rice Esquires Thomas Thomas Gabriel Lewis William Aubrey George Howells squire Richard Herbert Edward Corrie of Nash William Dawkins Lewis Thomas Thomas Pupkins Evan Evans Roger Powell John Bennet Anthony Powell Esquires Doctor John Jones Jeremy Dawkins Richard Jenkins of Pontynewell George Howells junior Esquires William Morgan squire Griffith Thomas James Allen John Thomas Thomas Powell Gentlemen James Harle Philip Madocks Francis Davies William Hopkins Clerk Philip Williams Mathew Esq. Gentlemen Doctor John Watkins Richard Savers Richard Williams Robert Thomas of Baglan Thomas Edwards of Ogmore Gentlemen Lysion Llanelli Edward Thomas of Ogmore John Matthews Richard Thomas Edward Jenkins Edward Dore Thomas Roberts Robert Dore William Broadbent Hopkins Thomas William Harle William Morgan of Landreman Morgan Morgan Evan Thomas William Richards Miles Basset of Bolton William Savers Michael Williams The Bailiffs of Cardiff for the Time being William Jones squire Alexander Parrell Lewis Cox Thomas Williams Emanuel Miles Craddock Naval John Arthur Alderman The Bailiffs of Cowbridge for the Time being The Portreeves of Sengery Neath and Landreman for the Time being.

## For the County of Monmouth.

Sir John Wynne Sir Richard Myddleton Sir William Williams Sir Griffith Williams Barons Richard Vaughan Roger Salisbury Edward Vaughan Francis Robert Richard Owen John Sturzy Vincent Corbett Roger Price John Lloyd William Pev Lewis Pryor John Pugh Lewis Owen of Penarth Thomas Price David Lloyd Hugh Hughes Esquires Owen Wynne Robert Natty William Wynne John Vaughan John Vaughan of Ceryll John Vaughan of Kewbedy Masters Vaughan Clerk William Epton Evan Wynne Esquires Richard Nixon Edward Holland John Lloyd of Rhodwig



Anthony Poole John Price Simon Lloyd Morris Williams Esquires John Humphreys Thomas Lloyd of Trevor Rodrick Lloyd John Jones of Penryngham Hugh Hughes of Baysandyn William Arreyll of Llandekwyn Edward Owens of Gwentdlyn Edward Price Ellis Oliver William Roberts Owen Pritchard Robert Owen of Dolwyddelan David Lloyd of Dolwyddelan John Vaughan of Penmon Jones Rector of Morvick Rowland Ellis Thomas Morgan Edward Morgan Hugh Owens of Cwcerbilas Robert Humphreys Clerk William Humphreys Edward Wynne of Llangwst Ellis Wynne Clerk Hugh Humphreys David Lloyd of Gorch Richard Johnson Clerk Griffith Wynne of Talislith Robert Wynne of dno John Evans of Talylont Edward Humphreys Clerk Rees Hughes Henry Perry Thomas Price of Tawerwethan Griffith Lloyd of Gwentdlyn Morris Owens John Williams of Lodge Edward Lewis of Talgarth John Lloyd of Kallan Griffith Roberts of Rhoscoch David Williams David Roberts Richard Jones Gendemen Mr. Serjeant Hoake Chief Justice of North Wales William Joseph Esquire William Lloyd Clerk.

For the County of Montgomery

Sir Joseph Jehyll Knight Chief Justice of Chester William Joseph Esquire Master Justice Pocklington Sir Richard Myddleton Sir Vaughan Pryce Sir William Williams Sir Charles Lloyd Sir Edward Leighton Barons Francis Hartley Charles Palmer William Pugh of Mathewen John Kynaston Edward Vaughan Sidney Goldolphin Richard Hinton of Hinton John Pugh Lewis Price Arthur Devereux Charles Mason Arthur Weaver John Blayney Lancelot Williams Absalom Owen Richard Myron of Stron y Wyrtion Humphrey Kynaston Adam Price Pryor Glenn Richard Owen of Glyn Ewan Jones Thomas Severn Edward Nowell Lloyd Edwards Edward Glynn Isaac Clopton Daniel Winghamston Rowland Owen Richard Lister John Herbert Edward Sudman John Lloyd Andrew Davies Richard Glynn John Reed Thomas Glas Jenkins Lloyd Arthur Williams Baggot Read Gabriel Wynne Thomas Owen David Lloyd Thomas Foulkes John Felton Thomas Briggs Charles Hauser Roger Monty John Lloyd of Eynon Peter Griffiths William Loghton John Bright George Amley William Epton John Middleton William Evans Roger Trevor junior Arthur Devereux junior George Devereux Price Devereux Richard Rocks George Robinson Roger Trevor junior Morgan Edwards John Griffiths of Glandwren Brochwyl Wynne Brochwyl Griffiths John Wilson John Calcut Richard Owen Edmund Price John Pugh of Kerry Price Hughes Robert Phillips Edward Morris Richard Wilson Peter Barrett Thomas Lloyd of Denngay Richard Price of Trevelyan Rom Jones of Gwent Richard Price of Betws John Price John Lloyd of Ffynant Daniel Owen Thomas Hobbs John Vaughan of Mird Thomas Price of Kyrcostid Thomas Owen of Nant-y-Machlud William Price Robert Ingram David Evans John Meredith of Llan Wilielam Maurice Powell Matthew Marlow Edward Price of Stron-Vaylay Richard Jones John Darn Edward Evans John Benbow Edward Davies of Boddin Edward Davies of Masi-Mawr Edward Lloyd of Talgarth Lewis Williams Gendemen John Morry Clerk John Edwards Clerk John Baggot Clerk Richard Davies Clerk Thomas Ingram Clerk William Davies Clerk James Egerton Clerk Henry Perry Clerk Walter Wodlason George Jenkins Arthur Morgan John House John Thomas of Astor Gendemen Andrew Davies Esquire Samuel Wodlason John Jones of Solva William Leyton Gendemen Baggot Read Thomas Owen of Mynyddi's Esquire Thomas Jones of Llanddwyn Humphrey Jones of Gwernill Gendemen.

For the County of Pembroke

Sir John Pocklington Sir John Phillips Sir Thomas Gregory Sir Arthur Owen Sir George Barlow Barons Sir William Wogan Sir Richard Walter Sir William Lewis Knight Master Serjeant Nerve Master Serjeant With Wyrrist Owen John Barlow Esq. Meyrick John Langhorne Warwick Lake John Barlow William Severfield Charles Owen Lewis Wogan John Lewis Charles Phillips George Lort George Carey Thomas Lloyd Wogan Wogan John Meyrick John Edwards Hugh Bowen John Bowen Fynalls (Waller<sup>1</sup>) William Warren George Owen George Moor William Skyrn Thomas Ferris Gwre Lloyd William Allen Lewis Vaughan George Owen John Lewis William Wheeler John Dorch Hugh Lloyd Thomas Lloyd William Ford Thomas Phillips Esquire Hugh Powell Rector of St. David William Nodman Chancellor of St. David and Edward Meyrick Treasurer of St. David William Phillips James Phillips Esq. James Phillips junior George Warren John Warren Robert Williams John Owen Thomas Langhorne John Langhorne John Langhorne Thomas Bowen William Bowen Mathew Bowen William Bowen John Pakriza George Roch John Child John Jones William Skyrn junior John Bannan William Bannan Francis Meyrick Nicholas Holland John Symonds Edward Phillips William David George Lory George Lewis John Vaughan William Langhorne Francis Edwards Richard Cary William Jones of Gwent John Allen John Rickson David Allen William Holme Nicholas Morgan Morris Morgan Francis Maw William Maw Thomas Pryor James Harris John Ford John Tucker Thomas Knowles George Boryn John Rack Thomas Phillips William Hall Richard Rees Gendemen Roger Lloyd Peter Lewis Clerks The Mayor and Aldermen of Trebuck for the Time being The Mayor and Aldermen of Tully for the Time being George Carey Esquire Thomas Bowen John Higgins Lawrence Colby and<sup>2</sup>

For the County of Radnor

The Right Honourable Robert Harley One of Her Majesties Principal Secretaries of State The Right Honourable Thomas Lord Couragby of the Kingdom of Ireland Sir Thomas Morgan Sir William Fowler Barons Sir Edward Williams Sir Isaac William Child Sir William Lewis Charles Wagon Edward Harley Edward Lewis of Montgomery Thomas Lewis of Marston Charles Lewis Henry Cornwell Edward Howards Ludlow Powell Robert Carter

<sup>1</sup> Walter G.

Marmeluke Gwyn Morgan Vaughan Adam Price Nicholas Taylor Henry Gorges John Jeffreys Richard Fowler  
 Lewis Lloyd William Brewster Richard Wadley Thomas Lewis of Nantwich John Walsham Peter Richards Gwyn  
 Henneage Aston Beldwyn Thomas Harley Esquires Robert Lucy David Morgan Thomas Heworth Nicholas  
 Meredith Hugh Gough Richard Chant Evan Bowen John Davies of Colglan Herbert Waton David Powell  
 John Jones of Llandud Joseph Hall Charles Hancock Evan Vaughan William Chamberlain Esquires Thomas Davies  
 of Conwy John Mose Lewis Llewellyn Andrew Davies Nehemiah Kenally Jones Stephens Keekel Wynn  
 Henry Bull Thomas Powell Edward Phillips Griffiths Price Walter Price John Whitney Thomas Owen James  
 Donn John Clarke John Watkins of Abertawe Walter Griffiths Henry Wynn Hugh Evans Thomas Price Robert  
 Williams Henry Vaughan John Price The Bailiff of Radnor for the Time being The Honourable Robert Price  
 Esquire One of the Barons of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer Hugh Stephens Herbert Wynn Samuel Trottman  
 Henry Bull Joseph Hall Griffiths Price David Powell James Stephens Philip Taylor John Powell David Morgan  
 Charles Lewis Esquires Edward Foster Thomas Holland Herbert Richards John Richards Samuel Selby Walter  
 Wherry Penne Lewis Nathaniel Powell Gentlemen.

For the Town and County of the Town of Hereford Wm

John Edwards Esquire Mayor The Aldermen and Sheriff for the Time being Master Sergeant Nove Master  
 Sergeant Webb Sir John Packington Sir John Phillips Sir Thomas Steyer Sir Arthur Owen Barons Sir William  
 Morgan Knight Wynn Owen John Barlow William Wogan John Meyrick William Scorefield Charles Phillips  
 William Wheeler George Owen John Langhorne Esquires Thomas Durd John Pember Clerks Nicholas Holland  
 John Phillips Michael Evans John Hoing Charles David Richard Specks Richard Wright Richard Smith Nath-  
 aniel Williams Bowen Thomas Childs John Langhorne Gentlemen.

Which Commissioners shall put in Execution this present Act and the Powers therein contained within and for  
 the same Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Gauges Ports Towns and Places respectively.

AND be it further enacted and declared That the several Commissioners aforesaid shall meet together at the  
 next usual and common Place of Meeting within each of the said Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and  
 Places respectively within England Wales and Berwick for which they are hereby appointed Commissioners as  
 shewed on or before the Eighth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and eight and shall meet afterwards  
 at like Manner as often as it shall be necessary for the putting in execution of this Act in Execution as is hereby  
 committed to their Care and Charge And the said Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present at  
 such General Meeting or Meetings or the major Part of them are hereby authorized and required to put so much  
 as shewed of this present Act in Execution And shall ascertain and set down in Writing the several Proportions  
 which ought to be charged upon every Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division respectively  
 within England Wales and Berwick upon Towed fur and towards the rating and making up the whole Sum  
 before by this Act charged upon the whole County City or other Place for which they are hereby appointed  
 Commissioners according to the Proportions which were assessed on the said Hundreds or Divisions respectively  
 by Act of Parliament made and passed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William  
 and Queen Mary of blessed Memory entitled An Act for granting to Their Majesties an Aid of Four Shillings  
 in the Pound for One Year for carrying on a vigorous War against France And shall also if they see Cause  
 subdivide and distribute themselves and the other Commissioners not then present into less Numbers so as Three  
 or more of the said Commissioners may be appointed for the Service of each Hundred Lathes Wapentake Rape  
 Ward or other Division as may best conduce to the carrying on Her Majesties Service hereby required nevertheless  
 not Overtly to contrain the said Commissioners or any of them from sitting as Commissioners in any other Part of  
 the County or Place for which they are appointed.

AND for the more effectual Performance thereof be it enacted and declared That the Commissioners at such  
 General Meeting or the major Part of them then present shall also agree and set down in Writing who and what  
 Number of the said Commissioners shall act in each of the said Divisions or Hundreds and shall deliver true  
 Copies of such Writings to the Receiver General to be appointed by Her Majesty in pursuance of Her Direction  
 to the End there may be no Failure in any Part of the due Execution of the Service by this Act required And  
 the said Commissioners within the several Hundreds Lathes Wapentakes Rapes Wards or other Divisions in England  
 Wales and Berwick upon Towed or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the  
 several Proportions charged on the respective Hundreds Lathes Wapentakes Rapes Wards or other Divisions as  
 shewed for or towards the Aid hereby granted to be equally assessed and rated within every such Hundred  
 Lathes Wapentake Rape Ward or other Division and within every Parish and Place therein according to the best  
 of their Judgments and Discretion And for that End and Purpose to direct their several or joint Proctors or  
 Proxies to such Justices High Constables Petty Constables Bailiffs and other Officers or Ministers and such  
 Number of them as they in their Discretions shall think most convenient to be Present and Announce requiring  
 them to appear before the said Commissioners at such Place and Time not exceeding Six Days as they shall  
 appoint And at such their Appearances the said Commissioners or such of them as shall be then present shall  
 openly read or cause to be read [an] to them the several Rates Dues and Charges in this Act mentioned and  
 they openly declare the Effect of their Charge to them and how and in what Manner they should or ought to

VII.  
 Commissioners to  
 meet on or before  
 the 8th of April  
 1708,  
 and afterwards, as  
 often as necessary.

And to write down  
 the Proportions  
 charged on every  
 Division.  
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And any subdivide  
 themselves, &c.  
 Commissioners not  
 restricted from  
 sitting in other  
 Part of County

VIII.  
 Commissioners at  
 first Meeting to  
 set down in Writing  
 what Number of  
 Commissioners shall  
 act in each Division

The several Pro-  
 portions to be  
 equally assessed.  
 Proctors to Justices,  
 &c. for requiring  
 them to appear, and  
 charge them with  
 Commissions of Ass.

Commissioners to  
 read to them their  
 Charge

\* entered on the Roll

Constable, &c.  
showing, or  
appearing, and  
refusing to serve.

Penalty.

Commissioners  
to appoint  
Assessors.

to prefix a Day  
and Place for  
Assessors to bring  
in Assessments.  
Assessors to state  
the full Sum, and  
bring a Certificate  
of Assessment.

and return Persons  
to be Collectors.

Parish, &c. to be  
answerable for  
the Collector's  
neglect, or  
refusal to serve.

Assessor neglecting  
or refusing to  
serve, &c.  
Penalty.

Assessors to deliver  
One Copy of  
Assessments to  
Commissioners;  
who are to sign and  
send Duplicate  
thereof.

Commissioners  
to deliver  
Duplications as  
before mentioned.

Appeal first  
determined.  
Remembrance to  
give Receipts  
previous  
Penalty.

IX.  
Collectors to  
demand Rates as  
they become due.  
Of whom, Demand  
made.

Collectors to pay  
to Receiver  
General.

make their said Assessments and how they ought to proceed in the Execution of this Act according to the true Meaning of the same. And if any such Constable Petty Constable Bailiff Officer or Minister or other Inhabitant in whom any Precept shall be directed shall shew themselves without lawful Excuse to be made out by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses (which Oaths the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered to administer) or if any Officer or Person appearing shall refuse to serve then every such Officer or Person so making default or refusing to serve shall for every such Default or Refusal forfeit and loose to Her Majesty such Sum as the said Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present or the major Part of them being present shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Five Pounds nor less than Forty Shillings and at and after each Charge given as aforesaid the said Commissioners shall take Care that Warrants be issued forth and directed to Two at least of the most able and valiant Inhabitants of each Parish Township or Place within the respective Counties thereby appointing and requiring them to be Assessors of all and every the Rates and Sums of Money by this Act imposed and shall therein also appoint and prefix a certain Day and Place for the said Assessors to appear before them and [10'] bring in their Assessments in Writing which said Assessments are hereby strictly enjoined and required with all Care and Diligence to assess the full Sum given them in charge respectively upon all ready Money Debts Personal Estates Officers Employments Annuities and Pensions chargeable as aforesaid according to the Act and by an equal Pound Rate upon all Houses Lands Tenements Rents Householdings and other the Possessions within the Limits Circum and Bounds of the respective Parishes or Places for which they shall be appointed Assessors as aforesaid and shall bring with them at the Time and Place so as aforesaid prefix for their Appearance a Certificate in Writing of the said Assessments and shall then also return the Names of Two or more able and sufficient Persons living within the Limits and Bounds of those Parishes Townships Hundreds or Places where they shall be chargeable respectively to be Collectors of the Rates which shall be assessed as aforesaid and to be paid to Her Majesty by this Act for whose paying in to the Receiver General or his Deputy in Manus heretofore accustomed such Monies as they shall be chargeable withal the Parish or Place wherein they are, ('') employed shall be answerable and if any Assessor so appointed or to be appointed shall neglect or refuse to serve or shall make Default at the Time appointed for his Appearance not having a lawful Excuse to be vouched by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses which Oaths the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them have Power to administer or shall not perform his Duty every such Assessor shall for every such Neglect Refusal or Default forfeit and loose to Her Majesty such Sum as the Commissioners or so many of them as shall be present or the major Part of them shall think fit not exceeding the Sum of Forty Pounds to be levied by Ductum and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels in like Manner as by the Act is appointed for the levying the several Rates and Assessments herein contained in case of Neglect or Refusal of Payment and to be charged upon the respective Receivers General together with the said Rates and Assessments and for the completing the whole Sum charged to be raised in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed as aforesaid and to the End the aforesaid Sums charged upon the several and respective Counties Ridings Cities Boroughs Towns and Places for or towards the same may be duly collected and true Accounts thereof made the said Assessors are hereby required to deliver One Copy of their respective Assessments fairly written and subscribed by them into the said Commissioners within the Time to be prefixed as aforesaid and the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them are hereby ordered and required to sign and send Two Duplicates of the said Assessments and One of them to deliver or cause to be delivered to Two or more honest and reputable Persons to be Collectors which the said Commissioners are hereby authorized to nominate and appoint for each Parish or Place with Warrant to the said Collectors to collect the same Assessment payable as aforesaid as in the said several Sums may be paid to the Receiver General at the respective Times hereby limited and the said Commissioners are hereby required to deliver or cause to be delivered a Schedule or Duplicates in Parchment under their Hand and Seal fairly written containing the whole Sums assessed upon each Parish or Place into the Receiver General of each County Riding City Borough Town or Place respectively in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed or his Deputy and shall transmit or cause to be transmitted a like Schedule or Duplicates into the Queens Remembrances Office of the Exchequer and this the said Commissioners shall cause to be done upon or before the Eighth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and eight or within Twenty Days after (all Appeals in them being first determined) for which Duplicates the Remembrances [or his Deputy ''] shall give to the Person who brings the same a Receipt in Writing under the Penalty of Ten Pounds to be recovered to the Queens Use as other Penalties are by the Act recoverable.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Persons so appointed to be Collectors as aforesaid in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed shall levy and collect all and every the Rates and Taxes so assessed and charged according to the Intent and Direction of this Act which said Collectors are hereby required to demand all and every Sum and Sums of Money which shall be so taxed and assessed of the Parties themselves at the same shall become due if they can be found or due at the Place of their last Abode or upon the Possessions charged with the Assessment and the said several Collectors shall collect and levy the said Monies so charged for Her Majesties Use and are hereby required and enjoined to pay unto the respective Receivers General or their Deputy all and every the said Rates and Assessments by them respectively collected or received at such Time or Times Place or Places as the Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall appoint and to at the whole Sums due for each Quarterly Payment shall be paid or received by the said Collectors to the Receiver General or their Deputy respectively upon the Days and at the Times by the Act appointed for the Payment thereof.

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Money received by the said Collectors within the respective Divisions or Hundreds as aforesaid shall from time to time be duly paid to the Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies to be appointed under his Hand and Seal whereof Notice under the Hand and Seal of the respective Receivers General shall be given to the Commissioners or any Two or more of them within the respective Divisions or Hundreds aforesaid within Ten Days after the next General Meeting and so from time to time within Ten Days after every Death or Removal of any Deputy if any such should happen and the Receipts of such Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies or any of them (which Receipts or Acquittances shall be given unto the Collectors for all Monies by them paid) shall be a sufficient Discharge to every such Collector and the particular Collectors aforesaid are hereby required to pay to all and every the Sums so received by them unto the said Receiver General or their Deputy or Deputies for the Payment whereof he and Collectors shall not be obliged to travel above Ten Miles from the Place or Places of their Inhabitation

X.  
Receiver General  
to give Notice of  
Payment to  
Commissioners, &c.

Receipt of  
Receiver General,  
for Discharge to  
Collectors.

Collectors  
acquitting

And be it further enacted That the Sum of Four hundred ninety eight thousand nine hundred and seven [ty] Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny Farthing for the First Quarterly Payment of the said Assessment for England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed shall be collected levied and paid unto the Receiver General of the said several Counties Cities or other Places who shall be appointed as aforesaid on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and eight and the Sum of Four hundred ninety eight thousand nine hundred and seventy Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny Farthing for the Second Payment of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and eight and the Sum of Four hundred ninety eight thousand nine hundred and seventy Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny Farthing for the Third of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and eight and the Sum of Four hundred ninety eight thousand nine hundred and seventy Pounds Ten Shillings and One Penny Three Farthings for the Fourth and last of the said Quarterly Payments on or before the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and nine in full of the said Sum of One million nine hundred ninety five thousand eight hundred eighty two Pounds and Five Pence Half penny

XI.  
First Quarterly  
Payment to  
Receiver General,  
24th June 1708

Second Quarterly  
Payment.

Third Quarterly  
Payment.

Fourth Quarterly  
Payment.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Receiver General in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed from time to time within the Space of One Month next after he shall have received the full Sum that shall be charged on any Hundred or Division for such particular Payment that is to be made to such Receiver General by virtue of this Act shall give to each Constable as shall act in such Hundred or Division a Receipt under his Hand and Seal acknowledging the Receipt of the full Sum charged upon such Hundred or Division for such particular Payment which Receipt shall be a full Discharge to each Hundred or Division for such particular Payment against Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors which said Receiver General is hereby required forthwith or at least within Twenty Days after the Receipt of any Money of the Taxes or Duties by this Act granted to transmit or cause to be paid the Monies by them received into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer and the Lord High Treasurer or Lords Commissioners of Her Majesties Treasury for the Time being are hereby authorized to allow the said Receiver General of each County Riding City and Town respectively in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed a Salary for his Pains not exceeding Two pence in the Pound for so much as he shall pay into the Exchequer upon the clearing [of] his Accounts.

XII.  
Receiver General  
to give Constables  
a Receipt  
for Monies  
received by them

Receiver General  
to pay into the  
Exchequer.

Salary to Receiver  
General.

And be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Collectors of the aforesaid Rates and Assessments in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed hereby granted for gathering the particular Sums charged upon the Parish or Place for which they shall be appointed Collectors by virtue of this Act shall upon Collection of the whole Sum appointed to be collected by them and Payment thereof as is hereby before appointed live and receive for their Pains in collecting and paying the Money Three Pence in the Pound which the said Collectors are empowered to demand out of the last Payment of the Money of their several and respective Quarterly Payments and the said Receiver General upon the Receipt of the whole Assessment of the County Riding City or Town for which he is appointed Receiver General in case he shall have received the several Duplicates of each Parish or Place therein and that Deputies shall be returned to the Office of Her Majesties Remembrancer of the Exchequer as aforesaid and not otherwise shall allow and pay according to such Warrant as shall be in that behalf given by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them Three Half pence in the Pound and no more for the Commissioners Clerks for their Pains in fair Writing the Assessments Duplicates and Copies hereunto before directed and for all Warrants Orders and Instructions relating thereto.

XIII.  
Collectors have  
3d. in the Pound.

Allowance to  
Commissioners  
Clerks.

And be it further enacted and declared That if any Person shall refuse or neglect to pay any Sum of Money Whence he due or they shall be rated or assessed in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed by this Act upon Demand by the said Collectors of that Place according to the Precept or Estreats so him or them delivered by the said Commissioners that they and in all and every such Case and Cases aforesaid may be lawfully to and for the said Collectors or any of them and they are hereby authorized and required to levy the Sum assessed by Demand and Sale of the Goods and Chateaux of such Person so refusing or neglecting to pay or detain upon the Messuages Lands Tenements and Premises so charged with any such (1) Sum or Sums of Money and the Goods and Chateaux then and there found and the Distress so taken to keep by the Space of Four Days at the Costs and Charges of the Owners and if the said Owners do not pay the Sum or Sums of Money so rated or assessed

XIV.  
Persons refusing to  
pay Rates upon  
Demand.

Distress.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

<sup>2</sup> G. again

<sup>3</sup> such G

If Rate not paid  
within Four Days  
Proceedings

House, &c. may  
be broken open  
Writen of Com-  
missioners, calling  
in Constables, &c.

Quotum upon  
Duties deter-  
mined by Commis-  
sioners

Tenants paying,  
assessed to rates  
for Landlords, and  
may deduct Taxes  
due

XV.  
Tenants paying,  
assessed.

Commissioners  
may settle Differ-  
ences between  
Landlords and  
Tenants  
Overruled  
uncomplained against  
within Six Days  
after Demand.

Appeals final  
If Proportion of  
County, &c. not  
fully assessed,  
Commissioners  
to raise new  
Assessments as  
to such.

XVI.  
Assessors, for  
unlawfully, &c. to  
execute Act.

Fines  
Fine not taken off  
but by Consent of  
Commissioners  
Laid by Duties

Impoundment  
Fines paid to Re-  
ceiver General

within the said Space of Four Days than the said Duties to be assessed by Two or more of the Justices of the Peace where the same shall be taken or other sufficient Persons and to be sold by the Collectors for Payment of the said Money and the Charges owing by such Sale (if any be over and above the Tax and Charges of taking and keeping the said Duties) to be immediately assigned to the Owners thereof and moreover it shall be lawful to break open in the Day time any House and upon Warren under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners any Chest Trunk Box or other Thing where any such Goods are calling in their Assistance the Constables Tythingmen or Headboroughes within the Counties Riding Cities Towns and Places where any Refusal Neglect or Resistance shall be made which said Officers are hereby required to be aiding and assisting in the Premises as they will answer the contrary at their Perils and if any Quarters or Differences happen upon taking such Duties the same shall be ended and determined by the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them and if any Person or Persons assessed by this Act in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed as aforesaid shall neglect or refuse to pay his her or their Assessment by the Space of Ten Days after Demand as aforesaid or convey any his her or their Goods or other Personal Estate whereby the Sums of Money so assessed cannot be levied according to this Act in every such Case any Two or more of the Commissioners aforesaid for any City County or Place are hereby authorized by Warrant under their Hands and Seals to commit such Person or Persons (except a Peer or Persons of Great Britain) to the Common Goal there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until Payment be made of the Money assessed and the Charges for detaining in of the same be paid and so longer and the several and respective Tenants and Tenants of all Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed which shall be taxed by virtue of this Act are hereby required and authorized to pay such Sums and Sums of Money as shall be rated upon such Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and to deduct out of the Rent so much of the said Rate as in respect of the said Rents of any such Houses Lands Tenements and Hereditaments the Landlord should and ought to pay and bear and the said Landlords both separately and jointly according to their respective Interests are hereby required to allow such Deductions and Payments upon Receipt of the Remainder of their Rents.

AND be it enacted and declared That every Tenant paying the said Assessment or Assessments here mentioned shall be acquitted and discharged for so much Money as the said Assessment or Assessments shall amount unto as if the same had been actually paid unto such Person or Persons unto whom his Rent should have been due and payable and if any Difference shall arise between Landlord and Tenant or any other concerning the said Rates in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed the said several Commissioners or any Two or more of them in their several Sessions shall have and have hereby Power to settle the same as they shall think fit and if any Person or Persons shall find himself himself or themselves aggrieved in that the said Assessments have concerned him or them and in Six Days after the Demand made of the Sum so assessed on him or them do by himself himself or themselves or by his her or their Solicitors or Attorneys complain to Three or more of the Commissioners whereof Two of the Commissioners who signed or allowed his (') or their Assessments to be of that Number the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall have and have hereby Power within Twenty Days after such Complaint made as aforesaid to address such Person or Persons and to charge the same on such other Person or Persons as they shall see Cause and such Appeals once heard and determined shall be final without any further Appeal upon any Petition whatsoever and to see the Proportions set by this Act upon all and every the respective Counties Riding Cities Towns and Places of England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed shall not be fully assessed levied and paid according to the true Meaning thereof or if any of the said Assessments shall be rated and imposed upon any Person not being of Ability to pay the same or upon any empty or void House or Land where the same cannot be collected and issued as that through any Willfulness Negligence Mistake or Accident the said Assessment charged on such County Riding City Town or Place as aforesaid by virtue of this Act happen not to be paid to the Receiver General his Deputy or Deputies as in this Act is directed that then in all and every such Case and Cases the several and respective Commissioners Assessors and Collectors aforesaid and every of them respectively are hereby authorized and required to assess or reassess or cause to be assessed or reassessed levied and paid all and every such Sum and Sums of Money upon the respective Duties and Hereditaments whereof such Defectivity shall happen or Parishes therein as in the said Commissioners or such Number of them as by this Act are authorized to cause the said Assessment (hereby assessed) to be made shall seem most agreeable to Equity and Justice the said new Assessment to be made collected and paid in such Manner and by such Means as in this Act for the said Assessment is declared and directed.

AND be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That if any Assessor (or Collector or other Person or Persons shall wilfully neglect or refuse to perform his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this present Act the said respective Commissioners or any Three or more of them have hereby Power to impose on such Person or Persons as refusing or neglecting his or their Duty such Fine or Fines as by them shall be thought fit so as the same carried not the Sums of Forty Pounds which said Fine shall not be taken off or discharged but by the Consent of the Majority of the Commissioners who imposed the same but shall be levied by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Duties and Sale of the Goods and Chateaux of the Offenders and in Default of Goods and Chateaux the Offender to be committed by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them to Prison there to remain till Payment of the said Fine and all Fines to be imposed by virtue of this Act in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed shall be paid to the respective Receivers General and by them sent the

Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer and shall be inserted in the Duplicate in Parchment fairly written to be transmitted to the Office of the Queen's Remembrancer as aforesaid that the same may be thereby known and charged in his Account.

And be it further enacted and declared That if any Collector or Collectors shall be by virtue of this Act appointed for the Receipt of any Sum or Sums of Money thereby to be assessed in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed shall neglect or refuse to pay any Sum or Sums of Money which shall be by him or them assessed as aforesaid and to pay the same as in this Act is directed or shall detain in his or their Hands any Money received by him or them or any of them and not pay the same as by this Act is directed the said Commissioners of each County Riding City or Town respectively or any Two or more of them in their respective Divisions are hereby authorized and empowered to imprison the Person and seize and secure the Estate as well Freehold as Copyhold and all other Estate both Real and Personal of such Collector in him belonging or which shall descend or come into the Hands or Possession of his Heirs Executors or Administrators where ever the same can be discovered and found and the said Commissioners who shall so seize and secure the Estate of any Collector or Collectors shall be and are hereby empowered to appoint a Time for the General Meeting of the said Commissioners for such County Riding City Town or Place and there to cause public Notice to be given of the Place where such Meeting shall be appointed Six Days at least before such General Meeting and the Commissioners present at such General Meeting or the major Part of them in case the Monies detained by any such Collector or Collectors be not paid and satisfied at it ought to be according to the Directions of this Act shall and are hereby required and empowered to sell and dispose of all such Estates which shall be for the Credit aforesaid seized and secured or any Part of them and to satisfy and pay into the Hands of the Receiver General or his Deputy for such County Riding or Place the Sum which shall be detained in the Hands of such Collector or Collectors their Heirs Executors and Administrators respectively.

And it is hereby further enacted and declared That at the Expiration of the respective Times in this Act prescribed for the full Payment of the said Four Quarterly Assessments in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed the several and respective Commissioners or any Two or more of them within their Division or Hundred Parish and Place are and are hereby required to call before them the Collectors within each respective Division or Hundred Parish and Place and to examine and assure themselves of the full and whole Payment of the particular Sums and Sums of Money charged upon the same Division or Hundred and every Parish and Place therein and of the due return of the same into the Hands of the respective Receivers General their Deputy or Deputies of the said County Riding City Town and Place respectively and by such Receiver General into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer to the End there may be no Failure in the Payment of any Part of the Assessment by virtue of this Act to be assessed and paid nor any Arrear remaining chargeable upon any of the said Counties Ridings Cities Towns and Places respectively And in case of any Failure in the Payment the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby authorized and required to cause the same to be forthwith levied and paid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act.

And it is hereby enacted and declared That in case any Controversie arise concerning the said Assessments or the dividing apportioning or Payment thereof which concerns any the Commissioners before by this Act appointed that the Commissioners so concerned in the said Controversie shall have no Voice but shall withdraw at the Time of the Debate of any such Controversie until it be determined by the rest of the Commissioners and in default thereof that the Commissioners then present shall have Power and are hereby required to impose such Fine or Fines as to them shall be thought fit upon such Commissioners so refusing to withdraw not exceeding the Sum of Twenty Pounds and to cause the same to be levied and paid as other Fines so be imposed by virtue of this Act are to be levied and paid And all Questions and Differences which shall arise touching any the said Rates Duties or Assessments in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed or the collecting thereof shall be heard and finally determined by the Commissioners in such Manner as by this Act is directed upon Complaint thereof made to them by any Person or Persons thereby grieved without farther Trouble or Suit at Law.

And be it further enacted and declared That no privileged Place or Person Body Politick or Corporate within the Counties Ridings Cities and Towns aforesaid in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed shall be exempted from the said Assessments and Taxes and that they and every of them and also all Free Farm Rents and all other Rent Payments Sums and Sums of Money or Annuities issuing out of or payable for any Lands shall be liable towards the Payment of every Sum by this Act to be levied and levied and all the Tenants are hereby directed and authorized to pay them proportionably according to the Rates and Assessments by this Act appointed and directed and all such Tenants shall be bound and kept harmless by the Authority of this Act from any further Payment of any such Proportion of any such Rent Rents Sums of Money or Annuities to any Person or Persons to whom any such Rent Rents Sums of Money or Annuities as aforesaid should or ought to be paid to all Issues and Purposes whatsoever as fully and simply as if they had paid the same to any Person or Persons to whom the same is or are reserved or become due.

Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to charge any College or Hall in either of the Two Universities of Oxford and Cambridge or the Colleges of Windsor Taunton Westminster or the

XVII.  
Collectors not paying Monies assessed by them, Imprisonment, and Seal and Personal Estate liable.

Commissioners sitting Estates to call a General Meeting of Commissioners in several Proceedings.

XVIII.  
Commissioners to call before them Collectors, and examine touching full Payment of Assessments.

and in case of Failure to levy.

XIX.  
If any Controversie concerning assessing or apportioning, Commissioners required to withdraw in default, Penalty Questions finally determined by Commissioners.

XX.  
Privileged Places or Persons not exempt. Free Farm and other Rents, &c. liable. Tenants to pay proportionably, and be harmless.

XXI.  
Proviso for Colleges, &c. in the Universities of

Widows, Daughters, and Minors, and for Hospitals in respect of Sites of Colleges, &c. or for Great Hospitals, and other Hospitals and Almshouses.

Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the Poor Widows and Children of Clergymen or the College of Brasenose or any Hospital in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed for or in respect of the Sites of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any of the Buildings within the Walls or Limits of the said Colleges Halls or Hospitals or any Master Fellow Scholar [or] Exhibitor of any such College or Hall or any Reader Officer or Minister of the said Universities Colleges or Halls or any Masters or Masters of any Schools in England or Wales or Berwick upon Tweed for or in respect of any Stipends Wages Profits or Emoluments whatsoever arising or growing due to them in respect of the said several Places and Impositions in the said Universities Colleges or Schools or to charge any of the Houses or Lands which on or before the First and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred ninety and three did belong to the Sites of any College or Hall in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed or to Christ Hospital St. Bartholomew's Andrew's St. Thomas and Bethlehem's Hospital in the City of London and Borough of Southwark or any of them or to the said Corporation of the Governors of the Charity for the Relief of the poor Widows and Children of Clergymen or the College of Brasenose or shall extend to charge any other Hospital or Almshouses in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed for or in respect only of any Rents and Revenues which on or before the said First and twentieth Day of March One thousand six hundred ninety and three were payable to the said Hospitals or Almshouses being to be received and disbursed for the immediate Use and Relief of the Poor in the said Hospitals and Almshouses only.

**XXII**  
Lands, hereditaments, and tenements, the value of which is less than five pounds.

Provided That no Tenant that hold and enjoy any Lands or Houses by Lease or other Grant from the said Corporation or any of the said Hospitals or Almshouses do claim or enjoy any Freedom Exemption or Advantage by this Act but that all the Houses and Lands which they do hold shall be rated and assessed for so much as they are yearly worth over and above the Rents reserved and payable to the said Corporation or to the said Hospitals or Almshouses to be received and disbursed for the immediate Support and Relief of the Poor of the said Hospitals and Almshouses.

**XXIII**  
Tenants of such Hospitals, Colleges, &c. who are exempt from Taxation.

Provided always That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed or taken to discharge any Tenant of any of the Houses or Lands belonging to the said Colleges Halls Hospitals Almshouses or Schools or any of them who by their Leases or other Contracts are and do stand obliged to pay and discharge all Rates Taxes and Impositions whatsoever but that they and every of them shall be rated and pay all such Rates Taxes and Impositions Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

**XXIV**  
If Question concerning any Lands, hereditaments, or tenements, the value of which is less than five pounds, be brought before the Justices of the Peace.

And in case any Question hath been or shall be made how far any Lands or Tenements belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed not exempted by Name out of this Act ought to be assessed and charged with the Land Tax he is assessed and declared That the same shall be determined by the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them Two of the said Commissioners who signed or allowed such Assessment being of that Number upon Appeal before them at the Day or Days by them appointed for the hearing and determining of Appeals whose Determination in such Case shall be final.

**XXV**  
Lands, hereditaments, and tenements, the value of which is less than five pounds, the value of which is less than five pounds, the value of which is less than five pounds.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That all such Lands Revenues or Rents belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse as were assessed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary shall be and are hereby adjudged to be liable to be charged towards the Payment of this present Act and that no other Lands Tenements Hereditaments Revenues or Rents whatsoever belonging to any Hospital or Almshouse as aforesaid shall be charged taxed or assessed by virtue of this present Act towards the said Sum to be raised in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed as aforesaid Any thing hereto contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

**XXVI**  
Persons for Allowances in respect of Rents due to Her Majesty without Fee.

And it is hereby further enacted That all and every Auditors Receivers and their Deputy and Deputies who audit or receive any Fee Farm Rents or other Chief Rents (arising in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed) due to Her Majesty or to any Person or Persons claiming by any Grant or Purchase from or under the Crown shall allow Four Shillings for every Pound of the said Rents and proportionably for any greater or lesser Sums to the Party or Parties paying the same without any Fee for such Allowance upon the Penalty of Twenty Pounds to the Party grieved to be recovered by Action of Debt or upon the Case together with full Costs of Suit any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding And if any such Auditor of the Revenues or any of them belonging to Her Majesty or any Deputy or other Person acting for or on the Behalf of any such Auditor shall in the Account of any Rents Receive or otherwise get in any Fee Farm or other Person to make any such Tenant or other Person or his or their Estate liable to any Damages Forfeiture or Vexation whatsoever for any Sum or Sums of Money which by the true intent and Meaning of this Act ought to be allowed after the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound or shall refuse neglect or delay to allow and finally discharge the same in the proper Accounts whereas the same ought to be allowed or discharged that then and for every or any such Offence every such Auditor or Deputy or Person acting for such Auditor shall forfeit the Sum of Two hundred Pounds to the Party grieved to be recovered as aforesaid and shall be also incapable to enjoy his Office or Place or any Office or Place of Trust or Profit under Her Majesty.

And be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the Five Penn Rents for which a Deduction or Allowance after the Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound is intended to be made by this present Act are such Five Penn Rents only as are answerable to His Majesty or have been purchased from the Crown by virtue of Two Acts of Parliament made in the Two and twentieth and Three and twentieth Years of the Reign of the late King Charles the Second for or concerning the Sale of Five Penn Rents [or one of them] or otherwise And the Owners and Receivers of such Five Penn Rents shall and are hereby required as Paymt. of such Rents to allow four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the said Rents and so in proportion for any greater or lesser Rents to the Party or Parties paying the same Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And be it enacted That the Officers of the Receipt of Her Majesties said Exchequer and in other the publick Office upon Request to them made by the respective Accounters shall deliver gratis true Lists or Abstracts of all Persons Answering Sums or other annual Payments and of all Fees Salaries and other Allowances payable at the said Receipt or in the said publick Office to any Commissioner or Commissioners Officer or Officers for the Execution of this Act for the better Guidance of the said Accounters in the charging of the same and that in all Cases where any Persons Answereth Sums or other annual Paymt. or the Fees Salaries Wages or other Allowances or Profits charged by this Act shall be payable at the Receipt of Exchequer or by the Collector of the Majesties Household or out of any other publick Office or by any Her Majesties Receivers or Paymasters in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed the Tax or Payment which in pursuance of this Act shall be charged for or in respect of such Answerers Persons Sums Fees Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits shall and may in case of Nonpayment thereof be deducted and kept out of the same or out of any Money which shall be paid upon such Persons Answerers Sums Fees Salaries Wages Allowances or Profits or for Arrears thereof and be applied to the Satisfaction of the Rates and Dues not otherwise paid as aforesaid and the proper Officers in the said Exchequer and other the publick Offices aforesaid shall keep true Accounts of all Monies kept and (upon Request) shall give Copies of such Accounts to the proper Collectors of such Monies for the respective Parishes or Places where the said Monies are assessed by this Act

Provided That where any Person inhabiting within the City of London or any other City or Town Corporate of England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed hath his Dwelling House in One of the Parishes or Wards therein and hath any Goods Wares or Merchandises in One or more of the other Parishes or Wards within the same that then such Person shall be charged rated and assessed for such his Goods or Merchandises in the Parish or Ward where he dwelleth and not elsewhere within the said City or Town Corporate

Provided nevertheless That no Clause or Proviso in this Act shall extend to the lessening or Abatement of the full Sum appointed by this Act to be raised collected levied and paid but that the same be fully assessed levied collected and paid in the several and respective Counties Cities Towns aforesaid in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed in such Manner and Form and to such Uses as herein is before mentioned and declared

Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to alter change determine or make void any Contract Covenants or Agreements (if) between Landlord and Tenant or any other Persons touching the Payment of Taxes and Assessments in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed Any thing herein before contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Provided always and be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That for avoiding all Obstructions and Delays in assessing and collecting the same by this Act to be raised and assessed upon any Mannor Lands Tenements Rents Tythes or other Hereditaments all Places Constablenicks Divisions and Allotments which have been used to be taxed and assessed shall pay and be assessed as such County Hundred Rape Wapentake Constablenick Division Place and Allotment within England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed as the same have been heretofore usually assessed in and not elsewhere

Provided nevertheless That the Hundred of West Burnfield formerly rated and assessed in the Lath of Bedford in the County of Kent may for the future (if the Commissioners think fit) be rated and assessed in the Lath of Stuy in the County aforesaid and the Hundred of Lath or Lense in the Hundred of Blackheath in the County of Kent as likewise may the Tything of Netherstone in the County of Oxon be assessed in the Hundred of Hampton in the said County and the Tythings of Cheshbury Faller and Placock in the Hundred of Chillingham in the said County as also the whole Town and Parish of Leeds in the County of York in the Hundred of Skyrack in the said County and the Forest of Clote shall be assessed and pay where the same was assessed by the First Act of Four Shillings in the Pound granted to Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary as also the Profits of the Navigation of the Rivers Calder and Agre in the West Riding (if) the County of York shall be assessed and paid One Moiety thereof at the Town of Wakefield and the other Moiety thereof at the Town of Leeds

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Actum Plaint Suit or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance of Execution

XXVII.  
Description of  
Ponders Rents  
intended to be Allocated  
of 4s per  
Pound, that 2s  
Car II. c. 6. and  
10. 2. 23. Ch. II.  
c. 34.  
Owners to allow  
same to Party  
paying.

XXVIII.  
Officers of Ex-  
chequer to deliver  
Lists of Persons,  
for apply to the  
Accounters

Payment may be  
recovered out of  
Fees, &c.

Officers in the  
Exchequer, &c. to  
keep Accounts of  
Monies raised

XXIX.  
Inhabitants in  
London, the Ricks  
used in the Parish  
where they dwell.

XXX.  
No Clause in this  
Act is intended to  
lessen the Rates.

XXXI.  
Proviso for  
Contracts between  
Landlord and  
Tenant

XXXII.  
Places used to be  
assessed, apply as  
heretofore.

XXXIII.  
Proviso as to  
assessing West  
Burnfield, Nether-  
stone, Cheshbury,  
Faller, Placock,  
Leeds, and Forest  
of Clote.

XXXIV.  
To Actions for  
Execution Act.

\* inserted in the Bill.

\* whatsoever 0



- of this Act in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed and Persons so used in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue (Not Guilty) and upon Issue joined may give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Pleasance shall become nonsuit or farther further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendants shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in case where Costs by the Law are given to Defendants.
- XXXV.** *Provisions always and be it further enacted* That in case any Lands or Houses in any Parish Place or Constableness in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed shall be unoccupied and no Distress can be found on the same by reason whereof the said Parish Place and Constableness are forced to pay and make good the Tax assessed upon such Lands lying unoccupied that then it shall and may be lawful at any Time after for the Collector Constable or Tythingman of the said Parish Place or Constableness for the Time being to enter and distrain upon the said Lands or Houses when there shall be any Distress thereupon to be found and the Distress or Distresses if not redeemed within Four Days by Payment of the Tax and Charge of the Distress to sell rendering the Overplus to the Owner or Owners of such Houses and the said Collector Constable or Tythingman is hereby enjoined to distribute the Money raised by the said Distress and Sale proportionably to the Parties who contributed to the Tax of the unoccupied Lands and Houses.
- XXXVI.** *Where Wood* *Provisions always and be it enacted* That where any Woodlands in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed shall be assessed and no Distress can be had that in such Case it shall and may be lawful to and for any Collector Constable Headborough or Tythingman by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of Two or more of the Commissioners of that Hundred or Division at reasonable Times of the Year to cut and sell to any Person or Persons so much of the Wood growing in the Wood Lands so assessed (Timber Taxes excepted) as will pay the Assessment or Assessments so behind and unpaid and the Charge incident thereunto and that it shall and may be lawful for the Person or Persons and his and their Assigns to whom such Wood shall be sold to (a) cut down chop and carry away the same to his own Use rendering the Overplus if any be to the Owner Any Law to the contrary notwithstanding.
- XXXVII.** *Where Rates on* *Provisions always and be it further enacted* That where any Tax or Assessment shall be charged or laid upon any Tythes Tolls Profits of Markets Fairs or Fishery or any other annual Profits in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed not distrainable in case the same shall not be paid within Six Days after such Assessment so charged or laid and demanded that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Collector Constable or other Officer whatsoever appointed by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the Commissioners authorized by this Act to take seize and sell as much of the said Tythes Tolls and other Profits so charged as shall be sufficient for the levying of the said Tax or Assessment and all Charges occasioned by such Nonpayment thereof rendering the Overplus to the Owner (if any be).
- XXXVIII.** *Receiver General* *And for the better providing such unpaid Taxations as might be occasioned by such Persons as shall be appointed Receiver General of any of the Sums of Money granted by this Act to be raised in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed and to the better the said Receiver General may receive a true Account into Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer of any Sums of Money as shall be received by them and every of them their and every of their Deputy and Deputies be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid* That if any such Receiver General shall receive or certify into the said Court any Sums or Sums of Money to be in Arrear and unpaid after the same have been received either by such Receiver General or his Deputy or Deputies or any of them or shall cause any Person or Persons or Places to be set prisoner in the said Court for any Sums or Sums of Money that hath been so received that then every such Receiver General shall be liable to pay to every Person or Persons that shall be so detained vexed or damaged by reason of such unpaid Certificate Return or setting prisoner Treble the Damage that shall be thereby occasioned to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in which no Escaign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed or any more than One Imparience and shall also forfeit to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors Double the Sums that shall be so unjustly certified or returned or caused to be set prisoner.
- XXXIX.** *Commissioners to assess such rates.* *And be it further enacted* (') That the Commissioners that shall be within any County City or Place within the respective Limits of England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed or the major Part of them shall tax and assess every other Commissioner joined with them for and in respect of their ready Money Debts and Personal Debt as also for and in respect of the Offices and Employments of Profit that shall then be held and enjoyed by such Commissioner as to the Residence and usual Dwellingplace of such Commissioners so to be taxed be within the Division of such Commissioners by whom he is taxed and so as the Office or Employment held or enjoyed by such Commissioners so to be taxed be likewise certified within the Division or Limits of such Commissioners by whom he is to be taxed and the said Commissioners within their respective Divisions shall also assess every Assessor within their Division for all and singular the Mises and Things for which by this Act he ought to be taxed and assessed and as well all Sums assessed upon every the said Commissioners and Assessors as the Assessments made and set by the Assessors aforesaid shall be written returned levied and gathered as the same should and ought to have been if such Commissioners had not been made Commissioners.

Further also That no Person inhabiting in any City Borough or Town Corporate of England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed shall be compelled to be any Assessor or Collector of or for any Part of the Rates and Assessments hereby granted in any Place or Places out of the Limits of the said City Borough or Town Corporate

Further always and be it enacted That every Rate Tax or Assessment which shall be made or imposed by virtue of this Act in respect of any House or Tenement which an Ambassador Resident Agent or other publick guest of any Foreign Prince or State now hath or hereafter shall inhabit or occupy shall be paid by the Landlord or Owner of the said Houses or Tenements respectively.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all privileged and other Places being Extrajurisdictional or not within the Countdowns or Precincts of the respective Assessors to be appointed by virtue of this Act in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed (although in any monthly or other Tax they have not been rated heretofore) the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them shall and are hereby required to nominate and appoint Two or more Persons living in or near the said privileged or other Places so aforesaid to be Assessors for the said Places and to make and return the said Assessments in like Manner so by this Act is appointed in any Parish Tithing or Place and also to appoint Two or more Collectors who are hereby required to collect and pay the same in the Manner appointed by this Act for collecting and paying all the aforesaid Sums of Money chargeable by this Act

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Commissioner Assessor or Collector who shall be employed in the Execution of this Act in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed shall be liable to or by reason of such Execution to any of the Penalties mentioned in an Act made in the Fifth and twentieth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second for preventing Dangers which may happen from Popish Recusants or in One other Act made in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for suppressing the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy and appointing other Oaths or in (') other Act made in the Parliament holden in the Thirtieth and Fourteenth Years of the Reign of the late King William the Third intitled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors

Provided always and be it enacted That no Person shall be capable in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or executing any of the Powers therein contained (unless it be the Power hereby given of administering Oaths) until such Time as he shall have taken the Oaths appointed by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for suppressing the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths and also in the said Act intitled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors which Oaths it shall and may be lawful for any Two or more of the said Commissioners to administer and they are hereby required to administer the same to any other of the said Commissioners

Provided always and be it enacted That if any Person hereby appointed a Commissioner for any County City Town or Place in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed shall presume to act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act before he shall have taken the Oaths which by this Act he is required to take and in Manner hereby prescribed he shall forfeit to Her Majesty the Sum of Two hundred Pounds

Provided also That every Person in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed used or assumed for his Office or Employment shall be rated and pay for his said Office or Employment in the County City or Place where the same shall be exercised although the Revenue or Profit arising by such Office or Employment are payable elsewhere

Provided always That the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls the Masters in Chancery Six Clerks Clerks of the Peace Bag Exchequer Registers Clerks of the Justices Clerks of the Affidavit and all other the Officers of the Court of Chancery that exercise their Office within the Liberty of the Rolls shall there be assessed for their respective Offices Salaries and other Profits and not elsewhere and that all Assessable Salaries and Profits payable to any Officers in respect of their Office shall be taxed and assessed where such Officers are used and assessed for their Office and not elsewhere and that all other Persons Salaries and Annuities in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed not charged upon Lands shall be charged and assessed in the Parishes or Places where they are payable and every Person who is or shall be used in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed for or in respect of any Personal Estate in his any ways belonging shall be rated at such Place where he or she shall be resident at the Time of the Execution of this Act and all Persons not being Householdiers nor having a certain Place of Residence shall be rated at the Place where they shall be resident at the Execution of this Act and if any Person who ought to be rated in England Wales or Berwick

**XI.**  
Inhabitants of Great Britain not compellable to act out of Limits.

**XII.**  
Landlords to pay on Houses when Foreign Ministers reside.

**XIII.**  
Persons requiring Assessment of Assessors and Collectors in Extrajurisdictional and privileged Places.

**XIV.**  
Commissioners not liable to Penalties of Stat. 49 Geo. II. c. 5.

19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> Ed.  
11th  
or 13 & 14 W. III.  
c. 6.

**XV.**  
Commissioners to take the Oaths of Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 2. 11th.

which Two Commissioners may administer.

**XVI.**  
County assessors acting before taking Oaths.  
Penalty forfeit.

**XVII.**  
Persons in Office rated where Office exercised.

**XVIII.**  
Where Officers in Chancery within the Rolls to be assessed.

Assessors payable to Officers.

Parishes, &c. not charged upon Lands.  
Personal Estates.

Persons not Householdiers.  
Persons out of the Rolls.

upon Tread by virtue of this Act for or in respect of his Personal Estate shall at the Time of this Assessment be out of the Realm such Person shall be rated therefore in such County City or Place where he was last abiding within the Realm.

**XXVIII.**  
Goods in County  
other than where  
Owner resides.  
Early rated when  
they lie.

**PROVIDED** That where any Person shall have any Goods Wares and Merchandises in any County or County other than the County where he shall be resident or had his last Residence it shall be lawful at any Time before the Year and twentieth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and eight to rate and assess such Person for such Goods Wares or Merchandises in the County or Counties where the same shall be and every Person who shall be rated or assessed for or in respect of any Manors Messuages Lands or Tenements or other the Premises according to the former Classes of this Act shall be rated and assessed in the Place where such Manors Messuages Lands and Tenements or other the Premises respectively do lie and not elsewhere.

**XXIX.**  
Persons having  
several Manors  
doubly charged in  
respect of Personal  
Estate, referred to  
Commissioners of  
Consolidation,  
granted without  
Fee, and so Oath  
before Justice of  
Peace.

**PROVIDED** always That if any Person or Persons by reason of his her or their having several Manors Houses or Places of Residence or otherwise shall be doubly charged for any Personal Estate Office or otherwise by Occasion of this Act then upon Certificate made by any Two or more of the Commissioners for the County Riding City or Place of his her or their last personal Residence under their Hands and Seals of the one or some charged upon him her or them (which Certificate the said Commissioners are required to give without Delay free or Reward) and upon Oath made of such Certificate before any Justice of the Peace of the County or Place where the said Certificate shall be made (which Oath the said Justice of the Peace is hereby authorized and required to administer) then the Person or Persons so doubly charged shall for so much as shall be so certified be discharged in every other County City or Place in England Wales or Berwick upon Tread.

**L.**  
Persons in  
Scotland, Ireland,  
Jersey or Guernsey.

**PROVIDED** also That this Act shall not extend to the Inhabitants of Scotland Ireland Jersey and Guernsey in assessing any such Personal Estate which they or any to their Use have within those Places for or towards the said Sum hereby charged on England Wales and Berwick upon Tread as aforesaid and if any Person that ought to be taxed by virtue of this Act in England Wales or Berwick upon Tread for or in respect of his Personal Estate shall by changing his Place of Residence or by any other Fraud or Guile escape from the Taxation and not be taxed and the same be proved before the Commissioners or any Two of them or before any One as more Justice or Justice of the Peace of the County where such Person dwellth or resideth at any Time within One Year next after such Tax made every Person that shall so escape from the Taxation and Payment shall be charged (upon Proof thereof) at the Treble Value of so much as he should or ought to have been charged at by this Act the said Treble Value upon Certificate thereof made into the Exchequer by the Commissioners Justice or Justice (before where such Proof shall be made) to be levied on the Goods Lands and Tenements of such Person.

**LI.**  
Householders to  
give an Account  
of Expenditure.

**AND** for the better Discovery of Personal Estates intended to be charged by this Act He is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Householder in England Wales or Berwick upon Tread shall upon Demand of the Assessors of the respective Parishes or Places give an Account of the Names and Qualities of such Persons as shall support or lodge in their respective Houses under the Penalty of Forfeiting to Her Majesty the Sum of Five Pounds to be levied and recovered in such Manner as any other Penalties in this Act mentioned shall and may be levied and recovered.

**LII.**  
Shops in the New  
River, Thames,  
Marybone, or  
Hampden Water,  
Officers for  
Inspection from  
Ferry, Quay or  
other Light, Stock  
in the Quay,  
Printing House,  
no pay to the  
Printers.  
Merchants  
Commissioners, Bank  
of England, Post  
Office, for whose  
revenue and profit.

**AND** be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Shares or Interests in any fresh Stream or running Water brought to the Mouth Parts of London commonly called the New River or in the Thames Water Works or in Marybone or Hampden Water or in any River or Profits among thereby and all and every Person and Persons having any Share or Interests in any Office or Stock for viewing of Houses in Cases of Fire or in the Convex or other Lights or in the Stock or Stocks for printing of Books in or belonging to the House commonly called The Queens Printing House shall pay for the same the Sum of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings of the full yearly Value thereof towards the said Sum hereby charged upon England Wales and Berwick upon Tread and they and all Companies of Merchants in London and the Bank of England and all Salaries and Pensions (payable in London) arising and payable at the General Post Office and Excise Office charged by this Act shall be assessed by the Commissioners nominated and appointed for the said City or any Two or more of them for their respective Shares and Interests aforesaid and the aforesaid Joint Stock or Stocks and for such Salaries and Pensions and the same shall be paid by the Governors and respective Trustees or Receivers of the said River Water and Water Works and of the said Office and Stocks respectively and be debited at and out of their next Dividend and every Person having any Salary in respect of any Office or Employment exercised in the Ward of London where the Post Office is situate shall be assessed and pay for the same in the said Ward the said Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound towards the said Sum by this Act charged upon England Wales and Berwick upon Tread.

**LIII.**  
Persons 15 Years of  
Age, not having  
taken the Oath.

**AND** be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Papist or reputed Papist in England Wales or Berwick upon Tread being of the Age of Eighteen Years and upwards who shall not have taken the Oath mentioned and required to be taken by an Act made in England in the First Year of the Reign of King

WILLIAM and QUEEN MARY intended An Act for the abrogating the Oaths of Supremacy and Allegiance and appointing other Oaths shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sum and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned and intended he or she should or ought to pay or be charged ("") to be assessed levied collected assessed and paid in such Manner by such Ways and Means and according to such Rules and Directions and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as are before in this Act expressed or expressed for and concerning the above mentioned Rates and Sums.

PROVIDED nevertheless That if any such Papist or reputed Papist within Ten Days after the First Meeting of the said Commissioners in the respective Counties or Places where he or she ought to be taxed or assessed according to the intent of this present Act shall take the said Oaths before Two or more of the said Commissioners (which Oaths the said ["Two or more of the said"] Commissioners are empowered to administer) in that Case he or she shall not be liable to be doubly assessed as aforesaid.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person being of the Age of Eighteen Years and upwards and being in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed at the Time of the Enactment of this Act who shall not before that Time have taken the Oaths mentioned and required to be taken by the said last mentioned Act and upon Summons by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more of the said Commissioners shall refuse to take the said Oaths at the Time appointed in the said Warrant or shall neglect to appear at such Time before the Commissioners in order to take the said Oaths (which the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them are hereby empowered and required to administer) shall yield and pay unto Her Majesty Double the Sum and Rates which by force and virtue of any Clause in this Act before mentioned and intended he or she should or ought to pay or be charged with in Manner as is before in this present Act appointed touching Papists or reputed Papists.

AND be it further enacted That any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed by this Act in the respective Counties Cities Towns and other Places of England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed upon Information given or upon any Cause of Suspicion in that Behalf shall and are hereby required and empowered to cause every Person suspected or against whom such Information shall be given to be summoned to appear to take the said Oaths as aforesaid.

PROVIDED nevertheless That whereas certain Persons Dissenters from the Church of England commonly called Quakers and now known to be such in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed do scruple the taking of any Oaths it shall be sufficient for any such Person to make and subscribe the Declaration of Fidelity contained in an Act made in the Parliament held in the First Year of the Reign of Their said late Majesties King WILLIAM and QUEEN MARY intituled An Act for exempting Their Majesties Protestant Subjects Dissenters from the Church of England from the Penalty of certain Laws which Declaration any Two or more of the Commissioners appointed for executing this Act are hereby empowered and required to administer and every such Person so doing shall not be liable or chargeable with any of the Double Rates aforesaid.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in all Cases where any Assessors or Assessors who by this Act are required to make Double Assessments upon Papists or reputed Papists or other Persons for not taking the Oaths aforesaid shall neglect to do his or their Duty therein the respective Commissioners of the County Riding Hundred Division or Place where such Double Assessments ought to have been made or any Two or more of them shall take care and are hereby authorized and required to cause such Papist or other Person to be doubly charged according to the true intent and Meaning of this Act.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That where the Owners of any Lands Tenements and Hereditaments are liable to be doubly charged as Papists or reputed Papists by reason of their not having taken the Oaths extending to the intent of this Act in every such Case such Owners only shall be charged with and shall pay the said Double Rates and the respective Tenants of such Lands Tenements and Hereditaments are hereby discharged of and from the same Any Covenant for Payment of Taxes or other Agreement to the contrary notwithstanding.

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Prison of the Queens Bench Prison House Lands Gardens and Common Sals and all the Rent Office Profits and Perquisites of the Marshal and all other Offices of the said Queens Bench Prison and also the Prison House Lands and Gardens of the Prison of the Marshal and of the Marshalsea Prison and all Offices Perquisites and Profits of the Marshalsea Prison and Prison lying and being in the Parish of St. George the Martyr in the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surrey and Judges of the said Court and all Councils and Assessors practicing or having a Right to practise in the said Marshalsea Court and all Profits and Fees accruing to them or any of them respectively shall be charged and assessed to the Assessment in the Parish of St. George aforesaid and not elsewhere at and after the Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound Any thing to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Officer or Officers belonging to the said Prison shall neglect or refuse to pay the Sum or Sums of Money which shall be rated and assessed upon them

to pay Double as by Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 14.

LIV.  
Persons who within Ten Days after the Commencement First Meeting he shall take the Oaths.

LV.  
Every Person of 18 Years of Age who shall not have taken the Oath before Enactment of Act, being summoned, shall refuse to take them, or neglect to appear before Commissioners, to pay Double.

LVI.  
Commissioners to summon Persons to appear and take the Oaths.

LVII.  
Persons who Quakers to subscribe the Declaration, Stat. 1 W. & M. c. 18.

LVIII.  
Commissioners to cause Double Assessments to be made for not taking the Oaths, if the Assessors omit the same.

LIX.  
Tenants discharged from Double Rates, notwithstanding any Covenant for Payment of Taxes.

LX.  
Prison of the Queens Bench, Marshalsea Prison, &c.

Where and how assessed.

LXI.  
Officers of the Marshalsea Court.



General of any Part of England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed or his Deputy shall pay any Part of the said Money by any Warrant of the Lord Treasurer Commissioners of the Treasury or Under Treasurer for the Time being or upon any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation or other Way or Device whatsoever whereby to direct or lodge the actual Payment thereof into the Receipt of Exchequer as aforesaid that then such Receiver General shall for every such Office of himself or his Deputy forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pounds to him or them that shall sue for the same in any Court of Record by Bill Plaint or Information whereas no Exceuse Protection or Wager of Law is to be allowed.

Penalty 500*l*.

And it is hereby further enacted That the Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury or Under Treasurer for the Time being or any of them do not direct any Warrant in any of the Collectors or Receivers General in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed or their Deputies for the Payment of any Part of the Money hereby given to any Person or Persons other than into the Receipt of the Exchequer as aforesaid nor shall they or any of them direct any Warrant to the Officers of the Exchequer for striking any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation nor do any other Matter or Thing whereby to direct the actual Payment of the said Money into the Receipt of Exchequer nor shall the Officers of the Exchequer strike or direct or cause the striking of any Talley of Pro or Talley of Anticipation upon any of the said Money upon any Account or Warrant whatsoever nor shall any Talley there down any Bill whereby to charge himself with any of the said Money until he shall actually have received the same.

LXXVIII  
Treasury not to direct any Warrant to Collectors or Receivers General, for Payment of Money, otherwise than to Exchequer accounts, &c.

Provided also and be it enacted That no Stay of Prosecution upon any Command Warrant Motion or Order in Execution by Non vult wheateh Process shall be had made admitted received or allowed by any Court whatsoever in any Suit or Proceeding by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information or otherwise for the Recovery of all or any the Fines Penalties or Forfeitures upon any Person by this Act inflicted or therein mentioned or for or in order to the Conviction or Disability of any Persons offending against this Act in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed.

LXXIX  
No Stay of Prosecution in Actions for Penalties, &c.

Provided always That if any Person or Persons who shall be charged or assessed by this Act so or with a Pound Rate upon his or their Manors Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other the Premises shall upon Complaint made to the Commissioners in such Manner and within such Times as are herein directed in Cases of Appeal make it appear to the said Commissioners or any Two or more of them by Talley upon Oath that such Assessment doth exceed the equal Pound Rate that ought to be charged on him or them in such Case upon every such Poole and due Examination thereof the Commissioners of the Hundred Laith Wapentake or other Division where such Overcharge doth happen in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed or any Three or more of them within Twenty Days after such Complaint made are hereby empowered to abate and lessen the said Assessment as much as the same shall exceed the equal Pound Rate that ought to be charged on him or them and shall cause the Money so abated to be so assessed surcharged and levied in such Manner as they or any Three or more of them in their Judgments and Discretions shall judge most equal just and reasonable within the whole Hundred Laith Wapentake or other Division where such Overcharge or Charge do happen although the Pound Rate of Four Shillings in the Pound be thereby exceeded or if any particular Part or Parts of the same or any Persons therein shall appear to them to be undercharged then the Money so abated shall and may be raised upon such Part or Persons so undercharged so that the whole Sum payable to Her Majesty for such Hundred Laith Wapentake or other Division shall be fully and duly answered and paid without being diminished by reason of any such particular Abatement. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

LXXX  
Commissioners to abate or Poole, where Lands are overcharged thereon or the Poole.

and Money charged thereon, if they shall judge most equal.

assessed or Persons undercharged.

The whole Sum to be fully answered.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Receiver General of each County or Division in England Wales and Berwick upon Tweed shall nominate constitute and appoint fit and proper Persons for whom he shall be accountable to be his Deputy or Deputies to receive from the said Subcollectors all and every the Rates Duties and Assessments by them respectively collected or received. And the same Receivers General are hereby required to nominate and appoint so many of such Deputies in their respective Counties that no Subcollector who is forced to travel above the Space of Ten Miles from the usual Place of his Abode for the Payment of the said Rates that shall be by him collected or received. And if any such Receiver General shall neglect or refuse to nominate and appoint such Deputies in Manner aforesaid or shall wilfully neglect to attend by himself or Deputy at the Time and Place by him appointed for his respective Receipts such Receiver General shall for every such Office forfeit the Sum of One hundred Pounds the one Moiety to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety to him or them that shall sue for the same by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster in which Action or Suit no Exceuse Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed.

LXXXI  
Receivers General accountable for Deputies, and to appoint so many of them, that Subcollector he was forced to travel above Ten Miles to pay Money collected.

Penalty 100*l*.

Provided nevertheless That in case there shall not be a sufficient Number of Commissioners for any City Borough Town Cinque Port or Place in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed (for which by this Act Commissioners are particularly appointed) capable of acting according to the Qualifications required by this Act for putting this Act in Execution that in every such Case any the Commissioners appointed for the Cinque

LXXXII  
When not Commissioners enough for City, &c. Commissioners for Cinque Port or Cinque County may act.

at large within which such City Borough Town Cinque Port or Place doth stand or which is next adjoining thereto may act as Commissioners in the Execution of this Act within such City Borough Town Cinque Port or Place.

**LXXXI.**  
Members of Par-  
liament to be  
served by Personal  
Encomendation where  
their Members (House  
or other Place of  
Abode usually sit

AND whereas several Members of Parliament by reason of their Attendance in Parliament have by the Assurances of London Westminster and Middlesex and the Suburbs of the same been taxed for their Personal Encomendation and to the Payment of (\*) Poll-Money and have been put to unreasonable Vexation and Charge Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Members of Parliament who at the Execution of this Act during this Session of Parliament shall reside within the said Cities of London and Westminster and the Suburbs of the same or within the County of Middlesex shall for or in respect of their ready Money or Debt or any other Tax which may be laid on their Persons or Personal Encomendations during this Session of Parliament be assessed only in the Places where such Members have their Mannor Houses or other Place where they most usually reside during the Interval of Parliament Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

**LXXXIV.**  
When First  
General Meetings  
are to be of Com-  
missioners for the  
several Ridings of  
the County of York

PROVIDED also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid (\*) the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the West Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Pontefract And the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the North Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Thirsk And the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the East Riding of the County of York shall be held at the Town of Beverly Any thing in this Act before mentioned or any former Customs to the contrary notwithstanding.

**LXXXV.**  
Qualifications for  
Persons being a  
Commissioner for  
any County, &c.  
(Exemption)

PROVIDED also and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or of any the Powers therein contained in or for any County or large within England the Dominion of Wales (the Counties of Angles Madoneth Cadigan Carnarthen Glamorgan Montgomery Pembroke Carmarthen and Monmouth excepted) or in or for any of the Ridings in the County of York unless such Person by himself or his Tenant or Trustees was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding for the Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more of his own Estate by virtue of the Act made and passed in England in the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's said Majesty's said Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven or unless such Person so appointed to be a Commissioner shall at the Time of the Execution of this Act be by himself or Tenant or Trustees liable to be taxed by virtue of this Act for an Estate in Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of the said Value of One hundred Pounds per Annum or more within the said County or Riding or which was taxed or did pay in the same County or Riding by virtue of the Act last mentioned.

Stat. 5 Ann. c. 2.

**LXXXVI.**  
Commissioner not  
disabled from acting  
as a Commissioner  
for any City, &c.  
by being an  
Inhabitant,  
Attorney,  
Receiver of Aids,  
&c. disabled

PROVIDED nevertheless and it is also hereby enacted That no Person who is appointed to be a Commissioner for executing this Act in any Part of England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed shall be disabled from acting as a Commissioner within and for any City Borough Cinque Port or Corporate Town only whereof he shall be an Inhabitant at the Time of the Execution of this Act nor from acting as a Commissioner within any of the Inns of Court or Inns of Chancery And that no Attorney or Solicitor or Person practicing as such or any Receiver General or Collector of any Aid granted to His Majesty shall be capable of acting as a Commissioner in the Execution of this present Act in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

**LXXXVII.**  
Person disabled  
acting as Com-  
missioner  
Proviso of 30

AND it is hereby further enacted That if any Person intended by this Act to be disabled for any the Causes aforesaid shall nevertheless presume to act as a Commissioner in the Execution of this Act or any the Powers therein contained every such Person for such Offence shall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds to any Person or Persons that will inform or sue for the same to be recovered in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record by Action of Debt or of the Case 20<sup>th</sup> Stat. or Information wherein no Enquiry Protection Wager of Law or more than one Imparance shall be allowed.

**LXXXVIII.**  
Assessment of  
Aid upon Duty and  
Waterworks at  
Taxes charged  
with Assessment  
by this Act, and  
assessed in the  
Assessment by the  
Proprietors.

AND be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the respective Persons who have received or collected or shall receive or collect the yearly (Profit\*) of the Aduage Duties and new Water Works respectively within the City and County of Taxon for the Time being shall be and are hereby charged and chargeable with the Payment of the Tax that shall be assessed on the said Profit respectively by this Act to be levied in such Manner as other Aids and Assessments in and by this Act are directed and the respective Persons so charged so aforesaid and paying the same shall be allowed the same on their respective Accounts by their respective Employers or Proprietors for the Time being Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

**LXXXIX.**  
Proviso for  
Assessment in  
Favor of County  
of Denmark.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act or any thing herein contained shall not charge or be construed to charge His Royal Highness Prince George Hereditary of Denmark or His Trustees with the above mentioned Duty or Payment of Four Shillings for every Twenty Shillings by the Year for or in respect of any Annuity or Assurances that are or shall be granted from the Crown to or as Trust for His said Royal Highness but that the said Annuities and His Royal Highness and His respective Trustees

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\* Profit O.

and Receivers General in respect of the same shall by virtue hereof be acquitted and discharged of fees and charges the said several Duties for every Twenty Shillings by the Year and all Payments whatsoever which might be charged by this Act for and in respect of the said Annuities as if this Act had never been made. Any charge herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided always That this Act or any of the several Clauses therein contained shall not extend to charge the pensions of any superannuated Comissioner or Warrent Sea Officers or the Pensions of Widows of Sea Officers due in the Service of the Crown or the Revenue of the most noble Order of the Garter or the Pensions of the Poor Knights of Windsor payable out of the Exchequer only but the same shall not extend to lessen the sum provided by this Act.

And whereas the Rents and Revenues belonging to the Residentiaries of the Cathedral Churches in England and Wales are chargeable to the Land Tax granted by this present Act and in some Cases the Overplus of the said Rents and Revenues above such Tax Requires and other Charges is to go in Shares for the Maintenance of the said Residentiaries which Shares are diminished by the said Land Tax it is hereby provided and enacted that in such Cases the said Residentiaries shall not by this Act or any the Clauses therein contained be further chargeable as enjoying Offices of Profit out of the said Rents and Revenues. Any charge herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided That this Act or any of the several Clauses therein contained shall not extend to charge a certain Pension of One hundred Pounds per Annum granted by the late King Charles the Second to the poor Clergy of the Isle of Man.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act (intended<sup>1</sup>) shall stand or be construed to extend to lay any Charge or Duty upon the Pension or Salaries of Her Majesties Maids of Honour Pages of Honour and Women of Her Majesties Bed-chamber commonly called Dowagers.

And whereas some Doubts may arise whether Mayors Bailiffs and other Chief Magistrates of Cities Boroughs Towns Corporates and Cinque Ports are specially appointed by virtue of this Act as Commissioners for executing this Act in the said Cities Boroughs Towns Corporates and Cinque Ports Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Mayors Bailiffs and other Chief Magistrates who are appointed Commissioners for executing this Act shall be and have Power to act as Commissioners for executing this Act within and for any City Borough Towns Corporates or Cinque Ports wherein they inhabit at the Time of executing this Act as well where Commissioners are specially appointed by this Act as where they are not.

Provided always That all Offices and Places which were rated and assessed within the Palace of Whitehall and St. James's in or for the Years One thousand seven hundred and three and One thousand seven hundred and four or either of them (except such as are exempted by this Act) shall be rated and assessed within the said Palace and in no other Place whatsoever.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That in case there hath been or shall be any Failure of raising and paying the several Sums of Money charged upon any County City Riding or Place by this or any other former Acts for granting an Aid to His late Majesty King William or His present Majesty by a Land Tax the Receiver General of such County City Riding Division or Place respectively of such Tax or Assessment or the Receiver General to be appointed in pursuance of this Act of the same County Riding Division City or Place shall confide under his Hand to the Baron of the Court of Exchequer the particular County Riding Division City or Place where such Failure of Payment hath happened together with the Names of the Commissioners appointed to act in such County Division City or Place which Commissioners and no other Persons as Commissioners appointed by the said Acts shall be liable to Process for such Neglect in raising and paying the same according to the Directions of the said Acts.

Provided always That the Commissioners appointed for the Execution of this Act or any Powers therein contained within the Bail and Close of Lincoln. Any thing in this Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided always That the Commissioners appointed for the County of Lincoln may act as Commissioners in Execution of this Act or any Powers therein contained within the Parish of St. Martin (Stamford<sup>2</sup>) Barea in the County of Nottingham as usually. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

And be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the respective Owners who have received or collected or shall receive or collect the yearly Profits of the Aulnage Dues and Water Works respectively within the Town of Colchester in the County of Essex for the Time being in case the said Dues of Aulnage were then charged to the Land Tax in the Year One thousand six hundred sixty three shall and are hereby charged and chargeable with the Payment of the Tax due shall be assessed on the Profits respectively by this Act to be levied in such Manner as other Aids and Assessments in and by this Act are directed and the respective

LXXX  
Power for superannuated Sea Officers and Widows, and for the Poor Knights of Windsor.

LXXXI  
Residentiaries of Cathedrals, for not chargeable as enjoying Offices of Profit.

LXXXII  
Pension for Pension to the poor Clergy of the Isle of Man.

LXXXIII  
Maids of Honour, or Pages, &c.

LXXXIV  
Mayors, Bailiffs, &c. Commissioners to act as Commissioners specially appointed by this Act.

LXXXV  
Offices, &c. in Whitehall and St. James's, except what are exempted, there or elsewhere.

LXXXVI  
Commissioners liable to Process, &c.

LXXXVII  
Commissioners, &c. to act in Lincoln Close.

LXXXVIII  
and in St. Martin's Church, &c.

LXXXIX  
Collection of the Aulnage Dues, &c. Water works, &c. at Colchester chargeable.

<sup>1</sup> Intended on the Roll.    <sup>2</sup> County of the City of Lincoln may act as Commissioners in G. & King's Priory Gey.    <sup>3</sup> Stamford D.



Persons so charged as aforesaid and paying the same shall be allowed, *de jure* on their respective Accounts by their respective Employers or Proprietors for the Time being Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XC.  
Waterworks of  
New Windsor, &c.  
chargeable.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Person or Persons as collect and receive the yearly Profits of the Water Works within the Borough of New Windsor in the County of Media shall be and are hereby charged and chargeable with the Payment of the Tax that shall be assessed on the said Profits to be levied in such Manner as other Aids and Assessments in and by the Act are directed and appointed.

XCI.  
Auditor in keep a  
Register, &c.

PROVIDED always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be provided and kept in Her Majesties Exchequer that is to say in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt One Book or Register in which all the Money that shall be paid into the Exchequer for the Pound Rate and Duties hereby granted shall be entered and registered apart and distinct from all other Monies paid and payable to Her Majesty.

XCI.  
Parish Officers in  
Bishopricks to pay  
where assessed in  
1699.

AND it is hereby declared That in all Places where any the Parson Officers of the several Bishopricks or any of them in England and Wales were assessed and did pay for their respective Offices or Employments of Profit relating to the said Bishopricks unto or for the Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound in the Year One thousand six hundred ninety three the same respective Officers and Employments of Profit under the present Bishopricks or relating to the same Bishopricks or any of them and the Parson Officers therein shall be assessed and chargeable in the same Parishes and Places respectively and none other towards the Sum to be raised by this Act in like Manner as the said Parson Officers.

XCI.

AND whereas diverse Officers or Employments of Profit chargeable by this Act are entrusted by Deputy and the principal Officers being in Places remote from the Division Parish or Place where such Officers or Employments are taxable the Rates and Assessments for such respective Offices and Employments cannot be recovered without great Charge and Difficulty be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That whereas any Office or Employment of Profit chargeable by this Act is or shall be executed by Deputy (\*) shall pay such Assessment as shall be charged thereon and deduct the same out of the Profits of such Office or Employment and in case of Refusal or Nonpayment thereof such Deputy shall be liable to such Damages as by this Act is prescribed against any Person having an enjoying any Office or Employment of Profit and to all other Remedies and Penalties therein respectively contained and that there shall be the like Remedy and Penalties for recovering the Monies assessed upon any such Office or Employment of Profit to the Land Tax for the Years One thousand seven hundred and six and One thousand seven hundred and seven not yet granted in all Cases where the Accounts of those Years or either of them are not otherwise closed in the Exchequer.

Deputies to pay  
for Principals,  
and as Non-  
payment, liable  
to Damages.

XCV.  
Receiver General  
to give a List of  
Money assessed  
by him, at the  
Time and Place  
appointed.

AND it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That at every Time and Place appointed by the Commissioners for the Collection to pay in the Monies by virtue of this Act to be paid to the Receiver General or his Deputy for any County Riding City Town or Place in England Wales or Berwick the said Receiver General or his Deputy shall under his Hand deliver a List and Certificate fairly written to such Person as the said Commissioners or any Three or more of them shall under their Hands authorize and appoint to assess that and there for that Purpose containing the several and respective Sums of Money then and there before that Time paid by the respective Collectors for each Town or Place in that Hundred or Division and in case that shall be any Refusal or Neglect in delivering such List and Certificate as aforesaid such Receiver General or his Deputy as refusing or neglecting shall forfeit any Sum of Money not exceeding Twenty Pounds to be imposed by any Three or more of the said Commissioners and to be ordered levied and assessed into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer in such Manner as is by this Act directed touching the Fees imposed on Assessors of Collectors as aforesaid.

Penalty.

XCV.  
Persons entrusted  
upon Collectors  
may keep as much  
Money as they see  
Convenient  
judges reasonable.

AND be it declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That where any Person or Persons who in pursuance of any former Act or Acts for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by a Land Tax have acted or detained as in pursuance of the Act shall seize or detain the Goods or Cattle of any Collector his Heirs Executors or Administrators for Non-payment of any Sums or Sums of Money which such Collector his Heirs Executors or Administrators was or shall be obliged to pay by virtue of this or any such former Act it shall and may be lawful so and for such Person and Persons making such Detention out of the Money among by the Sale of such Goods and Cattle such Sums and Sums of Money for which Detention was or shall be made being first thereto assessed and paid to keep in his or their Hands to and for his and their own Use so much Money as the Commissioners or any Two or more of them who ordered or shall order such Detention shall in their Discretion judge reasonable for making such Detention as also for the Charges in keeping thereof or otherwise relating thereto including the Overplus (if any be) to the Owners.

XCVI.  
Commissioners  
may charge the  
two Hundredth  
in the County of  
Monmouth, as in  
1699 and 1698.

PROVIDED always and be it hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners by this Act appointed for the County of Monmouth at their First General Meeting for executing the same [there] in case the Majesty then present think fit shall in charging the several Parishes upon the Sum several Hundreds of the said County which are to make up the whole Sum by this Act laid upon the whole County aforesaid charge

\* such Deputy &c. King's Printer Copy.

+ inserted in the Roll.

the said Rule as was observed by the Commissioners of the said County at their First General Meeting which were laid in the said County of Monmouth for laying the several Proposals on the same Hundreds for or towards the several Aids which were granted to be raised by a Land Tax in the Years One thousand six hundred ninety seven and One thousand six hundred ninety eight and that the Commissioners who in pursuance of this Act shall be appointed to act in or for the said respective Hundreds shall cause such Proposals which shall be so laid to be raised and levied in and for such Hundreds respectively so that the Sum by this Act charged on the said County of Monmouth may be completely raised Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That the Proposals at the First General Meeting of the Commissioners for the County of Middlesex shall (pursuant to this Act) be laid upon that Part [of the Parish] of Saint Andrews Holborn which is in the said County shall be equally raised therein without being subdivided into Two Proposals or making any Distinction between that Part above the Bars and that Part below the Bars and that in the Subdivision of Commissioners to act for the several Hundreds and Division in the said County a Number of Commissioners shall be appointed to act accordingly for all that Part of the said Parish of Saint Andrews which lieth in the said County.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Sum of Forty seven thousand nine hundred fifty four Pounds Sixteen Shillings Residue of the said Sum of Two millions forty three thousand eight hundred thirty six Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Five Pence Half pence by this Act granted shall be raised and levied in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland by an Eight Months Cess of Five thousand nine hundred ninety four [Pounds] Seven Shillings of lawful Money of Great Britain for every March the said Cess to be raised out of the Land Rent of Scotland according to the monthly Proportions within the respective Shires Seignories Cities and Burroughs herein after expressed that is to say

WITHIN the Sheriffdom of Edinburgh the monthly Sum of Two hundred sixty four Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence of lawful Money of Great Britain

Within the Sheriffdom of Haddington the monthly Sum of Two hundred thirty one Pounds Six Shillings and Four Pence Half pence of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Berwick the monthly Sum of Two hundred sixty three Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence Farthing of like Money

Within the Sheriffdom of Roxburgh the monthly Sum of Three hundred and six Pounds Ten Shillings and Six Pence Half pence of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Selkirk the monthly Sum of Seventy five Pounds Three Shillings and Ten Pence Half pence of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Peebles the monthly Sum of Eighty six Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Three Pence of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Lanark the monthly Sum of Two hundred and fifty seven Pounds Eight Pence Half pence of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Dundee the monthly Sum of Two hundred twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings and Ten Pence of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Wigton the monthly Sum of Eighty three Pounds Ten Shillings and Eight Pence of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Elginshire the monthly Sum of One hundred and thirty nine Pounds Four Shillings and Four Pence of like Money

Within the Sheriffdom of Aird the monthly Sum of Three hundred and twenty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Dunbar the monthly Sum of Sixty three Pounds Eleven Shillings and Two Pence of like Money

Within the Sheriffdom of Inver the monthly Sum of Twenty five Pounds Ten Shillings and Ten Pence Farthing of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Renfrew the monthly Sum of One hundred and twelve Pounds Ten Shillings and Three Pence of like Money

Within the Sheriffdom of Strirling the monthly Sum of One hundred forty five Pounds Seventeen Shillings of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Linlithgow the monthly Sum of Ninety seven Pounds Five Shillings and Three Pence of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Perth the monthly Sum of Four hundred and eighteen Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Four Pence of like Money

Within the Sheriffdom of Kincardin the monthly Sum of Eighty one Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Two Pence of like Money.

Within the Sheriffdom of Aberdeen the monthly Sum of Three hundred thirty nine Pounds Eight Shillings and One Penny Farthing of like Money

XCIII.  
Commissioners appointed to act and to receive the said Cess in the Parish of St. Andrews & Holborn.

XCIV.  
Of which the said Cess is to be paid in Scotland.

By an Eight Months Cess of 47,954 10 000 1/2 pence.

- Within the Sheriffdom of Inverness the monthly Sum of One hundred Pounds Seventeen Shillings of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Ross the monthly Sum of One hundred and fourteen Pounds Eleven Shillings and Two Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Sutherland the monthly Sum of Twenty three Pounds One Shilling and Ten Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Caithness the monthly Sum of Five Pounds Thirteen Shillings Five Pence Three Farthings of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Argyle the monthly Sum of One hundred and one Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Five Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Fife and Kinross the monthly Sum of Four hundred and thirty Pounds Three Pence of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Perth the monthly Sum of Two hundred seventy two Pounds Three Shillings and Nine Pence of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Dundee the monthly Sum of Ninety five Pounds Twelve Shillings and Seven Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Edinburgh the monthly Sum of Twenty seven Pounds Eighteen Shillings Eight Pence Three Farthings of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Glasgow the monthly Sum of Forty nine Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Five Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Eglis the monthly Sum of Eighty eight Pounds One Shilling and Three Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Orkney and Zeland the monthly Sum of Ninety Pounds Ten Shillings of the Money.
- Within the Sheriffdom of Caernarvon the monthly Sum of Twenty nine Pounds Five Shillings and Eleven Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the City of Edinburgh the monthly Sum of Three hundred and thirty two Pounds Eleven Shillings and Four Pence Three Farthings of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Perth the monthly Sum of Thirty eight Pounds Eight Shillings and Three Pence [of the Money']
- Within the Burgh of Dundee the monthly Sum of Sixty Pounds Seventeen Shillings [and Two Pence Farthing'] of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Aberdeen the monthly Sum of Sixty six Pounds Sixteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Brechin the monthly Sum of Seventeen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Two Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Litchgow the monthly Sum of Nineteen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Two Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the City of St. Andrews the monthly Sum of Fourteen Pounds Sixteen Shillings of the Money.
- Within the City of Glasgow the monthly Sum of One hundred and sixteen Pounds Fifteen Shillings and in Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Ayr the monthly Sum of Seventeen Pounds Five Shillings and Two Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Haddington the monthly Sum of Seventeen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Two Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Dysart the monthly Sum of Seven Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Kirkcaldy the monthly Sum of Twenty two Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Montrose the monthly Sum of Eighteen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and One Penny Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Cowper the monthly Sum of Nine Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Anstruther Easter the monthly [Sum of One Pound Nineteen Shillings and Ten Pence Three Farthings of the Money]
- Within the Burgh of Dunfermline the monthly [Sum of Sixteen Pounds Twelve Shillings and Six Pence Three Farthings of the Money]
- Within the Burgh of Inverness the monthly Sum of Seventeen Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Two Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Brest Island the monthly Sum of Nineteen Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Nine Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Inverkeithing the monthly Sum of Three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny of the Money.

- Within the Burgh of Kinghorn the monthly Sum of Four Pounds Nine Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Brechin the monthly Sum of Five Pounds Seven Shillings and Nine Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Inverly the monthly Sum of Eight Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Seven Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Jedburgh the monthly Sum of Eight Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Seven Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Kirkcubright the monthly Sum of Seven Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Wigton the monthly Sum of Six Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eight Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Pitsewason the monthly Sum of Six Pounds Thirteen Shillings and a Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Dumfries the monthly Sum of Seven Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Seven Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Annan the monthly Sum of Two Pounds Nine Shillings and Ten Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Selkirk the monthly Sum of Six Pounds Thirteen Shillings and a Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Dunbar the monthly Sum of Four Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Berwick the monthly Sum of Three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Dunblane the monthly Sum of Nine Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eight Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Lanark the monthly Sum of Five Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eight Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Aberdeen the monthly Sum of Four Pounds Nine Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Elgin the monthly Sum of Nine Pounds Nine Shillings and Six Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Perth the monthly Sum of Five Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eight Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Caith the monthly Sum of Eight Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Seven Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Tyne the monthly Sum of Three Pounds Nine Shillings and Nine Pence Three Farthings of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Caithness the monthly Sum of Three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Banff the monthly Sum of Three Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Nine Pence Half penny of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Whitehorn the monthly Sum of Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Forfar the monthly Sum of One Pound Nineteen Shillings and Ten Pence Three Farthings of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Rochdale the monthly Sum of Two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Ten Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Nairn the monthly Sum of One Pound Nine Shillings and Eleven Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Forres the monthly Sum of Two Pounds Nine Shillings and Ten Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Rathfriland the monthly Sum of One Pound Nine Shillings and Eleven Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of North Berwick the monthly Sum of Nine Shillings and Eleven Pence Three Farthings of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Cullen the monthly Sum of Nineteen Shillings Eleven Pence and One Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Leith the monthly Sum of Two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Ten Pence of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Kilmory the monthly Sum of Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Kilmory the monthly Sum of Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Arbroath the monthly Sum of Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Farthing of the Money.
- Within the Burgh of Leith the monthly Sum of Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence Farthing of the Money.



Seaside Hugh Wallace of Ingleton Fells of Rarbo M. William Fells of Woodhall Robert Watson of  
 Mucklow M. John Newton of Carbo Alexander Brand of Cankland M. James Oglethorpe of Langton The eldest  
 Page of Manselburgh The eldest Baille of Dalriach (Dr.) Patrick Crow of Hayghed M. David Forbes of Newhall  
 Advocate M. John Mackintosh of Mullion Advocate M. John Fairholme of Belton Advocate Henry Baskerville of  
 Glasgow Colonel Wiliart of Cliftonhall Archibald Brown of Carlisle M. James Smith of Whitehill  
 M. Adam Watt of Keshill M. David Nicolson of Drighem M. George Alexander of Pepperhills Jasper Johnston  
 of Warblith William Turnbull of Carle George Warrander of Bretonfield Thomas Inglis of Monmouth George  
 pingle of Haldre William Marston of Preston Grange John Trotter of Morton hall James Deane of Woodhouse  
 Andrew Bonnam of Collieston Edward Marjoribanks of Halyard M. John Mitchell of Alderman Robert Gray of  
 Glasgow Little of Leberton William Mann of Harwood The Baille of the Epiphany of Manselburgh  
 Robert Bury of Comeston Sir Patrick Home of Ranton John Dalrymple younger of Kiloch London  
 younger of Fountainhall The Present of Edinburgh for the Time John Clerk younger of Penny Cook John Inglis  
 of Achintore Walter Welch of Lockhart Sir James Stuart younger of Goodness M. William Johnston of Glasgow  
 Sir Robert Forbes of Achintore M. Patrick Falconer of Monkton John Strachan of Craig Crook M. Thomas Rigg  
 of Morton Advocate Sir William Shury of Stonehill Captain Francis Chaworth of Cranston Thomas Napierbanks  
 of that ilk Mark Cars of Cockpen Sir William Calderwood Advocate Lough of Drylie The Right Honourable James  
 Lord Johnston Son and Apparent Heir to the Marquess of Argyll Ronald Campbell of Balnain.

## For the Shire of Haddington

The Right Honourable Lord Yester Son and Heir Apparent to the Marquess of Tweeddale The Right  
 Honourable Lord David Hay The Right Honourable Lord Alexander Hay Sons to the late Marquess of Tweeddale  
 The Honourable John Hamilton Son and Heir Apparent to the Right Honourable the Lord Balhaven  
 The Honourable Sir Hugh Dalrymple of North Berwick The Honourable Sir David Dalrymple of Halks Sir James Hall  
 of Douglas Sir Ja. a Hephurn of Haddock Winton of Craghoun Winton of Strathgalloway  
 Winton of Strathgalloway younger Lodwick Carr of Dryburgh Carr of Thornton Alexander  
 Gordon of Woodhall Sir Robert Secker of Longformacus M. Andrew Oswald Portiner of Easthams  
 Pines of Ewford younger Sir Robert Lauder of Balcroath William Sandilands Portiner of Easthams  
 Stone of Gesselburgh Robert Johnston of Halks of Borehouse of Popkall of  
 Whitehall Sir Francis Kinloch of Giffenham William Hephurn of Bonneton Alexander Miller of Gosselburgh Richard  
 Miller of Parrythor Sir William Baird of Newbyth William Brown of Dalquary William Baille of Lenington Sir  
 John Clerk of Penrycock M. John Clerk younger of Penrycock M. James Dods Portiner of Naiton Robert  
 Hephurn of Beethford John Sisson of Burtis Sir Robert Secker of Stronach John Secker younger of Stronach  
 Patrick Cockburn of [Gleivings] David Forrest of Giffenham Douglas of [Gleivings] John Hay of Hays Sir  
 Robert Hay of Lamplugh Sir Richard Newton of Broom James Christie of Newhall Halyburton of  
 Egglestone Andrew Fletcher of Edin Sir John Hamilton of Penkethill Sir John Lauder  
 of Fensiehill John Lawler younger of Fensiehill Adam Cockburn of Gosselburgh John Cockburn younger of  
 Gosselburgh David Hephurn of Halks John Hephurn younger of Halks of Keith David Mellick of Halks  
 Joseph Douglas of Edinburg Sir John Fawcett Sir Peter Halks of Pelvies Adam Durham of  
 Laiton William Nibet of Dirlton Congleton of Congleton Salusell of Collieston Sir George  
 Seale of Balgon Broom of Craghoun Sir John Ramsay of Fensie Sir William Paveson of Gosselburgh John  
 Paterson younger of Gosselburgh Hamilton of Gosselburgh George Oswald of Preston William Madison of  
 Preston George Laiton of Beldies Blackwood of Laiton Jackson of Lochness John Deall  
 of Undergong Robert Laiton Baille of Duntar M. John Baird younger of Newbyth Colonel Walter Sharp of Halks  
 Scotland younger Portiner of Easthams Hephurn of Stronach Anderson of Wintonburgh  
 George Logan of Burt Castle Sir Seipie Hill of Wintonburgh

## For the Shire of Berwick

The Right Honourable Lord Yester Son and Heir Apparent to the Marquess of Tweeddale Lord William  
 Hay of Carbo Lord Mellick Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Leintward Patrick Lord Pulwarth  
 Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Manselburgh The Honourable Sir Hugh Dalrymple of North Berwick Sir  
 David Dalrymple M. William Hay of Dremelton Sir Andrew Hume Son to the Earl of Marchmont Ross  
 Son and Heir Apparent to the Right Honourable the Lord Ross House of Cossing Sir Robert Secker  
 of Longformacus Sir John Seaton of Swinton Sir Patrick Home of Ranton Sir James Hall of Douglas Sir James  
 Dods of Newton Sir John Pringle of Strath Sir Robert Home of Ranton Sir William Paveson of Fensiehill Sir  
 Gilbert Elliot of Minto Sir John Stuart of Allibank Sir Patrick Scott of Stronach Sir George Nicholson of Kossay  
 Sir George Hume of Kato George Hume of Weddelman younger John Kar of Carrer Robert Kar of Carrer  
 younger Ranton of Laiton George Baille of Newwood George Lockhart of Carrer Robert Johnston  
 of Halks George Hume of Kanton Colonel Charles Seaton of Merington M. John Spotswood of Spotswood  
 Edgar of Weddelman Broom of [Thornhill] Beldies of Tait Mark Kar of Broomwood  
 George Warrander of Almonth House of Laiton Trotter of Monmouth George Hume of Whitehill

M. G.

Craghoun G.

Gossel G.

Thornhill G.

Pringle of Tuncore	Edmondson of Edin	Ker of Linlithgow	Ker of
Lindisay younger	Pringle of Greenknow	M <sup>r</sup> . James Doss	of Coltingknow
Coltingknow	Dickson of Belshaw	Ker of Blackburn	William Cockburn of Colton
Trester of Kirkcaldy	Haldenstone of New Mayne	Archibald of Strickfield	Water House of Dundee
Egrie of Newcast	Crow of Hugh-John	Anthony Haly	of Humeville
of [Humeville]	younger Patrick Home of Bawling	Home of Bell	Myrthbanks of Dodely
Douglas of Edington	Alexander Home of Sharnhouse	Swinton of Loughan	Logan of Buncle
Home of Farnside	Coplen Alexander Cockburn in Doss	M <sup>r</sup> . John Home younger	of Rerton M <sup>r</sup> . William
Schaw of Haysle	Hog of Haysle	David Dendochre	of Cranston.

## For the Shire of Roxburgh

Mr. John Pringle of Strickfield Barrow Andrew Doss of Strickfield Andrew Edmondson of Edin Sir James Doss of Newcast Robert Alexander Doss of Newcast Sir William Bennett of Grabbitt Robert William Bennett of Grabbitt Robert Pringle of Colton William Scott of Thilstone Patrick Murray of Chertreave Thomas May of Oronshaw Henry Kerr of Finglen Sir William Kerr of Greenhead Robert Andrew Kerr of Greenhead Andrew Kerr of Linlithgow

Kerr of Linlithgow Sir Alexander Doss of Roxburgh Robert Scott of Roxburgh Thomas Scott of Roxburgh Thomas Chas. of Roxburgh John Kerr of Chas. Sir John Scott of Ayrton Robert Sir Patrick Scott of Ayrton John Scott of Strickfield William Douglas of Roxburgh William Kerr of Newcast Thomas Roxburgh of Knewston John Douglas of Thilstone John Kerr of Cavers

Kerr of Cavers Sir Gilbert Elliot of Nisna Robert One of the Seniors of the College of James M<sup>r</sup>. John Murray of Bouth One of the Seniors of the College of Justice Archibald Douglas of Cavers Hamish Sheriff of the mid shire Sir Gilbert Elliot of Bouth Sir John Scott of Greenberrie Gibson Scott of Walsburgh John Scott of Well Walker Scott of Well Thos. Roxburgh of Roxburgh Sir John Roxburgh of Roxburgh Robert Elliot of Midlothian William Kerr of Abbotville Thomas Scott of Whithead Walter Scott of Toddy Thomas Scott of Toddy Oliver Elliot of Northampton Robert Roxburgh of Farnside Andrew Mathew of Greenhill Walter Scott of Alton George Bayle of Jedburgh Archibald Bennett of Chertreave George Douglas of Farnshaw William Elliot of Salsburgh William Elliot of Wals James Scott of Schellwood John Doss of Ayrton M<sup>r</sup>. John Chisholm of Salsburgh Francis Scott of Newcast William Scott of Borthwick William Turnbull of Telfs Adam Scott of Borthwick Thomas Turnbull of Know Sir Walter Riddell of the Rk Francis Scott of Alton

Roxburgh of Finglen Doctor William Simpson of Shaplow William Amie of Blackhill John Simpson of Shaplow Doctor William Roxburgh of Borthwick Robert Scott of Herndon Robert Langlands of the Rk Robert Gladstone of the Rk William Elliot of Borthwick John Scott of Hurdhill Francis Armstrong of Whitburgh William Elliot of Borthwick Adam Elliot of Harwood William Elliot of Borthwick

## For the Shire of Selkirk

The Honorable M<sup>r</sup>. William Hay of Drumbrack Sir James Murray of Philipburgh One of the Seniors of the College of Justice Sir Francis Scott of Thilstone Sir Gilbert Elliot of M<sup>r</sup>. One of the Seniors of the College of Justice Sir James Scott of Gills Sir John Murray of Borthwick One of the Seniors of the College of Justice M<sup>r</sup>. John Pringle of Haying Thomas Scott of Whithead James Pringle of Townsley Robert Roxburgh of Borthwick James Murray of Borthwick William Fincher of Whithead John Balfour of Broadhead John Scott of [?]

Coltonburgh Robert Roxburgh of Farnside M<sup>r</sup>. William Scott younger of Thilstone Francis Scott of Haykiss M<sup>r</sup>. Gibson Roxburgh of Rink Michael Jackson of Tashlaw John Hay of Hayton Alexander Harbrough of the Rk William Chisholm of Broadie William Ogilvie of Harwood James Cunningham of Borthwick William Elliot of Borthwick William Carrer of Harwood George Carrer of Harwood Robert Scott of [?]

[Hurdhill] Walter Scott younger of Well Bayle of Thilstone M<sup>r</sup>. William Chisholm of Salsburgh Sir the Lords of Philip Andrew Warch of Shaw.

## For the Shire of Perth

M<sup>r</sup>. William Hay of Drumbrack Sir Alexander Murray of Blackbarrow Sir David Murray of Borthwick William Morison of Perthburgh Sir James Nisbald of Dunsick John Hay of Hayton Sir John Clark of Penryn John Doss of Borthwick John Doss of Whithead George Hunter of Polmont Patrick Perren of Halkirk Richard Murray of Spitham John Murray of Cringliss Robert Graham elder of Elphinstone Doss Penryn of Rosneath Alexander Harbrough of Harbrough

Fletcher of Blyth

Williamson of Carleton The Provost of Perth for the Time Alexander Balfour of Calton Alexander Mossie of Chapelhill Alexander Veitch of Glen William Hunter of Burn William Douglas younger of Gardfild James Geddes of Kirkcaldy James Breen of Scotton Walter Murray of Halden M<sup>r</sup>. William Russell of Knapton Thomas Tordie of Orlie Robert Tordie of Kirkcaldy William Perren of Glenkirk William Doss of Kirkcaldy William Graham younger of Spitham William Little of Saurton Adam Little of [?]

William David Scott of [Hurdhill] James Chisholm younger of Harbrough James Williamson of Borthwick James Cranston of Glen.

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\* Hurdhill O.

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\* Harbrough

## For the Shire of Linck.

the Right Honourable Lord Charles Kerr Son to the late Marquess of Lothian John Lord Balgail Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Aberdeen James Lord Carmichael Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Hyndford The Honourable Mr. David Carmichael of Merchiston William Balgail of Lasington James Lockhart of Lee George Lockhart of Curroath Sir William Lockhart of Canons John Balgail of Walscot Sir William Dalziel of Merchiston Alexander Menzies of Cuthbertson John Gower of Gowerston Allen Lockhart of Winton and Clegburn George Balgail of Jarrold Sir William Menzies of Gladstone Alexander Barran of Nibston Andrew Brown of Dalington John Somervell of Spilth James Muirhead of Porchester Walter Lockhart of Kirkton      Weir of Dunrobin Robert Kennell of Auchterferry Samuel Douglas of Halcro Sir Andrew Kennell of Cuthbert Sir George Weir of Blackwood Andrew Hay of Craigston John Hamilton of Uddum Sheriff (Depute) William Lockhart of Wickintown William Lockhart of Birkhill Claud Macniven of Glasgow Thomas Inglis of East-shield Thomas Carmichael of Eastend William Brown of Lindsay Lauch John Dixon of Herrie William Somervell of Corbousie The Duke of Douglas's Balgail during Minority One of the Magistrates of Linck The Provost of Glasgow for the Year The Laird of Torrance Sir William Fleming of Fernie James Hamilton of Aikethead Sir William Stuart of Gasterick Sir David Stuart of Culteris William Hamilton of Woburn John Sinclair of Bernevan younger Archibald Hamilton of Rosneath Sir John Schew of Greenock Thomas Inglis of Moriston      Hamilton of Dalziel The Laird of Craghla The Laird of Cleland The Laird Bradsholme The Laird of Garskirk John Crawford of Melrose The Laird of Aldine The Laird of Raybould John Stark of Aucheyre The Laird of Towness John Walmesley of Berrowfield Thomas Crawford of Jordanhill The Laird of Bellay      Fleming of Fern M. Archibald Hamilton of Dolerick The Laird of Bays James Anderson of Stobcross The Laird of Monkland The Laird of Larnock Mr. Hugh Cadogan of Hargray William Cleland of Herrieham William Balgail of Glenrobin John Waddup of Dalmenoch John Wardrop of Westburn James Hamilton of Green James Hamilton of Hazarvies Robert Cunningham of Glenfield Geris Hamilton of Hill The Laird of Westburn William Hamilton of Orkness James Hamilton younger of Orkness M. John Brien of Brownhill M. Thomas Affens of Ross and Brinsford The Sheriff Depute for the Time One of the Bailies of Hamilton      Hamilton of Rosneath younger William Hamilton of Overman James Russell of Garrow William Colles of Scarth William Weir of Sandale John Balgail of Woodside James Muir of [Cuthbertson] George Hamilton of Berrowfield The Laird of Cuthbert younger James Young of Nibbeshield James Cadogan of Prestigill Andrew Hamilton of Pothland James Hamilton of Newton Archibald Hamilton of Canook Brother to Westburn John Graham of Douglas Doctor      Wright of Parkin William Smith of Brownwood William Somervell of Kennedy James Lindsay of Merchiston John Lermont of Merchiston William Hamilton of Greenfield Brother to Dalziel William Hamilton of Nibet younger      Hamilton of Aikethead younger The Laird of Walscot younger Walter Hamilton of Sherwoodhall James Somervell of Glenheve The Laird of Altharva John Gibson of Winton The Laird of Shildhill John Weir of Newon Calk Campbell of Woodside      Hinchman of Torriburn The Laird of Kerr James Hamilton of Pothland Capens Given Hamilton of Raybould Robert Balgail of Cambree Michael Lockie of Greenock James Cadogan of Kennerie John Maxwell of William Wood John Inglis of Longhorne John Farbus of Pothland Andrew Hay of Craigston younger Thomas Crawford of Birkhill Sir William Gordon of Helong The Laird of Kirkcubbin elder The Laird of Kirkcubbin younger Colin Bell of Hamilton's Farm James Maxwell of Brownhill M. John Brown younger of Brownhill William Wilson of Clough The Dean of Gild and Deacon (?) Convener of Glasgow for the Time John Nemo of Earforth William Brown younger of Calk Main John Hinchman of Halcro George Muirhead younger of Perislands Robert Somervell of Woodlands William Giding of Woodside Sir James Carmichael of Bernevan James Hamilton of Galkersburgh Andrew Brown of Dalington younger William Balgail of Lirkigill David Crawford of Knockinnock younger John Brown of Manacle Alexander Clerk of Gledarth David Campbell of Shandfield.

## For the Shire of Merchiston and Dunblane

The Right Honourable James Lord Johnston Son and Heir to the Marquess of Annandale Sir John Jordan of Applethrift Sir William Douglas of Colheid Sir Thomas Edpatrick Sir Patrick Maxwell of Spinkhill Sir Robert Gordon of Lagg Sir Walter Lowrey of Maxwain Sir (?) Johnston of Westerhill Barnum William Douglas of Dalziel George Caruthers of Helmside Alexander Ferguson of Cragscragh William Johnston of Corboid Robert Johnston of Waulshaw William Gordon of Lagg junior James Douglas of Dorrick junior George Maxwell of Garskell George Maxwell [of?] Dalmenoch M. John Caruthers of Durbie John Sharp of Hadden Alexander Hayman of Be Andrew Johnston of Newton William Johnston of Garrow Colonel Johnston of Garrowhead William Alvin Sheriff (Depute) John Caruthers of Durbie James Caruthers of Robert Hill John Caruthers of Bannockburn John Scott of Kershaw William Elton of Aikethead M. John Melva Wilson Capeland of Collinton Archibald Douglas of England John Bell of Cowgillshaw William Bell of Southbridge George Bell of Birkton Bruce Francis Caruthers of Breen John Caruthers of Walscot James Kerrison of Calhaid George Wilson of Douglas George Wilson of Spynie James Kirke of Begrie James Menzies of Aiket John Gordon of [Glasgow?] Walter Riddle of Gledriddle John Maxwell of Merchiston Lieutenant Colonel Thomas Dand of Birkford William Caruthers of Birkmide Robert Harris of Duncroft M. John Cunningham of Birkshaw Gilbert Cowper of Cowgill John Dalrymple of Walscot William Urvin of Angleshield William Urvin of Bannockburn James Wain of Carrick The Provost of Dunfermline for the Time Robert Maxwell of Portrack William Johnston of

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\* Currier G.

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\* John G. &amp; King's Printer Gey.

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+ Cuthbert G.



Bretholme Master William Johnston of Sharn John Johnston of Pandyhill William White of Polden Francis Maxwell of Tinnell John Croyton of Cressenden Master William Graham of Howknow James Graham of Sharn John Gibson of Glencairn William Douglas of England James David Long of Warrackie Robert Carruthers of Rannesswales William Humes of Craig.

For the Shire of Wigton

The Honourable William Stuart Esquire The Honourable John Stuart Esquire Sir James Agnew of Lochnew Baronet Sir Charles Hay of Park Baronet Sir William Maxwell of Monreth Baronet Sir James Dalrymple of Mochnum Baronet Alexander Mackdowall (\*) of Legat elder John Mackdowall of Legat younger Patrick Mackdowall of French Master Alexander Adair of Drummers John Blair of Dundee elder John Blair of Dundee younger Andrew Agnew of Shewston Robert Cathcart of Gannoch James Dalrymple of Dunsage Alexander Maxwell of Menrich younger James Mackdowall of Gilgop William Stuart of Carle Stuart younger James Gordon of Craiglass younger David Gordon of Berrisdale Thomas Stuart of Fumloch William Gordon of Goringe George Mackdowall of Furies William Coulter of Dunsavall Andrew Agnew of Lochryan Alexander Agnew of Malmeon Patrick Vass of Bannharragh Alexander Murray of Broughton William Agnew of Wg George Stuart of Tangle William Houston of Calveoch younger John Stuart of Phingill elder David Stuart of Phingill younger George Milnes of Cawley John Adair of Gernoch Alexander Mackie of Polgown Andrew Agnew of Whitbells James Dalrymple of Dunsaget younger John Nelson of Craig Caffie John Harroch Provost of Whitbells M<sup>r</sup>. Andrew Rose of Barwick John Mackie of Berris Andrew Agnew of Lochnew Thomas Hay younger of Park Patrick Mackdowall of Calgait George Dunbar younger of Mochnum Robert Agnew younger of Shachan Patrick Mackdowall younger of Carlan Hugh Campbell of Arns John Kilpatrick of Beldum Alexander Stuart younger of Tangle John Munro of Arns.

For the Shewrty of Kirkcubright

Master John Gordon of Grombow Sir Robert Gremson of Lagg Sir George Maxwell of Ochertown Patrick Mackdowall of Connelton Patrick Dunbar of Mackrimore Patrick Heron of Heron Alexander Mackie of Polgown Andrew Humes of Bargaly William Mac of Cumcuney Robert Brown of Carleth Samuel Hanna of Kirkdale John Mackdowall of Barholm Samuel Mackdowall of Glen Alexander Murray of Broughton William Maxwell of Cardross David Mackdowall of Airdrie William Meggill of Russ James Gordon of Laysman John Cowen of Balesburgh Nathaniel Gordon of Carleton Alexander Brown of Knapthorn John Gordon of Kirkconnell Alexander Gordon of Easthouse Robert Gordon of Garvey William Kennedy of Knockloch Adam Newell of Bannoch William Gordon of Holm William Gordon of Skirmers John Nelson of Cornech William Crick of Duchra Samuel Brown of Mullian Raper Gordon of Troghnan James Gordon younger of Troghnan Charles Mackdowall of Colles Robert Mackdowall of Barly The Provost of Kirkcubright James Gordon of Campbellton William Herrie of Muile Robert Maxwell of Hestfield William Lindsay of Malas Robert Maxwell younger of Hills John Stur of Hoddan Adam Crick of Arbigland Robert Johnston of Kelton William Campbell of Colburn James Mackdowall [of] Warrhead William Young of Auchincloch Edward Gaskie of Craigiey William Gremson of Berrisna William Stewart of Shumbelly Doctor Murray Provost of Cairns John Brown of Nethand Maig Lindsay of Waboy younger Charles Murray of Berrisna Master Andrew Ewart of Mallock of Kelk William Lawrie of Bannoch Alexander Stewart younger of Tangle Master John Brown Factor to the Estate of Beldum M<sup>r</sup>. John Stewart of Stewartfield.

For the Shire of Air

The Right Honourable Lord Boyle Son to the Right Honourable David Earl of Glasgow The Honourable Francis Montgomerie of Giffis Esquire The Honourable William Dalrymple of Glencairn Esquire The Honourable Allan Cathart Son to the Lord Cathart Charles Cathart Son to the Lord Allan Cathart The Honourable Sir Alexander Campbell of Connock Baronet Sir James Dalrymple of Killich Baronet Sir Robert Montgomerie of Glesnoeth Baronet John Brodie of Bishops James Montgomerie of Ouseburn Archibald Ballantyne of Kelle Patrick Hunter of Hazzonmore Robert Boyd of Peterross Major Hugh Bontin of Kilbride William Bontin of Menfold John Fife of Caldwell Maier Adam Cunningham of Mackdowall John Park of Daln William Cunningham of Auchincloche Thomas Mackdowall of Sathmore Francis Bellie Gent. Blair of Blair Thomas Boyd of Finner Richard Cunningham of Bellfield William Blair of Giffordland John Kerr of Kerland John Hamilton of Leithland Master John Montgomerie Son to Master Francis Montgomerie of Giffis Gavin Ralston of that ilk. Member of Rightwoud Francis Deslip of Dunlop. Heriot of Bruney Sir John Shaw of Gessnock Baronet. Fellow of Crawford Major James Cunningham of Airth James Montgomerie of Langshaw Sir David Cunningham of Marnoch Baronet. Colonel of Leoch Alexander Portfield of that ilk Sir William Cunningham of Cunninghamhead Baronet Sir Robert Barclay of Passmore elder Baronet Robert Barclay of Passmore younger Adam Fellsman of Barrowholm Master Zacharias Gernall of Bopyle Master Alexander Crawford of Fergoshall Hugh Montgomerie of Broomlands Charles Dalrymple of Langlands Hugh Montgomerie of Bunkie John Crawford of Crawfordland Alexander Montgomerie of Aldous John Cunningham of Caldwell Thompson of Seven Aikens Master John Campbell of Shunkroon. Ballantyne of Craigdale Master William Logan of Legat Hugh Douglas of

Gabriel John Campbell of Hensleigh James Biddock of Melrose Hugh Montgomery of Rosland David Borewell of Auchinleck elder Master James Borewell of Auchinleck younger John Cochran of Waverley David Borewell of Cockburn John Beg of Dornald Sir John Cockburn of Ochilvie elder James Master William Cockburn of Ochilvie younger (\*) John Chalmers of Bencross Alexander Cunningham of Polquhain John Miles of Glesly William Johnston of Craighill John Blair of Adamton elder John Blair of Adamton younger William Bellis of Melrose Patersons of that ilk John Alexander of Blackhouse Wallace of Shewkton (?) Fairly of that ilk Hugh Montgomery of Colfield John Cunningham of Eskerike Sir Thomas Wallace of Grange Baronet Wallace of Cuthbert George Ross of Galloway Robert Nisbet of Galloway John Reid of Balaclava Major Campbell of Netherplace Adam Aird of Cairn James Farquhar of Galloway Campbell of Achmunn Mitchell of Dalgin John Mitchell of Dalgin William Cunningham of Broadhill elder Sir William Gordon of Utter Burnett William Cunningham of Broadhill younger George Campbell of Netherwood James Maie of Park Crawford of Kerr John Chalmers of Galloway William Kelsoe of Dalkeith James Campbell of Tosthink Andrew Brown of Knockmarkock James Galloway of Galloway Robert Colclough of Drummond Hugh Kennedy of Bencross Feigus Mackintosh of Knockadam Robert Forbes of Kildonan James Crawford of Ardullin Robert Boyd of Trochrig Alexander Boyd of Pitkell Sir Hugh Cuthbert of Carleton Baronet Sir Thomas Kennedy of Kirkhill Baronet Kennedy of Kirkhill younger Alexander Kennedy of Drummond Sir John Farquhar of Kilmarra Baronet David Kennedy of Kirkcubbin Boyd Wharford of Dundaff Sir Adam Wharford of Bilsington Baronet George Mackintosh of Dalvenna Master George Hinchinson of Mawood Hugh Maie of Auchinleck Montgomery of Brynd elder Montgomery of Brynd younger James Crawford of Newark Allan Chalmers of Sauchie Sir Archibald Kennedy of Culross Baronet John Mackintosh of Gish Alexander Kennedy of Kilmorie William Kennedy of Dalparock John Kennedy of Culross younger Shew of Greenock Alexander Crawford of Carr John Crawford of Crawfordland James Crawford of Newark John Crawford of Kerr Andrew Crawford of Crawfordland Hugh Crawford of Drummond Master Alexander Crawford of Fergallie Patrick Crawford of Kilguy John Crawford of Oldenair Brown of Knockmarkock Robert Maie of Hutton John Cunningham of Eskerike.

## For the Shire of Dunbarton

The Honourable John Campbell Esquire Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Lass Barron Grant of Plascadden Sir John Campbell of Carrick Robert Campbell of Carrick younger Archibald Campbell of Rathan David Campbell of Scherfield Archibald Mac Anlay of Ardincaple-Aulay Mac Anlay of Ardincaple younger Dominicus of Culgarn elder and younger Mac Farlan of Garscadden Thomas Winthall of Kippoch Buchanan of Drumhead George Naper of Kilmahie Robert Buntine of Ardick elder and younger Barone of Galloway Zelf of Dirlith Colquhoun of Tolerden Sir James Smolles of Roskill James Smolles of Roskill younger William Cochran of Kilmarnock John Hadden of Glasgow Mungo Hadden of Glasgow younger Robert Grahame of Galloway Buchanan of Drumhill John Colquhoun of Garscadden John Buchanan of Spilzie younger Claude Hamilton of Burne James Hamilton of Haversham John Sprell of Midston Colquhoun of Garscadden Walter Buchanan of Auchincrobb Noble of Forre elder and younger James Douglas of Minto William Boyd of Woodhills William Campbell of Strath Walter Grahame of [Kilmahie] John Hamilton of Balloch Sir John Houston of that ilk elder and younger Sir John Shaw of Greenock Shew of Law M. Henry Marshall of Nethercree William Shack of Dillier Thomas Calder of Shinary Robert Buntine of Midston Humphrey Noble of Kippacloche Robert Hamilton of Burne younger William Buchanan of Ardick James Buchanan of Middle Wake Campbell of Bannock Donald Campbell of Clochan

## For the Shire of Bute

The Lord Mearnsward eldest Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Bute John Campbell of Danson [Mr.] Robert Stuart of Tiberkrie One of the Gentlemen of the College of Justice Hector Bannatyne of Kaim [Mr.] Douglas Stuart of Bishall [Mr.] William Stuart of Auchincroche John Stuart of Edinbuck [Mr.] John Stuart Aong Walter Stuart of Merchouch John Campbell of Auchinville John Mackenzie of Kilmorie Robert Macrae of Kilmorie James Boyd of Balmora The Provost of Robusay John Glas of Malnac Donald Mackenzie of Auchinry Robert Bannatyne of Lobs Archibald Mackenzie of Garschie James Stuart of Kilmarnock.

## For the Shire of Roxburgh

The Honourable George Ross and Apparent Heir to the Right Honourable the Lord Ross Archibald Dalrymple of Kelso Sir Archibald Stewart of Blackhall Baronet John Brown younger of Blackhall Sir William Brown of Cuthbert Baronet Sir John Shaw of Greenock Baronet Alexander Porterfield of Porterfield Thomas Crawford of Crawfordburn [Mr.] William Cochran of Kilmarnock Cunningham of Carracross John Nelson of Bilsington younger John Maxwell of Dunsig George Maxwell of Southbar James Mackintosh of Southbar John Grahame of Downglenn Sir John Houston of Howtown Bar elder and younger Patrick Fleming of Burroche Alexander Porterfield of Falswood William Cunningham of Craighead George Houston of Kilmorie Robert Scrymgeour of Balfour younger Alexander Napier of Blackhouse Alexander Hamilton of Bar Younger William Maie of Bar Lockwood Houston younger of Kilmorie William Cochran of Fergallie Alexander

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\* Kilmarnock G.

\* Master G.

Cochran of Craigrois One of the Bailies of Paisley James Dunlop of Howhill Hew Crawford of Woodside Robert Alexander of Newton Laurence Crawford of Jordan Hill William Walkingshaw of Scotland Robert Hall of Fulber Coline Campbell of Blythwood John Walkingshaw younger of Walkingshaw Sir John Maxwell of Nether Pollock Barrow One of the Senators of the College of Justice Robert Sanderson of Airdriehead Barrow of Airdriehead younger Maxwell of Walkingshaw [M.] John Montgomerie of Wrie Sir Robert Pollock of Pollock Baronet Allan Pollock of Arthurs Thomas Pollock of Bellgray Doctor George Oswald of Finglona John Faily of Caldwell William Cochran younger of Ochiltra William Muir of Glenderton William Muir of Duncormock Sir Robert Montgomerie of Sickenbury Baronet John Wallace of Nethermyde William Hamilton of Orkison elder Robert Semple of Bellgrove John Wallace of Elderslie Hugh Montgomerie of Beebie John Walkingshaw of Walkingshaw French Dunlop of Dunlop Robert Pollock of Bonydo

## For the Shire of Stirling

Stirling of Kils John Murray of Touchan Murray of Touchan younger Archibald Semon of Touch James Campbell of Ardclinton younger Setlings of Garden elder and younger Livingstone of Greenyards Naire of Greenyards Ephemous of Airth Bruce of Pooleville Laird of Orchipardhill Laird of Westerton Laird of Abbeisheil Robert Elphinstoun of Quarrel Bruce of Kinnaird Sir William Bruce of Strathmore Sir Alexander Hope of Kinnaird John Bony of Strathmore Laird of Mithell Laird of Langport Laird of Maxwell Foch Laird of Parkhill Laird of Delgubrin Laird of Balmferry Livingstone of Barmukie James Bony of Clerkston Patrick Balmferry of Parkland Fourth of Garrell John Glen of Sauchie Sir William Stirling of Glenart Bar Stirling of Craigmarie Sir Hugh Paterson of Botschellars William Bruce of Scotch Mack Furlin of Kirkcriston Hushoom of Barlowe elder and younger John Graham of Douglas Buchanan of Dalnashilly John Graham of Kilmarie John Graham of Kilmarie younger Buchanans of Craigmarie elder and younger John Cunningham of Balfordoch Archibald Buzin of Balfour James Galloway of Balgair Buchanan of Greenman [M.] Patrick Bell of Anstruther William Lenox of Woodhead Crigg of Dalmar elder and younger George of Bophsquell elder and younger Buchanan of Spic elder and younger Goshams of Dushay elder and younger Buchanan of Anstruther Stirling of Hatherhills John Holden of Glenrois elder Mungo Holden of Glenrois younger Sir John [Erskine] Alva James Graham of Barlowe [M.] Alexander Leslie of Duxer Edmonson of Broch elder and younger William Cunningham of Bophsay elder Henry Cunningham of Bophsay younger George Muir of Leslie Callender of Craigforth elder and younger Goshams of Mackintosh elder and younger Row of Inverden [M.] Robert Murray of Wreton Leveleish George Muir of Achintony [M.] Charles Bony of Leveleish Robert Rolfe of Poolestone Sir Thomas Nickless of Kenry Sir John Shaw of Greenock Sir James Dunbar of Mocharum John Ross of Nock Robert Farner of Fiedren Sir Henry Rolfe of Woodside Sir Humphrey Colquhoun of Luss John Erskine of Balgonie Wright of Garrie Laird of Radcliffe One of the Magistrates of Stirling Lieutenant Colonel John Erskine James Wren of Common John Kilmale of the Bk James Kirkcaldy [M.] Aachardach John Napier of Colerich John Dick of Kirkcaldy John Dux of Spale [M.] Francis Napier of Craigmarie John Worley of [Tutorch] John Worley of Curiburton Alexander Stirling of Kikill Charles Craigmarie of Kuykine Buchanan of Curiboth.

## For the Shire of Linlithgow

The Right Honourable James Lord Johnston Son and Heir Apparent to the Marquess of Annandale Sir Thomas Dalry of Bine Dundas of Dundas Dundas of Dundas Dundas of Mazar Sharp of Harrow Harrow of Dochman [M.] John Montgomerie of Wrie Sir Thomas Nicolson of Balmie Sir Robert Stodd of Kopp Dickson of Easthilling [M.] Robert Brown of Woodhaling Menesth of Alkathie Harrow of Grange Cottrell of Bonhard Cochran of Balmie Livingstone of Bedlam Laird of Polmar elder Laird of Polmar younger Baile of Paterson Cottrell of Paterson Sir John Houston of Houston elder and younger Baron Hamilton of Banger John Hamilton of Penpether Cambie of Kilgair Laird of Longcroft Croford of Locher Harrow of Betheron Menesth of Cambie Sams Chir of Carlisle John Dundas of Polpenn Laird of Dully Laird of Cragston Laird of Keston Laird of Blackrag Laird of Wreppon Laird of Stronon Laird of Conon Dundas of Balmie Laird of Leuchel Durburn of Durburn Laird of Waltham Laird of Balmie John Haring of Byres James Auchinleck of Woodcock Dale Walter Sams of Parkman Laird of Newhall Wilson of Newhall Sir David Cunningham of Milnrag Andrew Johnston of Kilcon.

## For the Shire of Perth

The Honourable John Campbell Esquire [M.] Joseph Austin of Kilgaird Henry Balmie of Rotend James Baird of Blair Alexander Blair of Inchry James Blair of Arthir John Blair of Balmie John Blair of Glenrois Mungo Buchanan of Hiltz William Cochran of Ochiltra Patrick Campbell of Monie Colles Campbell of Lochlan

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\* Arden G.

\* G. 1707

\* Forrester G.

Sir James Campbell of Abercrombie David Campbell of Keshick James Campbell of Balgownie Campbell  
 of Ardenroch Alexander Campbell of Pinnab Campbell of Glenfiddich James Campbell of Berrisburgh  
 Campbell of Larrow James Chapp of Roodie Laurence Craigie of Kilginston [M<sup>c</sup>.] James Craigie of  
 Deshaule Harry Crawford of Monargue Thomas Drummond of Logie Almond George Drummond of Collieston  
 George Drummond of Hale James Drummond younger of Hale John Drummond of Collieston John Drummond  
 younger of Pitcolina John Drummond of Higgish David Drummond of Invermay John Drummond of Kildie  
 Alexander Drummond of Balkeid William Drummond younger of Merchiston Drummond of Bellenden  
 Alexander Duncan of Lennie Edmonston of Newton Laurence Colquhoun John Eddis of Cretlock John  
 Erskin of Balgonie David Forthright [M<sup>c</sup>.] Thomas Fleming of Mosses John Folton of the Isle  
 Alexander Forrester of Milnhill William Forst of Winton Glenelg John Forst of Easter Glenelg Robert  
 Fyfe of Drom [M<sup>c</sup>.] Archibald Glen of Bachelie Patrick Grant of Rosburgh Thomas Graham of Balgowan John  
 Graham younger of Balgowan William Graham of Gorbill [M<sup>c</sup>.] David Graham of Bruce James Graham younger  
 of Bruce John Graham of Glenelg John Graham of Garter James Graham of Garwick John [Graham<sup>1</sup>] of  
 Radford Thomas Graham of Dackroy Graham younger of Dackroy Robert Graham Town Clerk of  
 Perth Mungo Graham of Gorchy George Graham of Pitcairne [M<sup>c</sup>.] John Graham of Bachelie [M<sup>c</sup>.] James Graham  
 of Newton Walter Graham of Deunkie John Haldin of Glenelg Mungo Haldin younger of Glenelg David  
 Haldin of Abercrombie John Haldin of Laxrick John Hay of Pefore Hay of Stowell John Hay of Marie  
 Hay of Lays Herring of Cullin Sir John Hepburn of Blackcraig Sir James Kelsch of Kelsch  
 Charles Kelsch of Goudie John Kels of Kilmarnock Sir Alexander Lindsay of Evick Lord James Murray Sir  
 Patrick Murray of Ochtermore William Murray younger of Ochtermore William Murray of Abencorney John  
 Murray of Stronach Anthony Murray of Dobbie David Murray of Arberie [M<sup>c</sup>.] William Murray of Arberie [M<sup>c</sup>.]  
 James Murray of Glenelg Murray of Inchmarney Patrick Murray of Dobbie Murray of  
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 Moncreiff of Tipperahock Hugh Mack Gill of Warrington Thomas Maib of Milfield Archibald Menzies  
 of Glenelg Captain James Menzies of Goudie Alexander Menzies of Goudie Alexander Menzies of Shiloh  
 Thomas Menzies of the Isle David Menzies of Easter Kild Moncreiff of Galloway [M<sup>c</sup>.] John Mackenzie  
 of Dalry John Nairn of Sepples Thomas Nairn of Kirkhill Patrick Olyphant of Bachelie James Olyphant  
 of Gask George Olyphant of Glenelg Olyphant of Caspaw David Olyphant of Collieston  
 Olyphant of Hetherlie James Paterson of Kilgour Paterson of Craigie George Preston of Valleyfield  
 James Ramsay of Newton [M<sup>c</sup>.] David Ramsay of Lathent [M<sup>c</sup>.] John Ramsay of Tilghay Sir James Ramsay of  
 Bess John Ramsay younger of Bess [M<sup>c</sup>.] Leonard Robertson of Strath Alexander Robertson of Strath  
 Alexander Robertson of Craig Alexander Robertson of Strath John Robertson of Lode Alexander Robertson  
 of Faldie Robert Robertson of Faldie Thomas Ratay of Craighill John Ratay of Knapfald Rose  
 of Innesmore David Smith of Melrose James Spinks of Leuch James Stirling of Kels Sir Henry Stirling of  
 Ardach Archibald Stirling of Carden John Stuart of Garsfield James Stuart of Canaan Stirling  
 of Kippendavie John Stuart of Inverurie John Stuart of Fenton Stuart of Chisle Charles Stuart of Belcherie  
 Alexander Stuart of Craigton John Stuart of Balmakillo James Stuart of Urrad [M<sup>c</sup>.] Donald Stuart of Balmakillo  
 David Stuart of Knapfald James Strachan of Laurence Andrew Spaldin of Ashendly David Smith Teate  
 of Melrose The Marquis of Tullibardie Sir David Throghend of Fyngask George Wilson of Sands The Laird of  
 Mackintosh The Provost of Perth for the Time One of the Bailies of Culross for the Time.

## For the Shire of Kinross

Sir David Ramsay of Balnain Sir Thomas Burnett of Leys David Filcoter of Newcome Sir Alexander  
 Falconer of Glenelg William Strachan of Balgonie James Forbes of Throston elder Thomas Forbes of  
 Throston younger Peter Forbes of Balfour Robert Muldoon of Balgonie James Scott of Bess John Scott  
 of Conkane Sir David Ogilvie of Barra Sir Alexander Bannerman of Elrick Alexander Bannerman of Elrick  
 younger Thomas Burnett of Genservie Alexander Burnett of Leys younger William Burnett of Crigie [M<sup>c</sup>.]  
 Alexander Thomson of Forthright Sir Peter Fraser of Doors Craikhead of Banchrie Douglas  
 of Banchrie Irvine of Drom Peter Barclay of Johnston Barclay of Banchrie elder James  
 Barclay of Banchrie younger Douglas of Biddisford Hercules Scott of Banchrie Col<sup>2</sup> Charles Strachan  
 James Still of Hazon Wood of Drumknapth George Alarke of Alarke [M<sup>c</sup>.] John Arbuthnot of Forde  
 Sir David Carnegie of Finess John Carnegie of Finess younger David Kinard of Kilmarnock Colonel Robert  
 Kirk of Kink [M<sup>c</sup>.] John Ramsay of Woodhouse Provost Robert Turnbull John Filcoter of Phado [M<sup>c</sup>.] John  
 Kirk of Fiddiscon [M<sup>c</sup>.] David Melville of Fyngask.

## For the Shire of Aberdeen

The Right Honourable the Lord Hay Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Kintyre The Lord Inverurie Son  
 and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Kintyre The Lord Haddo Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Aberdeen The  
 Honourable Forbes Son and Heir Apparent to the Lord Forbes [M<sup>c</sup>.] George Gordon Tutor of Abeyrdo  
 Laird of Drom Sir Thomas Burnett of Leys Sir Robert Forbes of Auchlands Sir Patrick Fraser of Dunelm  
 Laird of Aberglife Laird of Inverurie of Eight Laird of Balgie younger Peter Forbes  
 of Melmark Laird of Archeson younger Laird of [Bachelie<sup>3</sup>] John Gordon of Halfhead Finess

<sup>1</sup> Murray O.<sup>2</sup> Strachan O.<sup>3</sup> Galloway O.<sup>4</sup> Bachelie O.

Fargachan Laird of Tiffenburgh Thomas Machel of Eastbilly Laird of Inverry  
 Laird of Breichley George Forbes of Shida Sir William Forbes of Monymark Laird of Meldrum Sir  
 James Elphinstone of Logie Laird of Lathie [M<sup>r</sup>.] Alexander Davidson of Newton Laird of  
 Prodie younger Sir John Reid of Burn Walter Hay of Edinbrough Alexander Leslie of Warrle John Elphinstone  
 younger of Logie Laird of Glack Alexander Hay of Dorset William Hay of Balnakeith Laird of  
 Lethall James Gordon of Burn Laird of Overhill John Gordon of Rindsey younger James Davidson  
 of Tilmorrie of Westhall younger Sir Robert Gordon of Gordenburgh Sir Kyllie Alexander Ross of  
 Lethall John Smith of Invermay Robert Simpson of Thomson Arthur Forbes of Breida Sir William Forbes of  
 Craigmore Archibald Forbes of Penicuik Laird of Balfing Laird of Glenheady Laird of  
 of Cuthay younger Laird of Brax elder Laird of Whitehaugh Laird of Sheltier  
 John Forbes of Inverran Laird of Warr [M<sup>r</sup>.] John James of Sassaund Laird of Kilmie Peter  
 Reid of Haughton [M<sup>r</sup>.] George Leslie of Kinrighie George Wilson of Farnish Laird of Terperie John  
 Gordon of Glenbuckler Gordon of Brewhigg Laird of Collie younger [M<sup>r</sup>.] Patrick Ogilvie of  
 Gortree Sir William Keith of Ludquhar Laird of Fiday Colonel John Bethan of Cairnburg [M<sup>r</sup>.] Robert  
 Paterson of Invercherry George Keith of Clackmann Alexander Forbes of Ludquhar James Keith of Cuthay  
 Laird of Ardchiesles John Gordon of Cowach Irvine of Crinoid John Cameron younger  
 of Kilmacbeth William Fraser of Broadhead Alexander Gordon of Kilmacbeth James Scott of Ardchiesles William  
 Thompson of Fackhill John Gordon of Teuchow [M<sup>r</sup>.] James Ferguson of Fisker Laird of Inverchiesles  
 Irvine of Breckly younger Patrick Gordon of Logie John Gordon younger of Nether Mear Andrew  
 Fraser Sheriff Deputy Alexander Cassing of Marmaroush Gordon of Craigie Lindsay of  
 Culsh Irvine of Aramford Seaton of Farnish elder Seaton of Farnish younger  
 Laird of Ulray Laird of Waterhouse [M<sup>r</sup>.] Arthur Forbes of Shona Laird of  
 Auchenroy Laird of Auchterdillon Laird of Tourie younger Laird of Dudich  
 Laird of Fossan Laird of [Baird?] Alexander Hay of Rumpston Laird of Fethil Laird  
 of Cairnbrogie Laird of [Thornhill?] Thomas Forbes of Ardrish John Forbes of Knappersey James Keith  
 of Kilmacbeth John Gordon of Drumhilly John Ross of Arran John Ulray of Newry Laird of  
 Lennor younger Laird of Lowesdale Laird of Cowhary Laird of Luthen  
 Laird of Morn Laird of Byth Patrick Duff of Craigston Sir John Guthrie of Kilmacbeth  
 Laird of Balmacnath Laird of Mairak John Cameron of Achray younger Laird of Cocklestone  
 [M<sup>r</sup>.] Alexander Irvine of Strack Laird of Low Peter Russell of Monroff [M<sup>r</sup>.] John Stewart of Balnakeith  
 Laird of Hazon Laird of Ghye Nathaniel Gordon Balles of Turnell William Johnston of  
 Craig Sir Overhill Alexander Duff of Bruce George Calder of Avenley Henry Gordon of Avenley James  
 Gordon of Duach Laird of Skerr Sir George Skerr of Waterbury Laird of Meale  
 Laird of Dyce Sir John Johnston of Caskade Laird of Cuthay elder Laird of Stoneywood  
 [M<sup>r</sup>.] Robert Irvine of Cuthay Sir Alexander Cameron younger of Cuthay [M<sup>r</sup>.] James Sandilands of Cuthay George  
 Pease of Grandholm William Gordon of Govell Alexander Gray of Balgonie Alexander Pease of Kilmie  
 Laird of Oldur John Lesley of Colquhay The eldest Bailie of Aberdeen The eldest Bailie of Old  
 Aberdeen The eldest Bailie of Kilmie The eldest Bailie of Inverurie [M<sup>r</sup>.] Patrick Sandilands of Cuthay Andrew  
 Burnett of Elrick James Gordon of Seaton Donald Fargachan of Balfour Alexander Fargachan of Monro  
 Forbes of Blackness John Forbes of Bonydilly Laird of Leys younger [M<sup>r</sup>.] Alexander Macdonald of Pung  
 [M<sup>r</sup>.] John Forbes of Mary Master Yare [M<sup>r</sup>.] Thomas Forbes of Eglie younger Alexander Reid of Burn younger

## For the Shire of Inverness

The Right Honourable Lord Strathmore Sea and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Sutherland  
 Laird of Grant Sir Donald Mackintosh of Skie Laird of Mackintosh younger Laird of Culler  
 Laird of Kilmac Laird of Culloden Laird of Grant younger Laird of Loch  
 younger Laird of Grant Mackpherson Laird of Clara Laird of Kilmac younger  
 Laird of Rothiemurc Laird of Gort John Mackpherson of Inverurie George Cuthbert  
 of Gaskhill M<sup>r</sup> David Fison of Kilmory Patrick Grant of Tillochgrange M<sup>r</sup> William Robertson of Inver  
 Laird of Glenarmour Angus Mackintosh of Elchies William Grant of Lough M<sup>r</sup> John Mackenzie of  
 Cromond William Balfie of Dunsin John Ross of Holmes William Grant of Della Chique Lachlan Mackintosh  
 of David James Fraser of Elrick Robert Grant of Garraunee John Mackpherson of Delnath William Mackintosh  
 of Burnan younger George Grant of Clarie Hugh Fraser of Belladrum of Green Balfie of Scrabeg  
 John Harbour of Aldous John Grant of Carriemore The Lady Louisa Balfie James Fraser of Achroon  
 Fraser younger of Cullathell M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Fraser of Drumhilly Thomas Fraser of Biele Hugh Fraser  
 of Escalide Alexander Fraser of Balfour Hugh Fraser of Fryer Fraser of Biele younger Lachlan  
 Mackintosh of Seon John Mackintosh of Cowade The Bailie of Uppham Lachlan Grant of Tilloch  
 M<sup>r</sup> Alexander Mackenzie of Farnish Laird of Muckloch Laird of Groun Alexander Mackintosh  
 of Fan Mackintosh of Corriburgh John Mackenzie of Delrin William Mackintosh of Absendar Farber  
 Mackgillweay of Durnaglab William Mackintosh of Bm Alexander Shaw of Towhee John Mackintosh of  
 Bohn William [Mackintosh] of Kilmac Mackintosh of Drummond Farber Mackgillweay of Aberchillier John  
 Mackgillweay of Lathie William Mackintosh of Bellenerrick Joseph Mackintosh of Raig Alexander Clark of  
 Raig John Clark of Raig David Shaw of Banchar

\* Master G.

\* Bruce G.

\* Thornhill G.

\* Mackie G.

## For the Shire of Ross

The Right Honourable Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Cromartie The Honourable Sir Kenneth Mackenzie Sir James Mackenzie of Farnass David Ross of Balmagray Hugh Ross of Kilbray Sir John Mackenzie of Croil Sir Robert Menzies of Foulis Kenneth Mackenzie of Sutherland Rorie Mackenzie of Red Castle Spynie Mackenzie of Allengrimme Alexander Mackenzie of Aghrome Rorie Mackenzie younger of Aghrome Rorie Mackenzie of Fairburn Alexander Mackenzie of Bellandorke William Mackenzie younger of Bellandorke James Mackenzie of Turbith George Menzies of Newnham George Menzies of Culraie Hector Menzies of Nevill Hugh Menzies of Tarrish George Menzies of Lamlash John Mackenzie of Clynn Cohn Mackenzie of Kintyre Murdo Mackenzie of Ardous John Farness of Dunkeith Colin Robertson of Kintess John Ross of Adenaleigh Sir George Mackenzie of Bellarose Hector Menzies of Drummond Sir Robert Gordon of Gordonston Sir Donald Ross of Tulloch John Ross younger of Tulloch Sir William Gordon of Dalhilly Alexander Mackenzie of Stroudwater M<sup>r</sup>. George Mackenzie of Inch Culter Rorie Dingwall of Camanachie Alexander Forrester of Colonside Kenneth Mackenzie of Sada Alexander Mackenzie of Bellone Charles Mackenzie of Colles Kenneth Mackenzie of Ardnamoan M<sup>r</sup>. George Mackenzie of Grumard Alexander Mathison of Rosadelfield Eneas Mackenzie of Caboli Captain Daniel Mackenzie of Guntis William Ross of Inverchattan Colin Graham of Dreyne James Farness of Ardshearn Hugh Ross of Balmagray David Ross of Inverchattan M<sup>r</sup>. Alexander Mackenzie of Cantaloch William Ross of Aldie William Ross of Easter-Ferns Alexander Duff of Drummore Colin Mackenzie of Duckpols Alexander Ross of Blyth Hugh Ross younger of Kilbray Malcolm Ross of Flenkies John Mackenzie of Anodid David Mackenzie of Glammick Alexander Ross of Leth Turrell elder William Robertson younger of Kinross Ronald Bayne of Knockhays Alexander Sutherland of Inchline Hector Menzies of Dean Hugh Ross younger of Isle Turrell Thomas Gair of Nigg John Mackenzie of Farness Tutor of Pibna.

## For the Shire of Fife

Laird of Collier M<sup>r</sup>. Archibald Campbell of Claries William Campbell of Dalnapp Laird of Kilnock Laird of Kilnock younger George Brodie of Aisk Alexander Brodie of Lethie Hugh Ross of Clarr High Ross of Broadie James Ross of Dalrath Laird of Collieston Sutherland of Kenmore Alexander Dunbar of Both John Mackenzie of Comarage Robert Buchan Baillie of Innesness Alexander Falconer of Blackhill John Ross of Broadie of Kilnock younger.

## For the Shire of Cromarty

The Right Honourable Lord Mackenzie Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Cromartie The Honourable Sir Kenneth Mackenzie Son to the Earl of Cromartie Sir James Mackenzie of Farness M<sup>r</sup>. Roderick Mackenzie of Pitsburgh M<sup>r</sup>. Alexander Mackenzie younger of Prestonshall Hugh Ross of Kilnack elder Hugh Ross of Kilnack younger Sir William Gordon of Dalhilly Eneas Mackenzie of Caboli John Urquhart of Besshall William Urquhart of Besshall Rorie Mackenzie of Nisnaw Alexander Clunie of Nisnaw John Charles younger of Nisnaw John Dalrymple of Bannock M<sup>r</sup>. Bernard Mackenzie of Seabrook

## For the Shire of Angly

The Honourable John Campbell Esquire Sir James Campbell Baronet Sir Colin Campbell Baronet James Campbell Esquire James Launce of that ilk Sir Neil Campbell of Allangray Knight Laurence Mack Lauchlin of that ilk Campbell of Lochmell elder and younger John Mackintosh of that ilk Robert Stewart of Appin Mack Lauch of Lochmell elder and younger Sir John Campbell of Carrick Knight Robert Campbell of Carrick younger John Campbell of Orchard John Campbell of Dunsen John Campbell of Auchterline Daniel Campbell of Sheriffhall Donald Campbell of Knockmuck elder Duncan Campbell of Knockmuck younger Archibald Mack Arthur of Melrose John Patterson of Groudhall younger Hector Bernersie of Cairns Duncan Mack Gibbon of Auchtermuchty John Stewart of Aisk James Launce of Knockdon Dougal Launce of Skilgry Robert Melr of Kilmaclach Duncan Launce of Auchterline Hugh Campbell of Lix elder Archibald Campbell of Lix younger John Launce of Kilham Duncan Glasgow of Bellie William Ewing of Bernice younger John Lord Glenachray Son and Apparent Heir to the Earl of Breckinrose The Honourable Colin Campbell Esquire Duncan Mackenzie of Phantassie John Campbell of Kilmorie Patrick Mack Ashore of Tirvadh John Campbell of Kenmore Duncan Campbell of Achnach John Campbell of Lagapoch George Campbell of Craighall Angus Mack Longhane of Inchmoll Colin Campbell of Inverness Colin Campbell of Glenasm Alexander Campbell of Kilmartin Archibald Campbell of Barriack Campbell of Dunsen John Mack Longhane of Craigavon Alan Mack Longhane of Dunsen Dougal Campbell of Nethermill Colin Campbell of Knockmuck M<sup>r</sup>. Dougal Campbell of Kilmorie Archibald Mackenzie of Tarrish Neil Mack Neil ("") Torrish Neil Mack Neil of Auchtermuchty Campbell of Kilmorie Archibald Mackenzie of Dunsen Dougal Campbell of Dunsen Archibald Campbell of Stroud Alexander Mackenzie of Long Angus Campbell of [Squish] Colin Campbell of Blythwood Dougal Campbell of Kilbray James Campbell of Ormiston Dougal Campbell of Auchtermuchty Campbell of Auchtermuchty Patrick Campbell of Auchtermuchty younger Archibald Campbell of Clonach Archibald Campbell of Sanderson Archibald Campbell of Lorn Donald Campbell of Belkintess James Lord Mackenzie Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of

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Lawrie John Cameron of Lochill younger John Mack Donald of Largo Donald Campbell of Caradell Archibald Mack Donald of Sanda John Campbell of Glenside John Campbell of Knockloch Torquil Mack Neil of Uppell Hector Mack Neil of Luss Alexander Campbell of Barons Patrick Campbell of Buncalden younger Archibald Campbell of Inveraw Archibald Campbell of Drumacross Angus Campbell of Drumacross Donald Campbell Baldo Macraes Donald Campbell Stronpherrang Alexander Campbell of Clanshrie John Campbell of Ardernie Colin Campbell of Invercargill Alexander Campbell of Jura Colin Mack Dougall of Donagich John Campbell of Kirkcubbin John Stewart of Ardhill John Campbell of Birlinn Allen Casson of Glendochie Donald Mack Lean of Goli Mac Fannan of the Elc Alexander Mack Lean of Torloisk James Campbell of Stonefield Archibald Lamont (\*) Strane Archibald Clerk of Bridgton The Present of Inventory Patrick Campbell of Ruffell Alexander Campbell of Kinnaird.

## For the State of Fife.

The Right Honourable the Marquess of Tullibardie Son and Heir Apparent to his Grace the Duke of Atholl The Lord Yester Son and Heir Apparent to Thomas Marquess of Tweeddale The Honourable High Elphinstone Son and Heir Apparent to the Lord Balmichael The Lord Cumberhead Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Balmorra Sir Robert Douglas of Ardris Mr. Mungo Carnegie of Birkhill John Hay of Nugham David Bellour of George [M.] Michael Bellour of Forvie Mr. William James of Alton James Crawford of Montgomerie Alexander Watson of Asheray Andrew Baille of Pathroth James Watson of Gersone James Arnot of Woodroffe Sir Michael Bellour of Donalld Sir George Sinclair of Kinnaird John Bellour of Ferry Mr. Thomas Hope of Bankhill David Clapham of Cargill John Barclay of Collingie David Scott of Soutbarbet John Bethune elder of Bibo Henry Bellour of Denbigh John Bethune of Craigfield Mr. Thomas Watson of Fingask Mr. James Chapp of Rennie William Hamilton of Wilton James Beate of Kinkell John Leslie of Lamoch Patrick Bruce of Bordon Walter Scott of Edinbush William Shaw of Gersone James Belcarraig of Balcraig John Cowie of Gersone Mr. James Marquis of Cash George Munroff elder of Rids Mr. Patrick Munroff younger of Rids Robert Hay of Strath John Kildale of Gush Patrick Seaton of Lifford Sir John Proun of Prestounhill George Clapham younger of Cargill John Watson of Unthank William Robertson of Gledney Thomas Bethune of [Tarn?] Michael Lande of Drons Henry Miller of Powna Mungo Law of Piddock Robert Heriot of Ramsay David Boswell younger of Drons Doctor Carmichael of Banchter Gavin Hamilton of Enniscorthy Alexander Walker of Salford James Trent of Picalla Mr. Arthur Magill of Kinloch Mr. John Gingle of Lawhill Daniel Auchincloss of Drumtully Robert Lande of Lunda James Duthan of Largo John Lande younger of Balmichael John Gingle of Newnosa Philip Hamilton younger of Kilmichael James Malcolm of George John Cameron of Kilmichael William Dodgson of Stairfield Mr. Robert Colman of Midhous William Goudley of Kilmichael Mr. James Cunningham of Bann Mr. James Martine of Glenrobert Robert Leeson of Kinloch Crook of Cullinston Mr. Patrick Arthur of Bala John Watson of Lathocher Mr. Thomas Hare of Crugston Sir Robert Auchincloss of Tullibardie George Smith younger of Glenrobert John Alton of Kinloch John Alton younger of Kinloch Captain Alexander Bruce of Fife Sir Alexander Proun of Gersone Mr. James Bellour of Balmichael Alexander Montgomerie of Piddock George Montgomerie of Sackup Mr. John Lindsay of Woburnton Mr. James Bethune of Balfour George Landon of Kinloch Robert Landon of Inverclyde Sir William Auchincloss of Auchincloss Sir John Auchincloss of Auchincloss younger Sir Alexander Auchincloss of Mowak John Piddock of Balmichael John Arnot of Balmichael Philip Auchincloss of Ardris James Watson of Eagle John Watson younger of Bogle Mr. Robert White of Boscote Shoon of Wessinghale Colonel John Erskine of Gersone Captain Philip Auchincloss of George David Barclay of Touch Sir Andrew Ramsay of Atholhill John Alexander of Shedway Alexander Gibson of Dalis John Dule of Latham N. David Bethune of Bandon Christopher Seaton of Cullinston James Law of Banton Robert Bellour of Balfour George Bellour younger of Balfour Robert Douglas of Strindry John Lande of Auchincloss Sir John Malcolm of Inverall Michael Malcolm of Balfour Alexander Colhill of Hiar John Shaw younger of Halyards Walter Boswell of Balmichael William Calderwood of Piddock James Beaton of Kink Mr. John Proun of Drumacross Benes of Glenacott David Burrell of Balmichael John Watson younger of Alden Crook of Crook John Drons of George Alexander Alton of Inchclunay Mr. James Robertson of Newbigging Mr. David Dewar of Balmichael Alexander Boswell of Gersone James Watson of Piddock Doctor William Douglas of Kinloch Alexander Clark of Piddock Murray of Piddock Oswald of Deuchar Sir Peter Halket of Piddock Gersone of Tol John Dalis of Craigshaws David Douglas of Gersone Sir Henry Wardlaw of Piddock John Dewar of Lathol James Lindsay of Cere Robert Gird of Balfour elder Robert Gird of Balfour younger James Murray of Kinloch Sir James Campbell of Palmer William Watson of Cullinston Mr. Andrew Anderson of Balmichael Charles Stuart of Drons James Spide of Leachter Sir James Haydon of Newnosa John Mowherry of Courquay Sir William Henderson of Fiddell Sir John Erskine David Beaton of Bann Alexander Colhill of Kinloch William Isby of Kinloch David Gledney of Kinloch Henry Wardlaw of Lathol Robert Scott of Cullinston Sir David Arnot Drumacross of Ruyth Sir William Sharp of Stronquair Alexander Colhill of Stronquair John Mitchell of Lathol Mr. Robert Watson of Gersone Dr. Archibald Proun of Proun Colin Mackenzie of Rosend Colin Campbell of Strath Gersone Mr. John Falconer of Lathol Mr. John Thomson of Piddock Robert Scott of Stronquair John Lindsay younger of Kilmichael Robert Walwood of Gersone Alexander Montgomerie of Montgomerie Sir Thomas Hope of Craigfield Sir William Hope of Balmichael Thomas Frey of Hill David Brough of Piddock Roger Arnot of Inchclunay younger James White of Cullinston James Lande of Auchincloss younger James Taylor of Piddock Boswell of Balmichael Balfour of Liddell.

## For the Shire of Kinnaird

50 David Anson of Anson Sir William Bruce of Kinnaird Sir John Milreid of Invermill Sir Robert Douglas of Glasgow  
 Bailiff of Tibbald Lindsay of Dornhill James Mackin of Collieston Milreid  
 of Invermill younger John Bruce of Kinnaird William Crawford of Perthshire George Binnell Postmaster of Glasgow  
 W. Lawrence Mercer James Broadhead of Mids of Kinnaird James Orr of Marshall Andrew Hays of Tannear Henry  
 Young of Tibbald John Goodman Sheriff Clerk of Kinnaird.

## For the Shire of Forfar

The Right Honourable the Marquess of Tullibardine Son and Heir Apparent to the Duke of Atholl The  
 Viscount Elphinstone Son and Heir Apparent to the Lord Balmorloch Captain Charles Strutton Sir  
 James Wood of Benington George Ogilvie of Lunan Patrick Scott of Rennie Robert Scott of Dunnalld James  
 Scott younger of Logie John Fullerton of Kinnaird M<sup>r</sup>. Robert Taylor of Burnessfield John Scott of Holderness  
 James [M<sup>r</sup>.] elder of Balcarras David Falconer of Newton Alexander Dempster of Logie David Carnegie of Coigie  
 James Turnbull of Strathmore Robert Young of Auldhur Arbuthnot of Flindorah Rait of  
 Fifehead David Edgie of Kellack James Carnegie of Cockenzie David Lindsay of Edzell of Balnainess  
 Symon of Balgownie Captain William Greenwood of Brechin M<sup>r</sup>. James Carnegie of Fifehead  
 Marry of Melgum Charles Strachan of Balgownie M<sup>r</sup>. Patrick Lyon of Cairn Andrew Hunter of Dodi John Lindsay  
 of Pitmedley younger James Pearson of Balauch M<sup>r</sup>. Patrick Carnegie of Loure Alexander Reid of Tullibig John  
 Auchincloss of Gaird Thomas Fothergill of Fawcett Patrick Bower of Kinnaird M<sup>r</sup>. William Gray of Inverlight  
 Ogilvie of Kinnaird John Ogilvie of Marshall William Lyon of Easter Ogil Patrick Ramsay of Ullie John  
 M<sup>r</sup>. of Mather Dyest Ogilvie of Inverburn Sir John Ogilvie of Invercauld Sir James Kirkcaldy  
 of Kellack M<sup>r</sup>. John Lumsie of Deakeny Thomas Crofton of Rothmans Patrick Ogilvie of Balfour John Galloway  
 of Balcarras Clapham of Invergowrie Alexander Duncan of Lendly M<sup>r</sup>. Patrick Lyon of Auchincloss  
 Duncan of Strathmore William Niles of Balauch Alexander Wedderburn of Easter Penny John  
 Lindsay of Cairn David Graham younger of Forvie Robert Ogilvie of Coeli George Turnbull of Balgownie  
 Wedderburn of Blackness Graham of Dunoon James Kidd of Craigie Robert Davidson of  
 Balpy Gilbert Auchincloss of Auchincloss M<sup>r</sup>. James Martin of Grange Alexander Duncan of Ardentin Patrick  
 Dunbar of Ouchter Robert Gordon of Linton younger Warden of Grange Gordon of  
 Collieston M<sup>r</sup>. John Carnegie of Boywick Henry Crawford of Seaton M<sup>r</sup>. Thomas Fairweather of Southbarry Alexander  
 Peyer of New Grange Fraser of Kirkcubra M<sup>r</sup>. William Adams of Camie M<sup>r</sup>. Harry Maule of Kells  
 Ogilvie of Finmure John Guthrie of Guthrie Francis Arrols of Kirkcubra Maule of  
 James Lyall of Gaird James Halyburton of Pharus James Scott of Logie elder Robert M<sup>r</sup>. younger of Balfour.

## For the Shire of Banff

The Honourable James Lord Dunkeld eldest Son to the Earl of Seafield The Master of Banff eldest Son to  
 the Lord Banff Sir Alexander Ogilvie of Forgla Ode of the Sessions of the College of Justice Sir James  
 Abercrombie of Berkenboye Knight and Baronet Sir John Gordon of Parker Knight and Baronet Sir Patrick Ogilvie  
 of Boyne Sir James Dunbar of Dunn [Knight and Baronet] William Duff of Brecco (M<sup>r</sup>.) James Gordon younger of Park  
 James Duff of Cramble Alexander Gordon of Troop Sir Francis Grant of Cullen William Baird of Auchincloss  
 Lodwick Grant of Grant Alexander Grant of Grant George Gordon of Camonde George Gordon of Buckle  
 Sutherland of Kinnaird George Gordon of Buckle Gordon of Achynachle Gordon  
 of Olangerrick John Grant of Carra John Grant of Easter Elchies Walker Grant of Ardintilly Patrick Stewart  
 of Tannoch Alexander Gordon of Pitlig Alexander Abercrombie of Othamough Thomas Dornaldson of Kinnaird  
 James Ogilvie younger of Boyne James of Edingbidge of Edingbidge younger John Dunbar of Kirkhill John  
 Abercrombie of Meyen Hay of Bann Patrick Gordon of Ardintilly younger Alexander Abercrombie of Cornhill  
 John Culbert of Brechin M<sup>r</sup>. Alexander Abercrombie of Strath Nicholas Dunbar of Castlefield William Dunbar  
 [M<sup>r</sup>.] Dyphende M<sup>r</sup>. Lawrence of Dyphende John Hay of Makhrie James Ogilvie of Balauch Gordon of  
 Balauch Patrick Russell of Monessie M<sup>r</sup>. Andrew Hay of Makhrie Stewart of Rosethur James  
 Ogilvie of Logie Alexander Duff of Dreweir Grant of Dornoch M<sup>r</sup>. William Jose of Collyweston Patrick Duff of  
 Gairgton George Gordon of Murack Alexander of

## For the Shire of Sutherland

The Right Honourable William Lord Sutherland eldest Son to the Earl of Sutherland The Laird of Anson  
 Sir James Gray Baronet Emma Mackintosh of Cathol Patrick Forbes (M<sup>r</sup>.) Leichenmore Robert Gray of Scho  
 Robert Murray of Polross David Ross of Invercharie Hugh Monro of Inverness [M<sup>r</sup>.] George Gray of Gaird John  
 Gray of Newton Alexander Gray of Over-Scho Alexander Sutherland of France James Sutherland of Erndack  
 Hugh Mackie of Strathay and George Mackie of Big-House Captain Hugh Mackie of Borne James Sutherland of  
 Chyle Hugh Sutherland of Kinross David Sutherland younger of Kinross John Monro of Rolness Sir William

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Gordon of Delpho Donald Gun of Badenoch John Gordon of Carrell George Gordon of Hopedale Alexander Gordon of Gairloch Alexander Sutherland of Mickle Torbo William Sutherland of Hies Alexander Sutherland of Beggarie [M.<sup>c</sup>] Alexander Gordon of Langwell Sir John Gordon of Embo.

For the Shire of Caithness

The Right Honourable Lord Berridale Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Githness Lord Gleneloch Son and Heir Apparent to the Earl of Breckinridge Sir James Sinclair of May John Sinclair of Dunrobin Sir William Sinclair of Hemyngs Sheriff Deputy Sir George Sinclair of Clych James Sinclair of Lych George Sutherland of Fous John Sinclair of Uffness John Sinclair of Serkeoch James Sutherland of Langwell [M.<sup>c</sup>] Robert Dunbar of Myland Alexander Sinclair of Braham James Sinclair of Semster James Sinclair of Lanes James Murray of Clarendon Patrick Dunbar of Broomfield [M.<sup>c</sup>] John Campbell of Cuthill [M.<sup>c</sup>] Patrick Murray of Penayland David Sinclair of Freywick George Sinclair of Barroch Alexander Sinclair of Done John Sinclair of Lybster Alexander Sinclair of Oldhills George Munro of Brighend John Sinclair of Barroch James Sinclair of Howarthland Captain Adam Cunningham of Oskingill The Earl of Breckinridge Chamberlain for the Time The Earl of Grosvenor Chamberlain for the Time John Sinclair of Rannoch Richard Sinclair of Thora William Sinclair of May John Sinclair of Aultry William Sinclair of Gess eldest John Sinclair of Rannoch younger The Chamberlain of the Bishoprick.

For the Shire of Elgin

Sir James Dunbar of Dorn Baronet Sir Alexander Innes of Cochrane Baronet Alexander Duff of Drummar William Duff of Dippie Thomas Tolbooth of Tanshie Thomas Uchquart of Burghyards Robert Uchquart of Burghyards Ludrick Dunbar of Grange Sir James Innes of that ilk Sir Harry Innes younger of that ilk Dunbar of Balak Mair Ludrick Grant of Grant eldest Ludrick Grant of Grant younger James Grant of Wester Elcho John Grant of Easter Elcho Alexander Cunningham of Altyre James Brodie of Brodie George Brodie of Aith Robert Dunbar of Daughall James Dunbar of Cloves William Dunbar of Kirkkorth George Dunbar of Easter Bess William Dunbar of Wester may Alexander Dunbar of Easter may John Dunbar of Kirkhill Jonathan Dunbar of Tilligore Colin Campbell of Delnes Thomas Calder of Mairton younger Brodie of Lodes George Innes of Cochrane younger Joseph Brodie of Mairton Robert Dunbar of Newtoun Archibald Dunbar of Thundersloch John Innes of Louchers George Innes of Bickness Walter [Hills] of Blackhill Grant of Belmadrach James Russell Chamberlain to the Earl of Marvey Robert Innes of Mondale John Lundy of Bellaguth John Brodie of Wintidale Thomas Brodie of Piperside Alexander Sutherland of Kilmeny [M.<sup>c</sup>] William Sutherland Sir James Dunbar of Hemyngs William King of New-Mills John Dunbar of Dogs John Lundy of Mairton Charles Mackenzie of Ernie William Sutherland of Rosburgh William Brodie of Goldfield George Chalmers of Pittoune James Brodie of Wintidale Robert Dunbar of Grangehill

For Orkney and Zeland

[M.<sup>c</sup>] Robert Douglas Brother Jermon to the Earl of Marston Sir William Craig of Gair Sir Alexander Douglas of Epfaha Robert Stewart of New Work John Stewart of Brough Thomas Buchanan of Sandale James Graham of Grahamshill Harry Graham of Beckroon Captain James Moody of Mairton Archibald Milnes of Cayha Robert Halkie junior of Tankerness John Frail of Elmore James Fox of Glenroon William Liddell of Huesmar John Coveney of Allislaw Andrew Young Chamberlain of Orkney David Sutherland of Ward Bruch James Stewart of Tagay Patrick Kinross of Barroch Robert Schola of Otmass Laurence Sinclair of Qumadill Robert Sinclair junior of Qumadill Charles Sinclair of Solway John Scott of Soudhill [M.<sup>c</sup>] John Mitchell of Wanshow William Henderson of Gairdy James Mitchell of Gairdy Charles Mitchell of Olberray Nislan Nislan of Boushrough Andrew Bruce of Brewhick.

For the Shire of Clackmann

The Honourable Master James Endene of Grange One of the Senators of the College of Justice The Honourable John Campbell Esquire the Honourable [M.<sup>c</sup>] William Dalrymple of Gleneloch Sir Robert Stuart of Tillicoultry Sir John Schaw of Greenock Sir John Ainslie of Alva Sir James Holborn of Moserle [M.<sup>c</sup>] Alexander Abercrombie of Tillicoultry Coloford James Bruce of Kinross Alexander Ingh of Marinton Captain John Bruce of Garscoun Captain Harry Bruce of Tulligay William Salkin of Hibernshire Charles Craigingay of Karenton Charles Kirk of Gogar [M.<sup>c</sup>] Francis Macintosh of Parkdale Charles Macintosh of Parkdale [M.<sup>c</sup>] George Arskine in Alva John Drysdale of Dalrymple.

Commissioners to choose their own Clerk, and to have the same Power as by the Great Act of 16<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1706, &c.

Which said Commissioners shall have Power to choose their own Clerk and to do every other Thing concerning the said Supply as is prescribed and appointed by the Great Act of the 6<sup>th</sup> of November One thousand seven hundred and six and other Acts made in any former Parliament of Scotland to which the said Act of the 6<sup>th</sup> of November One thousand seven hundred and six doth relate holding the same as if herein repeated.

AND it is hereby further enacted That Execution shall be done in Scotland for bringing in the said Supply as is read there as is provided by the same Act in all Points not altered by this Act and that the First Meeting of the said Commissioners of Shires in Scotland shall be at the respective Head Burghs thereof the Seven and twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and eight and that the Sheriffs Stewards or their Deputies be entrusted the same to the Commissioners of their Shires and Burghs with Power to sit and Conferences to appoint the subsequent Dates of their Meetings and their Conveners from time to time as also to appoint Collectors with sufficient Clerks as they shall think fit.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Clauses contained in former Acts of Parliament of Scotland and Conventions of Estates there in relation to the bringing in of the Cash and quartering and such Ryding Money shall stand in full Force as to the Supply now imposed upon Scotland as if they were therein express and were observed before the making of this Act.

AND it is hereby declared That no Person whether Hunter or Collector liable in Payment of the said Supply as is raised in Scotland shall be holden to produce their Receipts or Discharges of the same after Three Years from the respective Terms of Payment unless Diligence be done thereby by Detestation within the said Three Years in which Case of Diligence by Detestation One Year further is only added to the said Three Years and one shall be holden to produce their Receipts or Discharges thereafter.

AND because by the Supply hereby granted to be raised in Scotland the Land Rents and Burghs there are fully burdened and it being reasonable that Persons Enticed in Money should bear some proportionable Burden so far further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Debtor owing Money in Scotland at Six per Cent Interest shall in the Payment of his annual Rents hereafter in his own Hands or a Twelfth Part of Six per Cent and this Rent shall be from the Eleventh Day of November One thousand seven hundred and seven to the Eleventh Day of November One thousand seven hundred and eight and it is declared that it shall be thery for any Creditor to refuse to grant the said Rention there.

AND it is hereby declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Sum of Forty seven thousand nine hundred and fifty five Pounds Sixteen Shillings shall be raised in Scotland in the respective Burghs and Barons and Burghs free of all Charges to Her Majesty and shall in like Manner be paid at the City of Edinburgh to such Person or Persons as the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain or the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall constitute or appoint to be the General Receiver or Receivers thereof for Her Majesties Use which said General Receiver or Receivers shall be answerable and accountable for the same to Her Majesty in Her Exchequer.

PROVIDED also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigner Bodies Politick or Corporate to advance and lend to Her Majesty as the Receiver of Her Majesties Exchequer upon the Credit of the said several Rates Assessments and Sums of Money by this Act granted and to be raised in the several Parts of Great Britain as aforesaid any Sums which shall not exceed in the whole the Sum of Eighteen hundred and eighty thousand Pounds and to have and receive for the Performance thereof Interest after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum and moreover that no Money to be lent upon the Security of this Act shall be raised or received by virtue of this Act or any other Act of Parliament whatsoever.

AND it is hereby further enacted That all and every Person or Persons who shall lend any Money upon the Credit of this Act and pay the same into the said Receiver of Exchequer shall immediately have a Talley of Loan Book for the same and an Order for his her or their Repayment bearing the same Date with his her or their Talley in or upon which Order shall be also contained a Warrant for Payment of Interest for the Performance thereof at the Rate aforesaid to be paid every Three Months until the Repayment of the Principal and that all such Orders for Repayment of Money to be lent shall be registered in Course according to the Dates respectively without other Preference [of] one before another and that all and every Person and Persons shall be paid in Course according to their Orders shall stand registered in the said Register Books so as the said Person Native or Foreigner his Executors Administrators or Assigns who shall have his Order or Orders first entered in the said respective Books of Register shall be taken and accounted the First Person to be paid out of the Monies to come in by virtue of this Act and he or they who shall have his or their Order or Orders next entered shall be taken and accounted to be the Second Person to be paid and so successively and in course and that the Monies to come in by this Act or for the said several Rates and Assessments [to be raised] in Great Britain as aforesaid shall be in the same Order liable to the Satisfaction of the Monies to be lent as aforesaid to the respective Persons their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns respectively without other Preference one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or distributable to any other Use Intend or Purpose whatsoever and that no Fee Reward or Graciously directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesties Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries View or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officer or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party aggrieved by the Party offending with

CII.  
And Execution to be done as by the said Act.  
First Meeting 1707 April 18th

CIII.  
Clauses in former Acts of Scotland relating to Cash, &c. in Force.

CIV.  
No Person to be holden to produce their Receipts or Discharges after Three Years, &c.

CV.  
Debtor in Scotland at 6 per Cent. to satisfy a Twelfth Part of 6 per Cent. from 11th Nov. 1707, to 11th Nov. 1708.

CVI.  
The 47,555 l. 16 s. to be raised in Scotland, free of Charge to Her Majesty, and to be paid at Edinburgh.

CVII.  
Persons may lend Money to Her Majesty, not exceeding 180,000 l. at 5 per Cent. per Annum, &c. &c.

CVIII.  
Talies of Loans to be made in London, and Warrant for Interest.

CIX.  
Orders for Repayment registered according to Date of Talley, and paid in course.

CX.  
Monies to come in by this Act liable to satisfy Loans.

CXI.  
No Fee for providing Books, &c. or Payment of Money lent.  
Penalty.

*Procurator.*  
*Under Preference*  
*by Officer.*  
*Fundry.*

*by Deputy.*  
*Prody.*

*Auditor, Clerk of*  
*the Pells, or Teller*  
*not making Pay-*  
*ments in the Order.*  
*Fundry.*

*New Provisions*  
*renewed.*

*XX.*  
*Person where*  
*several Tallies have*  
*been the same Day.*

*XXI.*  
*Person subsequent*  
*Orders of first*  
*demanded.*  
*in what Case an*  
*under-Preference.*

*XXII.*  
*Order for Payment*  
*of Money lost, may*  
*be assigned by*  
*Subsequent.*

*Memorial thereof*  
*without Fee.*

*Assignees may*  
*assign.*

Whole Court of Scots or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to incur his Place also and if any under Preference of one before another shall be made either in point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of the Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party grieved and shall be forejudged of his Place or Office And if such Preference be actually made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Direction or Power of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever incapable of his Place or Office And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct the Order or the Clerks of the Pells record or the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as before directed then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Depositors and Clerks herein offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid all which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be recovered by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plein or Information in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Exceuse Protection Privilege Wages of Law Impetion or Order of Restraint shall be in any wise granted or allowed.

Persons always and he it hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies of Loans or Orders for Payment be advanced bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted as under Preference which of those be entered first so as to enter them all the same Day.

Persons also That it shall not be interpreted any under Preference to incur any Penalty in point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerk of the Pells record and the Teller do pay subsequent Orders to Persons that come and demand their Monies and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take their Monies and bring their Orders in their Chances so as there be so much Money reserved as will satisfy previous Orders which shall not be otherwise deposited but kept for their Interest upon Loans being to come from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them.

And be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for Loans to be registered by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Registry as aforesaid his Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Writs of Assignments to be endorsed and written upon his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make shall entitle such Assignee his Executors Administrators and Assigns to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereon and such Assignee may in like Manner assign again and so make quater and afterwards it shall not be the Power of such [Person or] Persons who have or both made such Assignments to make void release and discharge the same or any the Monies thereby due or any Part thereof.

#### CHAPTER XLIV<sup>(\*)</sup>

*Act, Parl. 6 June,*  
*1707.*

*Record of Third*  
*Act of Second*  
*Session, and of the*  
*First Session of the*  
*last Parliament held*  
*in Scotland.*

*The said Act*  
*repealed.*

AN ACT for repealing and Declaring the Determination of Two Acts passed in the Parliament of Scotland the one intitled *Act for the Security of the Kingdom* the other *Act about Peace and War*.

WHEREAS by the Third Act of the Second Session of the last Parliament held in Scotland intitled *Act for the Security of the Kingdom* divers Provisions were made for such Purposes and in such Manner as is therein contained And whereas in the First Session of that Parliament one other Act passed intitled *Act about Peace and War* which said last mentioned Act and also the first herein before mentioned Act or the greater Part thereof are inconsistent with the Terms of the Articles of Union and upon the Union became void. To the End therefore that no Doubt may remain touching the Determination of the said Acts or either of them or any Part thereof May it please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be declared and enacted and be it declared and enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That the herein before mentioned Acts and each of them and every Part thereof shall from henceforth be adjudged deemed and taken to stand and be absolutely repealed and to cease and become void.

<sup>\*</sup> Intituled in the Roll.

<sup>\*</sup> This is Chapter II. of *Acts in the Commons printed Edition*.

## Enrollment of the Act 6. Jan. Chapter XXXVI

An Act for repealing and taking away the determination of *Grave Acts* Passed in the Parliament of Scotland the one intituled Act for the Rectifying of the Kingdom the other Act ancient *Prætor* and *Scq.*

- 1 Whereas by the *Grave Act* of the Second Session of the last Parliament held in Scotland intituled Act for the Rectifying of the Kingdom divers provisions were made for such purposes and in such manner as is therein contained And Whereas in the first Session of this Parliament one other Act passed intituled Act ancient *Prætor* and *Scq.* being said last mentioned Act and also the first herein before mentioned Act or the greatest part thereof are inconsistent with the terms of the Articles of Union And upon the Person bearing Word to the end therefore with no Doubt may remain touching the Continuance of the said Acts or either of them or any part thereof May it please your most Excellent Majesty that it may be Enacted And Enacted And be it Enacted And Enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by And with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal And Commoners in this present Parliament assembled And by Authority of the same That the herein before mentioned Acts and each of them And every part thereof shall from henceforth be utterly Repealed And to cease and become void.



## CHAPTER XXXVII. (\*)

An Act for better securing the Duties of East India Goods.

See Part 6 above.

p. 5. n. 3.

Enrolled Stat.

9 W. III. c. 94

1707

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory intitled An Act for raising a Sum not exceeding Two Millions upon a Fund for Payment of Annuities after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum and for settling the Trade to the East Indies it was enacted that no Company or particular Person or Persons who should have a Right in pursuance of the said Act to trade to the East Indies or other the Parts within the Limits in the said Act mentioned should be allowed to trade without sufficient Security was first given (which the Commissioners of the Customs in England or any Three or more of them for the Time being were thereby authorized and required to take in the Name and to the Use of His said late Majesty His Heirs and Successors) that such Company or particular Persons should cause all the Goods Wares Merchandises and Commodities which at any Time or Times afterwards during the Continuance of the said Act should be laden by or for them or any of them or for their or any of their Accountants in any Ship or Ships whatsoever bound from the East Indies or Parts within the Limits mentioned in the said Act should be brought (without breaking Bulk) to some Port of England or Wales and there be unladen and put on Land (the Danger of the Seas Enemies Pirates Robbers of Prizes and Baiters and Barreny of Seasons excepted) And whereas the said Act and the Security to be given in pursuance thereof have been by Experience found not to be sufficient to hinder and prevent the unloading or putting on Shore in divers Places and Countries other than the Kingdom of England or Dominion of Wales great Quantities of Goods brought from the East Indies or some Port or Place within the Limits mentioned in the said recited Act to the great Loss of His Majesties Customs and the Trade and Navigation of this Kingdom in general And whereas some Difficulties have arisen touching the Acceptance of the Security decreed by the said Act Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Security to be hereafter given in pursuance of the said Act shall be after the Rate of Two thousand five hundred Pounds for every Hundred Tons the Ships or Vessels shall be respectively lent for that shall be sent to the said East Indies or other Parts within the Limits in the said Act mentioned and so proportionably for any lesser Part than a Hundred Tons and that the English Company trading to the East Indies shall for each Ship or Vessel which shall be sent out from Great Britain and employed by them or for their Account give Security as aforesaid by their Common Seal the Condition whereof shall be in the Form following viz.

Amount of Security to be given under the said Act.

WHEREAS in pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in the Ninth Year of His late Majesties Reign intitled An Act for raising a Sum not exceeding Two Millions upon a Fund for Payment of Annuities after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum and for settling the Trade to the East Indies the Ship

whereof Captain \_\_\_\_\_ is Master of the Barthes of \_\_\_\_\_ Tonn is under the Regulation of the said Act bound upon a Voyage to the East Indies or other Parts within the Limits prescribed by the said Act with a Cargo or Lading of Goods upon accounts of the above named English Company trading to the East Indies The Condition of this Obligation is such that if all the Goods Wares Merchandises and Commodities which shall at any Time or Times hereafter during the Continuance of this present intended Voyage be laden by or for the said Company or any of them or for their or any of their Accountants in the said Ship from the said East Indies or Parts aforesaid shall be without breaking Bulk brought to some Port of Great Britain and there be unladen and put on Land (the Danger of the Seas Enemies Pirates Robbers of Prizes and Barreny of Seasons and necessary Provisions Stores and Merchandises for the People and Garrison of St. Helena only for their own proper Consumption excepted) then this Obligation shall be void or else shall remain in full force effect and virtue

And that besides the several and respective Securities to be given by this or the said former Act against breaking Bulk all the Goods Wares Merchandises and Commodities which shall be laden in the East Indies or other the Parts within the Limits mentioned in the said Act upon any Ship or Vessel belonging to any of Her Majesties Subjects with Intent to be transported out of and from the said East Indies or other the Parts within the Limits aforesaid the same shall be brought to some Port of Great Britain and there shall be unladen and put on Shore (necessary Provisions Stores and Merchandises for the People and Garrison of St. Helena for their own proper Consumption only excepted) and except also where the breaking of Bulk or loading of Goods in Branch of this or the said former Act shall happen to be by the Danger of the Seas Enemies Pirates Robbers of Prizes or Baiters or Barreny of Seasons or Pain of forfeiting all such Goods which contrary to this Act shall be landed elsewhere than in some Port of Great Britain or the Value thereof to be accounted one Moiety thereof to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety thereof to the Person or Persons who shall come inform to me for the same in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Ensign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed.

It, Goods, &c. so laden to be included in some Port of Great Britain.

Exception.

Penalty.

\* This is Chapter III. 4 Acts. in the Common printed Edition.

## CHAPTER XXXVIII. (1)

*See Part  
6 Ann. p. 3*

*An Act for charging and continuing the Duties upon Malt Mann Cyder and Perry for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight.*

*Reason for passing  
the Act*

**M**OST gracious Sovereign We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Great Britain in Parliament assembled being desirous to provide such speedy and effectual Supplies as by the blessing of God to Your Majesties Arms may establish the Balance of Power in Europe by a safe, honourable and lasting Peace have therefore freely and unanimously resolved to give and grant and do by this Act give and grant unto Your Majesty the Rates Duties and Impositions herein after mentioned and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the several and respective Rates Duties and Impositions which are and by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the First Year of Her Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for granting a Supply to Her Majesty by several Duties imposed upon Malt Mann Cyder and Perry) were granted to His Majesty in Manner therein mentioned and which by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Second Year of Her Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty by continuing the Duties upon Malt Mann Cyder and Perry for One Year) were continued in the Manner therein mentioned until the Twenty fourth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five and which by an Act of the Third Year of Her Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for continuing the Duties upon Malt Mann Cyder and Perry for One Year) were continued in the Manner therein mentioned until the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six and which by another Act of the Fourth Year of Her Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for continuing the Duties upon Malt Mann Cyder and Perry for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and six) was continued in the Manner therein mentioned until the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and seven and which by another Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for continuing the Duties upon Malt Mann Cyder and Perry for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven) were continued in the Manner therein mentioned until the Four and twentieth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight shall be further continued in like Manner and shall be and are by this Act charged for and upon all Malt which shall be made and all Mann which shall be made or imposed and all Cyder and Perry which shall be made for Sale within the Kingdom of Great Britain from and after the Twenty third Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight and before the Twenty fourth Day of June which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and nine (other than and except such Malt as shall be made and consumed in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland) and shall be raised levied collected and paid unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors during the Term aforesaid by the same Ways Means and Methods and by such Rules and Directions and with such Allowances and Repayments and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Power of Mitigation and other Powers and in such Manner and Form in all respects as are prescribed mentioned and expressed in the said several former Acts for the said Duties and that the same Acts formerly made and passed for the said Duties and every Article Rule Clause Matter and Thing in them and every of them contained or thereby referred to and now being in force shall be of full force and effect to all Intents and Purposes for raising levying collecting securing and accounting for mitigating and making Allowances out of the same Rates Duties and Impositions hereby granted or continued and for levying the Penalties and all other Matters and Things during the Continuance of this Act as fully as if the same were particularly and at large repeated in the Body of this present Act.

*Malt consumed in  
Scotland excepted.*

*The said former  
Acts to be in force.*

*If  
Malt made in  
Scotland brought  
by Sea into  
England, to be  
entirely in the Port  
of London, and to  
pay 6d per  
Bushel.*

*Malt brought by  
Land to pass  
through Berwick  
or Newcastle, and to  
be entered there, and  
pay 6d per  
Bushel of  
Produce.*

*III.  
Such Malt coming  
by Land without  
Entry, to  
Produce.*

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Malt made in Scotland not to be consumed there which at any Time or Times between the First Day of December One thousand seven hundred and seven and the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and nine shall be brought into England Wales or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed shall in case the same be brought by Sea be entered with the Officer for the said Duties of the Port where the same shall be so brought into England Wales or Berwick and the Sum of Six Pence per Bushel for the Duties thereof shall be paid to such Officer before landing thereof and in case the same shall be brought by Land such Malt shall pass and be carried by and through the Towns of Berwick [or] Newcastle and there entered with the Officer for the said Duties in each of the said Towns by or through which such Malt shall be so carried and the like Duty of Six Pence per Bushel for the same shall be paid down in ready Money to such Officer on pain of forfeiting all such Malt or the Value thereof as shall be landed, or put on Shore or brought into England without such Entry or Payment of Duties as aforesaid.

And in case any Malt made in Scotland shall during the said Term be found coming out of Scotland or brought from thence by Land by or beyond the Towns before mentioned without Entry or Payment of the Duties thereof then all such Malt or the Value thereof shall be forfeited the last mentioned Forfeitures to be and go One Moiety thereof to the Queen's Majesty the other Moiety thereof to such Person or Persons as will consent either or one for the same or the Value thereof and to be recovered and levied by such Ways Means and Methods as any Penalties or Forfeitures are by this or any the said former Acts relating to the Malt Duties to be recovered and levied or by Action of Debt or upon the Case Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster in which no Escaign Protection Privilege Wager of Law or more than One Impugner shall be allowed.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter IV. of Act, in the Common printed Edition.

<sup>2</sup> continued on the next.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies which shall arise by this Act of the said Duties upon Milk Meas Cyder and Perry (over and above the necessary Charges of raising and paying the said Duties) shall from time to time be brought and paid into the Exchequer.

IV.  
Duties paid into  
Exchequer

And it is hereby also enacted That there shall be provided and kept in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts of the Exchequer one Book or Register in which all the Orders for Money payable upon this Act shall be entered and registered and that all and every the Principal Sums of Money which were lent upon the Act of Parliament made and passed in the Fourth Year of Her Majesties Reign which granted the Duties upon Milk Meas Cyder and Perry from the Twenty third Day of June One thousand seven hundred and six until the twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and seven and which on the Twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and seven shall remain unsatisfied with the Interest thereof after the Rate of Five Pence per Centum per Annum and all and every the Orders of Loan for the same shall be in the first place transferred to and placed upon the Register for Orders appointed to be kept by this Act and shall be registered thereupon in due Course and Order according to the Days of the respective Tallies of Loan for the said Principal Sums which Transferences shall and may be made and are hereby required to be made by virtue of this Act without making any Issues or taking any Receipts from the Parties in order to transfer the said Loans and that the Principal Moneys on the Orders so transferred shall be payable and paid to the Lender or Lenders of the same his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns out of the Monies arising by virtue of this Act in the same Course and Order according to which they are hereby appointed to be transferred and with Preference to any other Loans or Sums of Money which shall be registered upon and payable out of the Monies granted by this power: And that the Interest thereupon shall be payable every Three Months out of the Monies arising by this Act till the Satisfaction of the said Principal Sums respectively.

V.  
A Register to be  
kept, &c. for  
transferring and  
placing Orders of  
Loans

Transference to  
be made without  
Receipts, &c.  
Principal Money  
payable to the  
Lender, &c.

Interest to be paid  
every Three  
Months.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person and Persons Estates or Foreigners Bodies Politick or Corporations to lend to Her Majesty at the said Receipt upon Order of the said Duties any Sum or Sums of Money as (together with the Principal Monies hereby appointed to be transferred as aforesaid) shall not exceed in the Whole the Sum of Six hundred and fifty thousand Pounds which Lenders shall have Interest for the Forbearance of their respective Loans not exceeding the Rate of Five Pence per Centum per Annum to be paid every Three Months from the making of such Loans until Satisfaction of the Principal Sums respectively and that no Monies so to be lent shall be rated or assessed to any Tax or Assessment whatsoever.

VI.  
Grant of Loans at  
5 per Cent.

payable every  
Three Months  
Tendered

And that every such Lender shall immediately have a Tally of Loan struck for the Money by him lent or then lent and an Order of the same Date for Reimbursement thereof with such Interest as aforesaid.

VII.  
and Tally struck,  
&c.

And that all such Orders shall (after the Orders before by this Act directed) be registered in course according to their Dates and all Persons thereupon shall be paid in course as their Orders shall stand registered so as the Person Native or Foreigner his Executors Administrators or Assigns whose Orders shall be first registered shall be accounted the Person to be first paid and so successively and in course.

VIII.  
Orders to be  
registered and paid  
in course, &c.

And that the Monies to come in by this Act of the said Duties shall be in the same Order Table to the Satisfaction of the said respective Persons their Executors Administrators and Assigns successively without undue Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be devised or given to any other Use Issue or Purpose whatsoever.

IX.  
without undue  
Preference or  
Use, &c.

And that no Fee Reward or Gratuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any of Her Majesties Subjects for providing or making any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on pain of Payment of Triple Damages to the Party aggrieved with full Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place also.

X.  
No Fee for  
providing Books,  
&c.  
Penalty.

And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in Point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Triple Costs to the Party grieved and shall be disqualified of his Place or Office and if such Preference be usually made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Direction or Privilege of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be over after incapacity of his Place or Office.

XI.  
Undue Preference,  
Penalty on Officer  
& Deputy.

And in case the Auditor of the Receipts shall see direct and the Clerk of the Pells record or the Teller make Payments according to such Process due Place and Order as aforesaid then he or they shall be adjudged to satisfy and the respective Deputies and Clerks herein offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid all which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be incurred by any due Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by

XII.  
Auditor adjudged  
to satisfy.



Action of Debt Still Paid: or Information in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Foreign Protection Privilege Wager of Law Injunction or Order of Respite shall be in any wise granted or allowed.

XIII.  
Tellers bearing  
Date the same  
Day, or within  
Preference.

PROVIDED always and be it hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies of Loan or Order for Payment be presented bear Date or be brought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be intepreted as under Preference which of those be stored first so as to be entered then all the same Day

XIV.  
No Priority to come  
of the Auditor  
Direct Payment,  
Are, in the same  
Day, it is known  
Money be received

PROVIDED also That it shall not be interpreted any under Preference to incur any Penalty in point of Payment if the Auditor dissent and the Clerk of the Pells record and the Tellers do pay subsequent Orders of Persons that come and demand their Monies and bring their Orders [before other Persons that did not come to take their Monies and bring their Orders] in course so as there be so much Money received as will satisfy the said Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for their Interest upon Loan being to come from the Time the Money is so stored and kept in Bank for them.

XV.  
Orders assignable.

And be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Money shall be due for or by virtue of this Act shall Order entered in the Book of Registry aforesaid his or their Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Writs of Assignment to be endorsed on his Order may assign or transfer his or their Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being notified in due Order to the Auditor of the Receipt aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders (which the Officers shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make) they enable such Assignee his Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns to the Benefit thereof and Payment thereon and such Assignee may in like Manner assign again and so twice quarters and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or had made such Assignment to make void release or discharge the same or any the Monies thereby due or any Part thereof

#### CHAPTER XXXIII. (1)

Act First,  
6 Annæ, p. 1. c. 4

AN ACT for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight and other Uses by Sale of Annuities charged on a Fund not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds per Annum to arise by appropriating several Surplusses and by granting further Terms in the Duties on Low Wines and on Hackney Posters and Forty Chapters the Stamp Duties the One Third Subsidy the Duty on Sweets and One of the Branches of Excise and by making other Provisions in this Act mentioned.

Recall of this,  
4 & 5 Annæ, c. 12

§ 11.

MOST Gracious Sovereigns Whereas in and by an Act of Parliament made in England in the Fourth Year of Your Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for continuing an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and certain Duties upon Cords Calas and Cynders and additional Duties of Excise and for settling and establishing a Fund thereby and by other Ways and Means for Payment of Annuities to be sold for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and six and other Uses therein mentioned) the additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties (commonly called the One Third Subsidy) payable for and upon Wines Goods and Merchandises which were thereby granted to Your Majesty for the Term of Ninety eight Years from the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six and the Duties upon Cords Calas and Cynders by the same Act granted or continued from the Fourteenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and eight until the Thirtieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and six and the particular Rates and Duties of Excise thereby granted for the Term of Ninety five Years from the Seventeenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and thirteen and all the Monies to arise by virtue of the Act of the Fifth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesties King WILLIAM and Queen MARY of glorious Memory of or for the Duties of Excise thereby granted after paying off or reserving sufficient to pay off the Loans Annuities therein mentioned together with other Monies mentioned in the said Act of the Fourth Year of Your Majesties Reign are appropriated and made liable to the Payment of certain Annuities purchased thereupon not exceeding One hundred eighty four thousand two hundred forty two Pounds and Fourteen Shillings per Annum for Ninety five Years from Lady Day One thousand seven hundred and six payable at the Receipt of the Exchequer which Subsidies Rates Duties and other Funds or Provisions charged by the said Act of the Fourth Year of Your Majesties Reign with the Annuities last mentioned will by Diligence produce annually a considerable Sum more than sufficient to discharge all those Annuities and the necessary Charges of paying and according for the same and the Overplus Monies thereof are since granted to be justly and duly computed at the Feast of the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary in every Year or within Six Days after

and of this,  
6 Annæ, c. 4.

And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in England in the Fifth Year of Your Majesties Reign intituled An Act for continuing the Duties on Low Wines and Spirits of the First Excise and the Duties payable by

(1) inserted in the Roll.

(2) This is Chapter V. 4 Annæ in the German printed Edition.

Her Majesty's Polls and Petty Chapmen and Part of the Duties on Stamped Vellets, Parchment and Paper and the late Duties on Sweets and the One Third Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and for settling and establishing a Fund thereby and by the Application of certain Overplus Monies and otherwise for Payment of Annuities to be sold for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven and other Uses therein expressed certain Duties upon Low Wines and Spirits of the First Exciseation (thirty pence) and continued from the Three and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten for the Term of Ninety six Years from thence next ensuing and certain Duties payable by Brewers Pollers Petty Chapmen and others therein described and thereby continued for the like Term of Years and such of the Duties upon Stamped Vellets Parchment and Paper as are therein mentioned and thereby granted and continued for the Term of Ninety six Years to continue from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten and the Duties upon Sweets thereby laid for the Term of Ninety nine Years commencing from the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six and the additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wines Goods and Merchandises which are commonly called an additional the One Third Subsidy by the said Act granted and continued for One whole Year commencing from the Expiration of the Ninety eight Years granted thereby by the said former Act and all the Overplus Monies of the Subsidies Rates Duties and other Funds contained in the said Act of the Fourth Year of Your Majesty's Reign after paying or reserving sufficient to pay as much as shall be incurred or grown due upon the said Annuities by virtue of the said Act or before every Feast of the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary respectively the necessary Charges of paying and accounting for the same Annuities purchased thereupon being excepted are appropriated and made liable to the Payment of certain Annuities purchased upon the said Act of the Fifth Year of Your Majesty's Reign not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Seventy two thousand one hundred eighty seven Pounds Ten Shillings per Annum for Ninety nine Years from the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven payable at the said Receipt of the Exchequer and for the better securing the quarterly Payments which should grow due at or before Michaelmas One thousand seven hundred and ten upon the said Annuities not exceeding Seventy two thousand one hundred eighty seven Pounds Ten Shillings per Annum above other temporary Provisions are made in the said Act of the Fifth Year of Your Majesty's Reign and thereby it is also provided that if at the End of any Year of the said Term of Ninety nine Years for which the said Annuities upon the said Act of the Fifth Year of Your Majesty's Reign were to be purchased (the First Commencement to be made at Lady Day One thousand seven hundred and eight or within Six Days after) the Monies arising at the Exchequer within such Year by the said Rates Duties Subsidies Overplus Monies and other Monies thereby appropriated for Payment of the said Annuities pursuant to that Act shall exceed all the Monies then due for or upon the same Annuities and all Arrangements thereof then or at any Time or Times before that Time occurred so that there shall be an Excess or Surplus remaining in the Exchequer such Excess or Surplus shall be disposable from time to time for the publick Use and Service and not otherwise

And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in England in the Fourth Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary of glorious Memory intitled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain Rates and Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors for securing certain Reimbursements and Advantages in the said Act contained to such Persons as shall voluntarily advance the Sum of Ten hundred thousand Pounds towards carrying on the War against France) certain other Rates and Duties of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors therein particularly expressed were granted to Their said late Majesties Their Heirs and Executors for the Term of Ninety nine Years from the Five and twentieth Day of January One thousand six hundred ninety two and are by that and by several other Acts relating thereto made liable to the Payment of several Annuities with Benefit of Survivorship and other Annuities charged thereupon which Rates and Duties of Excise last mentioned do also produce annually a considerable Sum more than sufficient to discharge all those Annuities so charged thereupon and the necessary Charges of paying and accounting for the same and the Overplus Monies thereby arising have been and are to be computed on the Four and twentieth Day of June yearly and are comprehended amongst the temporary Provisions made in the said Act of the Fifth Year of Your Majesty's Reign for better securing the quarterly Payment of the said Annuities not exceeding Seventy two thousand one hundred eighty seven Pounds Ten Shillings per Annum which should grow due at or before the Feast of St Michael the Archangel which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten from which Time the Overplus Monies of the Rates and Duties of Excise last mentioned do belong to Her Majesty for the publick Use and Service Now we Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Great Britain in Parliament assembled being desirous to raise a Sum of Money not exceeding Six hundred and forty thousand Pounds that it is in any a Sum not exceeding Five hundred and forty thousand Pounds Part of the Money necessary to be provided in this Session of Parliament for Your Majesty's Supply and a Sum not exceeding One hundred thousand Pounds to be applied in such Manner as is herein after mentioned towards making good the Payment of the Annuities to be purchased upon this Act do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the Feast of the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight for and during the full Term of Ninety nine Years from thence next and immediately ensuing the full Sum of Forty thousand Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain by the Year or so much thereof as shall be sufficient for paying and discharging all the Annuities to be purchased upon

and of Stat.  
4 W. & M. c. 3.

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made.

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Anno to be ap-  
plied to the Pay-  
ment of Annuities  
for 99 Years, from  
Lady Day 1708,  
reckoned on the  
Act.

this present Act shall be set apart and appropriated and the same as by this Act appropriated for the Payment and Satisfaction of the said Annuities to be purchased on this Act in such Manner and Form as we herein after prescribe in that Behalf.

II  
To be charged  
upon the Overplus  
Monies of the  
Annuitants of the  
4 & 5 Ann. c. 15.

AND for the better raising securing and establishing of the said Fund it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Fund or Sum not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds per Annum shall be charged upon and payable out of all the Overplus or Surplus Monies of the said Rates Duties Subsidies and other Funds settled for Payment of the said several Annuities purchased upon the said several Acts of the Fourth and Fifth Years of Her Majesties Reigns respectively which shall from time to time remain after satisfying or satisfying in the Exchequer sufficient to satisfy so much as shall be incurred or grown due upon those Annuities and every of them, and which by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign were left to be disposed from time to time for the publick Use and Service as aforesaid and shall also be charged upon and payable out of all the Overplus Monies which shall arise after the Thirtieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and ten or for the said Rates and Duties of Excise granted in the said Fourth Year of the Reign of These said late Majesties King William and Queen Mary and which from time to time during the then remainder of the said Term of Ninety nine Years therein granted shall remain after Payment and Satisfaction of all the Annuities charged thereupon by the said Act of the Fourth Year of Their said late Majesties Reign or by any other Act or Acts of Parliament before this Time made for charging any Annuities whatsoever upon the Rates and Duties of Excise last mentioned and the Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being are hereby directed from time to time during the Continuance of the said Subsidies Rates Duties and other Funds settled by the said several Annuity Acts of the Fourth and Fifth Years of Her Majesties Reign as aforesaid and every or any of them to cause all the said Overplus Monies of the said Subsidies Rates Duties and other Funds continued in the said several Annuity Acts of the said Fourth and Fifth Years of Her Majesties Reign to be justly and duly computed at the Feast of the Accumulation of the blessed Virgin Mary in every Year or within six Days after and during the Continuance of the said Rates and Duties of Excise granted by the said Act of the Fourth Year of the Reign of King William and Queen Mary to cause all the said Overplus Monies of the said Rates and Duties of Excise to be justly and duly computed on the Four and twentieth Day of June yearly and to cause all the Overplus Monies which shall appear upon such several and respective Computations as aforesaid from time to time or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to be set apart reserved and applied for and towards the making good the said Fund or Sum not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds per Annum hereby intended and appointed to be settled and established for the Payment of all the Annuities to be purchased on this Act without drawing or embezzling any of the Monies which by the said several Acts or any of them ought upon every such Computation to have been reserved for Payment of any the Annuities formerly purchased as aforesaid if this present Act had not been made.

Stat. 5 Ann. c. 1.  
and the Overplus of  
Stat. 4 W. & M.  
c. 2.

The money to com-  
pact the Overplus.

and apply it for  
making good the  
Fund, &c.

III  
A sum of money reserved  
to make good the  
quarterly Payments  
of the said debts  
1713.

AND for the better securing the quarterly Payments which shall grow due on or before Michaelmas One thousand seven hundred and ten upon the Annuitants to be purchased in pursuance of this Act Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Sum of One hundred thousand Pounds Part of the Consolidation Monies to be raised by Sale of Annuities upon this Act or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to make good the said yearly Fund not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds per Annum for the first Two Years and as Half of the said Term of Ninety nine Years shall and may be reserved and applied for and towards the discharging the quarterly Payments last mentioned to grow due at any Time or Times before the Thirtieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and ten.

IV.

Act to the End there may be no Failure in the Payment of such Annuitants or any of them as shall be purchased upon this Act at any Time or Times until the full Expiration of the Term of Ninety nine Years for which the same are intended to be purchased We Your Majesties said lawful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Great Britain in Parliament assembled have cheerfully and unanimously given and granted and do by this Act give and grant to Your Majesty the Duties upon Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extinction and the Duties to be paid by Hawkers Pedlars and Petty Chapmen and the Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper and the additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and the Duty upon Sweets and the particular Rates and Duties upon Exchequer householder in this Act expressed for and during such further Term and Terms of Years respectively as are herein after mentioned and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty to accept thereof and that it may be enacted and be enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such as the like Duties for and upon all Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extinction as by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign were continued or granted for the Term of Ninety nine Years there mentioned shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and be paid and payable unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and upon all Low Wines and Spirits of the First Extinction to be made or drawn by any Distiller or other Person making or drawing Spirits or Strong Waters for Sale or Exportation within the Kingdom of Great Britain from or after the Expiration of the said Term of Ninety nine Years for and during the Term of One whole Year from thence next and immediately ensuing And that all and every such and the like Duties and Sum of Money to be paid by every Hawker Pedlar Petty Chapman and such other Persons as are described in one Act of the Ninth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William for licensing Hawkers and Pedlars and all the Powers for granting such Licences which by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign are to continue for the like Term of Ninety nine Years

The Duties on Low  
Wines, &c. con-  
tinued by Stat.  
6 Ann. c. 2.

see Hawkers,  
Pedlars, &c. by  
Stat. 9 W. III. c. 19.

year the said Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten shall be further continued and be paid and payable and be put in Execution by virtue of this Act within the whole Kingdom of Great Britain from and after the Expiration of the said Term of Ninety six Years during the Term of One whole Year from thence next and immediately ensuing and first such of the Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign were continued for the Term of Ninety six Years from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors within and throughout the whole Kingdom of Great Britain from and after the Expiration of the Term of Ninety six Years last mentioned for and during the Term of One whole Year from thence next and immediately ensuing and that the additional Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wines Goods and Merchandises continually called the One Third Subsidy which by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign are granted and continued for the Term of One whole Year from the Expiration of a Term of Ninety eight Years which commenced from the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and be due and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors within and throughout the whole United Kingdom of Great Britain from the Expiration of the said Term of One Year so granted and commencing as aforesaid for and during the further Term of One whole Year from thence next and immediately ensuing and that the Duty upon Brandy called the Excise which by the said Act in the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign was granted for the Term of Ninety six Years commencing from the Twenty fourth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors within and throughout the United Kingdom of Great Britain from and after the Expiration of the Term of Ninety six Years last mentioned for and during the further Term of Two Years from thence next and immediately ensuing.

and the Stamp  
Dues by Stat.  
A. No. 11, 12.

and the Out There  
Industry.

Further statement  
for One Year term  
after the Expiration  
of this negative  
Term.

Duty on Parents  
 by S. Aust. c. 20.  
 continued for Three  
 Years hence.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Rates and Dues of Excise upon Beer Ale and other Liquors which by the said Act of the Fourth Year of the Reigne of Thome and late Majestie King William and Queen Mary of glorious Memory were granted for the Term of Ninety nine Years from the Twenty fifth Day of January One thousand six hundred sixty two shall by virtue of this Act be further extended and be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heires and Successors within and throughout the whole United Kingdom of Great Brittain from and after the Expiration of the Term of Ninety nine Years last mentioned for and during the further Term of Ninety Years from thence next and immediately ensuing for the Uses and Purposes in this Act contained.

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Dutton and Bent,  
Ag. of Soc.  
S.W. & M. v. a.  
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Dance.

And it is hereby enacted That the said several Duties upon Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction And the said Duties payable by Blanket Potlacks Perry Chapman and others described as aforesaid And the said Rates and Duties upon Vellum Parchment and Paper And the said additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wine Goods and Merchandises by this Act severally granted for a further Term of One Year as aforesaid And the said Duty upon Sweets by this Act granted for a further Term of Two Years as aforesaid And the said Rates and Duties of Excise by this Act granted for a further Term of Fifteen Years as aforesaid by the Uses and Purposes in this Act expressed be severally and respectively aimed and loved by such Rules and Methods and under such Possibilities and Facilities and with such Distribution of the said Penalties and Forfeitures and subject to such Power of Mitigation and such respective Drawbacks Allowances and Repayments and in such Manner and Form as the like Duties granted or imposed by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Edict or any of them respectively are now or may be deemed or appointed to be raised or levied.

VI.  
Diction revised as  
by January 1894

And it is hereby enacted and declared That the said Overplus Monies of the said Rans Duties Subsidies and other Funds settled for Payment of the said several Antislavery purchased upon the said several Acts of the Fourth and Fifth Years of Her Majesty's reign respectively And the said Overplus Monies of the said Rans and Duties of Excise which were granted in the Fourth Year of Their said late Majesty's reign as aforesaid And the said Sum not exceeding One hundred thousand Pounds directed to be reserved out of the Contribution Monies as aforesaid And the several Grants made by this Act of the said Duties upon Low Wines or Spirits of the First Extraction And of the said Duties to be paid by Hawkers Pedlars and Ferry Chappemen And of the said Duties upon Wettable Packmen and Paper And of the said additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage severally for the further Term of One Year as is aforesaid And of the said Duties upon Sugars for Two Years as aforesaid And of the said Provisional Rans and Duties of Excise for the Term of Fifteen Years as aforesaid or so [much] of the said [sums] of Overplus Monies reserved Monies Rans additional Subsidy and other Duties as shall be sufficient for making up the said Fund not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds per Annum for answering the full and due Payment of all the Annuities to be purchased on this Act and all Arreduages thereof from time to time incurred and so shall be by virtue of this Act liable and appropriated thereto and shall not be drawn or divisible to any other Use Intend or Purpose whatsoever under the Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities in this Act expressed And all the Monies arising by the said Overplus Grants and Provisions hereby made out of which the said Fund not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds per Annum is to be raised shall be fully and duly entered in One or more Book or Books to be kept in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts and Clerk of the Pells for the Purpose to which all Persons concerned at all reasonable Times shall have free access without Fee or Charge.

VII.  
The Overplot  
Mention, &c.  
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in a book for the  
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VIII.  
Clause of Licence  
at Synode.

for purchasing  
Annals at 15  
Years Purchase.

Times of Payment

Annals not to  
exceed 40,000  
per Annum, and to  
be paid quarterly

IX.  
Contributors  
Names to be  
recorded, &c.

X.  
The Expence  
charged with the  
said Annals.

XI.  
Surplus to be  
applied to public  
Use.

XII.  
Contributors  
entitled to the  
Annals, and to  
enjoy such Estates  
therein.

And for the raising any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the said Sum of Six hundred and forty thousand Pounds for such Uses as aforesaid it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Native or Foreigner Bishop Politick or Corporate to contribute advance and pay into the Receipt of Her Majesty's Exchequer for Her Majesty's Use at or before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in this Behalf any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the said Sum of Six hundred and forty thousand Pounds for purchasing any Annals or Annals to be paid and payable during the full Term of Ninety nine Years to be deducted from the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight at the Rate of Ninety Years Purchase which Rate doth amount to the Sum of One hundred and sixty Pounds for every such Annals of Ten Pounds per Annum and proportionably for any greater Annals and the same Rate or Consideration Money is hereby appointed to be paid into the said Receipt at or before the respective Days and Times herein after mentioned that is to say One Fourth Part thereof on or before the six and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the six and twentieth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the six and twentieth Day of July in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight and the remaining Fourth Part thereof on or before the Five and twentieth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight All which Annals so to be purchased shall not exceed in the whole the said Sum of Forty thousand Pounds per Annum and shall be paid and payable at the Four next usual Terms or Days of Payment in the Year that it is to say the Feast of the Nativity of Saint John Baptist Saint Michael the Archangel the Birth of our Lord Christ and the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary by even and equal Portions the First Payment thereof to be due at the Feast of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight.

And it is hereby enacted That in the Offices of the Auditor of the Receipt and Clerk of the Pells [in the Exchequer] severally there shall be provided and kept a Book or Books in which there shall be fairly entered the Names of all who shall be Contributors and of all Persons by whose Hands the said Contributions shall pay in any of the said Sums upon this Act and also the Sums so paid and the Times when the same are respectively paid to which Book it shall be lawful for the said respective Contributors their Executors Administrators and Assigns from time to time and at all reasonable Times to have resort and to inspect the same without Fee or Reward.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Annals whatsoever which shall be purchased upon or in pursuance of this present Act shall be and are here charged upon and shall be paid and payable from time to time out of the said Fund or Sum not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds per Annum by this Act intended and appointed to be established as aforesaid and the said yearly Fund or Sum of Forty thousand Pounds per Annum or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy and discharge all the Annals to be purchased upon this Act and all the Arrears thereof at any Time due or owing are and shall be by virtue of this Act appropriated and applied to and for satisfying and discharging of the same Annals and such Arrears thereof accordingly and shall be moved disposed and applied to that Use and to no other Use Intent or Purpose whatsoever under the Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities in this Act expressed Any thing herein contained to any other Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided always That if at the end of any Year of the said Term of Ninety nine Years for which the said Annals upon this Act are to be purchased the First Contribution to be made at the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary One thousand seven hundred and nine or within Six Days after the Month ending at the Exchequer within each Year which by this Act are chargeable to make good the said yearly Fund not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds (excepting such Part of the [said] Contribution Money as is to be reserved [for] making good the future quarterly Payments until the Thirtieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and 99 as aforesaid) shall exceed all the Monies which at every such Feast Day shall be due for or upon the said Annals and all Arrears thereof then or at any Time or Times before that Time incurred so that there shall be an Excess or Surplus remaining in the Exchequer such Excess or Surplus shall be disposable from time to time for the publick Use and Service and not otherwise Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Contributors and Contributors upon this Act duly paying the Consideration or Purchase Money at the Rate aforesaid at or before the respective Days or Times in this Act limited in this Behalf for any such Annals or Annals as aforesaid or such as he doth or they shall appoint his he or their respective Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns shall have resort and enjoy and be entitled by virtue of this Act to have receive and enjoy the respective Annals and Annals so to be purchased out of the Monies by this Act appropriated or appointed for the Payment thereof during the [said] whole Term of Ninety nine Years to be purchased thereon as is above mentioned and that all and every such Purchasers their Executors Administrators and Assigns respectively shall have [good] and sure Estates

and Interest in the several Annuities so by them to be purchased according to the Tenor and true Meaning of this Act and that all the said Annuities to be purchased upon this Act and every of them during the Term Twelve. Twelve.  
aforesaid shall be free from all Taxes Charges and Impositions whatsoever.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Contributor upon this Act for any Annuity or XIII.  
Annuities as aforesaid his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns upon Payment of the Consideration Teller and Order  
[or Purchase] Money for the same at the Rate aforesaid or any Part or Proportion thereof within the Time or to be struck, &c.  
Times in this Act limited in this Behalf shall immediately have One or more Teller or Tellers being Importing the XIV.  
Receipt of so much Consideration Money as shall be so paid and upon Payment of all the Purchase Money for Allotment of  
any such Annuity or Annuities at the Rate aforesaid every such Contributor his her or their Executors Administrators 2 per Cent. for  
Successors or Assigns respectively shall have an Order for paying of the said Annuity and Annuities for and prompt Payment  
during the said Term of Ninety nine Years so to be purchased therein which Order shall be signed by the Treasurer before 1<sup>st</sup> March  
and Under Treasurer of the Exchequer in any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the 1707.  
Term being and after the Signing thereof the same shall be firm good valid and effectual in the Law according XV.  
to the Purport and true Meaning thereof and of this Act and shall not be deemed void by or upon the Death or Annuity assign-  
Removal of any Treasurer or Under Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioners or Commissioners of the able, &c.  
Treasury or by or upon the Determination of the Power Office or Office of them or any of them nor shall any XVI.  
Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioners of the Treasury now Memorandum of  
or for the Time being have Power to revoke countermand or make void such Orders so signed as aforesaid or Assignment  
any of them retained.

And for the Encouragement of the Contributors to advance and pay forthwith into the Receipt of the Exchequer XVII.  
the same by them intended to be advanced upon this Act it is provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid Officers at the  
That every such Contributor who shall advance and pay into the said Receipt of Exchequer all or any Part of Exchequer to  
the Purchase Money payable for any such Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid before the said Six and twentieth take so far, &c.  
Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight his her or their Executors XVIII.  
Administrators or Assigns shall be allowed and paid out of the Contribution Money arising by this Act Interest Taking Fee or  
at the Rate of Five Pence per Centum per Annum for the prompt Payment of the Money so advanced from assigning Bonds,  
the Time of the annual advancing and paying the same until the said Six and twentieth Day of March One &c.  
thousand seven hundred and eight XIX.

And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Contributor or Contributors his her XX.  
or their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns at any time or times during the Continuance of his her Gentleman may  
or their Term Estate or Interest of and in any Annuity to be purchased upon this Act by any Writing under his advance after  
her or their Hands and Seals or under the Common Seal of a Corporation or by his her or their last Will in XXI.  
Writing to assign or devise such Annuity or any Part thereof or any Interest therein to any Person or Persons Gentleman may  
whosoever and to assign quotas and no such Assignment to be revocable so as an Entry or Memorandum of advance after  
such Assignment or Will be made in Books to be kept for that Purpose in the said Office of the Auditor of the XXII.  
Receipts within the Space of Three Months after such Assignment or Death of the Devisee and that upon Officers at the  
producing such Assignment or Will or Probat thereof in the said Office of Receipt to be entered as aforesaid the Exchequer to  
Party so producing the same shall bring therewith an Affidavit taken before One or more of Her Majesties Justices take so far, &c.  
of the Peace of the due Execution of the said Assignment or Will which Affidavit shall be currently filed in the XXIII.  
said Office which said Entry or Memorandum the proper Officers in the said Receipt of Exchequer are hereby Taking Fee or  
required to make accordingly and to file the said Affidavit and in default of such Assignment or Devise by Deed assigning Bonds,  
or Will the Interest of such Contributor shall go to his or her Executors or Administrators &c.

And it is hereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful for any Guardian or Trustee having the Disposal XXIV.  
of the Money of any Infant under the Age of One and twenty Years for the Use and Benefit of such Infant to Gentleman may  
advance and pay the Sum of One hundred and sixty Pounds of the Money of such Infant to purchase an advance after  
Annuity upon this Act for the Benefit of such Infant And the said Guardian or Trustee as to the said Sum of XXV.  
One hundred and sixty Pounds so advanced is hereby discharged Gentleman may

And be it further enacted for the better Encouragement of Persons to advance the Money on this Act that all XXVI.  
Receipts and Issues and all other Things directed by this Act to be performed in the Exchequer shall be done Officers at the  
and performed by the Officers there without demanding or receiving directly or indirectly any Fee Gratuity or Exchequer to  
Reward for the same and in case any of the Officers of the Exchequer shall take or demand any such Fee or take so far, &c.  
Reward or shall direct or supply any of the Monies of the said Fund Dues or Monies hereby appropriated XXVII.  
to any Part thereof which should make good the Payment of the said Annuities as shall pay or sums out the Taking Fee or  
same otherwise than according to the Intent of this Act or shall not keep Books or Registers and make Entries assigning Bonds,  
and do and perform all other Things which by this Act they are required to perform every such Officer shall &c.  
forfeit his Office and be for ever incapable of any Office or Place of Trust and shall answer and pay Triple XXVIII.  
Damages to every Contributor or Person who shall be prejudiced thereby to be recovered by Action of Debt Loss of Office,  
Bills Plaint or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Express Protection Sequestration,  
Privilege of Parliament or other Privilege Wager of Law Injunction Order of Remittal or more than One and Penalty.

West. Provisions.

Imparison shall be granted or allowed and in the said Action the Plaintiff upon Recovery shall have full Costs One Third of which Sum to be recovered the Damages shall be to the Use of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Two Third Parts with the Costs shall be to the Use of the Prosecutor and in case there shall be any Collision or false Prosecutions between the Plaintiff and Defendant in such Action it shall be lawful for any other Contributor his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns to bring another Action wherein he or she shall recover as aforesaid to the like Use as aforesaid.

XVIII.  
No Purchase unless  
One Fourth part by  
10th March 1706.

Provided always That no Person or Persons whatsoever shall or may purchase or obtain or be admitted to purchase or obtain any Annuity whatsoever upon this Act unless the whole or One Fourth at least of the Consideration Money for the same at such Rate as aforesaid be advanced and paid into the said Exchequer on or before the said Six and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight.

XIX.  
Contributors paying  
One Fourth Part,  
and not the Re-  
minder, before  
what is paid.

Provided also That in case any such Contributor as aforesaid who shall on or before the said Six and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight have advanced One Fourth Part of his or her Purchase Money or his her or their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns do not advance and pay into the said Receipt of Exchequer One other Fourth Part of his or her Consideration Money so as to be paid for such respective Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid on or before the said Six and twentieth Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight and One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the said Six and twentieth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and eight and the remaining Fourth Part thereof on or before the said five and twentieth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight then and in every such Case respectively no Order shall be drawn or signed for such respective Annuity for which the Consideration Money shall not be fully paid as aforesaid but so much of the Consideration Money as shall have been actually paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer for such respective Annuity shall be forfeited to His Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and be applied together with other the Monies to be raised by this Act for such publick Service as aforesaid. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XX.  
Treasury may  
reward Officers.

Provided also and it is hereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being out of the Overplus of the Revenues lawfully appropriated for making good the said Fund not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds per Annum which shall arise over and above so much as shall be sufficient to make up the said yearly Fund for discharging all the Annuities to be purchased on this Act to reward the Officers Clerks and others to be employed in the Payments of the said Annuities or the Accounts thereof for their Labours Pains Charges and Service therein respectively and to defray all other the necessary Charges incident to the Payment of the said Annuities as to the said Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall seem meet and reasonable in their Belief Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XXI.  
Subscriptions  
before the Royal  
Assent 1706.

And whereas there are admitted in the Exchequer many Subscriptions for Annuities to this Act before the same has had the Royal Assent Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Subscriptions made or taken or which shall be made and taken before the Royal Assent given to this Act shall be and are hereby declared to be null and void.

## CHAPTER XL. (1)

An Act for uniting the Union of the Two Kingdoms more entire and complete.

Act. Parl.  
5 Ann. c. 2. s. 1.

WHEREAS by Her Majesties great Wisdom and Goodness the Union of the Two Kingdoms hath been happily effected and the whole Island is thereby subject to One Sovereignty and represented by One Parliament to the end therefore that the said Union may be rendered more complete and entire be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the First Day of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight the Queens's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall have but One Privy Council in or for the Kingdom of Great Britain to be sworn to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors as Sovereigns of Great Britain and such Privy Council shall have the same Powers and Authorities as the Privy Council of England lawfully had used and exercised at the Time of the Union and none other.

One Privy Council  
for Great Britain.

XL.  
Appointments of  
Justices of Peace  
for Scotland.

And to the end the publick Peace may be in like manner preserved throughout the whole Kingdom be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in every Shire and Stewartry within that Part of Great Britain called Scotland and also in such Cities Boroughs Liberties and Precincts within Scotland as Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall think fit there shall be appointed by Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors under the Great Seal of Great Britain a sufficient Number of good and lawful Men to be Justices of the Peace within their respective Shires Stewartries Cities Boroughs Liberties or Precincts which Persons so appointed over and above the several Powers and Authorities vested in Justices of the Peace by the Laws of Scotland shall be further

authorised to do so and exercise over all Persons within their several Bounds whatsoever such apparatus to the Office and Trial of a Justice of Peace by virtue of the Laws and Acts of Parliament made in England before the Union in relation to or for the Preservation of the publick Peace. Provided nevertheless that in the Sessions of [the] Peace the Methods of Tryal and Judgement shall be according to the Laws and Customs of Scotland.

Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall be construed to alter or infringe any Rights Liberties or Privileges heretofore granted to the City of Edinburgh or to any other Royal Borough of being Jurors of Peace within their respective Bounds.

III.  
Proviso for Edinburgh, and other Royal Burghs.

And whereas by an Act made in Scotland in the Third Session of the Second Parliament of the late King Charles the Second intituled An Act concerning the Repealing of the Indulgencies several good and wholesome Provisions were made concerning the Justice Court and amongst others it was thereby enacted that once a Year Circuit Courts should be kept at the Times and Places in the said Act mentioned now for the better and speedier Administration of Justice and further Preservation of the publick Peace in that Part of the Kingdom of Great Britain called Scotland, be it also enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the future Twice in the Year that is to say in the Months of April or May and in the Month of October Circuit Courts shall be kept in the several Places in the said Act mentioned and in Manner and Form as in the said Act contained.

IV.  
Circuit Courts kept in April or May, and in October.

And for the more uniform and expeditious Method of electing and returning Members of Parliament be it likewise further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That when any Parliament shall at any Time hereafter be summoned or called the Forty five Representatives of Scotland in the House of Commons of the Parliament of Great Britain shall be elected and chosen by Authority of the Queens Writs under the Great Seal of Great Britain directed to the several Sheriffs and Stewartes [of the respective Shires and Stewarties and the said several Sheriffs and Stewartes] shall on Receipt of such Writs forthwith give Notice of the Time of Election for the Knights or Commissioners for their respective Shires or Stewarties and at such Time of Election the several Freeholders in the respective Shires and Stewarties shall meet and assemble at the Head Burghs of their several Shires and Stewarties and proceed to the Election of their respective Commissioners or Knights for the Shire or Stewarty and the Clerks of the said Meetings immediately after the said Elections are over shall respectively return the Names of the Persons elected to the Sheriff or Stewart of the Shire or Stewarty who shall annex it to his Writ and return it with the same into the Court out of which the Writ issued. And as to the Manner of Election of the Fifteen Representatives of the Royal Burghs the Sheriffs of the Shire of Edinburgh shall on the Receipt of the Writ directed to him forthwith direct his Precinct to the Lord Provost of Edinburgh to cause a Burgess to be elected for that City and on Receipt of such Precinct the City of Edinburgh shall elect their Member and their Common Clerk shall certify his Name to the Sheriff of Edinburgh who shall annex it to his Writ and return it with the same into the Court from whence the Writ issued. And as to the other Royal Burghs divided into Fourteen Classes or Districts the Sheriffs or Stewartes of the several Shires and Stewarties shall on the Receipt of their several Writs forthwith direct their several Precincts to every Royal Burgh within their respective Shires or Stewarties residing therein the Contents of the Writ and the Date thereof and commanding them forthwith to elect each of them a Commissioner as they used formerly to elect Commissioners to the Parliament of Scotland and to order the said respective Commissioners to meet at the presiding Burgh of their respective District (namely the said presiding Burgh) upon the Thirtieth Day after the Day of the Toss of the Writ unless it be upon the Lords Day commonly called Sunday and then the next Day after and then to choose their Burgess for the Parliament and the Common Clerk of the said presiding Burgh shall immediately after the Election return the Name of the Person so elected to the Sheriff or Stewart of the Shire or Stewarty wherein such presiding Burgh is who shall annex it to his Writ and return it with the same into the Court from whence the Writ issued. And in case a Vacancy shall happen in Time of Parliament by the Death or legal Incapacity of any Member a new Member shall be elected in his Room conformable to the Method herein before appointed and in case such Vacancy be of a Representative for any one of the said Fourteen Classes or Districts of the said Royal Burghs that Burgh which presided at the Election of the deceased or disabled Member shall be the presiding Burgh at such new Election.

V.  
Election of Representatives of Scotland in the House of Commons.

Provided always That upon the issuing of Writs of Summons for the electing of a Parliament if any Shire or Stewarty wherein a Royal Burgh is hath not then a Turn or Right to elect a Commissioner or Knight of the Shire or Stewarty for that Parliament that then it shall be ordered out of the Writ directed to such Sheriff or Stewart to cause a Knight or Commissioner for that Shire or Stewarty to be elected for that Parliament.

VI.  
Proviso where Burghs, &c. have not a Turn to elect.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Roll.



CHAPTER XL<sup>(1)</sup>

*An Act for the Security of Her Majesty Person and Government and of the Succession to the Crown of Great Britain in the Protestant Line.*

**W**HEREAS by the happy Union of England and Scotland it is become necessary to make divers Alterations in relation to an Act passed in the Parliament of England in the Fourth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty whom God long preserve intitled *An Act for the better Security of Her Majesties Person and Government and of the Succession to the Crown of England in the Protestant Line* and to amend the Provisions of the said Act throughout the whole United Kingdom for the better Security of our most gracious Sovereign Person and Government and of the Succession to the Crown of Great Britain in the Protestant Line as it is now by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm [inserted<sup>(2)</sup>] limited and appointed Be it therefore enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if any Person or Persons shall maliciously advishly and directly by writing or printing maintain and affirm that our Sovereign Lady the Queen that now is is not the lawful and rightful Queen of these Realms or that the pretended Prince of Wales who now styles himself King of Great Britain or King of England by the Name of James the Third or King of Scotland by the Name of James the Eighth hath any Right or Title to the Crown of these Realms or [that<sup>(3)</sup>] any other Person or Persons hath or have any Right or Title to the same otherwise than according to an Act of Parliament made in England in the First Year of the Reign of Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary of ever blessed and glorious Memory intitled *An Act declaring the Rights and Liberties of the Subject and settling the Succession of the Crown* and one other Act made in England in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third intitled *An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject.* And the Acts lately made in England and Scotland mutually for the Union of the Two Kingdoms or that the Kings or Queens of this Realm with and by the Authority of Parliament are not able to make Laws and Statutes of sufficient Force and Validity to limit and bind the Crown and the Descent Limitation Inheritance and Government thereof every such Person or Persons shall be guilty of High Treason and being thereof lawfully convicted shall be adjudged Traytors and shall suffer Pains of Death and all Losses and Forfeitures as in Cases of High Treason.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall maliciously and directly by preaching truckling or advised speaking declare maintain and affirm that our Sovereign Lady the Queen that now is is not the lawful or rightful Queen of these Realms so that the pretended Prince of Wales who now styles himself King of Great Britain or King of England by the Name of James the Third or King of Scotland by the Name of James the Eighth hath any Right or Title to the Crown of these Realms or that any other Person or Persons hath or have any Right or Title to the same otherwise than according to an Act of Parliament made in England in the First Year of the Reign of Their said late Majesties King William and Queen Mary intitled *An Act declaring the Rights and Liberties of the Subject and settling the Succession of the Crown* and one other Act made in England in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled *An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject* and the Acts lately made in England and Scotland mutually for the Union of the Two Kingdoms or that the Kings or Queens of this Realm with and by the Authority of Parliament are not able to make Laws and Statutes of sufficient Force and Validity to limit and bind the Crown and the Descent Limitation Inheritance and Government thereof every such Person or Persons shall incur the Danger and Penalty of Perjury mentioned in the Statute of Perjury made in England in the Eleventh Year of the Reign of King Richard the Second.

**III.** *Limitation of Prosecution.* PROVIDED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person shall be prosecuted by virtue of this Act for any Words spoken unless the Information of such Words be given upon Oath to One or more Justice or Justices of the Peace within Three Days after such Words spoken and the Prosecution of such Offence be within Three Months after such Information and that no Person shall be convicted by virtue of this Act for any such Words spoken but by the Oaths of Two credible Witnesses.

**IV.** *Parliament not dissolved on Queen's Death.* *Proceedings.* AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this present Parliament or any other Parliament which shall hereafter be summoned and called by Her Majesty Queen Anne Her Heirs or Successors [shall<sup>(4)</sup>] not be dissolved or dissolved by the Death or Demise of Her said Majesty Her Heirs or Successors but such Parliament shall and is hereby enacted to continue and is hereby empowered and required if sitting at the Time of such Demise immediately to proceed to act notwithstanding such Death or Demise for and during the Term of Six Months and no longer unless the same be sooner prorogued or dissolved by such Person to whom the Crown of this Realm of Great Britain shall come remain and be according to the Acts for limiting and settling the Succession and for the Union above mentioned And if the said Parliament shall be prorogued then it shall meet and sit on and upon the Day upon which it shall be prorogued and continue for the Residue of the said Term of Six Months unless sooner prorogued or dissolved as aforesaid.

<sup>(1)</sup> This is Chapter VII. of Act in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>(2)</sup> inserted on the Roll.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if there be a Parliament in being at the Time of the Death of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors but the same happens to be separated by Adjournment or Prorogation such Parliament shall immediately after such Death meet convene and sit and shall sit notwithstanding such Death or Demise for and during the Time of Six Months and no longer unless the same shall be sooner prorogued or dissolved as aforesaid.

V  
When Parliament  
adjourned or the  
Death of the  
Sovereign  
Prorogued

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case there is no Parliament in being at the Time of such Demise that hath met and sat then the last preceding Parliament shall immediately convene and sit at Westminster and be a Parliament to continue as aforesaid to all Intents and Purposes as if the same Parliament had never been dissolved but subject to be prorogued and dissolved as aforesaid.

VI  
When no  
Parliament.

Parliament always and it is hereby declared That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to alter or abridge the Power of the Queen Her Heirs or Successors to prorogue or dissolve Parliaments nor to repeal or make void One Act of Parliament made in England in the Sixth Year of the Reign of Their said late Majesty King William and Queen Mary intitled An Act for the frequent Meeting and calling of Parliaments but that the said Act shall continue in force in every thing that is not contrary to or inconsistent with the Direction of this Act and the said Act for the frequent Meeting and calling of Parliaments is hereby declared and enacted to extend to the Parliament of Great Britain as fully and effectually to all Intents Constructions and Purposes as if the same were herein and hereby particularly recited and enacted.

VII  
Power for  
Prorogation, &c.  
and for that  
Act 6 W. & M. c. 2.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Privy Council of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors for the Kingdom of Great Britain shall not be determined or dissolved by the Death or Demise of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors but such Privy-Council shall continue and sit as such by the Space of Six Months next after such Demise unless sooner determined by the next Successor to whom the Imperial Crown of this Realm is limited and appointed to go remain and descend nor shall the Office or Place of Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain or of Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain Lord President of the Council for Great Britain Lord Privy Seal of Great Britain Lord High Admiral of Great Britain or of any of the Great Officers of the Queen or Kings Household for the Time being nor shall any Office Place or Employment Civil or Military within the Kingdoms of Great Britain or Ireland Dominion of Wales Towns of Berwick upon Tweed Isle of Jersey Guernsey Alderney and Sark or any of Her Majesties Plantations become void by reason of the Demise or Death of Her present Majesty Her Heirs or Successors Queens or Kings of this Realm but the said Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain the Lord President of the Council for Great Britain the Lord High Admiral of Great Britain the Great Officers of the Household and every other Person and Persons in any of the Office Places and Employments aforesaid shall continue in their respective Office Places and Employments for the Space of Six Months next after such Death or Demise unless sooner removed and discharged by the next Successor as aforesaid.

VIII.  
Privy Council not  
determined by  
Death of Sovereign  
and the Office  
herein mentioned

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Great Seal of Great Britain the Privy Seal Privy Signet and all other Publick Seals in being at the Time of the Demise of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall continue and be made use of as the respective Seals of the Successor and such Successor shall give Orders to the contrary.

IX  
Great Seal, &c.  
to continue.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That whenever Her Majesty (whom God long preserve) shall happen to demise and depart this Life without issue of Her Body the Privy Council for Great Britain in being at the Time of such Demise of Her Majesty shall with all convenient Speed cause the next Protestant Successor entitled to the Crown of Great Britain by virtue of the Acts before mentioned to be openly and solemnly proclaimed in Great Britain and Ireland in such Manner and Form as the preceding Kings and Queens respectively have usually proclaimed after the Demise of their respective Predecessors and that all and every Member and Members of the said Privy Council wilfully neglecting or refusing to cause such Proclamation to be made shall be guilty of High Treason and being thereof lawfully convicted shall be adjudged Traytors and shall suffer Pains of Death and all Losses and Forfeitures as in Cases of High Treason and also all and every (Officer and Officers within the said Kingdoms of Great Britain and Ireland who shall by the said Privy Council be required to make such Proclamations and shall wilfully refuse or neglect to make the same shall be guilty of High Treason and being thereof lawfully convicted shall be adjudged Traytors and shall suffer Pains of Death and all Losses and Forfeitures as in Cases of High Treason.

X.  
Privy Council to  
cause Successor to  
be proclaimed.

negligent, &c.  
Treason.

AND because it may happen that the next Protestant Successor may at the Time of such Demise of Her Majesty be out of the Realm of Great Britain in Parts beyond the Seas Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the continuing of the Administration of the Government in the Name of such Protestant Successor until Her or His Arrival in Great Britain the seven Officers herein after named who shall be in the Possession of their Office at the Time of such Demise of Her Majesty that is to say the Archbishop of Canterbury at that Time being the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain at that Time being the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain at that Time being the Lord President of the Council for Great Britain at that Time being [the Lord Privy Seal of Great Britain at that Time being] the Lord High Admiral of Great

XI  
Seven Officers  
appointed and  
sworn of next  
Protestant  
Successor

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Bill.

Britain at that Time being and the Lord Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench at that Time being shall be and are by virtue of this Act constituted and appointed Lords Justices of Great Britain and are and shall be by virtue of this Act empowered in the Name of such Successor and in Her and His said to use exercise and execute all Powers Authorities Matters and Acts of Government and Administration of Government in as full and ample Manner as such next Successor could use or execute the same if She or He were present in Person within this Kingdom of Great Britain until such Successor shall arrive or otherwise determine their Authority.

XII.  
The Person next in  
descent next,  
Among the Queens  
Lives, appoint  
Persons to act  
with the Lords  
Justices.

NEVERTHELESS be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Person who by the Limitation aforesaid is or shall be next to succeed to the Crown of this Realm in case of Her Majesty's Death without Issue shall and is hereby empowered at any Time during Her Majesty's Life by These Instruments under Her or His Hand and Seal revocable or to be altered at Her and His Will and Pleasure to nominate and appoint such and so many Persons being natural born Subjects of this Realm of Great Britain as She or He shall think fit to be added to the [Seven<sup>ty</sup>] Officers before named to be Lords Justices as aforesaid who shall be empowered by Authority of this Act to act with them as Lords Justices of Great Britain as fully and in the same Manner as if they had been herein particularly named which said Lords Justices or the major Part of them which shall assemble so as such major Part be not fewer than Five shall and may use and exercise all the Powers and Authorities before mentioned as fully and effectually to all intents and Purposes as if all of them had been assembled together and consulting.

XIII.  
How the Instruments  
by which  
such Appointment  
is to be made are  
to be kept and  
disposed of.

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Three Instruments revocable and to be altered as aforesaid shall be transmitted into Great Britain to the Resident of such Person next to succeed as aforesaid whose Credentials shall be enrolled in the High Court of Chancery and to the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain then seated up and after they are so transmitted shall be put into several Coffers which shall be severally sealed up with Three several Seals of such Resident and of the Archbishop of Canterbury and of the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain and One of them after it is so sealed up shall be lodged and deposited in the Hands of such Resident One other of them in the Hands of the said Archbishop of Canterbury and One other of them in the Hands of the Lord Chancellor or Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of Great Britain and that if the next Successor shall be minded to revoke or alter Her or His Nomination or Appointment made as aforesaid and shall by Three Writings of the same Tenor under Her or His Hand and Seal revoke the said Instruments deposited as aforesaid to be delivered up to some Person or Persons thereby authorized to receive the same then and in each Case the said Persons with whom the said Instruments shall be deposited and every of them and in case of any of their Deaths their Executors or Administrators respectively and every other Person in whose Custody any of the said Instruments shall happen to be shall deliver up the said Instruments accordingly and they are hereby respectively authorized and required [so<sup>th</sup>] to do and if any of the said Persons with whom the said Instruments shall be so deposited shall happen to die or be removed from their respective Offices or Employments during the Life of Her present Majesty such Person and Persons and in case of any of their Deaths their Executors or Administrators respectively and every other Person in whose Custody any of the said Instruments shall happen to be shall with all convenient Speed deliver such of them as shall be in his or their Custody to the Successor or Successors of the Person so dying or removed as aforesaid which said several Instruments so sealed up and deposited as aforesaid shall immediately after the Death of Her Majesty without Issue be brought before the Privy Council whose the same shall be forthwith opened and read and afterwards enrolled in the High Court of Chancery.

XIV.  
Notwithstanding,  
to produce such  
Instruments.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any of the said Persons with whom the said Instruments shall be deposited as aforesaid or any of their Executors or Administrators or any other Person in whose Custody the same shall happen to be after the Deaths of any of the said Persons shall open any of the said Instruments or shall wilfully neglect or refuse to produce before the said Privy Council as aforesaid such of the said Instruments as shall be in his or their Custody as aforesaid every such Person so opening neglecting or refusing shall incur the Pains and Penalties of a Felony inflicted by the said Statute of Premises.

XV.  
One Instrument  
official.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if all the said Instruments deposited as aforesaid shall not be produced before the said Privy Council as aforesaid then any One or more of the said Instruments so produced as aforesaid shall be as effectual to give such Authority as aforesaid to the Persons therein named as if all of them had been produced as aforesaid and if there be not any Nomination by such Instruments then the said Seven Officers or any Five of them are constituted and appointed to be Lords Justices of Great Britain and are hereby invested with the Powers and Authorities mentioned in this Act.

XVI.  
Persons for  
Appointment  
already made by  
such Instruments.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Nomination and Appointment already made by the next Successor signified by such Instruments deposited as aforesaid pursuant to the said Statute Act for the better Security of Her Majesties Person and Government and of the Succession to the Crown of England in the Protestant Line shall be deemed and taken to be as effectual for constituting and appointing the Persons so nominated Lords Justices of England to be Lords Justices of Great Britain to all intents Constitutions and Purposes as if such Nomination and Appointment were made pursuant to this Act.

And be it further enacted That the said *Leeds Justices* constituted as aforesaid shall not dissolve the Parliament assembled and ordered to assemble and so as aforesaid without express Direction from such succeeding Queen or King and that the said *Leeds Justices* shall be and are hereby restrained and disabled from giving the Royal Assent to any Bill or Bills for the repealing or altering the Act made in England in the Thirtieth and Fourteenth Years of the Reign of King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the Uniformity of Publick Prayers and Administration of Sacraments and other Rites and Ceremonies and for establishing the Form for making ordaining and consecrating Bishops Priests and Deacons in the Church of England or the Act made in Scotland in the last Session of Parliament these Intituled Act for securing the Protestant Religion and Presbyterian Church government and all and every the said *Leeds Justices* concerning in giving the Royal Assent to any Bill or Bills for repealing or altering the said Acts or either of them shall be guilty of High Treason and suffer and forfeit as in Cases of High Treason

XVII.  
Persons as to  
Leeds Justices  
mentioned in  
Act.

Stat. 14 Geo. II.  
c. 4.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said *Leeds Justices* before they act or intermeddle in their said Office or any of the Authorities hereby to them given shall take the Oaths mentioned in an Act made in England in the First Year of the Reign of Their late Majesty King William and Queen Mary intitled an Act for strengthening the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy and appointing other Oaths and also the Oaths herein after expressed and enacted to be taken after the Death of Her Majesty without Issue of her Body which said Oaths shall be taken before the Privy Council appointed to continue by virtue of this Act who are hereby required and empowered to administer the same and that all the Members of both Houses of Parliament and every Member of the Privy Council and all Officers or Persons in any Office Place or Employment Civil or Military who are or shall be by this Act continued as aforesaid shall take the said Oaths and do all other Acts requisite by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm to qualify themselves to be and continue in such their respective [Places?] Offices and Employments within such Time and in such Manner and under such Pain Penalties and Disabilities as they should or ought to do had they been newly elected appointed constituted or put into such Office Place or Employment in the usual and ordinary way.

XVIII.  
Leeds Justices  
take the Oaths of  
Stat. 1 W. & M.  
c. 2. and also  
the Oaths herein  
mentioned.

And be it hereby further enacted and declared That all and every the Persons that shall be any of the *Leeds Justices* by virtue of this Act shall be deemed and taken as Persons executing Office of Trust within England and shall be required to do all Acts requisite by the Laws and Statutes of England to qualify themselves to be and continue in their said Office or Place of Trust within such Time and in such Manner and under such Pain Penalties and Disabilities as in and by the said Act are required.

XIX.  
Leeds Justices  
taken as executing  
Officers of Trust.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Death of Her Majesty without Issue of Her Body instead of the Oath appointed to be taken by the Act intitled An Act for the further Security of Her Majesty Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors and for declaring the Association to be detested (!) the following Oath shall be taken by all Persons required by the said Act to take the said Oath therein expressed and hereby altered and changed (that is to say)

XX.  
From the Queen's  
Death without  
Issue, the Oath  
appointed to be  
taken instead of  
the Oath of Stat.  
1 Ann. c. 16.

I A. B. do truly and sincerely acknowledge profess testify and declare in my Conscience before God and the World our Sovereign

is lawful and rightful

Majesty Dominions and Countries whatsoever belonging And I do solemnly and sincerely declare that I do believe in my Conscience that the Person pretended to be Prince of Wales during the Life of the late King James and since his Death pretending to be and taking upon himself the Title and Title of King of England by the Name of James the Third hath not any Right or Title whatsoever to the Crown of this Realm or any other the Dominions thereto belonging And I do renounce refuse and abjure any Allegiance or Obedience to him And I do swear that I will bear Faith and true Allegiance to and will defend to the utmost of my Power against all traitorous Conspiracies and Attempts whatsoever which shall be made against Person

Crown or Dignity And I will do my utmost Endeavour to disclose and make known to Majesty and Successors all Traitors and traitorous Conspiracies which I shall know to be against or any of

them And I do faithfully promise to the utmost of my Power to support maintain and defend the Succession of the Crown against him the said James and all other Persons whatsoever in the name by an Act intitled An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject in and under the Title of the Princess Sophia Electress and Duchess Dowager of Hanover and the Heirs of her Body being Protestants And all these Things I do plainly and sincerely acknowledge and swear according to these express Words by me spoken and according to the plain and common Sense and Understanding of the same Words without any Equivocation mental Excession or secret Reservation whatsoever And I do make this Recognition Acknowledgment Abjuration Renunciation and Promise heartily willingly and truly upon the true Faith of a Christian.

So help me GOD.

The Words of which Oath shall be filled up with the Name of Her or Him as Queen or King who shall be next in Succession according to the said Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject when the said Oath is to take place and with the other proper Additions of the Words Her His or Him and from and after the Death of the said pretended Prince of Wales those Words following viz. [And I do solemnly and sincerely declare that I do believe in my Conscience that the Person

\* checked on the Roll

\* The Title as here stated, it is conceived must be correct of Stat. 1 Ann. c. 16, that not appear to be correct.

pretended to be Prince of Wales during the Life of the late King James and since his Decree pretending to be and taking upon himself the Title and Title of King of England by the Name of James the Third hath not any Right or Title whatsoever to the Crown of that Realm or any other the Dominions thence belonging And I do renounce refuse and abjure any Allegiance or Obedience to him shall be left out and also the Words [against him the said James and all other Persons whatsoever] shall be omitted and in stead thereof shall be inserted [against all Persons whatsoever]

XXII.  
How the Successor  
may use the Seal  
used by him before  
his Arrival in  
Great Britain.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such next succeeding Queen or King shall and may make use of any Seal to affix to any Writing or Instruments which She or He shall before Her or His arrival in Great Britain make and put to execute and do or cause to be executed or done any Royal Act and it being signed by such Writing or Instrument that the same shall have the same effect as if passed under the Great Seal of Great Britain or any other Publick Seal used there the same shall be of the same force and effect as if it were actually sealed by the Great Seal of Great Britain or such other Publick Seal which the same is declared to be intended to have the force and effect of in such Writing or Instruments.

XXIII.  
Persons for Public  
must called before  
such Arrival.

AND be it further [declared and] enacted That if after the Death of Her Majesty without Issue and before the Arrival of any succeeding Queen or King in Great Britain any Parliament shall be called by the Lords Justice by Writs issued in their Names by the Arrival of such succeeding Queen or King in Great Britain such Parliament shall not be dissolved but after such Arrival shall proceed without any new Summons.

XXIII.  
Persons for the said  
Seven Offices being  
in Commission to  
the Death of the  
Queen

PROVIDED always That if any of the aforesaid Seven Offices other than the Office of Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain shall be in Commission at the Time of such Death of Her Majesty That then the Five Commissioners of such respective Commission shall be One of the said Lords Justices of Great Britain and six persons and exercise all Powers Authorities Matters and Acts of Government by the Act voted in the said Lords Justices of Great Britain according to the Directions and Provisions of this Act in as full and ample Manner as if such Office or Offices were in the Hands of a single Person Provided that if there be no Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain and the Office of Treasurer of the Exchequer shall be in Commission then the First in that Commission shall be One of the Lords Justices of Great Britain

XXIV.  
Contract new Offices  
and others having  
issued out to be in  
Parliament.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person who shall have in his own Name or in the Name of any Person or Persons in Trust for him or for his Benefit any new Office or Place of Profit whatsoever under the Crown which at any Time since the Five and twentieth Day of October in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five have been created or created or hereafter shall be created or created nor any Comptroller of the Accounts of the Army nor any Commissioner of Transports nor any Commissioner of the sick and wounded nor any Agent for any Regiment nor any Commissioner for any Wine License nor any Governor [or] Deputy Governor of any of the Plantations nor any Commissioners of the Navy employed in any of the said Parts nor any Person having any Person from the Crown during Pleasure shall be capable of being elected or sitting or voting as a Member of the House of Commons in any Parliament which shall be hereafter summoned and holden.

XXV.  
Persons as to  
Members accepting  
Office of Profit

PROVIDED always That if any Person being chosen a Member of the House of Commons shall accept of any Office of Profit from the Crown during such Time as he shall continue a Member his Election shall be and is hereby declared to be void and a new Writ shall issue for a new Election as if such Person so accepting was naturally dead Provided nevertheless that such Person shall be capable of being again elected as if his Place had not become void as aforesaid.

XXVI.  
Number of  
Commissioners for  
managing any  
Office.

PROVIDED also and be it enacted That in order to prevent for the future too great a Number of Commissioners to be appointed or constituted for the managing of any Office that no greater Number of Commissioners shall be made or constituted for the Execution of any Office than have been employed in the Execution of such respective Office at some Time before the First Day of this present Parliament

XXVII.  
Persons for Offices  
in the Army or  
Navy being

PROVIDED also That nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to extend to any Member of the House of Commons being an Officer in Her Majesty's Navy or Army who shall receive any new or other Commission in the Navy or Army respectively.

XXVIII.  
Dissolved Persons  
sitting in Parli-  
ment

AND be it further enacted That if any Person hereby disabled or declared to be incapable to sit or vote in any Parliament hereafter to be holden shall nevertheless be returned as a Member to serve for any County Borough City Town or Cinque Port in any such Parliament such Election and Return are hereby enacted and declared to be void in all Issues and Purposes whatsoever And if any Person disabled or declared incapable by this Act to be elected shall after the Dissolution or Determination of this present Parliament presume to sit or vote as a Member of the House of Commons in any Parliament to be hereafter summoned such Person so sitting or voting shall forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pounds to be recovered by such Person as shall sue for the same in England by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information wherein no Ensign Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed and only One Imparison.

Penalty of five

Also he is further enacted and declared That every Person *disabled* to be elected or to sit or vote in the House of Commons of any Parliament of England shall be disabled to be elected or to sit or vote in the House of Commons of any Parliament of Great Britain.

XXX.

(<sup>1</sup>) Also he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person who now is a Commissioner for disposing the Sum of Three hundred twenty eight thousand and eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings and all other Sums arising or to be received by way of Equivalent upon the Agreement and to the Purposes mentioned in the Articles of Union of the Two Kingdoms shall sit or by reason of such Commission or any other Commission for disposing the said Equivalent or any Part thereof or the Execution of any such Commission or any thing relating thereto be disabled from being elected a Member of Parliament or sitting or voting as such in this or any future Parliaments.

XXX.  
Commissioners of  
the Equivalent for  
Scotland not  
disabled from sitting  
in Parliaments.

## CHAPTER XLII.

An Act for repairing and enlarging the Highways between the Top of Kingsdown Hill and the City of Bath and also several other Highways leading to and through the said City and for cleaning paving and lighting the Streets and regulating the Chariots there.

See Part.  
5 Ann. c. 5 = 7.

WHEREAS the City of Bath is a Place of very great Resort from all Parts of this Kingdom of Great Britain and from Foreign Parts for the Use and [Benefit of the<sup>2</sup>] Baths and drinking the Mineral Waters there And whereas the greatest Part of the Highway between the Top of Kingsdown Hill and the said City of Bath leading through the Parish of Box in the County of Wilt and the Parishes of Berleford Bathaston Swantonwick and Walcott in the said County of Somerset being about Five Miles in Length and being the ancient Road between London and Bath and also the City of Bristol through the said City of Bath And whereas the greatest Part of one other Highway between the Top of Old Down alias Oldmoor Downs Hill and the said City of Bath leading through the Parish of Walscombe in the said County of Somerset being about One Mile and an Half in Length and being the ancient Road between the Cities of Worcester and Gloucester the Towns of Tedbury Goadbury and Milnstrbury through the said City of Bath to the Towns of Gloucestershire Bridgewater Irthlingham Somerset and Taunton and the Cities of Wells and Exeter And whereas the greatest Part of one other Highway between the Parish Church of Tiverton alias Tiverton in the said County of Somerset and the said City of Bath leading through the said Parish of Twilwreton alias Tiverton and Walscombe being about One Mile and an Half in Length and being one of the ancient Roads from the City of Bath to the City of Bristol And whereas the greatest Part of one other Highway between the Top of Entry Hill and the said City of Bath leading through the said Parish of Walscombe being about One Mile and an Half in Length and being the ancient Road between the City of New Sarum and the said City of Bath And whereas the greatest Part of one other Highway between the Top of Claverton alias Clerton Down and the said City of Bath leading also through the said Parish of Walscombe being about One Mile in Length and being the ancient Road between the Towns of Trowbridge and Bradford to the said City of Bath And whereas the greatest Part of one other Highway between the Top of Landsdown Hill and the said City of Bath leading through the Parish of Charlcombe in the said County of Somerset and the said Parish of Walcott being about One Mile in Length and being the ancient Road between the said Cities of Worcester Gloucester [and<sup>3</sup>] City of Oxford and the Northern Parts of Great Britain through the said City of Bath to the said Towns of Gloucestershire Bridgewater Irthlingham Somerset and Taunton and the said Cities of Wells and Exeter And whereas the greatest Part of one other Highway between Larkbrook and the said City of Bath leading through the Parish of Weston in the said County of Somerset and the said Parish of Walcott being about One Mile in Length and being one other of the ancient Roads between Bristol and London leading through the said City of Bath and (<sup>4</sup>) all of these ancient Roads for Coaches Carts Waggon and other Carriages by reason of the great and many Loads and heavy Carriages of Goods and other Things which are weekly drawn through the same and do not only relax to the Trade of the Bath but of the City of Bristol and several Towns in adjacent Counties and being also in every Place in the said [several<sup>5</sup>] Ways very narrow and unsuitable inasmuch that it is become very Dangerous to all Persons Horses and Cattle that pass those Ways and for that the ordinary Causes appointed by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm is not sufficient for the effectual repairing and mending the same neither are the Inhabitants of the several Parishes in which the said several Places of the said several and respective Roads do lie in any way of Ability to repair the same without some other Provision be had or made for putting the same into good and sufficient Repair For Remedy whereof and to the intent the same may be forthwith effectually repaired and amended and from time to time hereafter kept in good Repair May it please Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That for the surveying<sup>6</sup> ordering repairing and keeping in Repair the said several Places in the said several and respective Roads Two or more [of the<sup>7</sup>] Justices of the Peace of the nearest Parts or Divisions for the County of Somerset and Two or more of the Justices of the Peace of the nearest Parts [or<sup>8</sup>] Divisions of the bordering County of Gloucester and One or more of the Justices of the Peace for the

Reason for passing  
this Act.

Justices of Peace  
of Wilt.  
Somersetshire, and  
Gloucestershire  
to meet at the  
Quarrel of the  
City of Bath, and  
adjacent Divisions.

<sup>1</sup> inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

<sup>2</sup> introduced in the Bill.

<sup>3</sup> the O.

<sup>4</sup> being O.

<sup>5</sup> and O.

said City of Bath shall and may assemble and meet at the Guildhall of the said City within Four Months next after the passing of this Act and shall and may or Seven or more of the said Justices as aforesaid shall and may then and so from time to time in every Year nominate and appoint a convenient Number of sufficient and able Persons residing and inhabiting in or near the respective nearest Places of the said Roads to be mended as aforesaid to be the several and respective Surveyors of the respective Places aforesaid for the Year from thence next ensuing

II.  
Notice to be given  
to Persons chosen  
Surveyors, who are  
to meet and act  
accordingly as  
herein mentioned.

And that the said Justices shall cause Notice to be given to the several Surveyors so chosen in Writing of their said Choice which said Surveyors and every of them having no legal Impediment to be allowed by the said Justices by whom they shall be chosen in Manner as aforesaid or any Seven or more of the said Justices as aforesaid within One Week next after such Notice to him or them given of their Election shall and are hereby required respectively to meet in some convenient Place within their several and respective Districts for which they are respectively appointed Surveyors to the intent to view and survey the said respective relevant Places and consider the Defects thereof and the best Method and Means that can be used for the repairing and also the several Sums that will be necessary for making good the same and make their respective Certificates thereof in Writing under their Hands to the said Justices of the Peace at their next Meeting

III.  
Justices to meet  
quarterly for  
executing Act.

Whereas said Justices of the Peace or any Seven or more of them are hereby required to meet Four Times in every Year for the better and more perfect putting this Act in Execution at the Guildhall in the City aforesaid who thereupon shall and may make such Order or Orders in and about the same as to them shall seem good which said Order or Orders as to be made shall be by the said respective Surveyors and all other Persons concerned in putting this Act in Execution duly observed and performed

IV.  
Surveyors em-  
powered to require  
Persons, and also  
Cows, &c. to work  
in the Highways  
as herein mentioned;  
and pay for the  
same.  
Three Justices may  
make Difference

And the said respective Surveyors are hereby empowered to appoint and require such Cows Waggons and Persons who are liable to work in the Highways by the Statutes already in force from time to time to work in the said several and respective Places as they shall think needful and appon for which the said respective Surveyors shall pay to such Labourers and to the Owners of such Cows Waggons Teams and Wares according to the usual Rate of the Country wherein if any Difference happens the same to be settled by any Three next Justices of the Peace which Settlement is to be conclusive to all Parties

V.  
Dwelling House  
work.

Provided nevertheless That no Person be compellible by this Act to travel above Four Miles from his Dwelling House nor to work above Two Days in any One Week at any Time in Seed Time Hay Time or Corn Harvest

VI.  
Surveyors may dig  
and carry Gravel,  
&c. out of Waste,  
&c.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Surveyors and such Person and Persons as they shall appoint to dig take and carry away Gravel Sand or Stones out of the Waste or Common of any of the Parishes Towns Hamlets or Villages where any of the said relevant Places shall or do lie and in any other Parishes Town Hamlets or Villages next adjacent for the mending thereof without paying any thing for the same And where there is not sufficient of such Materials in any Commons or Waste Grounds near adjoining to dig or gather in the several Grasslands of any Person or Persons (not being an House Garden Orchard Yard or Meadow or Avenue to or for a House) where any such Materials are or may be found and from time to time to carry away such and so much thereof as the Surveyors in their respective Places shall adjudge necessary for the amending the said several and respective relevant Places without paying any thing for such Materials save only such reasonable Satisfaction to the Owner or Occupier of the Ground where the same shall be so digged gathered and carried away as for the Damage which he or they shall thereby sustain to be assessed and adjudged by the said Justices of the Peace or any Seven or more of them at the quarterly Meeting in case of Difference concerning the same and that the Pits and Places where and from whence such Materials shall be digged and carried away for the Reparations aforesaid shall with all convenient Speed be filled up and levelled with Earth Rubbish or other Materials as shall be thought meet by order of the said Justices or any Seven or more of them

and where not  
sufficient as Waste,  
&c. then in private  
Grounds;  
(Exception.)

making Satisfaction  
to Owners, &c.  
to be assessed by  
Seven Justices at  
quarterly Meeting,  
in case of Difference.  
Pits, &c. order-  
ed to be filled up, &c.

## VII

And whereas some Part of the said several and respective Highways before particularly mentioned are so very narrow that during the Time of the amending of the said Highways there will not be Room sufficient for the Passage of Cattle Waggons and Carriages that shall be then drove through the same without hindering and disturbing the Workmen that shall be there employed and prejudicing and diminishing their Work before it be performed and completed it is therefore further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Justices or any Seven or more of them at their quarterly Meeting shall have Power to enlarge or widen any Part of the said Highways so that the Ground to be taken into the said Highways do not exceed Twenty Yards in Breadth and that the [said] Power do not extend to pull down any House or to take away the Ground of any Garden Orchard Court or Yard And for the Satisfaction of the Persons who are Owners of or may be lawfully in the said Ground and that shall be had into the said Highways the said Justices are hereby empowered to impound a Jury before whom and to administer an Oath to the said Jury that they will assess such Damages to be given and Recompense to be made to the Owners and others interested in the said Ground Rent or Charge respectively for their respective Injuries as they shall think reasonable either for the absolute Purchase of such Land to become Part of the said

Seven Justices at  
quarterly Meeting  
may widen High-  
ways

not to pull down  
House, &c.  
Jury to assess  
Damages

Highways for ever or for the Use only of such Land or Ground during the Time of the Amendment and Repair of the said Highways as aforesaid and in case the said Justice shall think it reasonable so lay such Land to the said several and respective Highways for ever then such Jury shall assess a Price for the same not exceeding Twenty five Years purchase for the Lands so laid out and shewing such Reasonance as they shall think reasonable for the making of a new Ditch and Fence on that Side of the Highway or Highways that shall be so alleged and also Satisfaction to any Person that may be otherwise injured by the laying of the said Highways and upon Payment of the said Money so awarded or leaving it in the Hands of the Clerk of the Peace of the said City for the Time being for the Use of the Owner or of others interested in the said Ground the lowest of the said persons in the said Ground Rent or Charge shall be for ever directed out of them and the said Ground and all other Grounds that shall be laid into any or either of the said Highways by virtue of this Act shall be assessed and taken to be a Publick Highway to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever unless after the Amendments of the said several and respective Highways are finished the said Justice shall think it reasonable and the said Party and Parties so directed shall desire to take back their Lands that shall be so laid into the said Highways as aforesaid on such Terms as any Jury so to be impanelled as aforesaid shall think fit to allow them for the Damage they have sustained by reason of the Passage of the Cowsen Waggons and Carriages going over their Lands during the Time of the Amendment of the said Highways as aforesaid.

either for the  
Purchase or Use  
of Lands, &c.

Type Payment of  
Damage awarded  
to Clerk of the  
Peace.

Ground, &c. taken  
to be Part of the  
Highway.

Persons for receiving  
Lands taken to  
Common.

And for defraying the Charges in and about the Reparations to be done in the several and respective Places aforesaid be it further enacted That the said Justice or any Seven or more of them at their First or Second Meeting after the Commencement of this Act shall and may choose and appoint One or more fit Person or Persons to be Receiver or Receivers Collectors or Collectors of such [Sum] or Sums of Money in the Name of Toll to be paid for all such Horses Carts Cowsen Chaises Caravan Waggons Wains or any other Carriage drawn by One Two or more Horses or Horses Ox or Oxen Mule or Mules and for Sheep Lamb Drivers of Oxen or Neat Cattle or Paddocks as in Time to come shall be laid pass or be driven in or through the said several and respective Way or Ways as we herein after limited (that is to say)

VIII.  
Says Justice at  
quarterly Meeting  
may choose Col-  
lector of Toll.

For every Stage Coach or Hackney Coach whether belonging to the said City of Bath or any other Place One Shilling

For every other Coach Calash Chaise or other Chaise driven by more than Two Horses One Shilling and for all other Coaches Calash Chaises or Chaises drawn by One or Two Horses only Six Pence

For every Wagon Cart Caravan or Wain drawn upon Four Wheels One Shilling

For every other Carriage for Burthen drawn upon Two Wheels only Six Pence

For every other Horse One Penny

For every Score of Sheep Lamb or Swine Five Pence and so proportionally for every greater or lesser Number

For every Score of Oxen and Neat Cattle Ten Pence and so proportionally for every greater or lesser Number

And that from and after the passing of this Act all and every Person and Persons who shall travel with Horse Coach Chaise Calash Chaise Caravan Cart Wain or Wagon or shall lead or drive any Oxen Sheep Swine or other Cattle before mentioned in and through the several and respective Highway or Highways aforesaid shall and are hereby required to pay unto the said Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers of Toll in that Behalf from time to time to be appointed as aforesaid after the Rate aforesaid the Place or Places for collecting the said Tolls to be in or upon the said Highway or Highways leading to the said City of Bath by setting up a Toll House or Houses a Turnpike or Turnpikes or Gates or otherwise as the Justice of the Peace at their next Meeting after the passing this Act shall direct and appoint

Tolls to be paid  
to Collectors

Turnpike to be  
set up as directed.

And in case any Person or Persons upon Demand made of Toll as aforesaid by the Collector or Receiver in that Behalf to be appointed for the Receipt of the said Toll upon such Refusal to detain and detain such Horse Mule Cart Coach Chaise Calash Chaise Caravan Wagon Cart or Wain or other Carriage Oxen Swine or Sheep or other Cattle before mentioned or any of them until the said Toll shall be satisfied and paid according to the Terms of this Act together with such Damages as the Party or Parties shall sustain in and about the making the said Demand or by the keeping thereof And in case the same shall not be satisfied and paid within the Space of Five Days next after such Demand made then and not sooner a shall and may be lawful to and for the Party making the said Demand to sell the same including the Overplus (if any be) to the Owner or Owners which said Money so to be received for Toll as aforesaid shall be paid to the said Surveyors for and towards the Amendment of the said several Places in the said Highways where such Toll is placed according to the use Making thereof and not elsewhere

IX.  
If Persons refuse  
to pay

Damages.

If not paid in Four  
Days afterwards

Damages and  
Application of  
Toll.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Surveyors and every of them and also the said Collectors or Receivers at the Meeting of the said Justice or any Seven or more of them (who are hereby required to meet every Year in Whitsun Week) shall yearly at that Meeting make and yield up unto the said Justice of the Peace there to be assembled at the Place aforesaid a plain and perfect Account in Writing signed by every of them respectively of all the Money which they or any [or either] of them have respectively received for the said respective Tolls by virtue of this Act and likewise of all their Disbursements in and about the said

X.  
Surveyors and  
Collectors to  
account yearly to  
Justice.

\* such Q.

\* ascertained on the Roll.



upon Oath.

Compels to be paid  
to Treasurer,  
and applied to the  
Purpose of Act.

XII.

Justices to make  
Allowance to  
Surveyors and  
Persons attending  
Meeting.

and to the Clerk of  
the Peace for Bath.

XIII.

Collectors and  
paying to Sur-  
veyors.

and Surveyors not  
according to  
paying according to  
the Direction of  
Justices.

continued to

County Goals, and  
Assessors and  
Payment.

XIII.

Majesty of Sur-  
veyors may re-  
ceive the Tolls.

Interest at all gas

Cost, per Acre.

XIV.

Persons neglecting  
to, or take the  
Office of Surveyor.

to be not duly  
shown,  
Penalty.

Appointment of

new Surveyor in  
such Case, or in  
case of Death.

XV.

Penalties paid to  
Surveyors, and  
applied to High-  
ways.

XVI.

In Action for  
executing Act,  
General Issue may  
be pleaded.

respective Highway or Highways or otherwise by reason of their Office and shall then and there upon their respective oaths which the said Justices are hereby empowered to administer depose that the Accounts so delivered in by them as a true Account as to what relates to each and every of them respectively And in case any Overplus of Money received remains in their Hands shall pay the same to the Surveyor or Surveyors to be chosen for the Year ensuing to be disbursed and laid out in mending the said respective Roads according to the true Meaning of this Act and not elsewhere or otherwise

(Whom said Justices to whom such Account shall be given at the said Meeting) shall out of the Benefit of the said respective Tolls make such Allowance unto the said several and respective Surveyors for and in Consideration of their Care and Pains taken in Execution of their Office and to such Person or Persons who have been or shall be meeting in and about mending the said Highways to be mended as aforesaid by advancing or laying out any Monies or otherwise aiding therunto And likewise to the said Clerk of the Peace for the said City of Bath for his Attendance on the said Justices at their quarterly Meetings and for such Services as he shall perform for them in the Prosecution and Execution of this Act as to them shall seem good

AND in case the Collectors or Receivers of the aforesaid Tolls so to be paid as aforesaid shall not upon Request duly pay the same unto the said several and respective Surveyors for the Time being so to be appointed as aforesaid or in case the said Surveyors on any or either of them shall not make such Account and Payment as aforesaid or in case the said Person or Persons according to the Order Direction and Appointment of the said Justices in aforesaid that then in either of the Cases aforesaid the said Justices or any Seven or more of them at their Meeting shall make Enquiry concerning such Default as well by Confession of the said Parties themselves as by Testimony of One or more credible Witnesses or Witnesses upon Oath (which Oath they are hereby empowered to administer) and if any Person or Persons shall be thereof convicted the said Justices upon such Conviction shall commit the Party or Parties so convicted to the Common Goal of either of the said Counties aforesaid there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until he or they shall have made a true and perfect Account and Payment as aforesaid and shall appoint such other Person or Persons to act in his or their Place or Places as the said Justices shall think fit.

AND Enacted as the Money so to be collected by such Receipt of the said Tolls will not at present raise such a Stock or Stock Sums or Sums of Money as may be sufficient for the speedy repairing the Parishes It is further enacted That the said Surveyors of the several and respective Highways or the major Part of them for the Time being may and are hereby enabled by Order of the said Justices to be made at such their Meeting and not otherwise to engage the Profits arising by the said respective Tolls for such Sums or Sums of Money by them to be borrowed for that Purpose and by Indenture under the Hands and Seals of the said Surveyors for the Time being or the major Part of them belonging to such their respective Highway or Highways to transfer the said Profits of the said Tolls or Tolls and to grant or convey the same for any Term or Term during the Continuance of this Act unto any Person or Persons that shall or will upon that Security advance any Sum or Sums of Money on Interest for the same not exceeding the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum for every Hundred Pounds which said Money so to be advanced shall be distributed by the said Justices at their Meeting for the Purpose aforesaid and not otherwise

AND he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons not having any lawful Excuse to be allowed as aforesaid shall neglect or refuse to take upon him or them the said Office of Surveyor being therunto nominated and chosen as by this Act is appointed or to do or perform his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution of this Act the said Justices at their Meeting shall and may and lawfully have power to impose on such Person or Persons on refusing or neglecting any Fine or Fines not exceeding Five Pounds and to cause the same to be levied by Distress and Sale of his or their Goods vendible to the Party the Overplus (if any be) And then and in such Case or in case of the Death of any such Surveyor or Surveyors some other Person or Persons shall be appointed by Seven or more Justices of the Peace that live near to the Party or Parties so dying neglecting or refusing and such other Person or Persons so to be appointed by the said Justices are hereby required to execute their said Office in such Manner and under such Penalties as if they had been chosen by the Justices at their Meeting as aforesaid.

AND he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Fines and Forfeitures to be imposed [and] incurred by virtue of this Act shall be paid to the Surveyors for the Time being where such Fines and Forfeitures shall be imposed or incurred for and towards the repairing of the said various Places in the said Highway or Highways wherein such Surveyor or Surveyors belongs according to the true Meaning of this Act and not to any other Person or Person or to or for any other Use or Uses Interest or Purpose whatsoever.

AND he is further enacted by Authority aforesaid That if any Action Suit Point or Information shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance [or in execution] of this Act such Person or Persons as used in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue Not Guilty and upon any Issue joined may give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or

Prosecutor shall become Nonsuit or forbear further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendant shall recover Treble Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in any Case where Costs by Law are given to Defendants.

Treble Costs.

Provideth always and it is the true Intent and Meaning of this Act That from time to time during the Continuance thereof the Persons Horses Coaches Chaises Calashes Chaises Carriages Carts Wains Waggones Oxen Sheep Swine or other Cattle becomg also particularly expressed and declared shall be exempted and is hereby assigned and discharged from paying Toll (due in to say) all and every Person or Persons having Occasion to pass the Place or Places where the Toll is taken and return the same Day before Nine of the Clock at Night between the Months of October and February and before Eleven of the Clock at Night during the other Months of the Year with the same Horses or Horses Coach Chariot Calash Chaise Carriage Waggon Cart or Wain or other Carriages or with the same Cattle Sheep or Swine shall not be compelled the same Day to pay the same or any other Toll a Second Time

XVII.  
Exemption from Toll.

Persons going through Twice the same Day.

And that all Horses Coaches Chaises Calashes and Chaises which shall pass out of the said City of Bath through any or either of the said Tolls with any Person or Persons for taking the Ale or for Recreation shall if they return the same Day into the said City be exempted and excused and is and are hereby declared to be exempted and excused from paying any thing at the said Toll for their so passing and repassing as aforesaid so as he or they pay the Duty or Toll appointed by this Act at his or their going out or from the said City of Bath through any or either of the said Tolls and returning to the said City the same Day such Person or Persons so paying and returning as aforesaid shall at such their Return be admitted by and receive back from the Toll Keeper who received the same such full Toll so paid and departed at his or their going out

Persons going out of Bath in Carriages for the Ale, if they return the same Day.  
Depositing Toll.

as to be returned to them.

And further that all Horses which shall pass and repass to and from the River Avon through the said Tolls or either of them to be washed or watered

Horses passing to Water.

And all Horses which shall pass or repass through the said Tolls or either of them to be put to grass or be brought or drove from Grass

as to Grass.

And all Horses which shall pass and repass through the said Tolls or either of them with Wheat Malt or any other Grains to any or either of the Water Mills within One Mile from such Toll for the grinding or beating and bringing back the same into the said City

as with Malt or Grains to or from Water Mills.

And all Horses Asses or Mules laden with Coal or Wood for Firing coming through any or either of the said Tolls with Coal or Wood for Firing are exempted and are hereby declared to be exempted and excused from paying any thing at the said Toll or Tolls for their passing and repassing as aforesaid.

as with Coal or Wood for Firing.

And further also that all and every Person and Persons passing or repassing through the Place or Places appointed for receiving the Tolls aforesaid with Horses Waggones Carts or any other Carriages laden with Stones Lime or Gravel for pitching or paving of the Streets and Lanes of the said City of Bath only and for no other Use or Purpose whatsoever

as with Stones, &c. for paving.

And also such as to pass or repass with any Dung Mould Rubbish or Soil of any Manner or Kind soever And that all Carts or Waggones with Hay at Hay Time not going to any Place Fair or Market to be sold or Cured in the Straw at Harvest or Boughs Harvest and other Implements of Husbandry and all Horses or Oxen carrying or drawing the same shall pass to and fro through the said Place where the said Tolls are to be received as aforesaid without paying any thing for their respective passing through the same

as with Dung or Hay for Market, &c. or Implements of Husbandry.

And that it shall and may be lawful to and for all and every Soldier and Soldiers upon their March and all Horses Carts Carriages and Waggones attending them and all Persons riding Post to pass through the said Place or Places or either of them where the said Tolls or either of them is to be collected without paying any thing for their passing. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding

XVIII.  
Soldiers, &c. upon March, and Persons riding Post.

Provideth also That all and every Person and Persons who by Law are chargeable towards the repairing the said Highways or either of them shall still remain so chargeable and do their respective Works in the said several and respective Highways in before they said or were liable to do therein according to the Direction and Appointment of the ordinary Surveyors of their several and respective Parishes Any thing to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

XIX.  
Persons chargeable to Highways, to remain so.

Provideth also That neither this Act nor any thing herein contained shall extend to any farther Time or be in force any longer than the Term of One and twenty Years to be accounted from the passing of this Act

XX.  
Continuance of Act.

And also That if at any Time before the Expiration of the said Term of One and twenty Years the revenues from all the said Highways shall be sufficiently assessed and required and so adjudged by the said Justices of the Peace of the said County of Somerset Wilts Gloucester and of the said City of Bath at their Meetings then from and after Adjudication made and Repayment of such Money with Interest for the same as shall have been borrowed on the said Tolls shall cease and determine Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

XXI.  
In what Cases Act to cease.

**XXII.**  
Moneys not to be  
applied to repair  
Streets, &c. in  
Bath.

Provision always and to be enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Part of the Money arising by this Act from the said Tolls or any or either of them shall be employed for or towards repairing any of the Streets or Lanes lying within the said City of Bath.

**XXIII.**  
Mayor, Recorder,  
and Justices of Bath  
in Quarter Sessions  
to appoint Sur-  
veyors of the  
Streets, &c. of  
Bath.

And whereas Complaints have been made by several Persons resorting to the said City that the said Streets and Lanes are not well ploughed or paved nor sufficiently enlightened at Night Time and that the Chalmers are not brought under a due Regulation He is therefore further enacted and it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the surveying ordering repairing cleaning whitening and amending the Streets Cressed Walks and publick Places within the said City of Bath at all Times hereafter (which is to be done and performed at the sole Costs and Charges of the Citizens and Inhabitants of the said City of Bath) and that proper Officers for that Purpose may be appointed the Mayor Recorder and Justices of the said City or any Two or more of them whom the Mayor for the Time being shall be One or more Quarter Sessions held for the said City shall and are hereby empowered to elect nominate and appoint such Person and Persons within the said City as they shall think fit which Person and Persons shall from henceforth within the Liberties and Precincts of the said City be nominated and appointed to be Surveyor or Surveyors of the Streets Lanes and publick Places within the said City the Liberties and Precincts thereof by force and virtue of these Premises and that they and every of them shall for the Time that he or they shall continue in the said Office have also the Care of cleaning of the said Streets Lanes and publick Places within the several Liberties Precincts and Parishes of the said City subject to such Orders and in such Manner as shall be directed by the said Mayor Recorder and Justices of the said City or any Two or more of them for the Time being.

Deputy and Powers  
of such Surveyors.

**XXIV.**  
Such Persons as  
charge on to act  
within Ten Days.  
Negligence, &c. to  
be  
Penalty 4s.  
Consented

And all and every Person and Persons so chosen or to be chosen and appointed by virtue of this Act are hereby required within Ten Days next after such Appointment to take upon them the Charge and Care of [cleaning] he said Streets Lanes and publick Places within the said City the Liberties and Precincts thereof and whosoever of them shall refuse delay or delay to take upon him the said Office or wilfully neglect the Performance of the Duty thereof according to the true intent and Meaning of this Act shall forfeit for every such Refusal Default or Neglect the Sum of Five Pounds for every such Offence and in case of Refusal to pay the same such Person or Persons shall or may be compelled and be had good Satisfaction to appear at the next Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the said City to answer the said Complaint and Offence.

**XXV.**  
Housekeepers in  
Bath and Liberties,  
Three Times a  
Week to sweep  
Streets, &c. before  
the Houses

And that all and every Housekeeper and Housekeepers inhabiting and residing within the said City or the Liberties and Precincts thereof shall Thrice in every Week (that is to say) on every Tuesday Thursday and Saturday at the least sweep and cleanse [or cause to be swept and cleansed] all the Streets Lanes Alleys and publick Places before their respective Houses Buildings and Walls and all other publick Places to the end the Fifth Ashen Dirt Dust Rubbish and Rubbish may be ready to be carried away by the Scavenger or Scavenger Raker or Rakers or other Officer.

**XXVI.**  
Scavenger nomi-  
nated by Mayor,  
An Act to Enact  
Quarter Sessions  
beginning Duty 4  
Penalty.

Whereas Scavenger Raker or other Officer shall be nominated by the Mayor and Justices of the said City at the next Quarter Sessions held for the said City which said Scavenger or other Officer shall be subject and liable to such and the like Penalties and Forfeitures as the said Surveyors of the Streets and Lanes within the said City and the Liberties and Precincts thereof appointed for that Purpose upon Pain to forfeit Three Shillings and Four Pence for every Offence and Neglect.

**XXVII.**  
Persons not to  
throw Dirt, &c.  
into the Streets, &c.  
but to keep it in  
their Yards

And that no Person or Persons whatsoever shall throw cast or lay or cause permit or suffer to be thrown cast or laid any Ashes Fifth Dirt Rubbish Dung or other Annoyance in any open Street Lane or Alley within the said City the Liberties Precincts or Places aforesaid before his or their own Dwelling-Houses Buildings or other publick Places within the said City but shall keep or cause the same to be kept in their respective House Yards or Backsides until such Time as the Scavenger or other Officer thereof appointed shall come by or near their Houses Doors or Places with his Cart or Carriage used for the cleaning the Streets and carrying away thereof and then shall carry or cause to be carried the said Ashes Dirt or other such Fifth or Annoyance as aforesaid out of their House Yards and Backsides and deliver it to the Raker Scavenger or other Officer to put the same into his Cart or Carriage as aforesaid upon Pain to forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Five Shillings.

Penalty 4s.

**XXVIII.**  
Persons not to  
carry Hay or  
Straw down  
for the use of their  
Houses, &c.  
but to keep it in  
their Yards, &c.

And if any Person or Persons shall have any Straw or Hay brought and thrown down for the Use of any Inn or any other House in any of the Streets Lanes Alleys and other publick Places within the said City the Liberties and Precincts thereof and shall not carry away the same into their Tenes Backsides or Suburbs and cause the same Streets Lanes or Alleys to be swept cleaned and carried away where such Hay or Straw have been laid down or carried to his or their Yard or Stable within One Hour next after such Straw or Hay shall be unloaded or or they so neglecting shall forfeit for every such Neglect the Sum of Five Shillings to be levied by Writ and Sale of the Offenders Goods by Warrant under Two or more of the Justices of the Peace's Hands sending the Overplus (if any be).

Penalty 4s.

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Occupier or Owner of any House or House or Lands next adjoining to any Street Lane or Alley or any other publick Place within the said City the Liberties or Precincts thereof shall also from time to time within Ten Days next after Notice given by the Surveyor or Surveyors of the Streets Lanes Alleys or other publick Places herein mentioned will and sufficiently pitch pave or cause to be pitched or paved the Street Alley or Lane before his or their Houses Habitations Lands and publick Places respectively into the Middle of the Street Lane or Alley (except in the Market Place within the said City where the several and respective Occupier or Owners of any House or Houses or other Buildings or Lands shall pitch or pave only Eight Feet from his her or their House or Houses or other Buildings or Lands) under the Penalty of Ten Shillings for each Piece not so pitched paved or amended and so in proportion for any greater or lesser Quantity or Space of Ground and the like Sum of Ten Shillings for every Month until the same shall be pitched paved or amended to be levied by Distress and Sale as aforesaid which said Money so to be levied shall go to and be employed towards the maintaining of One or more of the Surveyors aforesaid

XXX  
Persons herein directed to pave Streets, &c. when their Houses, upon Notice from Surveyors

Exception

Penalty

Application of such Penalty.

And that it shall and may be lawful for the Tenant or Tenants for the Time being to repair or amend the Picking or Pavement in the Street or Lane before his House or Lands in Manner aforesaid and to abate and default out of his or her Rent the reasonable and necessary Charges thereof which every Landlord is hereby required to allow.

XXXI  
Tenants may amend Pavement, and deduct out of Rent

Provided always That it shall not stand to make void or alter any Covenant or Agreement already made or hereafter to be made between any Landlord and Tenant for or concerning the Repair of the Picking or Paving of the said Streets or Lanes.

XXXII  
Proviso for Agreements between Landlords and Tenants in respect thereof.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Surveyor or Surveyors of the Streets Lanes and other publick Places within the said City shall and are hereby required to be and convene within Fourteen Days after the Election of the said Surveyors in some publick Place within the said City and they and the greater Number of them there present are hereby required to make and settle a Rate or Rates Assessment or Assessments upon the several Inhabitants within the said City and the Liberties and Precincts thereof according to their several Abilities for the Year following for the Maintenance and keeping of One or more Surveyors or Surveyors for the cleaning of the said Streets Lanes and other publick Places which shall be allowed and confirmed by Two or more of the Justices of the Peace of the said City whereof the Mayor for the Time being to be One and after the Rate so made and confirmed the said Mayor and any Two of the said Justices shall have Power and are hereby required to cause the same to be levied and to appoint Collectors for collecting the same by quarterly Payments within the said City and the Liberties and Precincts thereof

XXXIII  
Surveyors to meet, and settle Rates for Surveyors.

to be allowed by Two Justices whereof the Mayor to be One  
Two Justices may appoint Collectors thereof

And if any such Person or Persons shall wilfully and obstinately refuse and neglect to contribute towards or collect as aforesaid being thereunto summoned and appointed every such Person and Persons shall forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds

XXXIII  
Surveyors refusing to convene, assess, &c.  
Penalty of

And in case any Person or Persons so assessed shall refuse or neglect to pay the same by the Space of Four Days next after Demand thereof made it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collectors by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Mayor or any One or more of the said Justices to levy the same by Distress and Sale of the Goods of any such Person or Persons rendering to him or them the Overplus (if any be) after the necessary Charge for taking such Distress is first deducted

XXXIV  
Persons refusing to pay Assessments.  
Distress.

Provided always That if any Person or Persons shall find themselves aggrieved by any Sum or Sums of Money so charged upon him or them by any Assessment or by any Penalty imposed for Refusal or Neglect to serve such Office of Surveyor of the Streets and Lanes [and taking care of the cleaning of the said Streets Lanes] and publick Places or for not convening assessing or collecting as aforesaid such Person or Persons may appeal to the next Quarter Sessions of the Peace hold for the said City who have hereby Power and Authority finally to determine the same

XXXV  
Appeal in respect of the Money here mentioned to Quarter Sessions of such.

And it is hereby further enacted That such Sum or Sums of Money so shall be so assessed and collected in the said City and the Liberties and Precincts thereof for cleaning the Streets shall be yearly accounted for by the said Surveyors or Collectors thereof for the Time being to Two or more of the Justices of the Peace of the said City the Mayor for the Time being to be One within Ten Days after the Election of the new Surveyors of the Streets and Lanes for the Year ensuing and such Sums of Money so shall be remaining in their Hands shall be by them paid over to the next succeeding Surveyors of the Streets and Lanes elected and appointed for the said City Liberties and Precincts and the Mayor for the Time being or any Two Justices of the Peace of the said City shall and may by virtue thereof commit to Prison such Surveyors or Collectors who shall refuse or neglect to account or pay the Money remaining in his or their Hands there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until he or they shall have made a true Account and satisfied and paid so much as upon the said Account shall be remaining in his or their Hands

XXXVI  
Surveyors and Collectors of Assessments for such to account yearly to Two Justices of the Peace of which Mayor to be One.  
Money remaining on Hand to be paid over to Successors.  
Commitment to Prison, &c.

inserted in the Roll.

XXXVI.  
Housesholders  
herein directed to  
set out Lamps  
from 1<sup>st</sup> Sept  
to 1<sup>st</sup> March,  
from 1<sup>st</sup> March  
to 1<sup>st</sup> Sept, and  
from 1<sup>st</sup> Sept  
to 1<sup>st</sup> March.

And it is likewise hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Householder chargeable with One Penny or more by the Week in the Relief of the Poor and whose House adjoins to any Publick Street Lane or Alley or other Publick Place within the said City or the Liberties and Precincts thereof from the Fourteenth Day of September to the First and twentieth Day of March Yearly shall every Night set out hanging out Candles or Lights in Lanthorns on the Outside of their respective Houses next the Street or Lane to enlighten the same for the Convenience of Passengers from time to time as it shall grow Dark until Twelve of the Clock at Night upon Pain of forfeiting Two Shillings for every Default.

XXXVIII.  
Proviso for  
Agreement by  
such Householders  
to set Lamps  
approved of by  
Justices.

Provided always and it is hereby enacted That if the Inhabitants of any Parish within the said City or the Liberties or Precincts thereof paying as aforesaid towards the Relief of the Poor of that Parish or Precinct or the major Part of them shall agree to make use of Lamps of such Sort and so to be placed as shall be approved of by the Justices of the Peace in their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the said City that then and in such Case nothing herein contained shall extend to oblige any of the Inhabitants of such Parish Liberty or Precinct to set or hang out any such Candles or other Lights before their respective Houses.

XXXIX.  
In such Case,  
Justices may  
make a Rate for  
the Lamps.

And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful for the Persons herein before authorized and appointed to make a Rate for cleaning of the Streets of the said City and the Liberties and Precincts thereof and they are hereby required where such Agreements shall be so made this an Assessment or Assessments for erecting and maintaining from time to time such Publick Lamps within the respective Parishes Liberties or Precincts to be assessed allowed of levied collected and appointed for in such Manner and under the like Penalties as is herein before directed and appointed for and concerning the Assessment for cleaning the Streets of the said City and the Liberties and Precincts thereof.

XL.  
Mayor and Four  
Aldermen may  
summon Chairmen.

And it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the better regulating and governing the Chairmen of the said City of Bath the Mayor and Aldermen of the said City or any Five or more of them whom the Mayor for the Time being to be One here Power and Authority and are hereby empowered authorized and required under their Hands and Seals to license all or any Persons or Persons who shall carry or keep any Glass Chair or Bath Chair after the First Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord God One thousand seven hundred and eight within the said City of Bath or Precincts or Liberties of the same City the Charge of every such License to be paid or born by every respective Chairman (besides the Duty of the Stamp by Act of Parliament) not to exceed the Sum of Three Shillings.

To be paid for  
by Chairmen.  
Amount.

XLI.  
Number of Chairs  
to be licensed.  
Term of License.

And that the Number of all Glass and Bath Chairs so to be licensed shall not be under the Number of Sixty if so many be requested by any Person or Persons fully qualified and the said License and every of them shall be granted to continue for and during the Term of One whole Year from the Date of such respective License and no longer.

XLII.  
Excessive Persons  
using Chairs.

And be it further enacted That from and after the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and eight no Person or Persons shall presume to keep or carry or let to hire by the Hour or Day or otherwise any Glass Chair or Bath Chair within the City of Bath the Suburbs Liberties or Precincts thereof without such License or License first had from the said Mayor and Aldermen or any Five or more of them as aforesaid according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act upon pain to forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence.

Penalty 13 s. 4d.

XLIII.  
Chairs to be  
numbered.

And that every Chair shall have a Mark of Distinction by Figure or otherwise as the said Mayor and Aldermen shall think fit and the said Mark shall be placed on the Back of every such Chair in the most convenient Manner to be taken Notice of to the End they may be known if any Complaint shall be made against them and that no Chairmen shall carry or make use of any other Chair than what shall be so marked and that no Person shall blot out obliterate alter or deface the Mark or Figure of Distinction appointed by the said Mayor and Aldermen for his Chair under the Forfeiture of Three Pence for every such Offence.

Delisting Numbers  
Penalty.

XLIV.  
Rate for Hire  
of Chairs.

And it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Chairman shall presume to take up or demand for his Hire and Labour for each Chair for every Fair or Feast in any Glass Chair or Bath Chair from one Part of the City to any other Part within the Walls of the said City more than the Sum of Six Pence nor for any Fair or Feast in any such Chair from one Part of the said City to any House without the Walls of the said City belonging to the Parishes of Saint James or Saint Michael more than the Sum of One Shilling and so for every Fair or Feast with any such Chair from without the said Walls to any Part within the said City not shall any such Chairmen for any One Chair presume to take or demand more than the Sum of Six Pence for every Half Hour waiting and so proportionably for any other longer Space of Time and if any Chairman shall refuse to carry for or shall exact or take more for his Fair or Hire than the several Rates hereby limited he shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Ten Shillings.

Demanding more  
Penalty.

XLV.  
Penalties relating  
to Chairmen to be  
levied by Justices.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Forfeitures and Penalties that shall grow due and payable by virtue of such Part of this Act as extends to the regulating and governing the Chairmen of the

said City of Bath shall be levied by Directors of the Goods and Chaises of the Offender or Offenders by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Mayor and Aldermen or any Three or more of them which shall be sold within Ten Days and the Overplus (all Charges being allowed) shall be returned to the Owner and in default of Directors or Nonpayment the Person or Persons neglecting or refusing to pay shall by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Mayor and Aldermen or any Three or more of them be committed to Prison close to continue without Bail or Mainprize till he or they shall have paid such Forfeiture or Penalty as was due from him or them.

If no Directors, for  
Commod.

And in case of committing of the said Offences or either of them or by other Misbehaviours by abusive Language by him or them towards the Person or Persons employing him or them or by demanding any greater Sum than he or she before is accustomed the said Mayor and Aldermen or any Three or more of them whereof the Mayor for the Time being to be One upon Complaint made to them and Proof thereof by One or more Witnesses and an honest impowred over and above the said Penalties and Forfeitures to suspend the said Chaisman or Chaismen so offending from exercising or using the Employment of carrying such Chair for and during the Space of Six Months or till such Time as the said Mayor and Aldermen shall see Cause to release him or them so his or their said Employment.

XLVI.  
Offences relating  
to licensed and  
unlicensed  
Languages, &c.

Penalty and  
Suspension—

And it is further enacted That all Offences against such Part of this Act as extends only to the plying cleaning and enlarging the Streets and regulating the Chaismen of the said City shall be heard and finally determined by the said Mayor and Aldermen or any Three or more of them whereof the Mayor for the Time being to be One upon the Oath of One or more credible Witnesses (the Party accused being summoned to make his Defence) or upon the Confession of the Party offending.

XLVII.  
Offences relating  
to the plying and  
lighting of Bells  
may be determined  
by the Mayor and  
Two Aldermen.

And One Moiety of all the Penalties and Forfeitures to be incurred by the said Chaismen or any or either of them shall be to the Poor of the said City and the other Moiety to the Informer to be recovered in the Manner before mentioned.

XLVIII.  
Application of  
Penalties upon  
Customs.

#### CHAPTER XLIII. (1)

As Act for intreating the dressing and dying of Woollen Clothes within this Kingdom by laying a Duty upon Broad Cloth exported white.

Act, 1<sup>st</sup> Feb.  
1696, p. 2. s. 1.

WHEREAS it hath been found necessary towards supporting the Woollen [Manufacture of this Kingdom that Woollen"] Cloth commonly called Broad Cloth be exported white Now to the Intent that such Exportation may not be prejudicial to the dressing or dying of Woollen Clothes within the Kingdom we Your Majesties most dutiful Subjects the Commons of Great Brittain in Parliament assembled do humbly pray Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That a Duty of Five Shillings shall be paid to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for every White Woollen Cloth commonly called Broad Cloth which shall be exported out of this Kingdom into Foreign Parts.

Duty upon White  
Woollen Cloth  
exported.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall export or ship on any Boat or Vessel in order to Exportation into Foreign Parts any White Woollen Cloth or Clothes commonly called Broad Cloth without first paying the Duty aforesaid such Person or Persons shall forfeit every such Cloth and Clothes which shall be so shipped in order to Exportation contrary to the Intent and Meaning of this Act or the Value of such Cloth or Clothes one Moiety thereof to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors the other Moiety to such Person as shall value inform or sue for the same.

11.  
Exporting or  
shipping without  
paying Duty—  
Penalty.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter VIII. of Act, as the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> inserted on the Roll.

## CHAPTER XLIV. (\*)

AN ACT for the Exportation of White Woollen Cloth.

Act. Parl.  
6. Annæ p. 29Enacted by the  
14 & 15 H. VIII.  
c. 3. 1/2  
and of Persons of  
6 Knt. to the H. H.  
burgh Company

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**WHEREAS** by an Act of Parliament made in the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Years of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth intitled Touching Worried Weaverers of Yarneneth and Lynne it is amongst other things enacted that no Person or Persons any Time after convey or transport into any of the Parts beyond the Sea any Manner of Clothes or Worends before the same Clothes be shorn dyed coloured and calendered upon pain of forfeiting the Value thereof And whereas in the Sixth Year of the Reign of Queen Elizabeth a Power was granted to the Manchester Company for ever with Liberty to export Thirty thousand Clothes though not wrought or dressed Twenty five thousand whereof to be above the Value of Three Pounds and under the Value of Six Pounds per Cloth and the other Five thousand to be above the Value of Four Pounds per Cloth: And whereas in the Eighth and twentieth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second another Power was granted to Sir James Hays and Sir Peter Aspley Knights in Trust for the late Countess of Portland for the Term of One and twenty Years to licence the Exportation of all Manner of Woollen Clothes what as well as coloured though not lusted or dressed shorn or dressed without Limitation as to Price or Number with Power to agree and compound with the Exporters for the Quotas to be paid them for the Licence to export the same

Reason for passing  
the Act.

And whereas the last mentioned Power expired in or about the Month of May in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven since the Expiration of which said Power the Officers of Her Majesties Customs have put a stop to Exportation of all White Cloths and some Doubts have arisen whether the same may be exported notwithstanding the many good Laws that have been made for Encouragement of the Woollen Manufacture And whereas there are great Quantities of White Woollen Cloths now ready to be shipped off and exported into Parts beyond the Seas where there is a great Demand for the same and it hath been the Wisdom of this Nation in all Ages to give all due Encouragement to the Woollen Manufacture thereof For preventing therefore of all Doubts that have or may arise concerning the Exportation of White Woollen Cloth and for the better Encouragement of the Woollen Manufacture of this Kingdom and Employment of the Poor Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful for any Person or Persons whatsoever to export out of the Kingdom of Great Britain or Dominion of Wales any White Woollen Cloth whatsoever made or manufactured within the said Kingdom of Great Britain or Dominion of Wales any Law Statute Ordinance Custom Prescription or Provision whatsoever to the contrary notwithstanding.

White Woollen  
Cloth may be  
exported.

## CHAPTER XLV. (\*)

AN ACT for the better serving Her Majesties Land Forces and the Marines for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight.

Act. Parl.  
6. Annæ p. 3. c. 20.Reason for  
passing the Act.

**WHEREAS** for a Supply of Men to recruit Her Majesties Land Forces and Marines it is adjudged necessary that Soldiers should be forthwith raised throughout the several Counties Ridings Cities Towns and Places within the Kingdom of Great Britain by common Consent and Grant in Parliament Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful for the Justices of the Peace of every County and Riding Liberty and Place within this Realm or any Two or more of them as also the Mayor or Head Officer or Officers of every City or Town Corporate within this Realm having One or more Justice or Justices of the Peace together with any One or more Justices of the Peace of the same City or Town Corporate respectively or in Default of such Justices then with One or more Justice or Justices of the Peace of the County wherein the said City or Town is at any Time or Times between the last Day of February One thousand seven hundred and seven and the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight within their several and respective Limits and Jurisdictions to raise and levy such able bodied Men as have not any lawful Calling or Employment or do not follow or associate the same or do not make use of any lawful Means for their Support and Maintenance to serve as Soldiers for the Purposes aforesaid and to regulate and command all and every the High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs and Tythingmen or any of them within their respective Jurisdictions to be aiding and assisting to them in putting this present Act in Execution and for that Purpose to send out their Warrants under the Hands and Seals of any Two or more such Justices or Mayors as are hereby authorized to levy and raise such Soldiers thereby requiring and commanding such High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs Tythingmen and other Parish Officers as aforesaid every or any of them to make Search or cause to be made Search within their respective Parishes Townships Constablenicks or other Places for all such Persons as they can find who are within the Description of this Act and to bring before such Justice and Mayors as aforesaid or any Two or more Justices or Mayors who have Power to execute this Act in such County Riding Liberty or Place City or Town Corporate respectively any such Person or Persons described as aforesaid at such Time and Place as shall be prefixed in the said Warrants respectively and to impose upon [any]

Three Justices of  
Peace of County  
or City may between  
the Day of  
Feb. 1707. and  
the 1<sup>st</sup> of March  
1708. raise such  
bodied Men as  
become necessaryand require  
Constables to  
assist, and their  
Warrants for  
Search, &c.

\* This is Chapter XLV. of the Act. in the Common printed Edition.

\* inserted in the Bill.

\* This is Chapter XL. of the Act. in the Common printed Edition.

such High-Constable Petty Constable Headborough Tythingman or other Parish Officer for every wilful Neglect or Default in the Execution of any such Warrant a Fine of Five Pounds and to cause every such Fine to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods rendering the Overplus to the Owner and to diversify one Mole of the said Fine to reward the Informer or Informers and the other Mole to the Use of the Poor of the Parish where the Offence shall be committed.

And in case the Justices and Magistrates hereby authorized to put this Act in Execution upon the Examination of the Persons brought before them in pursuance of this Act shall find them to be such as are hereby intended as to be entertained as Soldiers in Her Majesties Service they shall cause such Persons to be delivered over by the said High Constables Petty-Constables Headboroughs Tythingmen or other Parish Officers unto such Officer or Officers belonging to Her Majesties Forces as shall be appointed to raise and receive such Men within every County Riding Liberty City or Place respectively upon such Officer or Officers giving a Receipt under his or their Hands acknowledging what Men are so delivered to him or them and the respective Officers who shall receive such new-raised Men shall out of the Levy-Money pay to every Person so raised Twenty Shillings and to the Constable or other Officer employed in the raising of them the Sum of Twenty Shillings a Man to be accounted by the Justices and Magistrates authorized to put this Act in Execution and shall then cause the Fourteenth and Twenty third Articles of War against Misdemeanors and Desertion to be read to them in the Presence of such Justice or Magistrate via Article the Fourteenth No Man shall presume so far as to raise or cause the loss Misdemeanor or Soldier in the Army upon pain of Death and if any Number of Soldiers shall presume to assemble to take Counsel amongst themselves for the demanding of their Pay or shall at any Time demand their Pay in a Disorderly Manner any Inferior Officer accessory thereto shall suffer Death for it as the Heads and Ring-leaders of such Mutinous and Soldiers Meetings and the Soldiers shall be punished with Death And if any Captain being Privy thereto shall not suppress the same or compass it he shall be likewise punished with Death Article the Twenty third All Officers or Soldiers that shall desert either in the Field upon a March in Quarters or in Garrison shall die for it And all Soldiers shall be repeated and suffer as Deserters who shall be found a Mile from their Garrison or Camp without Leave from the Officer commanding in Chief which said Justices or Magistrates shall cause an Entry or Memorial thereof to be made together with the Names of the Persons raised and a Certificate thereof in Writing under the Hands and Seals of such Justices or Magistrates to be delivered to the Officer appointed to receive them And from and after Payment of the said Twenty Shillings or Tender and Refusal thereof and reading the said Articles of War every Person so raised shall be deemed a lawful Soldier to all intents and Purposes and shall be subject to the Discipline of War and in case of Desertion shall be proceeded against tried and punished by Death or otherwise as a Deserters by any Law now in force or by any Act made or to be made this Session of Parliament it to be proceeded against tried and punished.

And for the Encouragement of fit and able Persons voluntarily to enter themselves in Her Majesties Service it is hereby further enacted and declared That the Officer who is to raise such Recruits shall forthwith pay to every Person who shall so voluntarily enter himself in Her Majesties Service at any Time before the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and eight the Sum of Four Pounds and at any Time between the last Day of April One thousand seven hundred and eight and the First Day of March following Forty Shillings and such Officer shall take a Discharge under the Hand of such Volunteer signed in the Presence of Two or more Witnesses testifying his Payment of the said respective Sums and no Person so hired under the Hands and Seals of Two or more Justices of the Peace or being himself voluntarily coming to the true Meaning of this Act as aforesaid shall be liable to be taken out of Her Majesties Service by any Process other than for some Criminal Manner.

Provided always That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Plaintiff or Plaintiffs upon Notice first given in Writing of the Cause of Action to such Person or Persons so voluntarily hired or left at his or their last Place of Residence before such Writing to file a Common Appraisement in any Action to be brought for or upon the Account of any Debt whatsoever so as to entitle such Plaintiff or Plaintiffs to proceed therein to Judgment and Orderly and to have an Execution thereupon other than against the Body or Bodies of him or them so voluntarily hired as aforesaid this Act or any thing herein or any former Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided always and it is hereby declared That no Justice of the Peace or Magistrate which now hath or at any Time during the Continuance of this Act shall have any Military Office or Employment other than in the Militia of this Kingdom shall exercise any Power or Authority by this Act given to Justices of the Peace or Magistrates as aforesaid.

Provided also That this Act shall not extend to the taking or hiring any Person to serve as a Soldier who hath any Vote in the Election of any Member or Members to serve in Parliament in any County City Borough Town Part or Place within the Kingdom of Great Britain.

And he it is further enacted That the Justices of the Peace and Magistrates of every respective County Riding Liberty City or Place before whom any Persons shall be hired in pursuance of this Act do and shall at every

24.  
When Justices find the Men brought before them to be fit, they are to present as herein mentioned.

Allowance to Persons raised and to Constables, &c.

24th and 25th Articles of War to be read to the Men.

Every Person raised, and those upon whom Payment is to be made.

III.  
Recruiting Officer to pay 40s. to each Volunteer.

such Volunteer not liable to Civil Process.

IV.  
Common Appraisement may be filed and proceeded upon by Plaintiff or Plaintiffs against such Volunteer.

V.  
Magistrates having Military Employment not to be exc.

VI.  
Persons having Vote for Parliament not liable to be taken, &c.

VII.  
Persons to be subject to Quarters &c.



as returns of  
Persons taken, &c.  
of Pardons, &c.

Accounts kept by  
the Clerk of the  
Peace.

VIII.  
One Justice only  
keeping his  
Trinity office.

IX.  
In Action for  
recovery of Act,  
General Issue

Traffic Costs.

X.  
Prison for Harvest  
Labourers, &c.

provided they have  
a Certificate.

XI.  
Returns for passing  
the Warrants.

High Constables  
engaged to issue  
Warrants personal  
in Justice Warrants  
for search.

XII.  
Constables, dis-  
empowering De-  
serters, may ap-  
pear and may be  
before Justice.

if he appears to be a  
soldier, &c.  
Proceedings.

XIII.  
Prison for  
imprisoning  
Deserters.

General Quarter Sessions for each County Riding Liberty City or Place exhibit an Account under their Hands and Seals of the Names of the several Persons by them so listed at any Time preceding such sessions General Quarter Sessions together with the Names of the Parishes or Places from whence and the Parish Officers or other Officers by whom said Persons were brought and listed and of the Names of the Officers to whom such Persons were delivered and of the Regiment and Company to which such Officer belonged and that such Account shall be kept by the Clerk of the Peace to which Accounts all Persons shall and may at all reasonable Times have free Access and Perusal without any Fee or Charge and the Clerk of the Peace is hereby required from time to time within Thirty Days after such General Quarter Sessions to transmit true Copies and Duplicates thereof attested by himself into the Office of Her Majesty's Secretary at War for the Time being to be compared with the Muster Rolls

PROVIDED and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if One Justice shall levy any Man and deliver him over to any Officer under Colour of this Act such Justice offending therein shall forfeit One hundred Pounds to the Party grieved to be recovered by Action of Debt or on the Case Bill Suit or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record wherein no Exigat Protection Privilege or Wager of Law or more than One Imparison shall be granted or allowed

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Action Plea Suit or Information shall be commenced or presented against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance or in execution of this Act such Person or Persons so sued in any Court whatsoever shall and may plead the General Issue Not Guilty and upon any issue joined may give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence and if the Plaintiff or Prosecutor shall become Nonsuit or suffer further Prosecution or suffer a Discontinuance or if a Verdict pass against him the Delinquent shall recover Traffic Costs for which they shall have the like Remedy as in any Case where Costs by Law are given to Defendants

AND for as much as great Numbers of Harvest Labourers have been imprisoned during the Time of Harvest and many others being under an Apprehension of being Imparisoned have absconded themselves whereby the Harvest hath been got in with great Difficulty and Charge and such few Harvest Men that did work did so at extravagant Prices from their Masters for such their Work for the Prevention whereof Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First Day of June One thousand seven hundred and eight until the Five and twentieth Day of September following all Harvest Labourers and all Persons working at Hay Harvest and Corn Harvest Work within the Time aforesaid within the Kingdoms of Great Britain shall not be imprisoned by virtue of this Act but shall be free and exempted from the same during the Time aforesaid Provided they have a Certificate under the Hands of the Minister and Church wardens or Elders of the Parish where they live allowed under the Hands and Seals of Two Justices of the Peace of the same County Riding City or Place.

AND whereas some Doubts have arisen whether the Justices of the Peace appointed to put any former Act for better recruiting Her Majesty's Land Forces and Marines in Execution within their several and respective Limits and Jurisdictions had Power and Authority by their Warrants issued to the several High Constables to command them to send their Warrants to (hold several and respective Petty Constables within their several and respective Hundreds commanding them to make search for all such Persons as they could find who were within the Description of any former Act for the better recruiting Her Majesty's Land Forces and Marines to the Obstruction of the Execution of the said Act and may tend to hinder the Execution of this present Act for Remedy whereof be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it always was and is now declared that the said High Constables then might and now shall and are hereby required to issue out their Warrants pursuant to the Warrants issued to them by the said Justices or by the Justice appointed to put this present Act in Execution to the several and respective Petty Constables within their several and respective Hundreds who are hereby commanded and required to make search for all such Persons as they can find who are within the Description of this present Act as well as if the said Justices had issued their Warrants to the said Petty Constables themselves.

AND whereas several Soldiers being duly bound do afterwards desert and are often found wandering or otherwise absconding themselves illegally from Her Majesty's Service it is hereby further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Constable Headborough or Tythingmen of the Town or Place where any Person who may reasonably be suspected to be such a Deserter shall be found to apprehend or cause him to be apprehended and to cause such Person to be brought before any Justice of the Peace living in or near such Town or Place who hath hereby Power to examine such suspected Person and if by his Confession or by Testimony of One or more Witnesses or Witnesses upon Oath or by the Knowledge of such Justice of the Peace it shall appear or be found that such suspected Person is a listed Soldier and ought to be with the Troop or Company to which he belongs such Justice of the Peace shall forthwith cause him to be conveyed to the Goal of the County or Place where he shall be found and detain him on Account thereof to the Secretary at War for the Time being to the End such Person may be proceeded against according to Law

PROVIDED always That the Power of imprisoning Deserters shall not extend to any Person who hath not been actually in Her Majesty's Service as a Soldier since the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and one

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons whatsoever shall wilfully do any Act or Thing whereby the Execution of this Act in the searching for taking and securing such able bodied Men as aforesaid shall be hindered or frustrated every such Person shall for every such Offence before any Sum last aforesaid Five Pounds to the Use of the Poor of the Parish where such Offence shall be committed and all and every such Offence may be enquired of heard and finally determined by any Two or more of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace dwelling in or near the Place where such Offence shall be committed who have barely Power to cause the said Penalty to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattels reaching the Overplus if any be and if the Offenders have no such Goods or Chattels sufficient to answer the said Penalty then to commit him or her to the County Goal there to remain for the Space of One Month without Jail or Mainprize.

XIV.  
Persons committing  
A.D. 1  
Penalty.

How Offenders  
hired and deter-  
mined

Proceedings.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any Person not within the Description of this Act shall be delivered over as a Soldier contrary to the true Meaning and Intent hereof it shall be lawful to and for the Justices who caused such Person so to be delivered over or any Two of them to commit under their Hands and Seals to Her Majesties Secretary at War for the Time being that such Person was not at the Time of his being delivered over within the Description and Intent of this Act And the said Secretary at War is hereby empowered and required upon his Receipt of such Certificate to cause the Person in such Certificate named to be forthwith discharged upon his repaying all such Levy Money as he shall have received and such further Monies as has been expended upon account of his being listed not exceeding Twenty Shillings

XV.  
Proceedings where  
Persons are within  
Act delivered over  
as a Soldier.

PARSED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Two Justices of the Peace within the City of London and the Liberties thereof may and are hereby empowered to put this Act in Execution and all [such] Justices of the Peace and other Magistrates by this Act intrusted with the Execution thereof are hereby strictly enjoined and required to use their utmost Care and Diligence that Her Majesties Service in the Premises be not disappointed or neglected

XVI.  
Two Justices in  
London may exe-  
cute Act  
and to use  
Diligence herein.

AND it is hereby enacted That they or so many of them as are by this Act empowered as aforesaid shall from time to time meet together within their respective Limits and Divisions for the Execution thereof and that their First Warrants be issued so timely that the said Constables Tythingmen Headboroughs and other Parish Officers may make a general Search for all Persons within the Description before mentioned and bring them before the said Justices and Magistrates at some certain Place within the said respective Limits and Divisions throughout Great Britain on the Eighteenth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven which Day and Place is to be expressed in the said Warrants to be first issued and the said Justices and Magistrates or so many of them as aforesaid shall then and there attend this Service and examine the Persons which shall be then and there brought before them by the said Constables Headboroughs Tythingmen or other Parish Officers and cause such of the said Persons as the said Justices and Magistrates or so many of them as aforesaid shall find within the Description of this Act to be seized and delivered over (as is above prescribed) to the Officers or Persons who shall then and there attend to pay the said Incouragement and to receive the said Persons into Her Majesties Service and such Officer or Person who shall receive such Men shall pay unto the Constables Tythingmen Headboroughs or other Parish Officers the Sum of Six Pence per Diem for every Man that such Constable shall deliver unto such Officer according to the Number of Days that the Constable or other Parish Officer shall have kept him in Custody pursuant to the Power granted by this Act until such Delivery and that after the said Eighteenth Day of March during the Continuance of this Act the like Care shall be taken from time to time in appointing Days and Places of Meeting making Searches and in bringing haling and delivering over such Persons as aforesaid to serve Her Majesty and the said respective Clerks of the Peace who are hereby required within the Time above mentioned to transmit Duplicates of the Accounts which they shall receive from the said Justices or Magistrates of Persons listed into Her Majesties Service as aforesaid are hereby required within the said Times respectively (in all Cases where no such Accounts are sent to them by the Justices of Peace or Chief Magistrates of any Division or District) to transmit a Certificate thereof to the Secretary at War importing that no such Accounts were sent to the said Clerks of the Peace and such Clerks of the Peace for every Neglect or Default in not transmitting the said Duplicates or Certificates to the Office of the Secretary at War as aforesaid shall forfeit the Sum of Ten Pounds One Moiety thereof to be to the Queen and the other Moiety thereof to such Person or Persons as shall inform or sue for the same in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Escauge Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed nor any more than One Imparience.

XVII.  
Justices to meet  
together, and make  
Warrants in Time  
for a general  
Search before the  
18th March 1707.

and then to present  
themselves to be  
examined.

and pay Rewards,  
&c.

and to effect the said  
18th March.

Clerks of the Peace  
to transmit Duplicates  
of the Accounts to the  
Secretary at War.

Penalty &c.

## CHAPTER XLVI.

*See Part  
I. chap. p. 5. n. 31.*

AN Act for erecting a Workhouse in the Town and Borough of Plymouth in the County of Devon and for setting the Poor on Work and maintaining them there.

*Persons requiring  
this Act*

WHEREAS the Numbers of poor People have of late Years much increased throughout the whole Kingdom of England and particularly in the Town and Borough of Plymouth in the County of Devon And whereas the erecting of publick Workhouses hath been found to be a most proper Method for the Prevention and Removal of the great Mischief arising from such Numbers of unemployed Poor Therefore the Mayor Recorder Magistrates Common Council Freemen and Inhabitants of the said Town of Plymouth being incouraged by the liberal Contribution of several worthy and charitable Persons and more particularly of The Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Stamford The Right Honourable Mary Countess of Stamford his Wife and (\*) Sir John Hobart of Biddisham in the County of Norfolk Baronet for the presenting a Design so beneficial to the Publick do humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the First Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight there be and shall be a Corporation to continue for ever within the said Town and Borough of Plymouth in the said County of Devon which Corporation shall consist of the several Persons hereafter mentioned (that is to say) The Mayor and Recorder of the said Town for the Time being Six of the Masters or Magistrates of the said Town Six more of the Free and twenty or Common Council of the said Town and also Twenty other Persons to be chosen out of the ablest and discreetest Inhabitants of the Parish of Saint Andrew within the said Town and Eighteen others of the ablest and discreetest Inhabitants of the Parish of Charles within the said Town.

*Corporation  
erected.*

*III.  
How Elections to  
be made.*

And it is hereby further declared and enacted That the several Elections of such Six Masters or Magistrates and of such Six Common Council Men for the Purpose aforesaid shall be made by the Majority of either Body to which they respectively belong as shall be present at each Election and that the said Twenty other Persons of Saint Andrew Parish and the said Eighteen other Persons for Charles Parish to be chosen as aforesaid shall be chosen by the major Number of Votes of the Inhabitants of the said Two Parishes respectively present at the Time of such Election who are then or were the Year before rated for or at Six Pence by the Month or more for or towards the Relief of the Poor of such Parish whereas they inhable the First Election of the said Members whereof the said Corporation is to consist is so to be made in Manner as is before mentioned upon the last Tuesday which shall be in the Month of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight and the Members so to be chosen shall continue in their Office until others shall be elected in their Rooms according to the Directions hereinafter mentioned.

*Continuance of  
Members in Office.*

*III.  
Time of Elections  
to be yearly.  
Vacancies how  
filled up.*

And it is hereby enacted That the next Election of Members of the said Corporation shall be on the Second Tuesday of May One thousand seven hundred and nine and that all future Elections of Members of the said Corporation shall be on the Second Tuesday of May yearly for ever and in case any of the said Persons so elected or any other Person or Persons at any Time then after to be elected for the Purpose aforesaid happen to dye or be removed before the Time appointed for any other Election of Members of the said Corporation then then it shall and may be lawful so and for each Body or Parish to which the Person or Persons [sic] dying did belong and by which he or they was or were elected to the said Office as they shall see Cause in their Discretions to proceed from time to time to the electing other Person or Persons in the Place of him or them so dying observing the Directions hereinafter given or mentioned touching the Manner of electing Members of the said Corporation.

*IV.  
Title of this Cor-  
poration*

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Mayor Recorder and other the Persons appointed elected and continued by virtue of this Act respectively shall be and be named and called Guardians of the Poor of the Town of Plymouth in the County of Devon and that they and their Successors shall for ever hereafter in Name and Fact be One Body Politick and Corporate in Law to all Intents and Purposes and shall have a perpetual Succession and that they shall have a Capacity to sue and be sued and impleaded by that Name in all Courts and Places of Judicature within this Kingdom and by that Name shall and may without License in Manner purchase take or receive any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments of the Gift Alienation or Devise of any Person or Persons whatsoever having a Right and not being otherwise disabled to grant alien or devise the same who are hereby without further License enabled to give transfer grant or devise any such Lands or Hereditaments unto or for the Use or Benefit of the said Corporation.

*They purchase in  
Mortmain.*

*V.  
Successors and  
other Trustees  
provided or given  
Effect to Elections.*

And so to the end that the Election of the Members of the said Corporation may be made according to the Intent of this Act be it further enacted That the Mayor of the said Town for the Time being or in his Absence or Default any Two of the Masters or Magistrates of the said Town shall summon the Twelve Masters or Magistrates of the said Town to meet upon the last Tuesday in April which will be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight between the Hours of Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon in the Council Chamber of the said Town to elect Six Masters or Magistrates and also shall summon the Free and twenty or Common

Council of the said Town to meet in the Guildhall at the same Time to elect each Six Persons out of their Body or be Members of the said Corporation and also such Inhabitants as aforesaid of the said respective Parishes shall on the last Tuesday in April which will be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight between the Hours of Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon meet in their respective Parish Churches and there respectively elect out of the Inhabitants of the Parish of Saint Andrew aforesaid Twenty Persons and out of the Inhabitants of the Parish of Charles aforesaid Eighteen Persons the same to be of the eldest and discreetest Inhabitants of the said respective Parishes to be the rest of the Members of the said Corporation

Acted by the Intent and Purpose that the said Elections may for ever be made fair and equal and without Surprize the Ministers of or officiating in the said Parishes respectively shall for Two several Lords Days or Sundays next preceeding the Day of Election as aforesaid in every Year for ever immediately after Divine Service and give Publick Notice in the Church of the Day Time and Place of Election according to the Meaning of this Act

VI.  
Regulations for  
making Elections  
fair and without  
Surprize.  
Notice of Elections  
in Church.

Acted for the perpetuating the Memory of all and every charitable disposed Persons who shall contribute to the said charitable Design there shall be provided One or more large Table or Tables whereon shall be inscribed in Capital Golden Letters the Name and Names of such Benefactor and Benefactors and the Sums by them respectively given which Table or Tables shall be for ever kept in the Chief Room of the said Workhouse

VII.  
Tables of Contribu-  
tions placed on  
Tables hung up in  
the Workhouse.

Acted for the better governing of the said Corporation the said Guardians or the major Part of them shall have and lawfully have Authority to meet on the Third Wednesday in May which will be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight in the Guildhall of the said Town or some other convenient Place within the said Town and shall on that Day or on some other Day or Days to which they shall think fit to adjourn for that Purpose elect and constitute out of and from amongst themselves by the Votes of the major Number of such of them as shall be then present the several Officers following (that is to say) One Governor One Deputy Governor One Treasurer One Receiver and Ten Assistants to continue for the Year next ensuing or until others shall be chosen in their Room in such Manner as by this Act is directed and so longer and from thenceforth the Governor Deputy Governor Treasurer Receiver and Ten Assistants shall yearly and every Year by the said Guardians or the major Part of them then present be elected and constituted out of and from amongst such Guardians as aforesaid on the Second Tuesday in May in every Year to continue in their respective Offices for One Year then next ensuing or until others shall be chosen in their Room as aforesaid and the said Guardians or the Majority of them shall have Power in case of the Death or Removal of any such Officer or Officers as elected and constituted before their said Year expired at any Meeting to be appointed for that Purpose to elect and constitute other or others in his or their Room or Rooms respectively by the major Part of the Vote of the Guardians present at such Meeting to hold the said Office or Offices for the Remainder of the said Year

Provision for the  
Choice of Governor  
and other Officers  
of Corporation.

Continuance in  
Office.

Succession how  
supplied.

Acted be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any Person shall be at any Time or Times duly chosen Governor Deputy Governor Treasurer Receiver Assistant or Guardian and shall refuse or neglect to take upon him such Office or Employment every such Person shall lose and forfeit to the said Guardians for the Use of the Poor the several Sums herein after mentioned (that is to say) every Person chosen Governor or Deputy Governor and so refusing or neglecting any Sum not exceeding Twenty Pounds and not less than Ten Pounds and every Person so chosen Treasurer or Receiver Assistant or Guardian and so refusing or neglecting any Sum not exceeding Fourteen Pounds and not less than Seven Pounds with Fine and Forfeiture to be set by the major Number present at any Court of the Guardians or the Majority of them

VIII.  
Officers chosen  
refusing to serve.  
Penalty.  
Governor and  
Deputy Governor.  
Treasurer, &c.

Provision nevertheless That no Person shall be compellable to serve in any of the said Offices longer than Two Years together or be liable to any Fine or Penalty for his Refusal so to do

IX.  
No Officer com-  
pelled to serve  
longer than Two  
Years.

Provision also That no Person shall continue Treasurer or Receiver at any One Time above the Space of One Year nor shall be capable of being elected again Treasurer or Receiver respectively till after the Expiration of One whole Year next following any thing herein before contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

X.  
Treasurer or  
Receiver only  
One Year.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Courts and Assemblies consisting of the said Guardians or the Majority of them as assembled shall from time to time by the Votes of the major Number of them then present have Power to choose and maintain some pious sober and discreet Person well qualified for a Schoolmaster who shall in some convenient Room within the said Workhouse to be erected and constituted pursuant to this Act read daily Morning and Evening Prayers at certain Hours to be for that Purpose fixed and stated to the poor People and others belonging to the said Workhouse and also shall by catechizing and otherwise every Saturday in the Afternoon and upon Holydays instruct the poor Children and other poor Persons belonging to the said House in the fundamental Parts of the Protestant Religion according to the Doctrine of the Church of England and shall teach every the said poor Children to read write and cast Accounts and shall also teach such of the said poor Children as shall have a Capacity and Inclination to learn the Art of Navigation and such Part of the Mathematics as tend thereunto

XI.  
Appointment of  
Schoolmaster.  
His Duty.

**XII.**  
Appointment of  
House Officers

AND it is hereby further enacted That it shall be in the Power of the said Guardians so as aforesaid to elect or appoint One or more Person or Persons duly qualified for that Purpose to teach and instruct such Youth of either Sex as shall from time to time so as aforesaid be within the said Workhouse in all or any of the things herein before mentioned or in any other Matters as Things as they the said Guardians or the major Part of them shall think fit and also shall or may in like Manner by Votrs as aforesaid choose and nominate a Clerk with all such other Officers and Servants as shall be needful to be employed in and about the ordering Care and Management of the said House and Work therein to be done and upon the Death or Removal of any such School Master Clerk and other such inferior Officer and Servant chosen in like Manner and nominate others in their Places and from time to time to make and give such reasonable Salaries and Allowances to every School Master Clerk inferior Officers and Servants or any of them out of the Stock or Revenue belonging to the said Corporation hereby named as they the said Guardians or the major Part of them shall think fit

Salaries, &c. to  
Schoolmaster, &c.

**XIII.**  
Majority of  
Guardians may  
displace Officers  
and elect others.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Guardians or the major Part of them assembled as aforesaid shall be and are hereby empowered to remove or displace any Guardian or other Officer whether superior or inferior belonging to the said Corporation for any Cause which they or the major Part of them so assembled shall deem or judge to be just and reasonable and others to elect from time to time in the Place or Room of such as shall happen to be so removed

**XIV.**  
Governor, &c. may  
appoint a Court  
monthly.

and also at other  
Times

Notice.

Holding extra-  
ordinary Courts.

Guardians, &c. may  
assemble or adjourn  
according to  
Preamble.

Adjournment of  
Courts.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Governor or in his Default the Deputy Governor or in both these Defaults the said Assistants or the major Part of them for the Time being shall have Power and are hereby required from time to time upon the Third Wednesday in every Calendar Month in the Year according May for the First Month to hold and keep a Court or Assembly of the said Corporation within the said Town of Plymouth of which there shall be Seven of the said Guardians at least to constitute the said Court or Assembly in some convenient Place of the said Town, and also the said Governor for the Time being shall have and hath hereby Power and Authority at any such other Time or Times as to him shall seem meet to convene assemble and hold a Court or Assembly of the said Corporation upon Three Days Notice or Warning at least to be given of such Courts or Assembly to be holden And in case any Seven of the said Guardians upon any Emergency shall signify under their Hands to the Governor or Deputy Governor for the Time being that it is their Desire that an Extraordinary Court or Assembly of the said Corporation may be called and hold the said Governor shall be bound and is hereby enjoined and required to call and hold such Court or Assembly at such Time as the said Seven Guardians shall so desire at all which Courts or Assemblies all and every the said Guardians and Members of the said Corporation for the Time being are hereby enjoined to appear and be present and not to depart from the same without the Licence of the [said] Court or Assembly on pain to forfeit such reasonable Sum and Sum of Money not exceeding Ten Shillings to the Use of the Poor of the said Corporation as by the said Court or Assembly or by the next succeeding Court or Assembly or the major Part of them assembled shall be assessed upon them unless they can show some reasonable Cause to excuse them from the same to be allowed of by the said Court or Assembly or by the major Part of them And it shall and may be lawful to adjourn any Court so called at such Time and Place within the said Town as shall be thought fit by the said Number of Guardians then present.

**XV.**  
Appointment of a  
Common Seal, &c.

Making of By-  
Laws, &c.

Concerning  
Courtcases.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Corporation at any Court or Assembly consisting of the Majority of the Guardians by the Vote of the major Number then present shall have and lawfully have Power and Authority from time to time to appoint and order to be made a Common Seal or Seals for the Use of the said Corporation and to make and ordain By Laws Rules and Ordinances for and concerning the better governing the said Corporation and the Poor of the said Town and Parishes or any Trade that shall be set on Foot by the said Corporation by employing the said Poor and other the Ends and Purposes of this Act And also to constitute and appoint such and so many Commissioners to oversee of each Number of the Guardians as shall be thought fit for the more safe and effectual Execution of the several Trades and Purposes by this Act imposed and voted in the said Corporation.

**XVI.**  
Recital of the  
Tendency of the  
Workhouse in  
Plymouth, called  
the Poor's Portion.

AND whereas John Gayer Abraham Colmer and Edmund Powell in performance of the Trust in them reposed by the then Mayor and Community of the said Borough of Plymouth by their Deeds under their Hands and Seals made in or about the Month of May in the Year of our Lord one thousand six hundred and thirty and enrolled did in due Form of Law found and even this Hospital or Workhouse in Plymouth aforesaid called or known by the Name of the Poor's Portion is and by which said Deed it is declared ordered and provided that the new Hospital Workhouse and the poor Persons therein being and the Members thereof and all Lands Hereditaments Goods and Chattels belonging to the same should for ever thence after be ordered directed and disposed by the Mayor and Magistrates of the said Borough for the Time being and the Common Council of the same and their Successors for ever

and that the Corporation of Plymouth was willing that the same should be

AND whereas the Mayor Magistrates and Common Council of Plymouth aforesaid are willing and desirous that the said Hospital or Workhouse called the Poor's Portion and all the Houses Courts Cartriages Gardens Orchards Lands Tenements Goods and Chattels unto the same belonging should be settled and vested in and upon the

Corporation hereby erected and continued to the Intent that the same being under the said Government Order and Deceit of the same Corporation may be of greater Benefit Use and Advantage to the Poor intended to be relieved and provided for thereby Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all that Hospital or Workhouse called or commonly known by the Name of the Poor's Parson in Plymouth aforesaid and all Houses Buildings Courts Courtyards Gardens Orchards Lands Tenements Rents and Households whatsoever Goods and Chattels to the same of Right belonging be and are and shall be by this Act immediately from and after the Second Day of May next ensuing settled and vested in the Guardians of the Poor of the Town of Plymouth in the County of Devon hereby constituted and made a Corporation to have and to hold the same Hospital Workhouse and all and singular the Houses Buildings Courts Courtyards Gardens Orchards Lands Tenements Hereditaments and Privileges to the same belonging unto the said Guardians of the Poor of the Town of Plymouth in the County of Devon and to their Successors for ever to their Use Provided always nevertheless and upon this Condition and under this Trust and Confidence that they and their Successors do for ever thence after manage govern direct and keep the same to and for the Benefit and Advantage of the Poor of Plymouth aforesaid and so as in [they] best interest the peace Interest of Standing the same provided that neither the before mentioned Clause nor any thing herein before contained shall extend to the yearly or other Rents herebefore settled on or for any poor Children belonging to the said Hospital by Sir John Maynard and others

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Corporation hereby constituted shall have full Power to erect and add what other Buildings shall be by them thought expedient on the Ground or Land of the said Hospital or Workhouse aforesaid called the Poor's Parson and to new build or alter all or any of the Buildings now standing erected thereon and to purchase or buy any other Lands lying near thereto and to erect thereon any further or other Buildings as shall be thought convenient and likewise shall have Power to erect buy or erect any other or more Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction as there shall be need

And it is hereby further enacted That all and every the Almshouses or Houses commonly used for the Habitation of poor People lying within the said Borough or Town as are belonging to the Mayor and Community of the said Town or to either of the said Two Parishes shall be and are hereby vested in the said Corporation hereby constituted for and during all and every such Estate and Estates known and Intereests respectively as the said Mayor and Community and the said Parishes or their Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor severally and respectively have in the same to be used and employed for the Benefit and Advantage of the Poor hereby intended to be provided for in such Manner as the said Guardians of the Poor shall in their Discretion from time to time think fit to appoint

AND whereas Elize Hale Esquire deceased did in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred thirty and two convey the Manor of Brimston Keyne and other Mannor Lands and Hereditaments lying in the County of Devon unto the Use of him the said Elize Hale for his Life and after his Decease to the Use of Alice Hale [?] his Wife John Maynard Esquire (afterwards Sir John Maynard Knight and Sergeant at Law) John Hale and Elize Bart Esquires and their Heirs and Assigns for ever in Trust that they and their Heirs should employ the same to some pious and charitable Use and in such Manner as they or the Successors of them and their Heirs in their Discretion should think fit perforce whereunto the said Elize Hale Alice Hale and John Hale being dead they the said Sir John Maynard and Elize Bart in the Month of September One thousand six hundred fifty and eight did by Deed convey the Mannors of Brimston Keyne and Halwell and several other Lands Part of the said treated Estate unto William Gifford then Mayor of Plymouth aforesaid and to several other Persons and their Heirs to the Use of them and of the said Sir John Maynard and Elize Bart and of their Heirs in Trust for the Performance of the charitable Uses mentioned in a Schedule annexed to the said Deed of Conveyance in which annexed Schedule it is amongst other Things mentioned directed and set down that the annual Rents and Profits of the said Mannors and Lands and other current Profits (except such Sums of Money as should be raised by Fines on letting Leases) should be employed for the Maintenance of poor Children to be placed and educated in and preferred from the Hospital aforesaid called the Poor's Parson and that the several Sums of Eighteen hundred Pounds and Five hundred Pounds to be raised by Fines should be employed for and to the respective charitable and pious Uses in the same Schedule directed and it is by the same Schedule directed that for the better keeping the Monies raised by Fines One Iron Chest should be provided wherein the Monies raised by Fines should be kept and that after the said several Sums of Eighteen hundred Pounds and Five hundred Pounds should be raised that then what other Sums should be raised by Fines should be employed to such pious and charitable Works in the said Sir John Maynard and Elize Bart should appoint

AND whereas the said Sums of Eighteen hundred Pounds and Four hundred Pounds have been raised and applied according to the Direction in the said Schedule and there have been other Sums since raised by Fines which now lie in the said Iron Chest Part is old and Part is new Money and the said Trust Estate is by some Conveyances now come unto and lawfully vested in Sir Francis Drake Bartonet Recorder of the said Town of Plymouth and Richard Ogle John Neale Thomas Bount and Joseph Webb all of Plymouth aforesaid Merchants and in Edmund Pullerton late of the same Esquire and in their Heirs upon the old and former Trusts and under such Power, reserved to the said Sir John Maynard and Elize Bart as aforesaid in the said Schedule is contained

vested in the Corporation hereby erected.  
The same accordingly vested in the said Corporation.

upon the Trusts herein mentioned.

XVII.  
Power to Corporations to erect and add other Buildings.

and other Workhouses.

XVIII.  
The Poor's Parson within the Borough, belonging to the Mayor, are vested in the said Corporation.

XIX.  
Remod. that Elize Hale Bart. had conveyed certain Mannors and Lands in the County of Devon or Trust for charitable Uses herein mentioned.

and the Two Sums of old and new Money had been raised and applied to such Charitable and that the said Trust was now vested in the several Persons herein named.

and that same Deeds had upon breaking the Disposal of Money herein mentioned belonging to the said Charity.

And whereas the said Sir John Maynard carrying the said Elise Steer but being now dead without making any Appointment pursuant to the said Power some Debts have arisen between The Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Stamford The Right Honourable Mary Countess of Stamford his Wife Sir John Hobart of Hichinghall in the County of Norfolk Baronet which said Mary Countess of Stamford and the said Sir John Hobart are Heirs of the said Sir John Maynard and the Trustees of the said Trust Estate touching the Disposal of the said Money now lying in the Iron Chest and also about the Disposal of the Fines that shall and may be for the future raised out of the said Trust Estate the said Sir John Maynard making no Disposition thereof or Appointment touching the same as aforesaid.

And that the Earl of Stamford and his other Persons herein named have come to an Agreement with the said Trustees, that a Ministry of the said Money should be paid to the said Corporation for the Purpose of this Act.

And whereas the said Thomas Earl of Stamford the said Mary Countess of Stamford and the said Sir John Hobart out of their pious and charitable Dispositions and Inclinations to encourage and promote so good a Design have recommended and agreed with the said Trustees of the said Trust Estate that One full Ministry of the said Money now lying in the said Iron Chest already raised by Fines as aforesaid and also One full Ministry of all other Fines to be raised for ever hereafter out of the same Trust Estate shall be paid over unto the Corporation hereby constituted to and for the Use of the same Corporation to be employed by them according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act.

Enactment respecting the same.

WHEREFORE be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Sir Francis Drake Richard Oyle John Nole Thomas Round Joseph Webb and Edmund Pollexfen and also the said Thomas Earl of Stamford Mary Countess of Stamford and Sir John Hobart and every of them after having relinquished themselves out of the said Money already raised by Fines the Charges and Expenses which they the said Sir Francis Drake Richard Oyle John Nole Thomas Round Joseph Webb Edmund Pollexfen Thomas Earl of Stamford Mary Countess of Stamford and Sir John Hobart or either of them have truly laid out and expended in relation to the said Trust shall pay over One full Ministry of the Residue of the said Money already raised by Fines and not yet disposed of unto the Corporation hereby created and constituted or unto their Treasurer by their Order on or before the last Day of May next the same to be ordered and employed by the said Corporation to for or about buying or building Houses or other Uses of the said Corporation according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act and also that they the said Sir Francis Drake Richard Oyle John Nole Thomas Round Joseph Webb and Edmund Pollexfen and the Survivors and Survivor of them and the Heirs and Assigns of each Survivors or Survivor and every other Person or Persons to whom the said Trust Estate shall by any future Conveyance come shall for ever hereafter pay unto the said Corporation hereby constituted or to their Order One Ministry of all and every the Fines and Fines that shall be hereafter raised out of the said Trust Estate to be employed likewise to and for the Uses of the same Corporation according to the true Intent and Meaning of this present Act deducting and allowing only out of the same One Ministry of the Charges the said Trustees shall or may be put unto in raising the same or upon any other Account in relation to the said Trust and that the other Ministry of the said Residue of the said Money already raised by Fines and not yet disposed of and also the other Ministry of all future Fines that shall from hereforward during the Lives of the said Thomas Earl of Stamford Mary Countess of Stamford and Sir John Hobart or either of them be raised out of the said Trust Estate deducting out of the same One Ministry of the Charges the said Trustees shall or may be put unto as aforesaid shall be from time to time paid by the said Trustees unto or to the Order of the said Thomas Earl of Stamford Mary Countess of Stamford and Sir John Hobart or the Survivors or Survivor of them and that such Payment to them or their Order shall be a sufficient Discharge of the said Trustees notwithstanding Coverture Infancy or other legal Disabilities or any other Act whatsoever of the said Thomas Earl of Stamford Mary Countess of Stamford his Wife and Sir John Hobart or of any or either of them and that such Money so paid shall be disposed of to and for such pious charitable and publick Uses as the said Thomas Earl of Stamford the said Mary Countess of Stamford his Wife and the said Sir John Hobart the Survivors or Survivor of them shall by any Writing direct order or appoint which Direction Order or Appointment shall be good and valid notwithstanding the Coverture Infancy or other legal Disabilities of the Persons making the same and that after the Decease of the said Thomas Earl of Stamford Mary Countess of Stamford and Sir John Hobart the said other Ministry of the future Fines that shall from thenforward be raised out of the said Estate shall deducting out of the same One Ministry of the Trustees Charges from time to time be paid by the said Trustees to and for such pious charitable and publick Uses as the Heirs of the said Sir John Maynard shall from time to time by any Writing under their Hands and Seals authorized by Two or more Witnesses direct or appoint which Direction or Appointment shall be good and valid notwithstanding the Coverture Infancy or other legal Disability of the Person or Persons making the same.

And that future Monies herein mentioned be yearly paid in respect of the said Trustees to the said Corporation, for the Purpose and to be applied under the Regulations herein mentioned.

XX.  
In testimony whereof the President herein named signing this said Ministry.

Witness.

And it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That they the said Sir Francis Drake Richard Oyle John Nole Thomas Round Joseph Webb and Edmund Pollexfen and every of them their Heirs Executors and Administrators shall be and are hereby for ever indemnified acquitted released and discharged of for and from all and every such Sum and Sums of Money so to be by them paid pursuant to this Act And also shall be allowed out of the said Fines so raised or to be raised all and every such Sum and Sums of Money as they the said Trustees any or either of them have laid or shall hereafter pay to for or about or in relation to the Execution of the said Trust in them imposed as aforesaid Provided such Payments and Disbursements have been and be by them or their Order really and bona fide made in and about the said Estate so trusted as aforesaid.

And it is hereby further enacted That the Costs and Expenses for procuring this Act of Parliament shall be paid out of the said Money already raised by Rates now lying in the said Treas Chest before any Discharge be made thereof as aforesaid and that if any Difference shall arise about the Quantum of the said Costs and Expenses they shall be taxed by one of the Masters in Chancery

And for the better (and further) enabling the said Guardians of the Poor of the Town of Plymouth to begin and carry on with Effect to plan and charitable a Work Ye is enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for any Court or Courts consisting of the said Guardians or the Majority of them to be holden before the said Governor Deputy Governor or Assistants by the Votes of the major Number of such of them as shall be present from time to time to set down and ascertain what Sum or Sums of Money shall be needful for the setting building making repairing or finishing of such Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction so to be erected bought or used for the Purpose in this Act mentioned or intended (so that the same do not exceed Treble the Poor Rates assessed or paid in the Year One thousand seven hundred and two in the Two respective Parishes aforesaid) to be raised within Twelve Calendar Months as to them shall seem meet by such quarterly monthly or other Payments as they in their Discretion shall think fit and also from time to time to set down and ascertain what weekly monthly or other Sum or Sums of Money shall be needful for the Maintenance and Employment of the Poor of such Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction or other Poor within the said Town and Parishes so that the same doth not exceed what hath been paid in the said Town and Parishes aforesaid towards the Maintenance of the Poor thereof in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two and so as such Poor of the said respective Parishes aforesaid as are unable to work as get their living be weekly provided for pursuant to the intent that no other Levy or Assessment may be made for any other Maintenance or Allowance as or for any of the Poor of the said respective Parishes on any of the said Inhabitants and likewise that such Court or Courts shall and may likewise lawfully proportion out rate and assess the said Sum and Sums of Money on the respective Inhabitants as Occupiers of Lands Houses Tenements Tythes Impropriate Appropriation of Tythes and on all Persons having and using Stocks and Personal Estates in the said Town and Liberties and Precincts of the same and Parishes aforesaid in equal Proportion according to their several and respective Values and shall and may under their Common Seal certify the same unto the Mayor Recorder and Magistrates of the said Town for the Time being which said Mayor Recorder Magistrates or any Three or more of them may and are hereby required to grant and issue out their Warrant under their Hands and Seals thereby to authorise and require the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the said Parishes respectively or some or one of them to demand gather and receive the same and for Nonpayment thereof (being lawfully demanded) upon such Demand or within Ten Days after to levy the same by Distress and Sale of the Goods of such Person and Persons who ought to pay the same concerning the Overseers after the Charges of Distress and Sale deducted to the Owner of the Goods as distrained and if no sufficient Distress can be found then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Mayor Recorder and Magistrates or any of them to commit such Person as offending or neglecting to pay such Rate to Prison three to six weeks without Bail or Mainprize until such Time as such Person or Persons so committed shall have paid the Sum or Sums so rated or assessed upon him or them or during so long Time as the Persons making such Commitment shall reasonably think fit and when and as the said Sums so assessed shall be received by the said Churchwardens and Overseers respectively receiving the same shall pay the same unto the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the Time being

Parliament always That if any Person or Persons so to be assessed shall find him or themselves unequally taxed or assessed or he or they may appeal to the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the said Town or Borough after such Assessment made and demanded or to any other Sessions of the Peace to be holden by Adjournment or otherwise for the said Borough within One Month after and the Justice of the Peace at such Sessions shall and have hereby Power to make such Order therein as so them shall seem just which Order shall be final

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Corporation hereby constituted shall take Care and provide for the Maintenance of all the Poor of the said Town and Precincts thereof and the Two Parishes aforesaid of what Age or Sex soever they be who are or ought to be by Law relieved and provided for by their respective Parishes except such Poor as are or shall be otherwise sufficiently provided for by the charitable Gifts of other Persons and except such Poor which are or shall be in other Hospitals or Almshouses endowed within the said Town now erected or which shall be erected and in order therefore the said Corporation shall have full Power to examine the Churchwardens and Overseers of the said Two several Parishes upon Oath and shall have full Power to examine search and see what poor Persons there are come into inhabiting and residing within the said Town

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for any Court consisting of Nine Guardians at the least within the said Town of Plymouth and Liberties of the same to provide such Statute and Things as they shall judge necessary for the setting to work the Poor aforesaid of what Age or Sex soever they be and shall have hereby Power and Authority to compel all Vagabonds Vagrants and all idle Persons who have no visible Means of living and who do not render themselves to some lawful Employment

XXI.  
Proviso for Emp-  
loy of the Goods  
of obtaining this  
Act.

XXII.  
Court of Guardians  
may receive the  
Money necessary  
for building  
Workhouses, &c.

Limitation of  
Amount.

and for Maintenance  
and Employment of  
Poor, &c.

Limitation of  
Amount.

and may make  
Rates for the same  
in as much as may be.

and certify to  
Mayor, &c. under  
the Common Seal  
Proceedings  
therein.

Distress.

If no Distress  
obtained.

XXIII.  
Appeal from Rate  
to Quarter Sessions.

And.

XXIV.  
Discharge of  
Poor to be provided  
for by Corporations.

Corporations may  
examine Church-  
wardens and  
Overseers.

XXV.  
Court of Guardians  
may provide  
Statute, &c. for  
Work, &c.  
and may compel  
Vagrants, &c. to  
live and work in the  
said Workhouses.



and all and every Person and Persons who shall be found within the said Town Precincts or Liberties thereof or within either of the said Two Parishes begging or seeking Relief and such other Poor who do or shall knowingly receive Alms of the Parishes or Places where they inhabit or seek the same or that by any of the Laws now in force or hereafter to be in force ought to be relieved to dwell inhabit or work in such Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses and also to set to work all Persons sent into such Houses of Correction and so do all Manner of Work as they shall think them able and fit for and to detain and keep in the Service of the said Corporation or to set to work until the Age of Fifteen Years any poor Child or Children of the said Town who shall be or whose Father or Mother or other Relation as Person with whom they shall dwell are or shall be maintained by the said Town or by begging Relief or the Child or Children of any other Person or Persons within the said Town that are or shall be willing to have their Child or Children put to work or to place their Child or Children in such Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses until the Age of Fifteen Years and after any such Child or Children have attained their Age of Fifteen Years or sooner the said Corporation by Indentures under their Common Seal shall have Power to bind and put forth such Child or Children apprentices to any honest Person or Persons within the Kingdom of England who are willing to take such Child or Children for any Number of Years not exceeding Seven Years either to learn some Trade Handicraft or Occupation or to be put into some Service such as the said Governor Deputy Governor Assistant or the major Part of them present at any of their Courts shall judge expedient having some Regard to the Disposition or Inclination of such Children in their so placing them out which Indentures shall be binding to such Children

and poor Children under the Age of Fifteen.

and after attaining the Age of Fifteen, may apprentice them.

Indentures signed to the Disposition of such Children.

**XXVI.**  
Power of Justices over such Apprentices.

And the Justices of the Peace for such County City Town or Place where the Masters or Mistresses of such Apprentices respectively shall live shall have the like Authority over them as by any Law now in force they have over any other Apprentices and also shall have Power to discharge such Apprentices from their Masters and Mistresses in case of any cruel Usage of them or any gross Neglect or Default of Care of such Apprentices of their Masters and Mistresses such as in the Discretion of such Justices shall be judged good Cause for such Discharge

**XXVII.**  
Court may, when necessary, inflict Punishment upon the Poor in the said Workhouse.

And further that any Court or Assembly of the said Corporation consisting of Nine Guardians or more shall have and lawfully hath Power to inflict such Correction or Punishment on any poor Person or Persons within the said Hospital or Hospitals Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction or that shall be set to work as shall not conform to such Rules Orders and Ordinances made and to be made as aforesaid or shall misbehave themselves in the same as to them or the major Part of them shall seem reasonable and that such Court or Assembly shall from time to time have and lawfully hath Power to appoint a Committee to consist of Seven of the Guardians at least who or any Three of them shall from time to time or at any Time till the next Court or Assembly have Power to inflict such Correction and Punishment as to them shall seem reasonable on such poor Person or Persons offending as aforesaid

**XXVIII.**  
Majesty of Guardians may deliver any unmanageable Person to the Land or Sea Service.

And in case any Rogue Vagrant idle or disorderly Man who shall be in the said Workhouse shall prove disobedient and refuse to conform himself to the Rules and Orders of the said House and shall persist obstinately in his inobedience that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Guardians or the major Part of them appointing thereunto to deliver over all and every such intractable Person and Persons to be bound in the Land or Sea Service of Her present Majesty or of Her Heirs or Successors as such Guardians shall think fit

**XXIX.**  
Governor, &c. may direct Warrants to Constables to apprehend Vagrants, &c.

And it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Governor Deputy Governor and Assistants or any Three of them (whereof the said Governor or Deputy Governor to be one) by Warrants or Warrants under their Hands and Seals to be directed to the Constables of the said Borough or Town or to any or either of them to apprehend or cause to be apprehended any Rogues Vagabonds Vagrants Beggars or idle or disorderly Persons and all and every other Person and Persons coming into or being in the said Town not lawfully settled therein that have no visible Means of living honestly and to cause them to be carried to the said Workhouse and there to be kept and set to work for any Time not exceeding Twelve Months And in case any Constable shall refuse or neglect duly to serve or faithfully to execute such Warrants he shall forfeit the Sum of Forty Shillings for every such Offence.

Constable refusing, &c. to serve, &c.

**XXX.**  
Corporation may contract with Parishes in Devon or Cornwall, for receiving Poor to work.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Corporation lawfully constituted shall have and lawfully hath full Power and Authority to contract and agree with any Parish or Parishes in the said Counties of Devon or Cornwall for the receiving employing and setting on [work in the said] Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction all or any of the Poor of or belonging to such Parish or Parishes and that each Poor after they shall be so received shall be in all respects subject to and be ordered in such Sort and Manner as any other of the Poor of the said Town and also to agree with any other Eleemosynary Corporation or with any Trustees for pious or charitable Uses within the said Town for the maintaining educating instructing and teaching of any poor Boys or Girls that now are or hereafter shall happen to come under the Care of such Eleemosynary Corporation or Trustees for charitable Uses upon such Terms and such Considerations as can or may be agreed on between the said Corporation lawfully constituted and such Parish or Parishes Eleemosynary Corporation or Trustees of Charities respectively

and to agree for maintaining and educating poor Boys and Girls.

PROVIDED always That the receiving working or Continuance of any Vagabond Vagrant idle Person poor Person or Persons or other Person or Persons whatsoever into the said Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction shall not of itself be deemed conveyed or taken to be any Settlement in the Place Parish or Parishes wherein such Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction shall happen to be but the Settlement or Settlements of all and every such Vagabond Vagrant poor Person and of all and every other Persons and Person so received and employed in when discharged from or out of the said Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction shall be deemed and adjudged to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever to be in such other Parish or Parishes Place or Places where he or they was or were last before legally settled as if such Person or Persons so discharged had never been in such Workhouse or Workhouses House or Houses of Correction.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all charitable Gifts Devise or Dispositions heretofore given devised or disposed or that shall hereafter be given devised or disposed in general Terms or by general Words to or for the Use of the Poor of the said Town or Borough or of either of the said Two Parishes within the said Town shall be paid to and be had received and enjoyed by the Corporation hereby erected to [and to'] and for the Uses of the Poor aforesaid provided this Act shall not extend to such Lands or other Things so devised or given as have been sold or disposed of bona fide by the Devisee or other Trustees of such Gifts or Devise.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Treasurer of the said Corporation hereby constituted for the Time being and all other Officers belonging to the same and to the Hospitals Workhouse and Workhouses House and Houses of Correction thereto belonging shall from time to time before such Person or Persons in the said Corporation at any Court consisting of the major Part of the Guardians shall shew unto account account for such Sums of Money Stock and other Things belonging to the said Corporation Hospitals Workhouses or Houses of Correction as shall come to him or their respective Hands or be under his or their respective Care upon every reasonable Winding and Notice thereof by the said Corporation or by the said Governor or Deputy Governor to them respectively given and moreover that the said Treasurer and Receiver shall yearly before the Determination of their said Office respectively account with such Persons as shall be appointed by the said Corporation at any Court as aforesaid for all such Money Stock and other Things belonging to the said Corporation as shall have come to or be in their Hands respectively and shall pay and deliver over such Money and other Things as shall be found in their Hands to the succeeding Treasurer or Receiver respectively who shall give a Receipt for the same and that if the Treasurer Receiver and other Officers belonging to the said Corporation or any of them shall refuse or neglect to account as aforesaid such Person as refusing or neglecting shall and may by the said Governor or Deputy Governor and Associates or any Five or more of them be committed to the Goal or Prison of the said Town to remain there without Bail or Mainprise until he or they so offending become conformable and account as aforesaid and if upon any such Account there shall appear to be any thing in his or their Hands belonging to the said Corporation Hospitals Workhouses or Houses of Correction to the same belonging be and they shall pay and deliver the same as the said Corporation shall direct on pain to forfeit Double the Value thereof.

And it is hereby further enacted That all Penalties and Forfeitures herein before by this Act given or appointed shall be levied by Writings and Sale of the Offenders Goods by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of the Governor of the said Corporation for the Time being and in case of his Refusal or Neglect to seal and issue such Warrant then such Duties and Sale of the Offenders Goods shall be by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of the Deputy Governor of the said Corporation for the Time being and in case of his Refusal or Neglect that then the same shall be by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of any Five of the said Guardians for the Time being returning to the Offenders the Overplus after the Charges of detaining are deducted and the same Penalties being paid or so levied shall be employed to and for such Uses and Purposes as the said Poor Rates are hereby directed to be employed or otherwise as to the said Corporation shall seem meet.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Elections of the Governor and other Officers to be made by virtue of this Act shall be made by Ballot in Manner following (viz.) The Mayor Recorder and Jurors of the Peace of the said Town or Borough for the Time being or any Two of them shall and are hereby required to take the Scrutiny of this Ballot who shall meet on the Days and at the Places of Election and there in the Presence of the Electors shall place a Glass to be hid for that Purpose into which [such'] Elector shall put a Scroll of Paper containing the Name or Names of such Person or Persons as he thinks fit to be elected for the said Office or Place Office or Place then to be filled and supplied and such Person or Person as shall be found to have most Votes upon Inspection or Scrutiny of the said Papers or Scrolls shall be deemed and taken to be duly elected to the said Office or Office Place or Places then in Question or Election.

PROVIDED always and it is hereby declared and enacted That no Guardian Assistant or other Officers or Officer who shall be elected or employed in Execution of or by virtue of this Act or any of the Powers or Authorities hereby given shall be liable for or by reason of such Office or Officer or the Execution of the same or any of

XXXI.  
No Settlement  
gained by the  
Poor so employed.

but to remain as  
before.

XXXII.  
Charitable Gifts to  
be received by the  
said Corporation.

Trustees.

XXXIII.  
Treasurer and  
other Officers to  
account.

and pay over  
Balances to  
Successors.

Refusing, &c. to  
account.

Imprisonment by  
Governor, &c.

Not paying  
Penalties,  
Forfeits.

XXXIV.  
Penalties levied by  
Deputies, &c.

XXXV.  
Elections of  
Officers to be by  
Ballot, as herein  
directed.

XXXVI.  
Guardians, Officers,  
&c. not liable  
thereby to the  
Penalties of Stat.  
14 Car II. c. 2.

them to any of the Poulders mentioned in an Act made in the Twenty fifth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second for the preventing the Dangers which may happen from Popish Recusants nor to any Penalty Incidents or Disability in or by any other Act of Parliament or Law imposed or enacted for or by reason of any Omission or Neglect in receiving the Holy Sacrament of the Lords Supper taking any Oaths or in making any Declaration whatsoever.

XXXVII.  
In Action for  
recovery of Costs  
General Issue may  
be pleaded.

Title Costs.

Also for the preventing venalities Gains which may be received by the Execution of this Act Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall be sued in any Court whatsoever for any Matter or Thing which he or they shall do in Execution of this Act he or they may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence and if the Verdict in any such Suit shall pass for the Defendant or Defendants or the Plaintiff be Nonsuit or discharge his Suit or Judgment shall be given against him the Defendant or Defendants shall have and recover his or their Title Costs in such Manner as Costs are had or recovered by any Defendant upon Judgment given for him in any Action by any Statute or Law of the Realm.

XXXVIII.  
Public Act.

And this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts within the Kingdom as a Publick Act and all Judges and Justices are hereby required as such to take Notice thereof without special pleading the same.

XXXIX.  
Magistrates, Justices,  
&c. to be sworn to  
Compositions in  
maintaining Acts.

And all Mayors Justices Sheriffs Bailiffs Constables and all other Officers and Ministers of Justice are hereby required to be aiding and assisting to the said Corporation hereby constituted and to all such Officers as shall be employed by them or any of them in the due Execution of this Act or any of the Powers or Authority hereby given.

#### CHAPTER XLVII.

Act, Part, 6. Annæ,  
c. 46, 47.

AN ACT for enlarging the Term in an Act made in the Seventh Year of His late Majesty for repairing the Highways between the City of London and the Town of Harwich in the County of Essex.

Recall of Stat.  
7 & 8 W. III. c. 2.

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Reason for passing  
this Act.

Tolls on the said  
Act continued for  
15 Years, from  
14th Feb. 1718

The said Act to  
be in force for  
raising General.

WHEREAS by an Act made in a Session of Parliament in the Seventh and Eighth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third (intituled An Act for repairing the Highway between the City of London and the Town of Harwich in the County of Essex) the Justices of the Peace of the said County of Essex at their Quarter Sessions to be holden for the said County next after the passing the said Act were empowered to choose and appoint One or more fit Person or Persons to collect and receive such Rates and Sums of Money for Tolls as in and by the said Act are directed and appointed to be paid for all Horse Carts Coachmen Waggon Drivers and Gaiage of Carts as should pass be had or driven in or through the said Way and also to set up a Turnpike in some convenient Place upon the said High Way between Reerswood and Ingersstone in the said County which Act was to continue and be in force for the Term of Fifteen Years to be accounted from the passing of the said Act and no longer And whereas the Justices of the Peace of the said County in pursuance of the Powers and Authorities given them by the said recited Act did cause a Turnpike to be set up at or near Moontessing in the said County and out of the Tolls arising by the said Act have repaid and amended great Part of the Highways in the said Act mentioned but there is still a Necessity of laying further Sums of Money in repairing other Parts of the said Highways sheweth amongst which Charge and Expence together with a Satisfaction for the Monies already borrowed on Credit of the said Tolls in pursuance of the Powers given by the said recited Act cannot be defrayed out of the Monies to be collected by the said Tolls for the Remainder of the said Fifteen Years yet to come and unexpired May it therefore please Your most Excellent Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in the present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the Tolls mentioned in the said Act to be taken at Moontessing aforesaid be continued kept up taken and received in the Manner by the said recited Act mentioned and appointed for the Space of Fifteen Years from the Four and twentieth Day of February which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ten being the Time of the Expirement of the said Term of Fifteen Years from passing of the said recited Act and that the Monies thereby arising be employed in repairing the said Highways according to the Tenor of the said Act and that the recited Act and the Powers and Authorities thereby given to the Justices of the Peace of the said County of Essex or any other Person or Persons by force and virtue of the same Act and all and every the Clauses Matters and Things therein contained and not hereby altered shall from thenceforth be revised continue and be in full force and virtue from the said Four and twentieth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and ten until the Twenty fifth Day of February which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and twenty five as fully and effectually to all intents and Purposes as if the same were herein again repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this present Act.

II.  
If Highway  
altered or is  
enlarged before

Provision always That if the Highway intended to be repaired by the said former or by this present Act shall before the Expirement of the said last mentioned Term of Fifteen Years be in good and sufficient Repair and an Application thereof be made by the Justices of the Peace at their Quarter Sessions to be held for the said

County and the Maresse borrowed or to be borrowed for repairing the Highways pursuant to the said former or that Period, then the said Tolls to cease,

Also be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Maresse as shall and may arise by the Tolls and Duties charged by this Act after the Roads mentioned in the said former Act shall by Order of the Justices of the Peace at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the said County of Essex be declared to be sufficiently repaired shall and may be taken account and employed towards amending and repairing of such Part of the great Road leading from London to Haverhill as lies between Haverhill Town and Shenfield Wash.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That out of the Maresse arising by the said Tolls after the Roads mentioned in the said former Act shall be declared to be sufficiently repaired as aforesaid the said Justices may repair and amend such Part or Parts of the said great Road as lies in the several Parishes of Margreving Writtle and Walford and between the Parish of Walford and the Alms-houses in the Hamlet of Moultham and between London Cross and Hordpore in the Parish of Saint Mary Colchester.

III.  
and the Maresse  
arising in each  
Case employed to  
be so repaired

IV.  
The like as to  
Maresse remaining  
after Roads in the  
said former Act  
mentioned are  
repaired

# CHAPTER XLVIII (\*)

AN ACT for extending One Half Part of the Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wares Goods and Merchandises imported which were granted to the Crown in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second and for settling a Fund thereby and by other Ways and Means for Payment of Annuities not exceeding Eighty thousand Pounds per Annum to be sold for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight and other Uses therein expressed.

Act, First 6. Anne,  
S. 1 & 2.

**M**OST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN Whereas several Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties and Sums of Money upon Wares Goods and other Merchandises were given and granted unto His late Majesty King Charles the Second (of blessed Memory) for His Life by an Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of His Reign intitled A Subsidy granted to the King of Tonnage and Poundage and other Sums of Money payable upon Merchandises imported and by the Book of Rates thereto annexed which Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties and Sums of Money upon Wares Goods and Merchandises as well exported as imported (with some Alterations) were by several subsequent Acts of Parliament granted to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Fifth Year of Your Majesty's Reiga (intituled An Act for continuing several Subsidies Impositions and Duties and for making Provisione therein mentioned to raise Money by way of Loan for the Service of the War and other His Majesty's necessary and important Occasions and for altering the Wares Measures) the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties and Sums of Money were enacted to continue and be payable to Your Majesty for and upon all Wares Goods and Merchandises which should be imported at any Time or Times between the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ten and the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve Now we Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Great Britain in Parliament assembled having reached that a further Sum not exceeding One million two hundred and eighty thousand Pounds be raised by Sale of Annuities in the Manner herein after mentioned to wit One million and twenty thousand Pounds thereof for the better enabling Your Majesty to defray the Expence of the present War and other Your Majesty's most necessary and important Occasions and Two hundred and sixty thousand Pounds Residue thereof to be applied in such Manner as is herein after mentioned towards making good the Payment of the Annuities to be purchased upon this Act have for that End and Purpose cheerfully and unanimously given and granted and do by this Act give and grant unto Your Majesty the further Subsidies Duties and Sums of Money hereinafter mentioned and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That over and above all other Subsidies additional Duties Impositions and Payments whatsoever by any former or other Act or Acts of Parliament or otherwise heretofore already due or payable or which ought to be paid to Her Majesty for or upon any Wares Goods or Merchandises whatsoever imported or to be imported there shall be raised levied collected paid and satisfied unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and upon all Wares Goods and Merchandises which at any Time or Times from and after the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and twelve within or during the Term of Ninety six Years from thence next and immediately ensuing shall be imported or brought into Great Britain One Motety or Half Part of such and the like several and respective Subsidies Duties and Sums of Money as by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reiga are charged or payable within or during the Term or Time thereby granted or limited for or upon the like imported Wares Goods and Merchandises respectively except such Goods and other Merchandises as by the

Reason for granting  
the Act.

Stat. 10 Geo. II  
C. 4.

Stat. 5 Ann. C. 31.

all Subsidies to be  
raised by Sale of  
Annuities  
all contained under the  
Express of the  
War, &c.  
A Subsidy for  
Payment of  
Annuities to be  
purchased on this  
Act

Half Subsidy of  
Tonnage and  
Poundage con-  
tinued from  
1<sup>st</sup> July 1710,  
for 96 Years.

\* This is Chapter XI. 6 Ann. In the Commons printed Edition.

except Goods  
excepted by  
former Acts

said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign or by any Law now in force are excepted from the Payment of the Subsidies or Duties which were first granted in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second as aforesaid

II.  
The same Duties  
shall be collected  
as by former Acts

And it is hereby enacted That in all Cases where by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign or by any Act relating thereto any Drawbacks or Allowances are to be made of the Whole or any Part of the Duties thereby imposed upon any Wines Goods or Merchandises whatsoever there shall be in the like Cases proportional Drawbacks and Allowances made of the Whole or Part of the Duties by this Act imposed upon the same Wines Goods and Merchandises respectively and that the several Subsidies and Duties by this Act granted during the Continuance thereof shall be raised collected levied secured and paid within and throughout the Kingdom of Great Britain by the same Ways Means and Methods and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Allowances and subject to such Rules and Directions as is and by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign or by any other Act or Acts therein related unto are prescribed or appointed for the raising collecting levying securing and paying the said Subsidies and Duties granted by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign during the Continuance thereof and that every Article Rule and Clause contained in the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign or in any Act or Acts of Parliament therein mentioned or thereby referred unto for raising collecting levying securing and paying the said Subsidies and Duties thereby granted during the Continuance thereof are and shall be by Force of this Act revived and shall be most exactly and put in practice for the raising levying collecting and answering the Subsidies and Duties granted or imposed by the present Act during the said Term of Ninety six Years and all Arrangements thereof from time to time as fully and effectually as if the same Articles Rules and Clauses and every of them were again particularly set at large recited and re-enacted in the Body of this present Act except only as to such of the said Articles Rules and Clauses touching which other Provisions Alterations or Exceptions are made by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in being which other Provisions Alterations or Exceptions shall be observed with respect to the Duties hereby granted during the Continuance of this Act in the same Manner as they are to be observed with respect to the said Subsidies formerly granted as aforesaid.

which are hereby  
revived.

Exemptions.

III.  
The Monies arising  
to be paid into the  
Exchequer  
separately.

And for the better and more sure Payment of all the Antecedents to be purchased on this Act be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies arising from time to time by or for the further Subsidies and Duties by this Act granted or payable (the necessary Charges of managing raising levying collecting answering paying and accounting for the same only excepted shall from time to time from and after the Commencement thereof for and during the said Term of Ninety six Years therein granted be brought and paid by the Receiver General or each Person or Persons as for the Time being shall have the Receipt thereof (who are hereby required and enjoined to bring and pay the same as it shall be raised) into the Receipt of the Exchequer for the Purposes in this Act expressed distinctly and separately from all other Monies whatsoever that are or shall be payable by him or them into the said Receipt.

IV.  
When Principal, like  
charged by time.  
And when any are  
paid off, then the  
Half Subsidy to be  
paid weekly into  
Exchequer for the  
Use of this Act.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and immediately after the Time that all the Principal and Interest Monies which by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign are charged upon the aforesaid Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage, thereby granted shall be raised and paid off or that Money shall be reserved in the Exchequer sufficient for that Purpose then One Moiety or Half Part of the aforesaid Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage to arise by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign for the Remainder of the Term thereby granted and therein then to come and unexpired (except the necessary Charges of raising collecting levying and answering for the same) shall in like Manner from time to time be brought and paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer for the Purposes in this Act expressed distinctly and apart as aforesaid and the said Receiver and Receivers General or other Persons who shall have the Receipt of the said Moiety or Half Part of the said Subsidies and Duties by this or the said former Act granted and hereby required to be paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer as aforesaid shall make or cause to be made the Payments thereof into the said Receipt of the Exchequer according to the true Meaning of this Act weekly to wit on Wednesday in every Week if it be not an Holiday and if it be then on the next [Day] after that is not an Holiday.

V.  
The aforesaid  
received for  
discharging the  
quarterly Payments.

And for the better securing the quarterly Payments which shall grow due upon the Antecedents to be purchased in pursuance of this Act before the Monies arising by the Half Subsidies and Duties before mentioned can take place for Payment of the same Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid that the said Sum not exceeding Two hundred and sixty thousand Pounds Part of the Contribution Monies to be raised by this Act Annually upon this Act or so much thereof as shall be sufficient in this behalf shall and may be reserved and applied for and towards the discharging the quarterly Payments last mentioned.

VI.  
The Half Subsidy  
to be appropriated  
for Payment of  
the Antecedents.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Half Subsidies and Duties by this Act appointed to be paid into the Exchequer weekly for the Purposes in this Act contained as aforesaid and the said Sum not exceeding Two hundred and sixty thousand Pounds hereby directed to be reserved out of the Contribution Money as aforesaid or so much of the same Subsidies Duties and reserved Monies as shall be sufficient for

answering the full and due Payment of all the Annuities to be purchased on this Act and all Annuages thereof from time to time incurred are and shall be by virtue of this Act liable and appropriated thereunto and shall not be diverted or diverted to any other Use Intend or Purpose whatsoever under the Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities in this Act expressed and all the Monies arising by the said Half Subsidies Duties and Provision hereby made out of which the said Annuities to be purchased upon this Act are to be satisfied shall be fairly and duly stored in One or more Book or Books to be kept in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt and Clerk of the Pells for that Purpose to which all Persons concerned at all reasonable Times shall have free Access without Fee or Charge.

Also to the end all the Monies by this Act appropriated for Payment of the Annuities to be purchased on this Act may be duly and certainly raised and brought into the Receipt of the Exchequer for that Purpose it is hereby further enacted That from time to time during the Continuance of this Act there shall be continued or appointed Commissioners and a Receiver or Receivers General or also Comptrolers Collectors and other proper Officers for raising the several Half Subsidies and Duties by this Act intended for the Payment of the Annuities to be purchased thereupon and for keeping the Accounts of the same and that all Commissioners Receivers General Comptrolers Collectors and other Officers who are or shall be concerned in the managing raising levying receiving collecting or paying the same or in keeping the Accounts thereof shall perform their several and respective Duties therein as in and through respectively shall appear under such and the like Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities for any Offence or Neglect therein or for detaining diverting or misapplying any Part of the said Monies as are prescribed and to be inflicted by virtue of an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory intitled An Act for raising a Sum not exceeding Two millions upon a Fund for Payment of Annuities after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum and for settling the Trade to the East Indies) for the like Offence or Neglect in relation to the Duties upon Salt and other Duties upon stamps Vellum Parchment and Paper thereby granted or for detaining diverting or misapplying any Part of the Monies which were granted by the Act last mentioned.

Also for the raising any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the said Sum of One Million and two hundred and eighty thousand Pounds for such Uses as aforesaid it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Natives or Foreigners Bodies Politick or Corporate to contribute advances and pay into the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer for Her Majesties Use at or before the respective Days and Times in this Act limited in that Behalf any Sum or Sums of Money not exceeding in the whole the said Sum of One million two hundred and eighty thousand Pounds for purchasing any Annuity or Annuities to be paid and payable during the full Term of Ninety nine Years to be reckoned from the four and twentieth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight at the Rate of Sixteen Years Purchase which Rate doth amount to the Sum of One hundred and sixty Pounds for every such Annuity of Ten Pounds per Annum and proportionably for any greater Annuity and the same Rate or Consideration Money is hereby appointed to be paid into the said Receipt at or before the respective Days and Times herein after mentioned that is to say One Fourth Part thereof on or before the Twentieth Day of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the Two and twentieth Day of June in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the Twentieth Day of August in the Year of the Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight and the remaining Fourth Part thereof on or before the Twentieth Day of October in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight all which Annuities so to be purchased shall not exceed in the whole the Sum of Eighty thousand Pounds per Annum and shall be paid and payable at the Four most usual Feasts or Days of Payment in the Year first is to say the Feast of S. Michael the Archangel the Birth of our Lord Christ the Annunciation of the blessed Virgin Mary and the Nativity of S. John Baptist by even and equal Portions the First Payment thereof to be due at the Feast of S. Michael the Archangel which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight.

Also it is hereby enacted That in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipt and Clerk of the Pells in the Exchequer severally there shall be provided and kept a Book or Books in which there shall be fairly entered the Names of all who shall be Contributors and of all Persons by whose Hands the said Contributions shall pay in any of the said Sums upon this Act and also the Sums so paid to which Book it shall be lawful for the said respective Contributors their Executors Administrators and Assigns from time to time and at all reasonable Times to have Resort and to inspect the same without Fee or Reward.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Accounts whatsoever which shall be purchased upon or in pursuance of this present Act shall be and are hereby charged upon and shall be paid and payable from time to time in the First Place and with Preference to all other Payments whatsoever out of the Monies arising from time to time or for the said Half Subsidies and other Duties appointed to be brought in weekly for that Purpose as aforesaid and out of the said Sums of the Contribution Money hereby appointed to be received as aforesaid and so much of the said Half Subsidies Duties and reserved Monies so appointed as shall be sufficient to satisfy and discharge all the Annuities to be purchased on this Act and all the Annuages thereof at any Time due or owing are and shall be by virtue of this Act appropriated and applied to and for satisfying

to be entered in a Book, &c.

VII.  
Commissioners,  
&c. appointed,

subject to Poul-  
ton, &c. of Stat  
9 W. III. c. 46

VIII.  
Close of Lists  
of all Persons  
for purchasing  
Annuities at all  
Years Purchase

Times of Payment

Annuities not to  
exceed fifty-pounds  
per Annum, and  
to be paid quarterly.

IX.  
Contributors  
Names to be  
entered, &c.

X.  
Annuities charged  
upon the Half  
Subsidies, &c.

and discharging of the same Annuities and such Arrangements thereof accordingly and shall be limited disposed and applied to that Use and to no other Use Incent or Purpose whatsoever under the Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities in this Act expressed. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XI.  
Surplus to be  
applied to public  
Use.

Provision always and it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if at the end of any Quarter of a Year of the Term for which the Annuities upon this Act are to be purchased the Monies arising at the Exchequer of or for the said Half Subsidies and Duties by this Act appropriated (the Contribution Money to be reserved in aforesaid being excepted) shall exceed all the Monies then due for or upon the same Annuities and all Arrangements thereof then or at any Time or Times before that Time incurred so that there shall be an Excess or Surplus remaining in the Exchequer such Excess or Surplus shall be disposable from time to time for the publick Use and Service and not otherwise. Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XII.  
Contributions  
related to the  
Annuitants, and to  
they own Estates  
Successors.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all [and ''] every Contributor and Contributor upon this Act duly paying the Consideration or Purchase Money at the Rate aforesaid at or before the respective Days or Times in this Act limited in that Behalf for any such Annuitant or Annuitants as aforesaid or such as he or she or they shall appoint his her or their respective Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns shall have receive and enjoy and be entitled by virtue of this Act to have receive and enjoy the respective Annuity and Annuities so to be purchased out of the Monies by this Act appropriated or applied for the Payment thereof during the said whole Term of Ninety nine Years to be purchased therein as is above mentioned. And that all and every such Purchasers their Executors Administrators and Assigns respectively shall have good and sure Estates and Interests in the several Annuities so by them to be purchased according to the Tenor and true Meaning of this Act. And that all the said Annuities to be purchased on this Act and every of them during the Term aforesaid shall be free from all Taxes Charges and Impositions whatsoever.

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XIII.  
Taxes and Orders  
to be made, &c.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Contributor upon this Act for any Annuity or Annuitant as aforesaid his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns upon Payment of the Consideration or Purchase Money for the same at the Rate aforesaid or any Part or Proportion thereof within the Time or Times in this Act limited in that Behalf shall immediately here One or more Talley or Tallies levied impeding the Receipt of so much Consideration Money as shall be so paid and upon Payment of all the Purchase Money for any such Annuity or Annuitant at the Rate aforesaid every such Contributor his her or their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns respectively shall have an Order for paying of the said Annuity and Annuities for and during the said Term of Ninety nine Years to be purchased therein which Order shall be signed by the Treasurer and Under Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being and after the signing thereof the same shall be ['] good valid and effectual in the Law according to the Purpose and true Meaning thereof and of this Act and shall not be determinable by or upon the Death or Removal of any Treasurer [or ''] Under Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioner or Commissioners of the Treasury or by or upon the Determination of the Power Office or Offices of them or any of them nor shall any Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Commissioners of the Treasury now or for the Time being have Power to revoke countermand or make void such Orders so signed as aforesaid or any of them.

XIV.  
5 per Cent. for  
Interest Payment  
within 10th April  
1708.

AND for the Incouragement of the Contributors to advance and pay forthwith into the Receipt of the Exchequer the Sum by them intended to be advanced upon this Act it is provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Contributor who shall advance and pay into the said Receipt of Exchequer all or any Part of the Purchase Money payable for any such Annuity or Annuitant as aforesaid before the said Twentieth Day of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight his her or their Executors Administrators or Assigns shall be allowed and paid out of the Contribution Money arising by this Act Interest after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum for the prompt Payment of the Money so advanced from the Time of the actual advancing and paying the same until the said Twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and eight.

XV.  
Annuitants assign-  
able and divisible

AND be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Contributor or Contributors his her or their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns at any Time or Times during the Continuance of his her or their Term Estate or Interest of and in any Annuity to be purchased upon this Act by any Writing under his her or their Hands and Seals or under the Common Seal of a Corporation or by his her or their last Will in Writing to assign or devise such Annuity or any Part thereof or any Interest therein to any Person or Persons whatsoever and so to his assigns and so such Assignments to be revocable so as an Entry or Memorandum of such Assignment or Will be made in Books to be kept for that Purpose in the said Office of the Auditor of the Receipts within the Space of Three Months after such Assignment or Death of the Devisee and that upon producing such Assignment or Will or Probate thereof in the said Office of Receipts to be entered as aforesaid the Party so producing the same shall bring therewith an Affidavit taken before One or more of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the due Execution of the said Assignment or Will which Affidavit shall be severally filed in the

Assignment not  
revocable;  
entered in Auditor's  
Office.

And also.

said Office which said Entry or Memorandum the proper Officers in the said Receipt of Exchequer are hereby required to make accordingly and to file the said Affidavits and in default of such Assignment or Devise by Deed or Will the Interest of such Contributor shall go to his or her Executors or Administrators

Sed.

And it is hereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful for any Guardian or Trustee having the Disposal of the Money of any Infant under the Age of One and twenty Years for the Use and Benefit of such Infant to advance and pay the Sum of One hundred and sixty Pounds of the Money of such Infant to purchase an Annuity upon this Act for the Benefit of such Infant And the said Guardian or Trustee as to the said Sum of One hundred and sixty Pounds so advanced is hereby discharged.

XVI.  
Guardian may  
advance at 100.

And be it further enacted for the better Encouragement of Persons to advance the Monies on this Act That all Receipts and Issues and all other Things directed by this Act to be performed in the Exchequer shall be done and performed by the Officers there without demanding or receiving directly or indirectly any Fee Gratuity or Reward for the same and in case any of the Officers of the Exchequer shall take or demand any such Fee or Reward or shall desert or misapply any of the Monies of the said Half Schedules and other Duties or Monies hereby appropriated or any Part thereof which should make good the Payment of the said Annuities or shall pay or issue out the same otherwise than according to the Intent of this Act or shall not keep Books or Registers and make Entries and do and perform all other Things which by this Act they are required to perform every such Officer shall forfeit his Office and be for ever incapable of any Office or Place of Trust and shall answer and pay Treble Damages to every Contributor or Person who shall be prejudiced thereby to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Pleint or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster wherein as Eschequer Protection Privileges of Parliament or other Privilege Wager of Law Injunction Order of Restriction or more than One Imparance shall be granted or allowed And in the said Action the Plaintiff upon Recovery shall have full Costs One Third of which Sum to be recovered for Damages shall be to the Use of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Two Third Parts with the Costs shall be to the Use of the Prosecutor and in case there shall be any Collision or Issue Prosecution between the Plaintiff and Defendant in such Action it shall be lawful for any other Contributor his or her Executors Administrators or Assigns to bring another Action wherein he or she shall recover as aforesaid to the like Uses as aforesaid.

XVII.  
Officers of the  
Exchequer taking  
no Fee, &c.or misapplying  
Monies, &c.Forfeiture of Office,  
Incapacity,  
Penalty.Full Costs on  
Action for Penalty.  
First Prosecution.

Provided always That no Person or Persons whatsoever shall or may purchase or obtain or be admitted to purchase or obtain any Annuity whatsoever upon this Act unless the whole or One Fourth Part at least of the Consideration Money for the same at such Rate as aforesaid be advanced and paid into the said Receipt of Exchequer on or before the said Twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and eight.

XVIII.  
No Purchase good  
unless One Fourth  
paid by such April  
1798.

Provided also That in case any such Contributor as aforesaid who shall on or before the said Twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and eight have advanced One Fourth Part of his or her Purchase Money or his hee or their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns do not advance and pay into the said Receipt of Exchequer One other Fourth Part of his or her Consideration Money so to be paid for such respective Annuity or Annuities as aforesaid on or before the said Two and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and eight and One other Fourth Part thereof on or before the said Twentieth Day of August One thousand seven hundred and eight and the remaining Fourth Part thereof on or before the said Twentieth Day of October One thousand seven hundred and eight then and in every such Case respectively an Order shall be drawn or signed for such respective Annuity for which the Consideration Money shall not be fully paid as aforesaid but so much of the Consideration Money as shall have been actually paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer for such respective Annuity shall be furnished to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and shall be applied together with other the Monies to be raised by this Act for such publick Services as aforesaid Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XIX.  
Contributor paying  
One Fourth Part,  
and not the Re-  
mainder, to forfeit  
what is paid.

Provided also and it is hereby enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Treasurer of the Exchequer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being out of the said Half Schedules and other Duties by this Act appropriated for making good the said Fund not exceeding Eighty thousand Pounds per Annum which shall well over and above so much as shall be sufficient to make up the said poor Fund for discharging all the Annuities to be purchased on this Act to reward the Officers Clerks and others to be employed in the Payment of the said Annuities or the Accounts thereof for their Labour Pains Charges and Service therein respectively and to defray all other the necessary Charges incident to the Payment of the said Annuities so to the said Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being shall seem meet and reasonable in that Behalf Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

XX.  
Treasurer may  
reward Officers.

And whereas in and by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her said Majesty's Reign a Credit was given for any Sum not exceeding Eight hundred twenty two thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Fording to be borrowed or an Interest after the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum upon the several Schedules Impositions and Duties in that Act mentioned and the Lord High Treasurer or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being are thereby authorized and directed to cause the

XXI.  
Borrow of Sum.  
6 Ann. c. 47. 11th.



Officers of the Receipts of Exchequer to receive from time to time by way of Loan at the like Interest at the said Receipt any further Sums and Parts of Money over and above the said Sum of Eight hundred twenty [two] thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Forbearing as should be sufficient to make good the Payment of all the Interest Money appointed or allowed by that Act every Three Months until the said Sums Impositions and Duties therein mentioned should come into the Exchequer and be sufficient for that Purpose pursuant to the Intent and true Meaning of that Act. Now it is hereby provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to exempt to the taking away striking or lessening the said Power and Direction of borrowing Money to make good the Payment of the said Interest every Three Months until the said Sums Impositions and Duties in the said recited Act mentioned shall come in and be sufficient for that Purpose as aforesaid or in any wise to alter or prejudice the Security given by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign for the Repayment or Satisfaction of the same or any other the Principal or Interest Money which were secured or intended to be secured by that Act and that the Orders for the same shall be registered in course and paid in the same Manner as if this Act had not been made this present Act or any thing therein contained or any other Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

Power for the  
Procurator-General  
and Secretary given  
by the said Act.

XXII.  
Reason for passing  
the Statute.

New Million  
Lottery Tickets,  
Tallies, &c. may be  
made forth, in lieu  
of others lost, the  
balance of Black  
RTN.

as Oath before a  
Baron, and  
Security, &c.

If no proper  
Officers or Persons  
be appointed,  
Treasury to  
make them.

XXIII.  
Each Debenture  
not entered  
within the Time  
limited, may be  
registered before  
14th June 1708.

XXIV.  
Purchasers having  
paid One-Fourth  
Part, may have  
advanced all or  
any the quarterly  
Payments.

AND whereas several Tickets commonly called Million Lottery Tickets and Mill Lottery Tickets which are sold unpaid and several Bills called Exchequer Bills not yet discharged also divers Sums of Bills or Certificates commonly called Debentures made forth for Arrears due to the Army and for Transport Services not being applied to the purchasing of any of the aforesaid Estates in Ireland or otherwise discharged and also divers Tallies and Orders for Payment of Annuities granted by Acts of Parliament are by Casualty or Mischance lost burnt or otherwise destroyed Be it hereby further enacted That in all Cases where it shall appear by Affidavit to be made before any of the Barons of the Exchequer for the Time being in the Satisfaction of each Baron or Barons that any such Tickets Bills Debentures Tallies or Orders as aforesaid before the Third Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven have been or are lost burnt or otherwise destroyed it shall and may be lawful for the respective Officers or Persons appointed to issue and make forth the said Tickets Bills Debentures Tallies or Orders or to pay and discharge the same or to issue any Money due and payable thereon upon the producing of a Certificate from any of the said Barons of each Affidavit made before him (which Affidavit the said Barons or any of them is and are hereby authorized to take and which Certificate he or they are hereby required to make and grant without Fee or Reward) and on Security given to the said respective Officers and Persons to their good liking to indemnify them respectively against all other Persons whatsoever for or concerning the Money specified in or due upon such respective Ticket or Tickets Bill or Bills Debentures or Debentures Tally or Tallies Order or Orders they the said Officers and Persons respectively shall and are hereby required to make forth Duplicates of the said Tickets Bills Debentures or Orders and to intimate the said Tallies at the Request of the respective Officers and to pay and discharge the said Tickets Bills Debentures Tallies and Orders and all such Interest as is or shall be due on the said Tickets Bills Debentures or Orders carrying interest as he or they should have paid and discharged on the said Original Bills Tickets Debentures Tallies or Orders if the same had been produced and shall be allowed the same in all their respective Accounts And if there shall not be any proper Officer or Person to make forth the said Duplicates or any of them that the Lord High Treasurer of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or any Three of them shall and are hereby authorized and required upon such Affidavit and Security as aforesaid to order and direct any such Duplicates to be made forth in such Manner as he or they shall judge to be best all which Matters and Things shall be done without Fee or Reward to be taken or demanded for the same Any thing in this or any other Act of Parliament contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

AND whereas several Officers and other Proprietors of Debentures made forth by the late Paymaster of the Army Commissioners for Transports and by the Commissioners of Accounts in that behalf authorized respectively have undertaken to register the said Debentures within the Time limited by Act of Parliament for that Purpose made and passed in the Fourth Year of Her present Majesty's Reign intitled An Act to enlarge the Time for registering unsatisfied Debentures upon the aforesaid Estate in Ireland and for renewing of other Debentures which have been lost burnt or destroyed For the Relief therefore of all such Officers and other Proprietors of the said unsatisfied Debentures Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for all such Officers and other Proprietors of any of the said Debentures who have not registered the same to register their Debentures on or before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and eight which said Debentures being so registered shall and are hereby entitled to all the Benefits of Interest and other Advantages as if registered on or before the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six.

(\*) PROVIDED always and be it enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That in case any Purchaser or Purchasers of any Annuity or Annuities upon this Act having paid One Fourth Part or more of the Purchased Money hereby appointed to be paid for the same shall be minded and desirous to be paid by way of Advance out of the Money by this Act appointed to be reserved (when such Money shall be reserved) as aforesaid all or any of the quarterly Payments to grow due upon such Annuity or Annuities at or before Michaelmas One thousand

\* inserted in the Bill.

\* inserted in the Original Act as a separate Schedule.

seven hundred and eleven then an Order shall be forthwith drawn and signed according to the Contents of the Exchequer and awarded for the immediate paying by way of Advance such quarterly Payments as aforesaid out of the said reserved Monies deducting for the Use of this Act upon every quarterly Payment as to be advanced as much as an Interest after the Rate of Four Pence per Centum per Annum shall amount unto from the Time of such Advance until such quarterly Payments respectively would grow due by the Days of Payment limited for the same by this Act. Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

See before  
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## CHAPTER XLIX. (1)

AS Act to explain the Act of the last Session of Parliament for the Ease of Her Majesty's Subjects in relation to Allowances out of the Duties upon Salt carried Coastwise and also an Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign in Relation to certain Salt works near the Sea-Side and Bay of Holyhead in the County of Angleson.

See Part  
C. 48. 49. 50. 51. 52.

WHEREAS by an Act passed the last Session of Parliament intitled An Act for the Ease of Her Majesty's Subjects in relation to the Duties upon Salt and for making the like Allowances upon the Exportation of White Herrings from Scotland and Green called Bees also Biggs as are to be made upon Exportation of the like from Scotland it was provided and enacted that any Person that shall ship any English White Salt or Rock Salt to be carried Coastwise after the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and seven from One Port of England or Wales or the Port of Berwick upon Tweed to any Port of England or Wales or Berwick upon Tweed the Duties having been paid or secured to be paid according to former Laws shall have an Allowance made to him after the Rate of Three Bushels for every Forty Bushels of English White Salt and after the Rate of One Bushel and an Half for every Forty Bushels of English Rock Salt so shipped to be carried Coastwise and proportionably for a greater or less Quantity in Consideration of the ordinary Waste in the Carriage thereof which Allowance shall be but Once made for the same Salt although such Salt shall be carried from several Ports Coastwise as aforesaid And whereas there has been some Doubt in relation to the Allowance for the ordinary Waste of Salt where the said Salt has been shipped to be carried to a Member of the same Port though at a considerable Distance from the same Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all Persons that shall (from and after the First Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven) ship Salt to be carried Coastwise by Cuckat or Trawler Twenty Miles by Sea or more or from the Port of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk to [Lowestoff] or Southwell Bay in the County of Suffolk although into a Member or Creek of the Port from whence it was first shipped off shall have an Allowance after the Rate of Three Bushels for every Forty Bushels of English White Salt and after the Rate of One Bushel and an Half for every Forty Bushels of English Rock Salt so shipped to be carried Coastwise and proportionably for a greater or less Quantity in Consideration of the ordinary Waste in the Carriage thereof the Duties having been first paid or secured to be paid according to former Laws which Allowance shall be but Once made for the same Salt although such Salt shall be carried Coastwise from several Ports as aforesaid or Members or Creeks of Ports.

Record of Sea.  
S. Ann. 1. 1707.

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Advances to  
Shippers of Salt to  
be carried  
Coastwise, &c.

Duty having  
been paid.

11.  
Record of Sea.  
S. Ann. 1. 1707.

Reason for giving  
this Enactment.

How Rock Salt  
may be used in  
making Salt from  
Sea Water.  
Works near  
Holyhead.

111.  
Record of Sea.  
S. Ann. 1. 1707.

And whereas by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty it is enacted That no Rock Salt whatsoever shall be refined or made into White Salt in any Place or Places whatsoever within the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed except in such Places as are or shall be within Ten Miles Distance of the respective Port or Ports from whence such Rock Salt shall be taken or at such Places as on or before the Tenth Day of May One thousand seven hundred and one shall have been used for the refining of Rock Salt under a Faculty thereto expressed And whereas certain Salt works have been with great Charge erected near the Sea-Side and Bay of Holyhead in the County of Angleson in North Wales for the making of White Salt from Sea Water And upon several Occasions Rock Salt is very useful to strengthen the Belts in the said Works when weakened by Fresh Water or other Accidents but the proper Use of the said Salt works not being for the refining of Rock Salt it hath been doubted whether Rock Salt might be there used, For preventing such Doubts for the future be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Rock Salt may be so used in the making Salt from Sea Water in the said Salt Works near Holyhead aforesaid Any thing in the said Act or in any other Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding so as Her Majesty's Duties for all the Salt proceeding as well from the said Rock Salt as from the Sea Water be duly charged assessed and paid to Her Majesty's Use.

And whereas by the said Act it is enacted That for all White Herrings which shall from and after the First of May One thousand seven hundred and seven be exported from any Port or Place in the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed to Parts beyond the Seas by any Person or Persons whatsoever there shall be the like Allowances as are to be made upon the Exportation of White Herrings from Scotland upon the Oath of the Exporter or his Agent taken before the Principal Officers of the Port from whence the same are exported that such Herrings were cured with Salt for which the Duties have been paid and not drawn back and that the same are really exported to Parts beyond the Seas and not returned or intended to be

<sup>1</sup> That is Chapter XLIX. S. Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> Lowestoff G.

<sup>3</sup> See G.

Reason for passing  
this Enactment.

Allowance upon  
White Herrings  
exported.

upon Delivered,  
weighed, as herein  
mentioned.

Name of Seller  
inserted in Oath.

reloaded in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed And whereas many of Her Majesty's Subjects cannot have the Benefit that was intended for them by the said Act in regard the Salt with which the White Herrings are salted in many Parts of England pass through many Harbours and the Persons who export such Herrings buy the same already cured of Persons to whom they are sent to be sold and disposed of at Ports far distant from the Places where they are cured and by reason thereof such Exporters are incapable of making such Oath as by the Act is required for Remedy whereof Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for all White Herrings which shall from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight be exported from any Port or Place in the Kingdom of England Dominion of Wales or Town of Berwick upon Tweed to Ports beyond the Seas by any Person or Persons whatsoever these shall be the Allowances made as are directed by the said Act to be paid by the Officer appointed to collect the Duties upon Salt in the same Port or such Town and in such Manner and upon such Delivered and so verified as in the said Act is directed upon Oath of the Exporter or his Agents to be first taken in Manner as in the said Act is expressed that he bought the Herrings in such Delivered mentioned and that the same were cured with Salt for which the Duties had been paid and not drawn back to the best of his Knowledge and Belief and that the same are really exported to Ports beyond the Seas and not reloaded or intended to be reloaded in England Wales or Berwick upon Tweed in which Oath shall be inserted the Name of the Person or Persons of whom the said Herrings were bought.

#### CHAPTER L. (1)

King's Port,  
6 Ann., p. 6, n. 1.

An Act for continuing several Duties therein mentioned upon Coffee Chocolate Spices Potatoes and Madras and additional Duties upon several of the said Commodities and certain Duties upon Callicoes China Wares and Drugs and for continuing the Duties called the Two Third Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage for procuring the Publick Credit and for ascertaining the Duties of Coals exported for Foreign Ports and for securing the Credit of the Bank of England and for passing several Accounts of Tonnage raised in the County of Monmouth and for procuring the Consumption of such Tobacco as shall have paid Her Majesty's Duties.

Remedy of this,  
14 & 15 Ann., c. 18,  
17.

**M**OST gracious Sovereigns Whereas by an Act of Parliament made in England in the Third Year of Your Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for continuing Duties upon Low Wines and upon Coffee Tea Chocolate Spices and Potatoes and upon Blackish Peppers and Turkey Chapmans and upon Molasses and for granting new Duties upon several of the said Commodities and also upon Callicoes China Ware and Drugs several Duties therein mentioned upon Coffee Cocoa Nut Chocolate Cocoa Paste Tea Nutmegs Cloves Mace and Potatoes imported were continued from the last Day of April One thousand seven hundred and six till the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten and a certain Duty upon Molasses imported after the Rate of Fifteen Pounds for every One hundred Pounds of the true and real Value thereof was continued from the Twenty sixth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and six till the said Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten and by the same Act for increasing Your Majesty's Revenues several new additional Rates and Sums therein particularly expressed were laid upon all Coffee Cocoa Nut Chocolate Cocoa Paste Tea Nutmegs Cloves Mace and Potatoes which should be imported at any Time or Times after the First Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four and before the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten and by the same Act several further Rates and Sums therein particularly mentioned were charged or imposed for and upon all White Callicoes Porcelains commonly called China Ware and Drugs (except Drugs for dyeing) imported from and after the First Day of February One thousand seven hundred and four at any Time or Times before the said Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten the said several Duties to be severally assessed assessed and paid in the Manner therein mentioned And in the said Act there are contained Clauses of Credit for loading thereupon any Sums not exceeding in the whole Sixteen hundred thousand Pounds at an Interest not exceeding the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum as by the same may more largely appear

II.  
Reason for passing  
this Act.

And whereas it is likely that the Duties granted by the said Act may and will determine before the Loans made thereupon and all the Interest due or to grow due for the same will be satisfied We therefore Your Majesty's most faithful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Great Britain in Parliament assembled for procuring the publick Credit have given and granted and do by this Act give and grant unto Your Majesty the several Rates Duties and Sums of Money to be payable for and upon all Coffee Cocoa Nut Chocolate Cocoa Paste Tea Nutmegs Cloves Mace and Potatoes Madras White Callicoes Porcelains called China Ware and Drugs (except Drugs for dyeing) herein after mentioned for the Term and Purpose therein after expressed and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Duties which by the said Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign were continued upon Coffee Cocoa Nut Chocolate Cocoa Paste Tea Nutmegs Cloves Mace and Potatoes and upon Madras and the said increased or new additional Rates and Duties which were thereby laid upon all Coffee Cocoa Nut Chocolate Cocoa Paste Tea Nutmegs Cloves Mace and Potatoes and the said further Rates and Sums which were thereby charged or imposed for and upon all White Callicoes

The Duties upon  
Coffee, &c., con-  
tinued from  
1714 June 1706,  
for Four Years  
longer.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXII. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

Peasles commonly called China Ware and Drags (except Drags for dying) shall by virtue of this Act be continued and be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and upon the same Commodities and Merchandises respectively which shall be imported or brought into Great Britain from and after the Third and seventh Day of June One thousand seven hundred and ten at any Time or Times within or during the Term of Four Years from thence next and immediately ensuing the same Rates Duties and Sums of Money and every of them respectively (over and above all other Duties and Impositions whatsoever already charged for or upon the same Commodities or any of them respectively by any other Laws or Statutes now in force) to be ascertained or ascertained raised levied recovered answered paid and accounted for by such Rates Ways Means and Methods and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Distribution of the said Penalties and Forfeitures and subject to such Disallowances Allowances and Repayments and in such Manner and Form in all respects as the like [Taxes] Duties and Sums of Money respectively granted or continued by the said Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign are hereby or by any other Act or Acts Laws or Statutes whosoever the said Act hath Reference prescribed enacted or appointed to be ascertained or ascertained raised levied recovered answered paid and accounted for during the Continuance thereof respectively

under the name  
Penalties, Duties  
levies, &c. as by  
Stats. 5 & 6 Ann.  
c. 19 and several  
Acts.

And it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such of the Powers Discretions Penalties and Forfeitures Classes Matters and Things provided or established by the said Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign or by any other Act or Acts now in force whosoever the same hath Relation for the better answering raising levying recovering answering or paying the said respective Duties thereby granted or for making any Drawbacks Repayments or Allowances out of any of the said several and respective Duties upon Exportation shall be revived and be continued and be in force and virtue during the Continuance of this Act and further for the Recovery of all the Arrears and Sums of Money which shall become due or payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors upon [this Act] in as full and ample Manner in all Intents and Purposes as if the said Powers Discretions Penalties and Forfeitures Classes Matters and Things and every of them were again repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this present Act

III.  
The Powers, &c.  
of Stat. 3 & 4 Ann.  
c. 18 and former  
Acts revived.

And it is hereby declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Duties upon Coffee Cocoa Nut Chocolate Cocoa Paste Tea Nardangs Cloves Cloves Mace and Nutmegs and upon Musks and the said increased or additional Rates by this Act continued and imposed upon all Coffee Cocoa Nut Chocolate Cocoa Paste Tea Nardangs Cloves Mace and Nutmegs and the said further Rates and Sums by this Act continued and payable for and upon all White Coloured Pieceins commonly called China Ware and Drags (the necessary Charges of raising raising paying and accounting for the same excepted) shall be appropriated paid and applied and be subject and liable (over and above the said Duties granted upon the like Commodities by the said former Act) to and for the securing paying and satisfying all the Principal and Interest Monies which shall from time to time remain unpaid of or for the Loans made upon the said Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign not exceeding the Sum of Seven hundred thousand Pounds before mentioned in the same Course Order and Manner as the Monies arising by the said former Act were thereby prescribed to be applied thereunto and shall not be diverted or applicable to any other Use Intend or Purpose whatsoever under the like Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities as by the said Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign are prescribed for diverting or misapplying any the Monies thereby arising

IV.  
The said Duties  
appropriated for  
securing the Monies  
advanced for the  
Loans upon Stat.  
3 & 4 Ann. c. 18.

and not to be  
diverted to any  
other Use.

And whereas by another Act of Parliament made in England in the Third Year of Your Majesty's Reign [Entitled An Act for granting to Her Majesty a further Subsidy on Wines and Merchandises imported] certain Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage commonly called the Two Third Subsidies were granted and made payable for and upon all Wines Goods and Merchandises imported after the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four within or during the Space of Four Years from thence next and immediately ensuing in which Act there are contained Clauses of Credit for lending thereupon any Sums not exceeding in the whole the Sum of Six hundred thirty six thousand nine hundred fifty seven Pounds Four Shillings and a Half penny at an Interest not exceeding the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum and it is likely that the said Subsidies granted by the Act last mentioned may and will decrease before the Loans made thereupon and all the Interest due or to grow due for the same will be satisfied We therefore Your Majesty's said lawful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Great Britain in Parliament assembled for preserving the publick Credit have also given and granted and do by this Act give and grant to Your Majesty the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage commonly called the Two Third Subsidies heretofore particularly described for such further Term and for such Purpose as you herein after expressed and do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every and above all other Subsidies additional Duties Impositions and Payments whatsoever by this or any other Act or Acts of Parliament or otherwise howsoever already due or payable or which ought to be paid to Her Majesty for or upon any Wines Goods or Merchandises whatsoever imported or to be imported there shall be saved levied collected paid and satisfied unto Her Majesty One other Subsidy called Tonnage for and upon all Wines which from and after the Seventh Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight at any Time or Times within or during the Space of Three Years from thence next and immediately ensuing shall be imported or brought into Great Britain that it is any Two Third Part of such or the like several and respective Duties as by an Act of the Ninth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory were granted to His Majesty during His Life and by an Act in the First Year of His

V.  
Revised of Stat.  
3 & 4 Ann. c. 13.

13.

Over and above  
other Subsidies  
upon Wines, &c.  
imported, Tonnage  
upon Wines im-  
ported for Three  
Years, from 7th  
March 1707.

Stat. 9 W. III.  
c. 12.  
3 Ann. c. 1.

<sup>1</sup> inserted on the Roll.

Majesties Reign are continued and payable during Her Majesty's Life for or upon any Kind of Wine or Wines respectively and One other Subsidy called Poundage of all Manner of Goods and Merchandises to be imported or brought into Great Britain at any Time or Times from and after the said Seventh Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight within or during the said Term of Three Years by Way of Merchandise due to in say Two Third Parts of such or of the like several and respective Duties as by the said Act of the Ninth Year of His said late Majesties Reign (were granted and by the said Act of the First Year of Her Majesty's Reign) are continued and payable for or upon the same Goods and Merchandises respectively (except Tobacco and such Commodities as shall be imported in English built Shipping navigated according to the Laws now in force and begun from the English Plantations and such Goods and other Merchandises as by the Two Acts last mentioned or either of them are exempted from Payment of the Subsidies thereby granted)

except Tobacco and  
Commodities imported  
in English built  
Shipping, &c. and  
begin from  
English Plantations,  
&c.

VII.  
The same Rules,  
Penalties, &c. to  
be observed as by  
Stat. 13 & 14 Geo.  
c. 18 and former  
Acts.

Power Power  
reserved.

AND be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Duties commonly called the Two Third Subsidies by this Act granted and continued as aforesaid and every of them respectively shall be ascertained secured raised levied recovered assessed paid and accounted for by such Rules Ways Means and Methods and under such Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Distribution of the said Penalties and Forfeitures and subject to such Drawbacks Allowances and Repayments and in such Manner and Form in all respects as the like Duties commonly called the Two Third Subsidies respectively granted by the said Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign are thereby or by any other Act or Acts Laws or Statutes whereunto that Act hath Reference prescribed enacted or appointed to be ascertained secured raised levied recovered assessed paid and accounted for during the Continuance thereof respectively and that all such of the Powers Directions Penalties and Forfeitures Classes Manner and Things provided settled or established by the said Subsidy Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign or by any other Act or Acts now in force whereunto that Act hath Relation for the better raising levying recovering assessing or paying the said respective Duties commonly called the Two Third Subsidies thereby granted or for making any Drawbacks Repayments or Allowances out of any of the said several and respective Duties upon Exports shall be revived and be continued and be in force and virtue during the Continuance of this Act and further for the Recovery of all the Arrears and Sums of Money which shall become due or payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors upon this Act in as full and ample Manner to all Intents and Purposes as if the said Powers Directions Penalties Forfeitures Classes Manner and Things and every of them were again repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this present Act

VIII.  
The said Duties  
apportioned for  
meeting the Moneys  
mentioned upon  
Stat. 13 & 14 Geo.  
c. 18.

and not to be  
diverted to any  
other Use

VIII.  
What Duty paid off,  
the Moneys being  
by this Act to be  
disposable for the  
Public Service

AND it is hereby enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the said Duties commonly called the Two Third Subsidies by this Act continued and payable (the necessary Charges of raising managing paying and accounting for the same excepted) shall be appropriated paid and applied and be subject and liable (now and above the said Duties called the Two Third Subsidies granted by the said former Act) to and for the raising paying and satisfying all the Principal and Interest Moneys which shall from time to time remain unsatisfied or for the said Loans not exceeding Six hundred thirty six thousand nine hundred fifty seven Pounds Four Shillings and a Halfpenny made upon the said Subsidy Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign in the same Course Order and Manner as the Moneys arising by the Act last mentioned were thereby pertained to be applied thereto and shall not be diverted or divertible to any other Use Intend or Purpose whatsoever under the like Penalties Forfeitures and Disabilities as by the said Subsidy Act of the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign are prescribed for diverting or misapplying any the Moneys thereby arising

IX.  
Benevolence of Geo.  
1 & 2 W & M. c. 1.

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out of them.  
11 W. III. c. 12  
16.

PROVISED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That when and as the said respective Sums of Seven hundred thousand Pounds and Six hundred thirty six thousand nine hundred fifty seven Pounds Four Shillings and a Halfpenny and all the Interest thereof due and to grow due shall be respectively paid off and fully discharged or that sufficient Money shall be reserved in the Exchequer for that Purpose pursuant to the true Meaning of this Act then and from thenceforth the said Duties chargeable by this Act with the said Principal and Interest and either of them respectively for and during the then Remainder of the said respective Terms hereby granted of and in the same respectively shall be disposable for the Publick Use and Service by Authority of Parliament and not otherwise Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

AND whereas by an Act made in the Sixth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third (intituled An Act granting to His Majesty certain Duties upon Glass Wares Stone and Earthen Bottles Coals and Cakes for carrying on the War against France) reciting that the Imposition upon Coals exported to Foreign Parts was so great that it was almost a Prohibition to the great Dominions of His Majesty's Colonies and hindering the English Navigation on the Exportation of Coals beyond the Seas For Remedy whereof it was thereby enacted That all Coals exported beyond the Seas in Foreign Bottoms should during the Continuance of that Act only pay Ten Shillings the Chaldron and English Bottoms only Three Shillings the Chaldron which Part of the said Act was to determine on or about the Twenty sixth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and by another Act made in the Eleventh Year of the same Kings Reign for continuing several Laws therein mentioned it was enacted that all Coals exported beyond the Seas in Foreign Bottoms should from and after the said Twenty sixth Day of September One thousand seven hundred for and during the Space of Seven Years and from thence to the [End of the] then next Session of Parliament only pay Ten Shillings the Chaldron and in English Bottoms only Three Shillings the Chaldron which several Acts in relation to Coals exported have been

found very beneficial and useful to the Publick and fully to have answered the good Ends and Intent thereof. Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Cords exported beyond the Seas from and after the End of the present Session of Parliament until the Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and fifteenth and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament from Great Britain or Foreign Possessions shall only pay Ten Shillings the Children and in British Possessions only Three Shillings the Children and after those Rates for greater or lesser Quantities any former Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding the said respective Duties on Cords exported to be rated levied uplifted and recovered in the same Manner and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as any other Customs or Duties payable to Her Majesty upon the Exportation of any Goods or Merchandises are by any Law or Statute now in force to be rated levied uplifted or recovered in England or Scotland respectively.

Also whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Eighth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William of glorious Memory (intituled An Act for making good the Deficiencies of several Funds therein mentioned and for enlarging the Capital Stock of the Bank of England and for raising the Publick Credit) it is among other Things enacted that during the Continuance of the Corporation of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England no other Bank or any other Corporation Society Fellowship Company or Confraternity in the Nature of a Bank shall be erected or established permitted suffered countenanced or allowed by Act of Parliament within the Kingdom as in and by the said Act more at large may appear Nevertheless since the passing of the said Act some Corporations by Colour of the Charters to them granted and other great Numbers of Persons by Pretence of Debts or Contracts entered together have presumed to borrow great Sums of Money and therewith contrary to the Intent of the said Act do deal as a Bank to the apparent Danger of the established Credit of the Kingdom Now for preventing of such Practice in Time to come and the Mischief thence to arise Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Twenty sixth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight during the Continuance of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England it shall not be lawful for any Body Politick or Corporate whatsoever erected or to be erected other than the said Governor and Company of the Bank of England or for other Persons whatsoever united as to be united in Companies or Partnerships exceeding the Number of Six Persons in that Part of Great Britain called England to borrow over or take up any Sum or Sums of Money on this Bills or Notes payable at Demand or at any less Time than Six Months from the borrowing thereof.

Provideth always and it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all European Limbeck Silver Threads and Tapes or Lacks Lymbeck and Flax shall be exempted from the Payment of the Duties imposed by this Act (called the Two Third Subsidies as aforesaid) during the said Term of Three Years by this Act granted of and in the same to aforesaid Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Also whereas in raising the several Sums granted to His late Majesty King William and Her present Majesty by several Acts of Parliament for granting Aids by a Land Tax in the Years One thousand seven hundred and one One thousand seven hundred and two One thousand seven hundred and three One thousand seven hundred and four One thousand seven hundred and five and One thousand seven hundred and six there hath happened a Deficiency in the several and respective Aids in the County of Newcastle and the Commissioners in the said County having caused the same to be reassessed and paid to the Receiver General in a gross Sum and Duplicate not regularly returned into Her Majesty's Remembrances Office in the Exchequer by reason whereof the Receiver is incapable of passing his Accounts Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Auditor in making up the said Receiver's Accounts for the said County shall charge the said Receiver with the Sums contained in the several Acts of Parliament for the respective Years before mentioned so as that the said Sums are fully answered to Her Majesty although Duplicates for the said County are not regularly returned.

Also for promoting the Consumption of Tobacco of the Growth of Her Majesties Plantations in America the Increase of Her Majesties Revenue and for the better Incouragement of the said British Plantations Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Twenty sixth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight it shall not be lawful for any Commander of any of Her Majesties Ships of War or Private thereof to sell deliver or cause to be sold or delivered to any of Her Majesties Subjects or Minors on board of such Ship any Tobacco of the Growth of Europe nor any Tobacco mixt with Tobacco of the said Growth.

Also for the better Employment of the Poor of this Kingdom Be it likewise enacted That all Tobacco to be used or consumed on board any of Her Majesties Ships of War in any Part of Europe from and after the said Twenty sixth Day of September shall be such as is of the Growth of the said British Plantations which hath paid Her Majesty the full Duties and been remanufactured in Great Britain upon Pain that every such Commander or Private who shall knowingly and wilfully offend herein shall forfeit their respective Places and Employments and Three Shillings for every Pound Weight of Tobacco and so in proportion for every greater or lesser Quantity so sold and delivered One Moiety thereof to the Queen's Majesty and the other Moiety to the Informer who shall sue for the same by Action or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster whereas no Immunity Protection or Wages of Law shall be allowed and no more than One Imparison.

They upon Cords exported to Foreign Possessions, from End of Session to 15th March 1714/15 in British Possessions. Duties to be rated to other Duties of Customs.

X.  
Rental of Ship,  
S W III c 20.

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During the Bank of England, in Partnership, receiving Bills to take up Money on Bills payable at Demand, within Six Months.

XI.  
Duties for European Limbeck, Silver Threads, Flax.

XII.  
Reasons for paying the Excise.

How Auditor to charge Receiver for the County of Newcastle.

XIII.  
After eight Days after, Tobacco of the Growth of Europe to be sold on any Ships of War.

XIV.  
Tobacco of the British Plantations that has paid Duties, &c. only to be used on Ships of War. Penalty.

CHAPTER XL<sup>(1)</sup>

AN ACT for the farther securing the Payment of the Equivalent Money.

*See Act.**Chap. 51.**Recd. of  
Stat. 6 Ann. c. 51.  
Act 17*

WHEREAS by the Treaty of Union and Eleventh Article thereof it is agreed that Scotland shall have an Equivalent for what the Subjects thereof shall be charged towards Payment of the Debts of England contracted before the Union in all Particulars whatsoever and particularly that the Sum of Three hundred ninety eight thousand and eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings should be granted to Her Majesty as an Equivalent to Scotland for such Parts of the Customs and Excise there as should be applicable to the Payment of the said Debts of England according to the Proportions therein set down and in regard that after the Union Scotland becoming liable to the same Customs and Duties of Excise upon all Exchangeable Liquors as in England as well as that Account as upon the Account of the Increase of Trade and People the said Revenue will much increase beyond the Values mentioned in the said Article of which no Estimate could be made it was agreed that after the Union there should be kept an Account of the said Duties arising in Scotland to the End it might appear what ought to be answered to Scotland as an Equivalent for such Proportion of the said Increase as should be applicable to the Payment of the Debts of England And for the farther and more effectual answering the several Ends therein after mentioned it was agreed that from and after the Union the abovementioned whole Exercise of the Revenues of Customs and Excise in Scotland therein expressed should go and be applied for the Term of Seven Years to the Uses therein set down And that upon the said Account there should be answered to Scotland Annually from the End of Seven Years after the Union an Equivalent in Proportion to such Part of the said Exercise as shall be applicable to the said Debts of England And generally that an Equivalent should be answered to Scotland for such Part of the Debts of England as Scotland might themselves become liable to pay by reason of the Union other than such as are in the said Article expressed And as for the Uses to which the said Sum of Three hundred ninety eight thousand and eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings and other Monies which are to be answered or allowed to Scotland as aforesaid are to be applied it was thereby agreed that in the first Place the Losses which Private Persons might sustain by reducing the Coin of Scotland to the Standard and Value of the Coin of England might be made good in the next Place that the Capital Stock or Fund of the African and Indian Company of Scotland advanced together with the Interest of the said Capital Stock after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum from the respective Times of Payment thereof should be paid And as to the Discharge of the said Sum of Three hundred ninety eight thousand and eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings and also the whole Exercise of the said Revenue of Customs and Excise above the then Values arising during the Term of Seven Years with the Equivalent which should become due upon Improvement thereof and also all other Sums which according to the aforesaid Agreement should become payable to Scotland by way of Equivalent it was agreed that the same should be applied in Manner following (viz) That all the Publick Debts of the Kingdom of Scotland as should be adjusted by the then Parliament of Scotland should be paid and that Two thousand Pounds per Annum for the Space of Seven Years should be applied towards encouraging the Manufacture of Coarse Wooll within those Shires which produce the Wooll and elsewhere the same should be wholly applied for encouraging the Fisheries and such other Manufactures and Improvements in Scotland as may most conduce to the general Good of the United Kingdom And whereas for preventing all Mistakes or Abuses which might hinder the ready Application of the aforesaid Money to the Proprietors and others concerned in the Stock of the African and Indian Company of Scotland conform to the said Article there was an Act made in the last Session of the last Parliament of Scotland intitled Act concerning the Payment of the Sums out of the Equivalent to the African Company wherein it is amongst other Things enacted That the Directors of the said African and Indian Company of Scotland should make up Accounts of the Sums advanced by the Proprietors of the said Company and Debts due by the said Company the Whole with Interest due thereon not exceeding Two hundred thirty two thousand eight hundred and eighty four Pounds Five Shillings and Two Third Parts of a Penny Sterling on the First Day of May then next and now past and appointed the Proprietors for their respective Shares to be paid and to have Encumbrances as therein also is expressed and in like Manner by another Act of the said Parliament of Scotland intitled Act concerning the Publick Debts the Payment to be made on account of the Publick Debts of Scotland are adjusted as in the said Eleventh Article and Two Acts above mentioned is more fully contained

*Recd. of Act of the  
last Session of the  
last Parliament of  
Scotland conform  
to the said Article.*

*II.  
Revenue for paying  
this Act.*

*Contributions of  
the Customs and  
Excise, &c. in  
Scotland to make  
and discharge Two*

AND whereas the said Sum of Three hundred ninety eight thousand and eighty five Pounds Ten Shillings has been paid for and on the Part of England to the Commissioners of the Equivalent in Scotland pursuant to the aforesaid Articles and considerable Sums have by them been issued out conform to the same and the above recited Acts of the Parliament of Scotland But by Experience it has been found that more further Direction is yet necessary for the better Application of what remains of the said Sum yet unapplied and all other Sums which are or may become due by virtue of the Agreements aforesaid and for the more effectual answering the Ends mentioned in the said Article of the Treaty and Acts above recited Therefore Her Majesty most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Great Britain in Parliament assembled do humbly beseech Her Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen our Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That the Commissioners Managers Collectors or other proper Officers of the Customs and Excise upon all Exchangeable Liquors and of all other Duties and Revenues from whence an Equivalent may arise to Scotland according to the Agreements contained in the aforesaid Treaty shall on or before the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XXIV. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Edition.

seven hundred and eight make and subscribe Two authentic Abbreviations of the Produce of such Revenue with the Assent of the several Bishops which shall be due by way of Equivalence according to the said Agreements from the Commencement of the Union to the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight for the First Time and so from thence forward Half Yearly within Three Months after expiring of each Half Year and shall transmit One of the said Abbreviations to the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain or the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being and the other to the Commissioners of Equivalence in Scotland for the Time being.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury aforesaid upon the Receipt of such Abbreviations shall and may grant his or their Warrants or Orders for the Immediate Payment of such Sums as shall be so found due to the Commissioners of the Equivalence for the Time being or to such Person or Persons as they shall appear from time to time to receive the same for the Purpose in this Act expressed.

Also whereas by the [said<sup>v</sup>] Fifteenth and Sixteenth Acts of the last Session of the last Parliament of Scotland the Sum of Two hundred thirty two thousand eight hundred and eighty four Pounds Five Shillings and Two Third Parts of a Penny is designed and appropriated for Payment of the Sums due to the African and Indian Company of Scotland out of the Equivalence according to the Accounts ordered to be made by the Directors of the said Company And also whereas the Accounts given in by them do full short of the aforesaid Sum of Two hundred thirty two thousand eight hundred and eighty four Pounds Five Shillings and Two Third Parts of a Penny in the Sum of Seven hundred and twenty one Pounds Eight Shillings and Five Six Parts of a Penny Sterling whereby the more fills now to be disposable for other Uses And whereas the said Directors of the Indian and African Company have been put to very considerable Charges in making up the said Accounts and in employing Clerks and others necessary for that Service which Expenses do far exceed the Three hundred Pounds allowed them by the aforesaid Fifteenth Act Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That out of the aforesaid Sum of Seven hundred twenty one Pounds Eight Shillings and Five Six Parts of a Penny Sterling there be paid by the aforesaid Commissioners of the Equivalence to the said Directors or their Order the Sum of Five hundred Pounds Sterling And as to the Remainder of the aforesaid Sum of Seven hundred twenty one Pounds Eight Shillings and Five Six Parts of a Penny Sterling that out of the same the Sum of One hundred and fifty Pounds shall be paid by the said Commissioners of the Equivalence to M<sup>r</sup>. Alexander Cunningham in Satisfaction to him of the Bks Sums advanced and paid out by him while he was employed by His late Majesty King William of glorious Memory for negotiating certain Publick Affairs concerning Scotland and that the Remainder of the said Sum of Seven hundred twenty one Pounds eight Shillings and Five Six Parts of a Penny Sterling shall be applied to the same Uses and in the Manner contained in the said Sixteenth Act.

Also whereas by the said Fifteenth Article of Union Provisions is made for Payment of Two thousand Pounds yearly for the Space of Seven Years to be employed towards the encouraging the Manufacture of Course Wool within those Shires which produce the same And whereas there having been no Direction given neither by the [said<sup>v</sup>] Treaty of Union nor by any subsequent Act or Order of Parliament in Scotland to whom the same is to be paid the Commissioners of Equivalence have hitherto made no Payment of any Part of the said [Sum]<sup>v</sup> so appropriated Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Judges of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland for the Time being shall have full Power and Authority and are hereby fully empowered and authorised upon such Information or Advice as to them shall seem most expedient to make such Distribution of the said Money yearly during the Space aforesaid amongst those Shires that produce the said Course Wool in such Districts or Divisions as they shall think fit and in such Proportion as to them shall seem most expedient with Power likewise to them so make and appoint certain Persons One or more for each District or Division to receive such Part of the said Two thousand Pounds yearly as shall have been by them allowed and appropriated to such District or Division whose Receipt or Discharge shall be sufficient Warrant for the Commissioners of Equivalence to pay the same with further Power likewise to the said Judges of the Court of Exchequer to establish such Rules and Orders for disposing of the Money so received in such Manner as they shall think will best answer the Ends and Designs for which the same is granted by the said Treaty of Union and to appoint Persons in every District or Division to oversee and direct the Disposal of the said Money and to be accountable to them for such their Administration.

Also whereas by the aforesaid Sixteenth Act of the last Session of the last Parliament of Scotland intitled Act encouraging publick Debts the Lords of Her Majesties Treasury in Scotland were appointed heretofore and the First Day of May then next to draw up an Account of the said Debts due to the Civil List and Army to be given in to the Commissioners of the Equivalence and to give Certificates to the respective Parties having Right in any of the said Debts that by virtue of those Certificates the Parties may be empowered to sue Delinquents and to recover their Monies in Manner therein directed And whereas by reason of the great Variety and Importance of those Accounts and the Readiness of the Parties having Interest in has fallen out that so full or distinct Account has yet been made pursuant to the said Act and conform to the Orders and Clauses therein mentioned Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Judges of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland for the Time being shall and are hereby empowered to make up Lists according to the Statute in that behalf made and for that end to call

Abbreviations of  
Produce of such  
Revenue, for each  
Twelve Months  
to be transmitted  
to the Treasury of Great  
Britain, and the  
other to the Commis-  
sioners of Equiva-  
lence in Scotland.

III.  
Warrants by  
Treasury for  
Payment thereon

IV.  
Remit of applic-  
able Acts of last  
Parliament of  
Scotland  
Reason for passing  
the Statute

Payment to be  
made out of  
the Sum of  
seven hundred  
and eighty four  
Pounds

V.  
Remit of applic-  
able Acts of last  
Parliament of  
Scotland

Court of Exchequer  
in Scotland may  
distribute the  
Money herein  
mentioned yearly  
amongst the Shires,  
and in Manner  
herein mentioned.

VI.  
Remit of applic-  
able Acts of last  
Session of the last  
Parliament of  
Scotland

Court of Exche-  
quer in Scotland  
may make up Lists  
according to the  
said Act.

<sup>v</sup> attached on the Roll.

<sup>v</sup> Same D.



for all Books Accounts or other Records or Writings necessary for these Purposes and all Hovers of such Writings are ordained to exhibit the same and in case of Refusal the said Judges are hereby empowered to use such Form of Execution or Process as to them shall seem expedient.

VII.  
The said Court may by Proclamation, or call upon the Parties having Interest in the publick Debts of Scotland to appear and submit their Claims.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Judges shall by publick Proclamation at the Market Cross of Edinburgh or by any other Form of publick Proclamation the said Judges shall think fit Intimate to all Parties within or without the Kingdoms having Interest in any of the publick Debts of Scotland before the Union and having Right by the said Act of Parliament to claim to compare by themselves or their lawful Procurators or Attorneys before the said Judges at Edinburgh in the ordinary Place where the said Court of Exchequer meets at or before any Day to be by them therein appointed not above than Six Months from the Date of the publick Proclamation at the Market Cross of Edinburgh and there to exhibit their Claims and Instructions declaring that the Accounts hereby and by the aforesaid Act of Parliament of Scotland appointed to be made shall be made up only of such Claims as shall be presented to them within the said Time and the Commissioners of the Equivallent empowered to pay those only who shall be certified in the said general Account.

VIII.  
and may general to make up Accounts according to the said Claims.  
Procurators  
therein.

AND to the end that the aforesaid Accounts may be the more fully and regularly made up and in such expedient Manner as may be most useful to all Parties concerned be it also further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Judges shall proceed without Loss of Time or Delay whatsoever to the making up of the aforesaid Accounts according to the Claims and Instructions duly presented and verified and the said general Accounts being so made up an authentic Copy of the same subscribed by the said Judges of the Exchequer shall be delivered to the Commissioners of the Equivallent or their Secretary or Clerk and Certificates shall be granted to each of the several Parties gratis of such Article of the said general Account as does concern them which Certificates shall be signed in Manner aforesaid and shall contain the Name of the Party to whom the Debt was originally due the Sum payable with the List Civil or Military upon which the same is charged and the Class and Order of Preference of such Debt according to the said Sixteenth Act and shall be assignable and transferable by Indorsement.

IX.  
Further Time allowed for Parties not so appearing.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Persons as shall happen to omit to compare and make good their said Claims before the said Judges of the Exchequer within the Time to be by them appointed in Manner above directed and shall thereby lose the Benefit of being placed and rated upon the said general Account according to which only the Commissioners of Equivallent are by this Act empowered to make Payment as is above more at large expressed shall nevertheless be allowed to compare by themselves or others by them lawfully empowered for that end before the said Judges of the Exchequer on any lawful Day within One Year after elapsing of the said First Day to be by them appointed and there to exhibit and make good before them their respective Claims which Claims so made good shall be by the said Judges of Exchequer admitted and entered into One Second general Account without Discretion or Order of Preference whatsoever to be by them signed and delivered to the Commissioners of Equivallent as also shall grant Certificates transferable by Indorsement and in the same Manner and Form as those upon the First general Account are hereby directed payable by the Commissioners of Equivallent first and immediately after the whole Debts due upon the First Two general Accounts.

X.  
Persons not appearing within the Time but allowed to be heard.

DECLARING always and it is hereby enacted and declared That such Persons as shall neglect to compare and make good their Claims as is above expressed before elapsing of this Second Term hereby granted shall for ever after be excluded and debarred from all Right Claim or Pretension they may have for Payment to be made to them of such their Debts out of this or any other Equivallent arising to Scotland by virtue of the Tauxy of Union.

XI.  
Certificates granted by Treasurers in what Case void.

AND whereas Certificates may have been granted by the Lords of Treasury to sundry Persons which have not yet been presented or paid and which might occasion Confusion if such Persons should yet remain in force be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such Certificates shall cease and become void.

XII.  
How the Commissioners of the Equivallent shall in the several Parties having Debts as aforesaid.  
Persons whose Commission only have not sufficient Money in Hand.

AND for the better Direction for the Commissioners of the Equivallent in Payment and Application of the Money of the Equivallent be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioners of the Equivallent shall be liable in the Manner prescribed in the aforesaid Sixteenth Act of the last Session of the last Parliament of Scotland to the several Parties having Interest and in all Cases where the said Commissioners shall not have sufficient Sums of Money in their Hands for answering the whole Sums due to any particular Order or Class Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon presenting of any Certificate made and signed in Manner above directed and agreeing with the said general Accounts the said Commissioners shall make Payment to the Parties having Right respectively and proportionably as the Sums due to the said Parties has Proportion to the whole Sums due to the same Class and shall retire the principal Certificate with a Receipt on the Back thereof for such Sums as shall be then paid and shall give forth to the said Parties respectively transferable Debentures containing the Sums remaining due with the List either Civil or Military upon which it is due and the Order of Preference which Debentures shall have the same Force and Authority for the Sums therein contained as the principal Certificate

above mentioned and upon each period *Payement* the former Debentures being retired with a Receipt of the Sum then paid new Debentures shall be granted of the same Nature and Force as the former until the whole be paid and discharged.

And whereas it appears that after the *Payement* and Disposal of the above mentioned whole Sum of Three hundred and ninety eight thousand eight hundred and fifty five Pounds Ten Shillings there will still remain very considerable Sums of publick Debt to be paid and satisfied out of the other Sums which according to the Agreements contained in the Treaty of Union will become payable to Scotland by way of Equivalent Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the Commissioners of Equivalent and they are hereby directed and empowered from time to time to call for and receive all and every Certificate for such publick Debt to be signed by the Judges of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland by virtue of this Act from the Persons having Right thereto and where there shall not be sufficient Monies of the said Sum of Three hundred and ninety eight thousand eight hundred and fifty five Pounds Ten Shillings remaining in their Hands for Payment of the Sums therein contained that then upon the Person or Persons having Right to the said Sums contained in the said Certificates granting in or their Receipt or Discharge upon the Back thereof and delivering the same to the Commissioners of Equivalent for their Warrant they shall grant to such Person or Persons One or more Debentures for the Sums contained in the said Certificate or Certificates or for such Part thereof as shall then remain unpaid in such Form and Manner as they shall judge most proper which Debentures shall be assignable and transferable by Indentment and bear Interest after the Rate of Five Pounds per Centum per Annum from the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and eighty and payable out of the first and readiest of the said other Sums arising by way of Equivalent only preferable to all principal Sums and due Half Yearly that is to say upon the Twenty fifth Day of December and the Twenty fourth Day of June annually until the said whole Interest and Arrears thereof together with the principal Sums of such Debentures shall come to be paid off and discharged in the Bank and Order of Preference by this Act and the said Sixteenth Act of the last Session of the last Parliament in Scotland directed.

Provident always and he it hereby provided That when publick Intimation shall be made by the Commissioners of Equivalent (in such Manner as to them shall seem most expedient) for all Persons having Interest to come in and receive the Sums due to them upon all or any of the aforesaid Debentures or any Proportion thereof according to the Rules aforesaid at or before any Day in such publick Intimation is to be expressed the Obligation for Payment of the said Interest upon any such Sums or Proportion of Sums shall from that Day forth cease and become void.

And whereas the Case of the Annies of Penitents due to the late Bishops in Scotland and to the Poor upon Her Majesties Charity there are of themselves great Cases and of pressing Necessity and their Conditions were represented to the Commissioners of the Equivalent of Scotland to the end that the same might be laid before the Parliament of Great Britain for Relief Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That out of the first and readiest of the Money remaining in the Hands of the Commissioners of the Equivalent appointed for Payment of the Debts upon the Civil List there shall be paid by them a full Years Pension of Her Majesties Charity to the late Bishops and their Representatives and the Poor in Her Majesties Charity Roll in Part of Payment of what is due to them precluding the First of May One thousand seven hundred and seven.

And whereas the Commissioners of Equivalent have already advanced and will in the further Progress of their Management be under a Necessity to lay out Money for defraying the necessary Charges that attend their Trust and for defraying in Procession before the Judge Ordinary when the Titles of Parties are not clear and have employed several Servants on whom they have settled Fees and Salaries although there has been hitherto no Provisions made for such Expenses Be it therefore enacted That Allowance be given for such Sums as have been or shall necessarily be by them laid out for these Purposes as also that they have Power to pay the necessary Fees and Salaries not exceeding the Sum of Nine hundred and twenty Pounds in the Year which Sums allowed for Expenses and Fees shall be a Charge upon and payable out of the first and readiest of the Money which is or shall be in the Hands of the said Commissioners from time to time and shall be allowed to the said Commissioners in their Accounts for the said Sums.

And in regard the Supplies granted by the last Parliament in Scotland for the publick Service of that Part of Great Britain for the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven appear to have fallen short of the actual Expence which should have been provided for by that Parliament Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Judges of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland for the Time being shall and are hereby directed to state and take an Account of the said Deficiencies to the end the same may be satisfied in such Manner as the Parliament of Great Britain shall hereafter think fit.

And whereas the Commissioners of Equivalent have been at considerable Pain and Charge in attending the Distribution of the Equivalent Money and are made liable in their Persons and Estates to the Parties having Interest and to account to the Parliament of Great Britain for their Administration And whereas there has been no express Provision made for an Allowance to them in Consideration of their said great Pains and Expences Be it therefore

XIII.

Commissioners of Equivalent may call for and receive Certificates for publick Debt.

Persons who are not members of the said Assembly are not to be admitted into their House.

XIV.

Interest to cease from publick Intimation.

XV.

Provision for Payment of Pension to the late Bishops and the Poor upon the Queen's Charity in Scotland.

XVI.

Allowance to Commissioners of Equivalent for Expenses, &c.

XVII.

Court of Exchequer in Scotland to take Account of Deficiencies in Supplies for the publick Service.

XVIII.

Salary to Commissioners of Equivalent.

enacted by the Authority aforesaid That each Commissioner of the Equitable said or to be named and accepting and sitting shall have Allowance of the Sum of Three hundred Pounds Yearly during his Continuance in the Administration thereof which shall be due and payable out of all the Sums of Money that have or shall become due in Scotland by way of Equitable other than the aforesaid Sum of Three hundred and twenty eight thousand eight hundred and fifty five Pounds Ten Shillings and shall be allowed in any Accounts to be made for the same after Payment of the Interest upon the Debentures appointed to be made in Manner by this Act directed Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

## XIX.

Persons respecting  
Actions, &c.  
against Com-  
missioners of  
Equitable.

AND whereas it being just and reasonable that the Commissioners of Equitable should be only liable for what is done during the Time of their having continued in Trust and that the Actions Executions and Distresses provided to have Effect and pass against the said Commissioners by virtue of the aforesaid Fifteenth and Sixteenth Acts passed in the Parliament of Scotland should not remain as a perpetual Incumbence upon their Persons and Estates Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Action Execution or Distress shall be competent against any who have been or shall be named and has accepted or shall accept to be Commissioners of Equitable for any other Fact or Deed of the said Commissioners in the Matter of their Trust other than such Facts or Deeds as have fallen out and have been done during the Time of the said Commissioner or Commissioners in or their continuing in the said Trust.

XX.  
Location of  
such Actions.

Prohib.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Actions Distresses or Executions against the said Commissioners or any of them on account of Mistakes in Payment shall determine and be prescribed within the Space of Two Years after the Date of the Payment that shall happen to be controverted and that any Action commenced within that Space shall be prosecuted and finally determined within the Space of Three Years after the Commencement thereof Any Law Statute or Usage to the contrary notwithstanding Reserving nevertheless to the Parties having Interest Action against all who have by any such Error received Money to which they have no Right.

## XXI.

Prohib. for Claims  
of W. Paterson  
in regard of Accounts  
relating to the  
African and Indian  
Company.

AND whereas it appears that the Accounts of the Stock advanced and Debts due by the African and Indian Company in Scotland have been made up without regard to the Claim of William Paterson Esquire for his Expenses Fines and Losses on account and to the Instance of the said Company be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Omission or Neglect of the Directors of the said Company or of others concerned in starting adjusting or carrying the Claims or Demands upon the Equitable shall prejudice the Right Interest Claim or Demand of the said William Paterson in and upon the said Company but that the several Sums due to him by the said Company shall be certified and thereupon fully satisfied and paid in the Terms of the Treaty of Union as the same shall be proved before the aforesaid Judges of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland.

XXII.  
Court of Exchequer  
may take account  
of Expenses, &c.  
of the said  
W. Paterson.

AND in regard that since the making of the said Contracts and Agreements the said William Paterson hath been at further Expences and sustained other Losses and Damages for and on account of the said Company be it therefore further enacted That the said Judges of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall and are hereby required to take an Account of those his Expences and Losses and likewise of his good Services and Political Care and make a full and fair Representation thereof to Her Majesty.

XXIII.  
Court of Exchequer  
may direct Com-  
missioners for  
Examinations, &c.

AND to the end that the more full and free Enquiries may be made and Information had of the Proceedings the said Judges of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall and may from time to time direct their Commission or Commissions to any Commissioner or Commissioners within this Kingdom of Great Britain or Dominions and Territories thereto belonging for taking the requisite Examinations or Informations to the Persons aforesaid and for reporting the same to the said Judges of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland.

XXIV.  
Officers of the  
Court of Exchequer  
in Scotland taking  
Fees in regard  
of the said  
Claims, &c.  
Fines, &c.  
of the  
Office,  
Prohib.

[AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Clerk Secretary Accountant or other Officer or Servant whatsoever belonging to the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland or the Commission of Equitable shall receive any Fee or Reward whatsoever for his or their Pains Attendance or Service in making up stating adjusting or determining the Claims or Debts belonging to any Person or Persons which by this Act are appointed to be made stated or adjusted nor for granting Certificates or obtaining Payment or Satisfaction for the Sums therein contained or Interest thereof upon present of Bills Petitions Discharges or any other Process whatsoever under the Pain of forfeiting their said Offices as also the Third Part of the Sum contained or to be contained in such Certificate upon Oathes whereof the said Execution is made to be recovered to the Person from whom such Money shall be lawfully exacted or to the Inferior before the Judge Compeent annually without shewing the Cause of the Bail.]

\* inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

CHAPTER XL<sup>(\*)</sup>

AN ACT to enable Her Majesty to make Leases and Copies of Offices, Lands and Hereditaments Parcel of Her Duchy of Cornwall or annexed to the same.

*See, Post, Statute,  
p. 813*

**WHEREAS** many of the Lands belonging to the Duchy of Cornwall have been granted by Lease to the Tenants some for the Term of One Two or Three Lives and some for divers Years determinable upon One Two or Three Lives and others for Thirty one Years or under which Leases are desired to be renewed by many of the said Tenants And whereas several Years next following after the happy Restoration of His late Majesty King Charles the Second divers increased Rents were reserved as well upon the said leased Lands as upon many Copyhold Estates of the said Duchy for the Improvement of that Revenue whereas the Tenants made Complaint to His said late Majesty who was graciously pleased that they might compound with His Officers for discharge of the said increased Rents continuing only the old Rents formerly paid for their respective Tenements and Lands now to the End the same may be accordingly effected and the said Tenants may be encouraged to renew their Leases and Estates and thereby the better enabled to repair their Houses and provide for their Families and to improve their Lands holden of the said Duchy Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all Leases or Grants made or to be made by Copy of Court Roll according to the Custom of the respective Manors or Mannors of the said Duchy or otherwise annexed or belonging to all Leases and Grants to be made within Seven Years next ensuing by Letters Patent or Indentures under the Great Seal of Great Britain or Seal of the Court of Exchequer or by Copy of Court Roll according to the Customs of the respective Mannors of any Offices Messuages Parks Lands Tenements or Hereditaments (other than Honours Lordships or Mannors) Parcel of the Possessions of the said Duchy of Cornwall or annexed to the same shall be good and effectual in Law according to the Purport and Contents of the same Copies Leases and Grants against our Sovereign Lady the Queen Her Heirs and Successors and against all and every other Persons or Persons that shall at any Time hereafter have Interest or enjoy the said Duchy by force of any Act of Parliament or by other Limitation whatsoever.

*Reasons for passing  
this Act.*

*Leases, by made  
to be good against  
the Queen.*

**PROVIDED** always That every such Lease or Grant to made or to be made be not for more than One Two or Three Lives or for One and thirty Years or under or for some Term of Years determinable upon One Two or Three Lives and not above And if such Leases or Grants be made in Reversion or Expectancy that then the same together with the Estates in Possession do not exceed Three Lives or the Term of One and thirty Years and not in any wise disposable of Writ and so as upon every such Lease shall be reserved the ancient or most usual Rent or more or such Rent as hath been reserved yielded or paid for the same Lands for the greater Part of Twenty Years next before the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred and sixty shall be reserved due and payable to him or her that shall have the Inheritance or other Estate of the said Duchy And where no such Rent hath been reserved or payable that then upon every such Lease there shall be reserved a reasonable Rent not being under the Twentieth Part of the clear yearly Value of the Messuages Parks Lands Tenements or Hereditaments contained in such Lease and all Leases and Grants otherwise made or to be made shall be null and void.

*II.  
Term of Leases.*

*Ancient Rents.*

*or a reasonable  
Rent.*

**AND** be it further ordained and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Covenants Conditions Reservations and other Agreements contained in every Lease Grant or Copy of Court Roll made or to be made as aforesaid shall be good and effectual in Law according to the Words and Contents of the same as well for and against them to whom the Reversions of the same Lands Tenements and Hereditaments shall come as for and against them to whom the Interest of the said Leases Grants or Copies shall come respectively as if our Sovereign Lady the Queens Majesty at the Time of making such Covenants Conditions and Reservations and other Agreements were seized of an absolute Estate in Fee Simple in the same Lands Tenements or Hereditaments.

*III.  
Covenants, &c.  
good as before  
mentioned.*

**SAVING** always in all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate their Heirs and Successors Executors Administrators and Assigns (other than to our said Sovereign Lady the Queen and Her Heirs and Successors and the Duke and Dukes of Cornwall for the Time being and his and their Heirs and all and every other Person and Persons that shall hereafter have Interest or enjoy the said Duchies of Cornwall by Force of any Act of Parliament or other Limitation whatsoever) all such Rights Tithes Estates Customs Interests Tenements Claims and Demands whatsoever of what Nature Kind or Quality never of in to or out of the said Offices Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or any of them as they or any of them had or ought to have had before the making of this Act to all Intents and Purposes and in as large and ample Manner and Form as if this Act had never been had or made this Act or any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

*IV  
General Saving.*

**AND** be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any of the Lordship or Copyhold Tenants of the said Duchy shall at any Time within Seven Years next ensuing compound or agree with the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or Chancellor and Under Treasurer of the Exchequer for the Time being or with any such other Persons or Persons as the Lord High

*V.  
Proviso for  
Compensation by  
Tenants of the  
Duchy with the  
Treasury.*

<sup>\*</sup> This is Chapter XXV. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

Treasurer or the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or Chancellor of the Exchequer for the Time being shall authorize notables and account for the taking off and discharging any interest Rent reserved as aforesaid according to such Rules and Directions as in that Behalf shall be given in Writing under the Hands of the said Lord Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being or Chancellor of the Exchequer for the Time being then upon such Composition so made and the Money thereby arising duly paid to the Receiver General of the said Duchy for the Time being according to the Tenor and Contents of such Composition and Agreement and accordingly enrolled before the Auditor of the Privileges from thenceforth such interest Rent shall cease and become void and the old Rent only or such other Rent as in pursuance of this Act shall be directed in or by such Composition or Agreement shall be charged on all and every such Tenancies Lands and other Hereditaments for which such Composition Agreement Payment and Enrolment shall be so made and none other Any Reservation or other Matter whatsoever to the contrary notwithstanding.

## CHAPTER LIII.(\*)

An Act for setting and establishing a Court of Exchequer in the North Part of Great Britain called Scotland.

*See Post.*  
*5 Ann. p. 6. n. 4.*

*Revised Stat.*  
*c. 13. Art. 12.*

*The Court of Exchequer in Scotland created.*

*to continue for*  
*470.*

*II.*  
*Appointments of*  
*Chief Baron and*  
*other Barons.*

*Treasury Office*

*Office of Office.*

WHEREAS in and by the Nineteenth Article in a late Act of Parliament made in the Fifth Year of His now Majesty King included An Act for an Union of the Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland it is amongst other Things provided That there should be a Court of Exchequer in Scotland after the said Union for deciding Questions concerning the Revenues of Customs and Excise those having the same Power and Authority in such Cases as the Court of Exchequer has in England and that the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland have Power of passing Signatures (Gifts Tacites and in other Things as the Court of Exchequer in Scotland then had and that the Court of Exchequer that then was in Scotland should remain until a new Court of Exchequer be settled by the Parliament of Great Britain in Scotland after the Union which Union took effect upon the First Day of May in the Sixth Year of His now Majesty King One thousand seven hundred and seven and thereby the said Two Kingdoms of England [and Scotland] became united into One Kingdom by the Name of Great Britain To the intent therefore that there may be a Court of Exchequer settled and established in Scotland pursuant to the Purport and Meaning of the said recited Act and of the Nineteenth Article therein contained Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and eight a Court of Exchequer to be called and known by the Name of The Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall be and by Authority of this Act is hereby created constituted and established in and for that Part of Great Britain called Scotland and that the said Court of Exchequer shall be and is hereby created to be a Court of Record Revenue and Judicature for and within Scotland and to have Continuance for ever and to be held within the City of Edinburgh at such Place or Places where the former Exchequer of Scotland before the said Union was usually held or at such other Place or Places in Scotland as by Authority from the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs or Successors in default thereof by the Judges of the said Court of Exchequer for the Time being shall from time to time be directed limited or appointed

And it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain for the Time being and such other Person and Persons as by Commission from the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors under the Seal which by the said Articles of Union is appointed to be kept in Scotland from time to time shall be ordained constituted or appointed to be the Chief Baron and other Barons of the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall be the Judges of and in the said Court and the said Lord High Treasurer and Barons and the said Barons in the Absence of the said Lord High Treasurer shall have and put in Execution all and every the Jurisdiction and other Powers and [Authorities] of or belonging or which shall or may appertain or belong to the said Court or whosoever the said Court shall be created and the said Barons shall remain and have Continuance in their respective Offices and Places quatuordecim annis proximo which Barons of the Exchequer are to be made of such as have been [are] or shall be Esquires at Law [or] Barristers at Law of Five Years standing in some of the Four Inns of Court in England as also of such Persons as shall have been are or shall be Advocates in the College of Jurists in Scotland for Five Years and the said Barons of the Exchequer in Scotland shall respectively take the same Oaths of Office requisite usual and other Oaths as the Barons of the Court of Exchequer in England have used or ought to take upon their Admissions into their respective Offices the said Oaths to be taken for the First Time before the Court of Session in open Court in case the said Court be sitting or otherwise in case the said Court be not then sitting before any Three of the Lords of Session and at all Times hereafter before the said Court of Exchequer and the said Chief Baron and Barons shall use and wear such Robes and Habits as the Chief Baron and Barons of the Court of Exchequer in England do use and wear or such other Robes or Habits as Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall appoint

\* This is Chap. XXVI. & Art. in the Common printed Editions.

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\* as printed on the Roll.

Act is it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland the several Offices following that is to say The Office of Queen's Remembrancer the Office of Lord Treasurer Remembrancer the Office of Clerk of the Pipe and such other Offices now in being in the Court of Exchequer in England or are now in being in Scotland relating to Signatures Gifts and Tonnages in the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall from time to time think fit and proper to be constituted and appointed under the Seal which by the said Articles of Union is appointed to be kept in Scotland and that such Persons shall be the Masters or Chief Officers of and in the said respective Offices and for such Terms Years and Months periods as the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall from time to time by Letters Patents under the great aforesaid orders as appoint and that the said Masters or Chief Officers of the aforesaid several Offices shall have and appoint from time to time under them and in their respective Offices such and so many Attorneys and Clerks as shall be fit and proper for the Business in their respective Offices which said Masters and Chief Officers as also the said Attorneys and Clerks shall before their Admissions into their Offices or Places respectively take such Oath or Oaths in the said Court as before the Chief Baron or One of the Barons of the said Court for their faithful and honest Carriage and Behaviour in their said Offices respectively as the like Officers Attorneys and Clerks in the Court of Exchequer in England have used and ought to do or as by the Barons of the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall for that Purpose be devised and appointed.

Provided nevertheless That the said several Chief Officers in the respective Offices aforesaid as also the said Attorneys Clerks and other Officers of or belonging to the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland for the Time being shall all of them be subject and obedient to the said Court of Exchequer and may be suspended punished or removed by the said Court for Neglect of Duty or for Crimes and Misdemeanors in their respective Offices and Places or other just Causes.

Act is it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall be a Seal to be signed or appointed by the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for the sealing all such Letters Patents Grants Commissions Writs Processes and other Process and Proceedings which shall issue out of or be awarded by the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland or ought or shall be directed to pass under the Seal of the said Court which Seal shall be kept in the Chancery of the Chief Baron of the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland for the Time being and the said Chief Baron or each Person or Persons as he shall deputate and for whom he will be answerable shall thereunto and all Letters Patents Grants Commissions Writs Processes and other Process and Proceedings before mentioned which shall be brought to be sealed and for that Purpose shall attend at proper and convenient Times and Places to be directed by the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland or any of the Barons thereof (in case any Quorum shall arise touching the same) and the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland is hereby empowered from time to time to deputate and appoint all such other Officers Ministers Clerks Servants and Attendants for the conducting of which there is no other Provision made by this Act as shall be thought convenient for the Use and Service of the said Court and for the carrying on and dispatch of the Business therein subject and liable nevertheless to be suspended punished and removed and as to the taking of such Oaths certain aforesaid for the faithful Execution of their respective Offices Places and Employments as heretofore is provided for any the Officers Attorneys or Clerks in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland.

Act is it and every the Sheriff by themselves or their sufficient Deputies for whom they are to be answerable and other Officers Ministers and Subjects in Scotland are hereby enjoined and required to be from time to time doing nothing obedient to and attending upon the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland and the Judges and Jurisdiction thereof in all Things relating to the said Court of Exchequer which do may or shall any Ways touch or concern their respective Offices or Duties in any Manner of Wise and shall be liable and subject to such Penalties and Punishments for neglect of their Duties or for any Contempts or Disobedience to the said Court or the Process thereof or for any other Neglect Contempt or Offence as shall be set or imposed upon them respectively by the said Court of Exchequer.

Act is it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every the Revenues and Duties of Customs and Excise and all and every other the Revenues Debts Duties and Profits of what Nature or Kind soever any Ways appertaining or which hereafter shall appertain to the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs or Successors within Scotland other to Queen of Great Britain as to Prince and Steward of Scotland and all Honours Castles Manors Lands Townships and Hereditaments in Scotland which now do or hereafter shall appertain to the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs or Successors by force or virtue of any Attender Outlawry Sentence for any Crime or Cause of Forfeiture Debt or Duty or upon any Estate Commission or otherwise or by force and virtue of the Royal Privilege or by any other Right or Title whatsoever and all and every the Rents Issues and Profits thereof or of any of them and also all and every the Goods Chattels Debts Credits Rights Titles and Personal Estates within Scotland any Ways accruing or belonging or which hereafter shall belong to the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors by force or virtue of the Royal Privilege or of any Attender Outlawry Sentence Inquisition Debt Duty or Forfeiture or by any other Right Title Ways or Means whatsoever and all the Remedies and Means for the recovering the same or the Possession thereof and all Accrues relating thereto and also all and every Forfeitures and Penalties which have been incurred or shall or may incur or become any Ways due and payable in Scotland by force or virtue of any Law or Statute touching or relating to the Customs or Excise or by force or virtue of

III.  
Appointment of  
Officers of the  
Court

Masters or Chief  
Officers

who are to appoint  
Attorneys, &c.

Clarks to be taken.

IV.  
Masters or  
Chief Officers,  
Attorneys, &c. may  
be suspended, &c.

V.  
Appointment of  
a Seal.

to be in Chancery  
of Chief Baron.

Court may appoint  
other Officers,

subject to sus-  
pension, &c. and to  
take the Oaths.

VI.  
Sheriffs, &c. to be  
obedient to the said  
Court.

subject to  
Penalties, &c.

VII.  
Public Revenues.

Hereditary, &c.  
belonging to the  
Crown by  
Attainder, &c.

Penalties due by  
force of any  
Statute.

Informers, this  
to be within the  
Jurisdiction of the  
said Court

VIII.  
Jurisdiction of  
Barons in hearing  
Suits, &c.

as in the Court of  
Exchequer in  
England

IX.  
Barons may give  
and cause Judg-  
ments to be entered  
against Defaulters,

to order Trials in  
Bar, &c.

Qualification of  
Jurymen.

All to agree in  
Verdict.

X.  
Barons may cause  
Orders to return  
to such Trials, and  
to Sheriff, &c.

Cases  
New Trials.

Barons to give  
Rules, &c. for  
Judgments to  
be entered,

any Person or other Laws or Statutes whatsoever and also all Times Issues Forfeitures or Penalties of what Nature or Kind ever happening sitting or according to the Queens Majesty Her Heirs or Successors within Scotland and all Informations Actions Suits or Demands and also all Obligations Recognizances Specialties and other Securities touching or concerning the before mentioned Matters and Things and all Prosecutions Remedies and Accounts for or concerning the same or other the Premises shall be within the Jurisdiction and Authority of the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland and hereby are annexed to the said Court

And the Barons of the said Court for the Time being shall have and exercise and by virtue of this Act are and shall be invested with all Powers Authorities and Jurisdictions as well judicial as otherwise for the hearing and determining of all Actions Suits and Questions in Law or Equity touching the aforesaid Revenue Housings Customs Manners Lands Tenements Goods Chattels Debts Duties Forfeitures Penalties Profits and all other Matters as Things heretofore mentioned and annexed to the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland or in the Jurisdiction thereof and also the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall and may act do and proceed therein and thereupon in every respect whatsoever as by Law or as the Court of Exchequer in England by the Constitution Custom or Practice of or in the said Court hath been or is enabled or hath used or practised to do in the like Cases in England and upon and in all such Informations Actions Suits or Demands or touching or concerning any the Premises or any the Proceedings thereupon shall and may make all such Orders and Rules and Rules and court record and issue all such Writs Precepts Process and Methods of Proceedings in such or have been or is or may be done or practised in the same or like Cases in the Court of Exchequer in England all which Informations Actions Suits and Prosecutions Process and Proceedings relating thereto or to any the Premises shall be had made and done in the Office of the Remembrancer of the Queens Majesty Her Heirs or Successors in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland

And the said Barons of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland are hereby authorized and required in case of any Neglect or Default by any the Plaintiffs or Defendants in any the said Informations Actions or Suits or in any other Informations Actions or Suits which shall be commenced sued or prosecuted in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland for any Matter or Cause whatsoever within the Jurisdiction of the said Court to give and cause Judgments to be entered against any the Parties making Default to plead or proceed to Trial and for Recovery and Satisfaction of any Goods Chattels or other Things seized as forfeited and for which no Claim shall be duly entered and to give and cause Judgments to be entered in Cases of Damages payed in any the said Cases depending before them and to do act and proceed in and about all and every the Matters as fully as all Barons and Justices of the Peace in the County of the Court of Exchequer in England by Law or by the Custom and Method of Proceedings in that Court should or might or could do or order to be done in such or the like Cases Matters or Things in case the same were or should be depending in the [said] Court of Exchequer in England upon any Issues joined in any the said Cases or in any other Cases liable in the said Court upon Matters of Fact or which would be triable or enquirable by Jury (if the same were in England) the Barons of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland are hereby authorized and required to cause the same to be tried either at the Bar of the said Court or elsewhere at such Times and Places as shall be for the Purpose by the Court appointed by a Jury of Twelve Persons of that County Shire City or Place in Scotland where the said Matters in Issue to be tried did arise or of such other County Shire City or Place from whence the Jury is to come of the yearly Value of Five Pounds at the least or shall be then worth in Goods Chattels and Personal Estate the Sum of Two hundred Pounds Sterling at least and for want thereof or for any other just and reasonable Cause shall be subject to be challenged and set aside and in all Verdicts to be given by the Jury the whole Number of Twelve must agree

And the said Barons of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland and each of them before whom any such Trials shall be or shall be appointed to be shall by virtue of this Act have full Power and Authority to proceed to such Trials and to make award and issue all such Orders Rules Writs and other Process and do or cause to be done all other Acts Matters and Things of what Nature soever as well in order to any such Trials and Matters for the same as in upon and after the said Trials in every respect whatsoever whether with relation to Sheriffs and other Officers Parties Jurors Witnesses Challenges or other Matters or Proceedings in about or relating to any such Trials or the Verdicts to be taken thereupon or Returns therein and here and execute as fully and singly as all Justices of the Peace in the County of the Court of Exchequer in England or by the Constitution Custom or Practice of or in the said Court of Exchequer in England or by the virtue of any Law or Statute Constitution or Authority whatsoever hath or have been or is or shall be made or done or executed in or concerning any such or the like Trials or Cases in England and after any such Trials had the said Barons of the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland and the Officers Attorneys and Clerks in the said Court shall and are hereby enabled and required

to give Rules and do all other Things in order for Judgments to be entered in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland upon the Records of Tryals at Bar and of the Returns of Records of New Trials in case of Tryals in the Countries as are here been or may be used or practised in like Cases in the Court of Exchequer in England and the Barons of the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland may and shall proceed to give Judgments according to the Right of the Causes and to award Executions upon such Judgments and to do and award all and every Act Matter and Thing touching and relating to any such Tryals Judgments or Executions as by Law or the Rules Orders or Directions of the Court of Exchequer in England or by the Laws or Statutes in England or hath or have been or ought to be used in such or the like Cases

AND it is hereby further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the said Barons of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland or any one or more of them either in Court or out of Court shall have full Power and Authority to take all Manner of Recognizances and Securities for Debts and that all Obligations Recognizances Specialties and other Securities for any the Revenues Rents Duties Dances Accounts Profits or other Things according or which shall or may become due or accrue to the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs or Successors within Scotland or which shall in any wise concern or relate thereto or any the Officers Ministers or Accountants thereof or for the same or which shall be taken in or by the Order of the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland or upon any other Accounts for the Use or Benefit of the Crown or for securing any the Revenues Debts or Dances of the Crown shall be taken in the Name of the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and to be paid to the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors with other proper Words and with and under such Conditions as shall be suitable in the Matter for which they shall be taken and shall have the full Force and Effect of any Obligations Recognizances and Specialties which have been or may be taken or acknowledged in the Court of Exchequer in England according to the Purport true Intent and Meaning of the Statute in that Behalf made in England in the Third and thirtieth Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth or any other Law or Statute or any Positive Customs or Usage in the Court of Exchequer in England or by virtue of the Royal Privileges and that all Suits and Proceedings upon any the said Obligations Recognizances and Specialties or for any Revenues Debts or Duties any Ways due or payable to the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors within Scotland shall be in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland and Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall be preferred and have Precedence in all Suits and Proceedings in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland according to the said Statute of the Third and thirtieth Year of King Henry the Eighth and according to the Usage Customs and Practice of the Court of Exchequer in England and shall have and enjoy each and the same Privileges as well in and about Hearings and in all other Matters and Things as by any the Laws in England or Course of Exchequer in England have been or ought to be allowed and as well the Bodies as the Lands and Tenements Debts Credits and Specialties Goods Chattels and Personal Estate of all Debtors or Accountants to the Crown or their Debtors in Scotland shall be subject and liable and shall and may be made subject and liable by Extent Inquisition and Seizures or by any other Process Ways or Means to the Payment of such Debts Duties or Revenues to the Crown and in such and the same Manner and Form to all Issues and Purposes as hath been or is used in the Court of Exchequer in England in like Cases

Provided nevertheless That no Debt or Duty from any the Debtors or Accountants to the Crown in Scotland shall affect or subject any Real Estate in Scotland of any such Debtors or Accountants to the Payment or Satisfaction of any such Debt or Duty further or otherwise or in any other Manner or Form than such Real Estate may or ought to be subject and liable thereto by the Laws of Scotland and that the Laws of Scotland shall in all such Cases and for all such Purposes hold place and be observed Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

Acted for all the Purposes in this Act mentioned the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland and the Barons and other Officers thereof and Sheriffs shall have Exercise and put in Execution within Scotland all and every the Powers Authorities and Jurisdictions as to all Matters and Things whatsoever arising or happening or which have or shall arise and happen within Scotland touching or concerning any the aforesaid Revenues or Duties of Customs and Excise and other Revenues Debts or Dances Obligations Securities Judgments or Specialties or the Recovery of the same or of any other the Premises which the Court of Exchequer in England or the Barons or Officers thereof by virtue of the said Statute made in England in the said Third and thirtieth Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth or of any other Statute made and in force in England or by the Constitution Customs or Practice used in the Court of Exchequer in England have or ought to have performed or put in Execution in England in fully and amply to all Intents and Purposes as if the same Powers Authorities and Jurisdictions were in this Act particularly expressed and thereby enacted yet so nevertheless that nothing be done to make the Real Estate in Scotland of any Debtor or Accountant to the Crown there subject or liable to the Payment of any Debt or Dances to the Crown further or otherwise than they may or ought to be by the Laws of Scotland according to the Purport of the Premises last herein before mentioned And the Barons of the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall and may act and do in respect to any the Parties in Law or Equity to any Action Information Suit or Prosecution in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland in such Cases Sort and Manner as by any the Laws or Statutes in England or the Use and Practice of the Court of Exchequer there touching the awarding of Costs and issuing Process and Execution for the same hath or have used to be done

and may proceed to give Judgments.

XL.  
Power of Barons to take Recognizances, Sec. to have force.

according to Stat.  
13 H. VIII. c. 29.

Note upon such Recognizances, Sec. to have Precedence in the Court of Exchequer, according to Statute 13 H. VIII. c. 29.

XII.  
Real Estates subject to Debts due to the Crown in Scotland only according to the Laws of Scotland.

XIII.  
The said Court and Barons to exercise all Powers, &c. relating to the said Revenues, Sec. as by the said Stat. 13 H. VIII. c. 29. and any other Statute in force in England, or the Customs of the Court.

Process as to Liability of Real Estates in Great Britain.

Cause as in Court

<sup>1</sup> inserted on the Roll.



XIV.  
Magistrates of Justice  
in England extended to  
Aberdeen, &c. in  
the said Court.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Summons in England of Justice and for Assessments shall extend to all such Actions Informations and Suits to be brought in the Court of Exchequer in Scotland for the Recovery of any Debt Duty or Revenue due to the Crown in fully and amply to all Intents and Purposes as they do or ought to extend to the Court of Exchequer in England or any Causes or Proceedings therein in such or the like Cases.

XV  
Terms to be kept in  
the said Court.

And that in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland there shall be kept and observed Four Terms in every Year whereof One of them shall be called Michaelmas Term and shall Yearly commence upon the Third Day of November and end on the Twenty ninth Day of November and another of them shall be called by the Name of Candlemas Term and shall Yearly commence upon the Twenty third Day of January and end upon the Twelfth Day of February Yearly and another of them shall be called by the Name of Whitmasse Term and shall Yearly commence upon the Twenty fifth Day of May and shall end on the Fifteenth Day of June following and the Fourth of them shall be called by the Name of Lammas Term and shall Yearly commence on the Twentieth Day of July and shall end on the Eighth Day of August following And if any of the said Days on which any of the said Terms shall begin or end shall happen to be a Sunday then each Term respectively shall begin or end the next Day following in and during which Terms the Business of the said Court shall sit therein and hear and determine the Business Causes Matters and Things depending or which shall may or ought to be prosecuted in the said Court either in Law or Equity or which shall or may concern the Revenue Debts Duties Matters or Things within the Jurisdiction of the said Court and that either with or without any Adjournment in or for any Time or Place.

Process as to  
beginning or ending  
of Terms on Friday

XVI.  
Barrons may order  
Days for Sessions  
of Writs, &c. and  
in Extra, &c. as  
Barrons, &c. and  
take Bids, &c.

And that the said Barrons shall and may order and appoint the Days and Times for the Return of Writs or Process issuing out of and returnable in the said Court and set and impose upon all such Sheriff and other Officers and Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate to whom the Execution of such Writs or Process do or shall appertain such Issues Fees Assessments and Penalties as to the said Court shall seem fit and reasonable And the said Barrons in Court or any of them out of Court shall take Bids Recognisances and other Securities Informations Bills Answers and Affidavits and take and declare Assessments and do and execute all Matters and Things relating to the Business or Jurisdiction of the said Court as fully to all Intents and Purposes as the Barrons of the Exchequer in England or any of them have or do use in such or the like Cases in or out of Court there.

in Process of  
Exchequer in  
England.

XVII.  
Barrons may hold  
Fees in Equity by  
English Bids, &c.

And the Barrons of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland are hereby also authorized and enabled to hold Fees in Equity by English Bids Petition or Suit to be brought or exhibited in the said Court by or against the Attorney or Advocate General of the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors on Her or Their Behalf or for Her or Their Successor or by or against any other Person or Persons any ways concerned in or about any the Revenue Debts or Duties before mentioned touching the said Revenue Debts or Duties for any Discovery or Relief in Equity And in and upon such Bills Petitions and Suits the said Court of Exchequer shall and are hereby enabled to issue and award Process of Sub poena or Damages and all other usual and proper Process for compelling the Parties Defendants to or in such Suits to put in their Answers and make their Defences to such Bills Petitions or Suits and for the Parties to such Suits to proceed thereto and thereupon according to such Rules or Orders and in such Manner and Form as the Court of Exchequer in England hath used to proceed by and upon Issues joined in any of the said Causes or Suits in Equity the Court of Exchequer in Scotland is to cause Witnesses to be examined (if desired) on either Side by Commissioners to be awarded for that Purpose or by sworn Examiners and after Publication of the Depositions of the Witnesses to proceed to the Hearing of the said Causes and upon the Proof and Evidence therein or thereupon or upon Bill and Answer where no Witnesses shall be examined or Proof made to make such Orders and Decrees either for the Relief of the Plaintiffs or for Rescinding of the said Plaintiffs Bills or otherwise as to the said Court shall seem just and reasonable and as in or hath been used in the Court of Exchequer in England here only that all Issues at Law directed or allowed for the Information of the Consensus of the Court shall be and are hereby ordered to be made up and recorded upon in the said Queens Remembrances Office in Scotland in such Manner as such Issues are used to be made up and recorded upon in the Office of Pleas in the Court of Exchequer in England and the said Court shall award such Process for the enforcing any of the Parties to such Suits in person and yield Obedience to such Orders or Decrees as shall be made in the said Causes and in case of Non-performance thereof or Disobedience thereto the said Court shall award all such Process of Contempt against the Persons and Estates of him her or them that shall be in Contempt or refuse Obedience to any the said Orders or Decrees as hath been used and practised in like Cases as or by the Court of Exchequer in England and make and execute like Process Orders and Proceedings thereupon as are used in the Court of Exchequer in England in like Cases.

and also Process

and award Com-  
missions for  
Examinations of  
Witnesses.

and make Decrees,  
&c.

Issues at Law  
directed as in  
England.

Process of Con-  
tempt, &c. as in  
Court of Exchequer  
in England.

XVIII.  
Fees of Barrons  
and Officers of the  
Court.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Barrons of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland and all and every the Officers and Members of the said Court of Exchequer shall be entitled to and have and

enjoy such and the same Privileges and Immunities as the Members of the College of Justice have and enjoy by the Law Custom and Practice in Scotland excepting only that they may be pursued in Justice before the Lords of Session for Causes not competent to the Court of Exchequer.

And he it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Officers and Persons employed or to be employed in or about the collecting receiving managing paying answering or accounting for any the Revenues or Duties of Customs or Excise or other Crown Revenues Duties or Duties in Scotland shall be under and subject to the Rules Orders Directions Authority Power and Jurisdiction of the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland in all Things touching the said Revenues Duties or Accounts and touching the collecting ordering and Management thereof and the paying and answering the same and concerning any Securities to be given or Oaths to be taken relative thereto which are not or shall not be contrary to or inconsistent with the Commands Orders and Directions in force of or from the Queens Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or of or from the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain or the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury in Great Britain for the Time being and that all and every such Person and Persons so in or are or shall be appointed under the aforesaid Seal which by the Articles of Union is appointed to be kept in Scotland to be the Auditor or Auditors of the said Revenues of Customs or Excise or other Crown Revenues or Duties whatsoever in Scotland or any Part thereof shall take the same of His Oath *swearing* according to the due Execution of his or their Office or Offices before the Barons of the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland as any Auditor of any the Crown Revenues in England hath or have used or ought to take and such Auditor or Auditors shall have the taking and making up all the said Accounts which being sworn to by the respective Accountants as to the Truth thereof allowed and declared by and before the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland or before the Chief Baron or some other of the Barons of the said Court of Exchequer the same shall be examined sorted and enrolled in the Office of Remembrancers of the Queens Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and Particulars and Vouchers of such Account contained in a Bag for that Purpose shall be there left and such Account shall be also entered in the Office of the Lord Treasurer Remembrancer in such and the like Manner as it and hath been used in the like Office in England and then shall be delivered into the Pipe Office in the Court of Exchequer in Scotland and the Clerk of the Pipe or Chief Officer in that Office or his Deputy (in case that Office shall be executed by Deputy) shall cause the said Accounts to be examined and if found true to be entered and enrolled in the said Office and shall make or give a Quittance or Discharge to the Accountant thereupon which shall be a Discharge to and for such Accountant as to all the Revenues Duties Matters and Things therein and thereby accounted for paid and answered and if any Supers or Arrears shall be set upon the Accountant or any other Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate by or upon the said Account the Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall award all proper and effectual Process to be made and issued out of such One of the Two Remembrancers Office as the Court shall direct for the speedy accounting for paying and receiving of all such Supers and Arrears and answering the same to the Use of the Crown in such Sort and Manner as in like Cases may by Law be done or hath been used in the Court of Exchequer in England.

Provided always and he it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate Party or Parties to any Judgment which shall be given in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland his her or their Heirs Executors or Administrators or such other Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate who shall be privy to and affected by such Judgment and who by Law is or are enabled to bring and maintain a Writ of Error thereupon to sue and prosecute out of the Court of Chancery in England a Writ or Writs of Error to be made in usual Manner upon any such Judgment returnable in the Parliament of Great Britain and such and the like Securities Matters and Things Way and Method of Proceedings shall and may be had therein and thereupon and relating thereto as have been or are or may be used and practised upon or concerning Writs of Error returnable in Parliament upon any Judgment in any the Courts in England and upon or relating to the Affirming or Reversal of such Judgments and the Proceedings thereupon in like Cases and every Person or Persons against whom any Orders or Decrees in English Causes shall be made in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall and may have and pursue such and the like Relief and Redress therein as any Person or Persons against whom any Orders or Decrees as the Court of Exchequer in England have been or shall be made may have and pursue in like Cases.

Provided also That the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain for the Time being shall have and exercise all such Powers Authorities and Jurisdictions as heretofore were or relating to any the Revenues or Duties of Customs and Excise and other the Crown Revenues Duties or Treasures within Scotland and the getting in paying lending and accounting for the same or any Part thereof as fully and apply to all Issues and Purposes as the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain for the Time being by virtue of such his Office hath or may or can have or exercise about or concerning any the Crown Revenues Duties or Duties in England Any thing herein contained to the contrary [in any wise] notwithstanding.

Provided also and he it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and all Manner of Fines Issues Amercements Forfeitures Recognisances or Penalties and other Forfeitures of what Nature or Kind soever which shall or may be set imposed by or incurred or become forfeited in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland

XII.  
Officers of Barons,  
for subjects in the  
said Court.

Process.

Auditors of the  
Crown Revenues in  
Scotland, to take  
Oaths in England.

Accounts allowed  
and declared, by  
as in England.

Duty of Clerk of  
the Pipe to register  
of such Accounts.

Court may order  
Process upon  
Accountant.

XIII  
Writs of Error.

Like Relief against  
Decrees of the said  
Court, as in  
England.

XIV  
Powers of Lord  
High Treasurer  
over the Crown  
Revenues the same  
as in England.

XV  
Fines, Penalties,  
Arrears, how to be  
levied.

shall be levied by the Authority and Process of the said Court and paid and answered to the Use of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors although the Persons or their Lands or Tenements Goods or Chattels liable to the same Vices Injunct Amendments Penalties or Forfeitures be or remain in any Part of Scotland whatsoever

XXIII.  
Persons to Plea  
in Bar of such Pleas,  
Provisions, &c.

PROVIDED nevertheless That in case any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate his her or their Heirs Successors Executors or Administrators shall alledge plead declare or shew in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland good perfect sufficient Cause and Matter in Law Reason or good Conscience in Bar or Discharge of any Fine Issues Amendments forfeited Recognizances or any other Forfeitures Debts or Duties due or payable to the Crown or why such Person or Persons ought not to be charged or chargeable to or with the same and the same Cause and Matter so alledged pleaded declared or shewed sufficiently proved in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland due then the said Court shall have full Power and Authority to accept alledge and allow the same and wholly and clearly to acquit and discharge all and every the said Personna which shall be impleaded or sued for the same or to make and take any finding and reasonable Composition for the same as in the Judgments and Discretions of the Barons of the said Court of Exchequer upon hearing of the Answer or Answer General or other learned Council of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall be found and thought just and reasonable and to proceed and act therein and give Discharges thereupon in such Sort and Manner as both here and is used and practised in the like Cases in and by the Court of Exchequer in England: Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding

XXIV.  
Barons may pass  
Benefit Accounts,  
&c.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Barons of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall have full Power and Authority by virtue of this Act to make and pass the Accounts of all Sheriffs and other Officers in Scotland who have or shall have the Execution of any the Process moving out of and returnable in the said Court of Exchequer for the levying of any Revenue or Money for the Crown and to charge and discharge them according to Right and Justice and that in such Manner and Form as the said Sheriffs and Officers before the said Union were used to be charged and discharged and to have their Accounts passed or as the Barons of the said Court of Exchequer shall order direct or appoint

XXV.  
Acts in force in  
England touching  
Ballast and  
Duties levied  
oncoastally, and the  
Privileges of Officers  
relating thereto, &c.  
in far as not  
contrary to the  
Statutes of Union,  
applicable in the  
said Cases.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Act and Acts of Parliament made in England and in force there touching and concerning any Customs or Subsidies there and also all and every Act and Acts of Parliament made in England and now in force touching and concerning any Estates there and all and every the Authorities Powers Jurisdictions Qualifications of Officers and Several Directions for Navigation and for carrying Goods coastwise Forfeitures Penalties Duties and the Ways and Means for the recovering of them or any of them and all other Matters and Things in them or any of them contained which are not contrary to or inconsistent with the aforesaid Statutes of the Union of the Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland or any of them (\*) and shall and may be cognizable in and put in Execution by the Court of Exchequer in Scotland in to all Matters and Things happening or arising in Scotland as fully and amply to all Issues and Purposes as the same or any of them do extend or may or might be put in Execution as to any Matters or Things touching and concerning Customs and Excise or any other the Matters or Things aforesaid happening or arising in England and all Offences and Offenders in any the said Matters shall and may be used and prosecuted for the same in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland and the Merchants and other Persons entitled to any Benefits Allowances Advantages or Remedies touching or concerning any the said Customs or Excise in Scotland shall have and enjoy the same in Scotland as fully and amply to all Issues and Purposes as they may or might if the same were or arose in England and the Officers of the Customs and Excise in Scotland are required to make and allow the same accordingly And the Barons of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland are required and enabled to cause Right to be done by and to all Persons concerned therein

Allowances to  
Merchants, &c. in  
respect thereof to  
be applied in  
Scotland as in  
England.

XXVI.

AND for the better and more effectual executing the Parts [Members] Creeks and Havens in Scotland where Goods and Merchandises have been or may be exported and imported and the several Keys Wharfs and other Places where the same may be put on board any Ship or Vessel for Transportation as be suitable or unladen upon Importation Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Queens Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall and may from time to time by Commission or Commissioners out of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland assign and appoint all such further Places Ports Members and Creeks in Scotland as shall be lawful for the loading [and] discharging lading or shipping of any Goods Wares or Merchandises in Scotland and to what ancient and Head Ports respectively such Places Members or Creeks shall respectively appertain and where any such Place Member or Creek shall be so appointed as aforesaid the Customs Collector Comptroller and Searcher of the Head Port shall by themselves or their sufficient Deputy or Deputies Serjeants or Sergeants at Law and others for the sorting clearing and putting shipping and discharging of Ships Goods and Merchandise and by virtue of the said Commission or Commissioners may likewise set down and appoint the Extent Benefits and Limits of every Port Haven or Creek in Scotland whereby the Extent Limits and Privileges of every Port Haven or Creek in Scotland may be ascertained and known after which Appointment so made the said Port Members and Creeks so appointed shall be observed and used for Importation and Exportation in the same Manner and subject to and under such Orders and Regulations and to the same Effect as the like Ports Creeks and Members appointed in England for Exportation or Importation there are or ought to be by the Laws of England

The said Ports, &c.  
to be used  
accordingly as  
in England

Commissioners may  
appoint of the  
said Court;  
Importing Ports  
and Places for  
loading and shipping  
Goods, &c.

\* shall extend to Scotland &c

\* ascertained on the Roll.

And whereas by the aforesaid recited Article of the Treaty of Union it is provided That the Court of Exchequer in Scotland have Power of granting Signatures Gifts Tenures and in other Things as the Court of Exchequer in Scotland at the Time of the said Treaty had Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall have Power to receive Resignations in Her Majesties Name of all Burghs Lands Lordships Tythes Jurisdiction Offices and all other Rights which were in use to be resigned and received in Her Majesties Name in the Exchequer at the Time of the said Treaty and that Signatures Gifts Tenures and other Things which were presented seized and compounded or which were passed or given by the Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of the Treasury or Court of Exchequer there at the Time of the said Treaty shall be given in resigned presented seized compounded and expedited as formerly with this Alteration only that the Procurator of Signatures shall present the said Signatures Gifts Tenures and other Things to the said Chief Baron and Barons of the Exchequer in Scotland who are hereby authorized and empowered to receive and compound the same in the same Manner and with the same Powers as the said Lord High Treasurer or Commissioners of Treasury of Scotland might have done and thereafter in a Court of Exchequer to hear Parties concerned and to pass all such Signatures Gifts Tenures and other Things aforesaid and especially to declare and appoint Fees as the Court of Exchequer might have done at the Time of the said Treaty and such Signatures Gifts Tenures and other Things aforesaid being passed in the Exchequer shall be recorded by the proper Clerks and thereupon be expedited at the proper Books as at the Time of the said Treaty by the Law and Practice of Scotland was required requiring nevertheless full Power to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors to receive Resignations immediately in Her or Their Royal Hands and to grant all Signatures Gifts and other Things in the same Manner as Her Majesty could have done at the Time of the aforesaid Treaty

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Barristers at Law Advocates or Counsellors who may plead and practice before the Court of Exchequer in England or before the Court of Session in Scotland here and shall have Right and Privilege to plead and practice before the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland

Provided always and be it enacted That the Two principal Clerks of Exchequer in Scotland and other Officers in that Court who have Grants of their Offices during Life or of Indultance shall enjoy their Offices according to the Nature of their Gifts except in so far as these Offices are inconsistent with the Constitution of Exchequer as the same is settled by this Act in which Case be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Person having Right to any such Office shall be provided in one or other of the Offices established by this Act equal in Value to what they now enjoy to hold for Life or in Fee respectively or have some other equivalent Recompense for the Loss of such Office

Provided always That the Validity or Invalidity and Preference of the Title of the Crown to any Heriots Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or to Casals belonging to the Crown shall continue to be tried and decided in the Court of Session as was used and of Right ought to have been by the Law and Practice of Scotland at the Time of the Union and not otherwise Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Officer Minister Clerk or other Person employed in the said Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall not demand receive or take from any of Her Majesties Subjects or from any other Person or Persons whatsoever any greater or other Fee Reward Profit Advantage Hinder or Thing whatsoever for or in respect of any Business Matter or Thing transacted dispatched made or done in the said Court of Exchequer than such only as shall be assented and allowed by the Barons of the said Court of Exchequer or any Three or more of them (whereof the Chief Baron to be One) under their Hands which Fees or Allowances shall be contained in a Table to be hung up in the most Publick and visible Place of the said Court of Exchequer and to which any of Her Majesties Subjects or others may have free Liberty to resort and to have a View and Perusal thereof without Fee or Reward and each of the Masters or Chief Officers in the Offices of Queen's Remembrancer Lord Treasurer Remembrancer Clerk of the Pipe and Clerk of the Pleas and Auditor shall take care that a Table of the Fees and Allowances relating to their respective Offices and Places and Business therein transacted and so allowed and signed as aforesaid shall be hung up in some publick and visible Place in their said respective Offices to which any of Her Majesties Subjects or others may have free Liberty to resort and to have a View and Perusal thereof without Fee or Reward And if any Person or Persons shall offend in any the Premises the Barons of the said Court of Exchequer upon Complaint thereof to them made in that Behalf shall cause Right to be done to the Party complaining and to punish the Offenders by Fine Sequestration or Deprivation of Office or as to them shall seem just and reasonable and to recompense the Complainers with Costs in that Behalf

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Number of the said Barons of Her Majesties said Court of Exchequer in Scotland shall not at any Time exceed the Number of Five.]

XXXII.  
Barons of the said  
Court of Exch.  
Article 19.

The said Court  
may receive  
Resignations of  
Burghs, and other  
Matters (as  
aforesaid).

and may receive and  
compound Gifts,  
&c. in the Treasury  
of Scotland might  
have done at the  
Time of the Treaty,  
and declare and  
appoint Fees.

Power for the  
Crown receiving  
such Resignations,  
&c.

XXXIII.  
Power for  
Barons pleading.

XXXIV.  
Provision for the  
Two principal  
Clerks of Exchequer  
and Officers  
for Life and of  
Indultance.

XXXV.  
Provision for  
Jurisdiction of  
Court of Session to  
try Title of the  
Crown to Lands,  
&c.

XXXVI.  
No Fees to be  
taken by such as  
are entitled and  
allowed by the  
Barons as herein  
mentioned.

Table to be hung  
up in the Court.

and in the different  
Offices.

Offenders to be  
punished and pay  
Costs.

XXXVII.  
Number of the  
Barons.

The following Clauses are inserted in the Original Act in Three separate Sections.

## CHAPTER LV. (\*)

*Est. Parl.  
6 Ann. c. 54.*

AN ACT to enlarge the Time for redeeming the Certificates of all Ecclesiastical Livings not exceeding the Yearly Value of Fifty Pounds in also for discharging all Liabilities of that Value from the Payment of First Fruits and for allowing Time to Archbishops and Bishops and other Prelates for Payment of their First Fruits.

*Recital of Stat.  
6 Ann. c. 54.  
44.*

WHEREAS by an Act made in the Fifth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty Intituled An Act for discharging small Livings from their First Fruits and Tenths and all Arrears thereof it is provided that the said Act or any Thing therein contained shall not extend to discharge any Benefices with Cure of Souls the Tenths whereof were granted away by any of Her Majesties Predecessors to any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate in Perpetuity before the Third Day of November in the Third Year of Her Majesties Reign which Clause was intended only to save the Rights [et] such Persons who had Grants of Tenths from the Crown before the said Third Day of November and not otherwise But inasmuch as the First Fruits of the aforesaid Benefices with Cure of Souls the Tenths whereof were so granted as aforesaid were notwithstanding the said Grants reserved to the Crown and are now granted by Her Majesty to the Governors of the Treasury of Queen Anne for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy and their Successors And inasmuch as the discharging of the First Fruits and Arrears thereof of small Livings the Tenths of which are not vested in the said Governors will be a present proper Augmentation of the same Be it therefore enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all Ecclesiastical Benefices with Cure of Souls not exceeding the clear yearly Value of Fifty Pounds by the Imposed Valuations of the same the Tenths whereof are not vested in the Corporation of the said Governors and the Incumbents thereof for the Time being and every of them their respective Heirs Executors Administrators Successors and Successes shall be free and clearly discharged and acquitted for ever of and from the said First Fruits and of and from all Arrears of the same Any thing in the aforesaid Act to the contrary notwithstanding And the accruing of the clear improved [yearly] Valuations of the said Ecclesiastical Benefices with the Cure of Souls hereby intended to be discharged from the Payment of First Fruits shall be by the same Persons and in the same Manner and Form as for other Livings mentioned in the said Act

*Benefices, not exceeding fifty per Ann., were mentioned Recd. from First Fruits and Arrears.*

*By whom Value increased.*

*II.  
Certificate issued to the Court of Exchequer before 24th Decr. 1708.*

PROVIDED nevertheless That the Certificates by the proper Officers into Her Majesties Court of Exchequer in Witness whereof the yearly Valuation of such Livings intended by this Act to be discharged from the Payment of First Fruits may be made at any Time before the Twenty fourth Day of December which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight Any thing hereto in the contrary notwithstanding

*III.  
Recital of Stat.  
6 Ann. c. 54. 45.*

*Proviso for Certificate of Valuation under the said Act.*

AND whereas by the said Act of Parliament made in the said Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign the Time limited for certifying into the Court of Exchequer the Valuation of such Livings intended by the said Act to be discharged from the Payment of First Fruits and Tenths is found not sufficient with respect to some Dioceses and Places Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Certificates which shall be made into the said Court of Exchequer of the yearly Valuation of such Livings intended to be discharged from the Payment of First Fruits and Tenths by the said Act of Parliament at any Time before the said Twenty fourth Day of December which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight shall be as good and effectual for the Purposes by the said Act intended as if the same were made and certified on or before the Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight Any thing in this or the said Act to the contrary thereof notwithstanding

*IV.  
Public Act.*

AND be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall be taken and accepted in all Courts and Places whatsoever as a Public Act.

*V.  
Reason for passing this Enactment.*

AND whereas it has been usual for the Kings and Queens of England by their Letters or Privy Seal to allow the Archbishops and Bishops Four Years Time for the Payment of their First Fruits to the Crown by way of Indemnity which since Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to give the First Fruits and Tenths for the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy cannot now be done And whereas the First Fruits of Archbishopsricks and Bishopsricks amount to near the full annual Value thereof and the other Charges of coming into Archbishopsricks and Bishopsricks are very great And whereas Archbishops and Bishops have not the Profits of their Bishopsricks from the Death of their Predecessors so Rectors and Vicars have but from the Time that such Bishopsricks are conferred upon them And whereas no Provision has been made for any Abatement of the First Fruits of Archbishops or Bishops as there is for Rectors and Vicars in case of Death or Removal within the Times allowed for the Payment of such First Fruits Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Archbishop and Bishop shall have Four Years allowed him when he or they shall compound for the same for the Payment of his First Fruits which shall commence from the Time of Restitution of his Temporalities and that in every Year he shall pay One Fourth Part of the whole Sum And if it shall please God he shall die or be removed before the full Term of Four Years shall be expired he his Heirs Executors or Administrators shall be discharged of so much as did not become due or payable at or before the Time or Times of his Death or Removal in the Manner as the Heirs Executors and Administrators of Rectors and Vicars are authorized to do

*Allowance of Time to Archbishops and Bishops for Payment of their First Fruits.*

\* This is Chap. XXVII. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

† Inserted on the Roll

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Deane Archdeacons Prebendaries and other Dignities shall compound for their respective First Fruits in such Manner and Form as Rectors and Vicars have been accustomed to do and in case of Death or Recession within the Time usually allowed in Rectors and Vicars for Payment of their said First Fruits they the said Deane Archdeacons Prebendaries and other Dignities shall be in the like Condition and have the same Benefit as is allowed to Rectors and Vicars by the Statute made in the First Year of the Reign of the late Queen Elizabeth intituled An Act for the Remission of the First Fruits to the Crown.

VI.  
Dignities to compound for First Fruits as Rectors and Vicars.  
Stat. 1 Eliz. c.4.

## CHAPTER LV. (\*)

An Act for continuing the Act for amending the Tythes of Hemp and Flax.

WHEREAS an Act of Parliament made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory intituled An Act for the better amending the Tythes of Hemp and Flax was to continue from the First and twentieth Day of March [which] was in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament And whereas the said Act hath by Experience been found to be [very] useful and necessary to this Kingdom Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said recited Act shall be continued and be in Force from the First and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight for Seven Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament and so longer.

Stat. Parl.  
6 Ann. p. 6 & 6.

Rec'd of Stat.  
14 W. III. c. 25  
§ 4.

The said Par-  
liament for  
Seven Years, &c.

## CHAPTER LVI. (\*)

An Act to repeal a Clause in an Act of the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty (for amending and repairing the Highways) which enjoyns Waggons and others to draw with a Pole between the Wheel Horses or with Double Shafts and to oblige them to draw only with Six Horses or other Beasts except ox Hols.

Stat. Parl.  
6 Ann. p. 6 & 7

WHEREAS by an Act made in the Seventh and Eighth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of glorious Memory intituled An Act for the better amending and repairing the Highways and Explanation of the Laws relating thereto it is enacted that all Horses or Oxen drawing any travelling Waggon Wain Cart or Carriage wherein any Barren Goods or Wares are or shall be carried or drawn for Hire shall draw in Pair with a Pole between the Wheel Horses as in Double Shafts and the other Horses to draw in a Line with the Wheel Horse or Oxen in the same Manner as they usually draw in Coaches under the Penalty of Forty Shillings for every Offence Two Third Parts thereof to be in the Use of the Highways and the other Third Part to the Informer And whereas the aforesaid Manner of drawing with a Pole between the Wheel Horses or in Double Shafts as by the said Act is directed has by Experience been found altogether impracticable in many Parts of this Kingdom notwithstanding which many of Her Majesty's Poor Subjects Waggons and Carriers are perpetually harassed by Common Informers and their Teams often seized for Payment of the Penalties in the said Act mentioned to the Ruin of the said Waggons and Carriers and to the great Damage of the Owners of the Goods Wares and Merchandises conveyed in such Waggons Wains and Carriages by the Delays in their Journeys occasioned by such Common Informers For Remedy whereof be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That so much of the said recited Act as is herein before mentioned shall be and from henceforth shall stand absolutely repealed and is hereby repealed.

Rec'd of Stat.  
7 W. III. c. 24. § 4.

10.

Reason for passing  
the Act.

The said Clause  
repealed.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Sessions and Suits now depending in any of Her Majesty's Courts at Law or which shall at any Time hereafter be seized brought or prosecuted upon the said Clause in the said recited Act under Pretence of any Sentence or Forfeiture or Penalty incurred for Breach of the said Clause in the said Act or for any Offence committed or supposed to be committed against the same shall be and are hereby declared to be discharged discontinued and discontinued and that all Sessions upon the said Clause in the said recited Act made or to be made are hereby declared to be discharged released null and void.

II.  
Sessions and Suits  
now pending  
respecting the same  
discontinued.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and eight no travelling Waggon Wain Cart or Carriage wherein any Barren Goods or Wares shall be carried or drawn other than such Carts and Carriages as are or shall be employed in and about Husbandry and mowing of Land and in the carrying of Hay Straw Corn Coal Chalk Timber for

III.  
Waggons, &c.  
carrying Goods,  
(Temporary)

\* This is Chap. XXVIII. 5 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

\* This is Chap. XXIX. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted in the Bill.

Given by greater  
Number of Horses  
than before men-  
tioned.  
Penalty *slip*.

levied by Deacons

Proceedings  
thereon.

IV.  
Surveyor neglect-  
ing his Duty.  
Penalty *slip*.

V.  
Fines for Wag-  
goners, to be drawn  
by Hides according  
to Order of  
Quarter Sessions.

Shipping Materials for building Stores of all Sorts as such Ammunition or Ammunition as shall be for the Service of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall at any one Time travel be drawn or go in any common or publick Highway or Road with above Six Horses Oxen or Beasts upon Pain that every Owner of every such Waggon Wagon Cart or Carriage shall forfeit for every such Offence the Sum of Five Pounds one Shilling which shall be to the Surveyors of the Highways of the Town Village Hamlets or Place where any of the said Offences shall be committed to be employed in the Repairs of the said Highways and the other Money thereof to him that shall discover and prosecute for any of the said Offences (provided such Discoverer or Prosecutor be an Inhabitant of such Town Village or Place) the said Penalty to be levied by Deacons of all or any of the said Horses Oxen or Beasts by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of One Justice of the Peace and in case the said Penalty be not paid within Three Days after that then it shall be lawful so and for the said Person or Persons so delinquent as aforesaid to sell the same and to remove the Overplus to the Owner the Charges of keeping and selling being first deducted

AND if any such Surveyor shall wilfully suffer any such Waggon Wagon or Carriage to be drawn with more than Six Horses and shall neglect to put this or any former Laws made for repairing the Highways in Execution shall forfeit Five Pounds to be divided and recovered as aforesaid

[*PROVIDED* always and to be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to restrain or hinder any Owner or Owners of such travelling Waggon Wagon Cart or Carriage or He or their Servants using or driving with so many Horses or Beasts as shall be necessary for the drawing such Waggon Wagon Cart or Carriage up any Hills as the Justice of the Peace of the respective Counties Riding Divisions and Places where such Hills lye shall at their Quarter Sessions from time to time order and direct which said Order and Direction shall be carefully kept by the respective Clerks of the Peace amongst the Records of the Sessions to which all Persons at reasonable Times shall have Recourse without Fee or Reward without incurring any Forfeitures or Penalties herein before mentioned Any thing in this or any other Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.]

#### CHAPTER LVII. (\*)

AN ACT for ascertaining the Rates of Foreign Coins in Her Majesty's Plantations in America.

Rev. Paul C. Anst.  
p. 6. n. 1.  
Record of Procla-  
mation, 18th June  
1706

**W**HEREAS for remedying the Inconveniencies which had arisen from the different Rates at which the same Species of Foreign Silver Coins did pass in Her Majesty's several Colonies and Plantations in America Her most Excellent Majesty has thought fit by Her Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Eighteenth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and four and in the Third Year of Her Reign to settle and ascertain the Currents of Foreign Coins in Her said Colonies and Plantations in the Manner and Words following

WE having had under our Consideration the different Rates at which the same Species of Foreign Coins do pass in our several Colonies and Plantations in America and the Inconveniencies thereof by the indirect Practice of drawing the Money from One Plantation to another to the great Prejudice of the Trade of Our Subjects and being sensible that the same cannot be otherwise remedied than by reducing of all Foreign Coins to the same current Rate within all Our Dominions in America and the principal Officers of Our Mint having laid before Us a Table of the [Value of the] several Foreign Coins which usually pass in Payments in Our said Plantations according to their Weight and the Assays made of them in Our Mint thereby shewing the just Proportion which such Coins ought to have to the other which is as follows viz. *Sevill* Pieces of Eight old *Plate* Seventeen *Penny* Weight Twelve *Grains* Four *Shillings* and Six *Pence* *Sevill* Pieces of Eight new *Plate* Fourteen *Penny* Weight Three *Shillings* Seven *Pence* One *Furling* *Mexican* Pieces of Eight Seventeen *Penny* Weight Twelve *Grains* Four *Shillings* and Six *Pence* *Pilar* Pieces of Eight Seventeen *Penny* Weight Twelve *Grains* Four *Shillings* and Six *Pence* Three *Furlings* *Peru* Pieces of Eight old *Plate* Seventeen *Penny* Weight Twelve *Grains* Four *Shillings* and Six *Pence* Three *Furlings* *Cross* Dollars Eighteen *Penny* Weight Four *Shillings* and Four *Pence* Three *Furlings* *Guineas* of *France* and *Spain* Twenty *Penny* Weight and Twenty one *Grains* Five *Shillings* and Six *Pence* *Escu's* of *France* or *Spain* Lewis *Guineas* *Penny* Weight Twelve *Grains* Four *Shillings* and Six *Pence* *Guineas* of *Portugal* Eleven *Penny* Weight Four *Grains* Two *Shillings* and Ten *Pence* One *Furling* Three *Gilder* Pieces of *Holland* Twenty *Penny* Weight and Seven *Grains* Five *Shillings* and Two *Pence* One *Furling* Old *Rix* Dollars of the *Empire* Eighteen *Penny* Weight and Ten *Grains* Four *Shillings* and Six *Pence* The [Half] *Guinea* and other Parts in Proportion to their Denominations and Eight *Pence* in Proportion to their Weight We have therefore thought fit for remedying the said Inconveniencies by the Advice of Our Council to publish and declare that from and after the First Day of January next ensuing the Rates of *Sevill* *Pilar* or *Mexican* Pieces of Eight though of the full Weight of Seventeen *Penny* Weight and an Half shall be accounted received taken or paid within any of Our said Colonies or Plantations as well those under Proprietors and Charters as under Our immediate Commission and Government at above the Rate of Six *Shillings* per *Piece* Current Money for the Discharge of any Contracts or Payments to be made after the said First Day of January next the Half *Guinea* and other lesser Pieces of the same Coins

\* inserted in the Original Act in a separate Schedule.  
\* inserted in the Bill.

\* This is Chapter XXX. 6<sup>th</sup> Ann. in the Customs printed Editions.  
\* Half G.

to be accounted received taken or paid in the same Proportion and the Currency of all Pieces of Eight of Peru Dollars and other Foreign Species of Silver Coins whether of the same or base Alloy shall after the said First Day of January next stand regulated according to their Weight and Finest according and in Proportion to the Rate before limited and set for the Pieces of Eight of Seville Pillar and Mexico so that no Foreign Silver Coins of any Sort be permitted to exceed the same Proportion upon any Account whatsoever and We do hereby require and command all Our Governors Lieutenant Governors Majors Officers and all other Our good Subjects within Our said Colonies and Plantations to observe and obey Our Directions herein as they under Our Displeasure.

And whereas notwithstanding the said Proclamations the same indirect Practices as are therein mentioned are still carried on within some of the said Colonies or Plantations and the Money thereby drawn from Our Plantations to the detriment of the Trade of Her Majesty's Subjects Wherefore for the better enforcing the due Execution of Her Majesty's said Proclamations throughout all the said Colonies and Plantations and for the more effectual reviving the said Incommodities thereby intended to be remedied by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if any Person within any of the said Colonies or Plantations as well these twelve Provinces and Churches as under Her Majesty's immediate Commission and Government shall after the First Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and nine for the Discharge of any Contracts or Bargains as be elsewhere made account receive take or pay any of the several Species of Foreign Silver Coins mentioned in the before recited Proclamation at any greater or higher Rate than at which the same is thereby regulated settled and allowed to be accounted received taken or paid every such Person as accounting receiving taking or paying the same contrary to the Directions therein contained shall suffer Six Months Imprisonment without Bail or Mainprize any Law Custom or Usage in any of the said Colonies or Plantations to the contrary hereof in any wise notwithstanding [and shall likewise forfeit the Sum of Ten Pounds for every such Offence] Our Majesty Her Heirs and Successors the other Majesty to such Person or Persons as shall use for the same to be recovered with full Costs of Suit by Action of Debt Bill Pleint or Information in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Justice [within any of the said Plantations or in any "of the Courts of Justice"] of the Charter or proprietary Government, where such Offence shall be committed.]

Provided nevertheless and it is hereby declared That nothing in the before recited Proclamation or in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to compell any Person to receive any of the said Species of Foreign Silver Coins at the respective Rates in the said Proclamation mentioned.

Provided also and it is hereby further declared That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to restrain Her Majesty from regulating and setting the several Rates of the said Species of Foreign Silver Coins within any of the said Colonies or Plantations in such other Manner and according to such other Rates and Proportions as Her Majesty by Her Royal Proclamation for that Purpose to be issued shall from time to time judge proper or necessary or from giving Her Royal Assent to any Law hereafter to be made in any of the said Colonies or Plantations for settling and ascertaining the current Rates of such Coins within the said Colonies or Plantations but that such further Regulations may be made and such Assent given in as full and ample Manner as all Intests and Purposes as the same might have been done to case this Act had not been made and so otherwise Any thing herein before contained to the contrary hereof in any wise notwithstanding.

CHAPTER LVIII<sup>(1)</sup>

AN ACT for the better preventing Mischiefs that may happen by Fire.

WHEREAS many Fires have lately broke out in several Places in and about the Cities of London and Westminster and other Parishes and Places comprised within the weekly Bills of Mortality and many Houses have frequently been burnt and consumed before such Fires could be extinguished to the impoverishing and ruin of many of Her Majesty's Subjects the Rage and Violence whereof might have been in great Part prevented if a sufficient Quantity of Water had been provided in the Pipes lying in the Streets and if Party Walls of Brick had been built between House and House from the Foundation to the Top of the Roofs and ten Timber in the Front of Houses For the preventing therefore the like Mischiefs for the future be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the First and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight it shall and may be lawful to and for the Church Wardens of each and every Parish within the said Cities and Liberties of London and Westminster and other Parishes and Places within the said weekly Bills of Mortality and they are hereby required in any time or times before the First Day of May in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight or as soon after as may be said so for ever after to make place and

II.  
Reason for passing  
the Act.

Persons in the  
Colonies taking  
the Money men-  
tioned in the Pro-  
clamation at a  
higher Rate than  
regulated.]

Imprisonment and  
Penalty &c.

III.  
Persons to be For-  
ceful Silver Coins.

IV.  
Persons for the  
Power of the Queen  
to regulate the  
Rates of the said  
Foreign Silver  
Coins.

Act First.  
S. 4. p. 5. c. 3.

Reason for passing  
the Act.

Objections to  
London, for to be  
upon Mortality  
Bills, Act to be  
necessary

<sup>1</sup> amended to the Original Act in a separate Schedule.

<sup>2</sup> This is Chapter XXXI 6 Ann. in the Current printed Editions.

<sup>3</sup> inserted on the Roll.



for (or the Charge of such respective Parish) upon the Mains and Pipes belonging to any Waterwork whatsoever within the Places aforesaid such and so many Stop-Blocks of Wood with a Two Inch Plug or such and so many Fire Cocks to go into each Main or Pipe and to be placed at such Distances in each or any Street or Place where such Church-Wardens for the Time being shall direct and the Top of each Stop-Block to lie even with the Pavement of such Street or Place to the Intent such Plugs or Fire Cocks may always upon Occasion of any Fire be opened and let out the Water without Loss of Time in digging down to the Pipe and that all and every or any such Church-Wardens shall and lawfully have Power to fix any Mark or Writing in the Front of any House or Houses over against the Places and for the better making known to the Inhabitants where such Stop-Blocks and Fire Cocks lie and to keep an Instrument in each House where the Mark is to open the Plug or Fire Cock (such Stop-Blocks and Fire Cocks to be kept in Repair at the Charge of each Parish where the same shall be placed) and the Plugs by the Owners of the Mains and Pipes where the same shall be fixed

and may the Marks  
open Houses over  
against the same.

II.  
Penalty for every  
Parish, &c.

Negligence and  
not fixing Stop-  
Blocks, &c.

Penalty also.

Referred to First  
Tavernack.

and First, Second,  
and Third Parishes  
Keeper

How Referred  
renewable.

III.  
Enacted for passing  
the Warrant.

What Number of  
Wardens of Tyne  
(Shew how many  
Enacted)

IV.  
Referred to  
negligence  
Penalty also.

Penalty also.

to Improvement  
and hard Labour  
for 14 Months.

V.  
Regulation for  
Party Walls

AND that each and every Parish within the Cities of London and Westminster and weekly Bills of Mortality shall from time to time and at all Times here and keep in good Order and Repair in some known and publick Place within each Parish a large Engine and also a Hand Engine to throw up Water for the extinguishing of Fires and also shall provide keep and maintain One Leather Pipe and Socket of the same Size as the Plug or Fire Cock to the Intent the Socket may be put into the Pipe to convey the Water clean and without Loss or help of Bucket into the Engine and in Default of making placing [fixing] and confining such Stop-Blocks or Fire Cocks on the several Mains and Pipes as also in Default of having and keeping in good Repair such large Engine Hand Engine and Leather Pipe and Socket the Church-Wardens of each Parish so making Default and being convicted thereof before Two of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace shall forfeit and pay the Sum of Ten Pounds One Shilling thereof to the Informer and the other Shilling to the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish where such Default shall be made for the Use of the Poor of such Parish to be recovered by Warrant from Two of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace by Distress and Sale of such Church-Wardens Goods the Overplus if any be to be returned to the Owner thereof and that the Turn-Cock belonging to each Waterwork whose Water shall be found on or first come into the Main or Pipe where the First Plug shall be opened at any Fire shall be paid Ten Shillings by the Church-Wardens of such respective Parish where such Fire shall happen and that the first Engine Keeper which brings in a Parish Engine to help to extinguish any Fire if in good Order and complete with a Socket Piece and Leather Pipe shall be paid Thirty Shillings the Keeper of the Second Parish Engine that shall be first brought to a Fire shall be paid Twenty Shillings and the Third Ten Shillings by the Church-Wardens of each Parish where such Fire shall happen and in Default of Payment thereof such Referred shall be recoverable from the Church-Wardens where such Fire shall happen by Warrant from Two of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace by Distress and Sale of such Church-Wardens Goods the Overplus to be returned if any be

AND whereas the several Insurance Offices for insuring Houses against Loss by Fire reside in their several Services and give Coats and Badges unto Watermen for Service and Assistance in extinguishing of Fires who are always ready at a Call and are provided with various Sorts of Poles Hooks Buckrams and several other Instruments and Things at the Charge of the said respective Insurance Offices for the extinguishing of Fires which Watermen by Custom and Skill receive much farther and give greater Help than any other Persons are wont to come into Danger And whereas it hath been found by frequent Experience that such Watermen are of great Use and Service whenever any Fire happens Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Watermen for the Time being belonging to each Insurance Office within the Cities of London and Westminster and Liberties thereof not exceeding Thirty for each Office shall be free from being [imprisoned] or liable to be compelled to go to Sea or serve as Mariner or [as] Soldiers or Land their Names and Places of Abode being registered and entered with the Secretary or other Officer of the Admiralty Office

AND whereas Fires often happen by the Negligence and Carelessness of Servants Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any master or other Servant or Servants through Negligence or Carelessness shall fire or cause to be fired any Dwelling House or Out House or House such Servant or Servants being thereof lawfully convicted by the Oath of One or more credible Witnesses made before Two or more of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace shall forfeit and pay the Sum of One hundred Pounds unto the Church-Wardens of such Parish where such Fire shall happen to be distributed amongst the Believers by such Fire in such Proportion as to the said Church-Wardens shall seem just and in case of Default or Refusal to pay the same immediately after such Conviction the same being lawfully demanded by the said Church-Wardens then and in such Case such Servant or Servants shall by Warrant under the Hand of Two or more of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace be committed to some Workhouse or House of Correction at the said Justices shall think fit for the Space of Eighteen Months there to be kept to hard Labour

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said First Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight all and every House and Houses that shall be erected and built either upon old or new Foundations in any Place or Places in and about the Cities of London and Westminster or other Parishes or Places comprised within the weekly Bills of Mortality shall have Party Walls between House and House wholly of Brick or Stone and of Two Bricks thick at the least in the

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\* committed on the Bill.

Galler and Ground Stories and Thirteen Inches thick upwards from the Foundation quite through all the Stories of each House and Thirteen Inches above the Roof and that no Mansellion or Cornish of Timber or Wood under the Eaves shall hereafter be made or suffered in any such new House or Houses but that all front and rear Walls of every House and Houses shall be built of Brick or Stone to be carried Two Feet and an Half high above the Garret Floor and cased with Stone or Brick and if any new House or Houses shall from and after the said First Day of May be erected and built within the Places aforesaid contrary to the true intent and Meaning of this Act that then the Owner of every such House and Head Builder or Workmen who undertake such Building or Work shall each of them forfeit loss and pay for every such Default the Sum of Fifty Pounds to be equally divided One Moiety to the Informer and the other Moiety to the Poor of the Parish wherein such Building shall be erected and to be levied by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of Two or more of Her Majesties Justices of the Peace within the Place where such Building shall be so erected or where such Workmen shall inhabit by Petition and Sale of the Offenders Goods upon due Conviction upon Oath or upon the View of One or more of such Justices of the Peace residing the Overseas to the Owners if any be and for want of such Dissess the Offender shall be imprisoned by Warrant from the said Two Justices who are hereby empowered and required to grant such Warrant until Payment as aforesaid and the State of such Forfeitures appoynted to go to the Poor as aforesaid to be paid into the Hands of the Church Wardens of such respective Parish where such Offender shall be committed who are to give a Receipt for the same and to be charged therewith and accountable for the same in the Manner as for other Monies which they shall receive for the Use of such Parish

No Cornish of Wood under the Eaves.  
New front and rear Walls built.

Twenty days.

Distress.

State of the Poor to be paid to Church-wardens.

And be it further enacted That upon the breaking out of any Fire within London and Westminster all Constables and Beadles (upon Notice thereof) shall immediately repair to the Place where the said Fire shall happen with their Staves and other Badges of their Authority and be aiding and assisting as well in the extinguishing the said Fire and causing People to work in the Engines as also in preventing Goods being stolen and shall seize and apprehend all ill disposed Persons that they shall find smoking or pilfering from the Inhabitants as also that the said Constables and Beadles shall give their utmost Assistance to help the Inhabitants to remove their said Goods

VI.  
Constables and Beadles, upon Notice, to repair to Fire.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Action Suit or Process whatsoever shall be had maintained or prosecuted against any Person in whose House or Chamber any Fire shall from and after the [said] First Day of May accidentally begin or any Recompense be made by such Person for any Damage suffered or occasioned thereby Any Law Usage or Custom to the contrary notwithstanding

VII.  
No Action against Person in whose House Fire accidentally begins.

And if any Action shall be brought for any thing done in pursuance of this Act the Defendant may plead the General Issue and give this Act in Evidence and in case the Plaintiff becomes Non-suited or discontinues his Action or Suit or if a Verdict pass against him the Defendant shall recover Treble Costs.

VIII.  
In Action for recovery Act, General Issue, Treble Costs.

Provided That nothing in this Act contained shall extend to defeat or make void any Contract or Agreement made between Landlord and Tenant.

IX.

(\*) Provided always nevertheless That so much of this Act as relates to the Liability of any Person in whose House or Chamber any Fire shall accidentally begin shall continue for the Space of Three Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament and no longer.

X.  
Continuance of Sect. VII. ante.

#### CHAPTER LIX. (\*)

An Act for regulating the Qualifications of the Elections of the Governor Deputy Governor Directors and Voters of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England.

See Part 6. Chap. 6. ante.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign intituled An Act for continuing the Duties upon Houses to secure a yearly Fund for circulating Exchequer Bills whereby a Sum not exceeding Fifteen hundred thousand Pounds is intended to be raised for carrying on the War and other Her Majesties Occasions it is provided and enacted that it shall and may be lawful for the Governor and Company of the Bank of England and their Successors for the better circulating of the said Exchequer Bills from time to time when they shall see Occasion to call in or direct to be paid unto the said Governor and Company and their Successors from and by the respective Members of the said Company for the Time being proportionably any Sum and Sums of Money which the said Governor and Company is a General Court from time to time shall think necessary for the said Circulation and shall accordingly order to be called in (as by the said Act (aforegoing) divers other Things therein contained) more at large may appear And whereas an Enlargement of the present Capital Stock of the said Governor and Company will require several Members of the said Corporation who have paid or may hereafter pay in any Money for the Circulation of the said Exchequer Bills to such Capacities of being elected Governor Deputy Governor and Directors and voting at General Courts as their Charter requires and which by dividing of their late assigned Stock mity of them now want Be it therefore

Enrolled of Stat. 6 Ann. c. 22.

124.

Reasons for passing this Act.

\* Intituled so the Bill.

\* This is Chap. XXXIII. of Acts, in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted in the Original Act as a separate Schedule.

Money raised in  
for Circulation of  
Exchange Bills,  
not exceeding £  
50,000,000, was  
drawn Capital  
Stock.

enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all such Sums of Money in the said Governor and Company have hitherto called or shall hereafter from time to time call in from their respective Members for the Circulation of the said Exchange Bills shall as the same have been or shall from time to time be received by the said Governor and Company and their Successors as far as and not exceeding One Million One thousand one hundred seventy one Pounds Ten Shillings in the Whole be taken and deemed as and for Capital and Principal Stock for the qualifying or capacitating any Person or Persons interested therein to be elected Governor Deputy Governor Director or Directors or to vote at General Courts and to and for no other intent or Purpose whatsoever

It  
Proviso for Power  
to call in Money  
by the said Act.

Proviso always That nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to prohibit or restrain the said Governor and Company and their Successors from calling in or receiving from their Members any further or other Sums and Sums of Money which by virtue of the said last recited Act or otherwise they lawfully may or can do.

#### CHAPTER LX. (\*)

Act, Part  
6. Anno, p. 5. c. 11.  
Enacts for power  
this Act.

An Act for the Importation of Cockleins from any Ports in Spain during the present War and Six Months longer.

Cockleins may be  
imported in Spanish  
Ships, or Ships to  
Arrive within  
six Months.

WHEREAS Cockleins being of the Growth of the Spanish West Indies is of principal Use in dying of Cloths and other the Woolles Manufactures of this Kingdom Scotch Pargles and other Colours called Grids Colours to the great Impediment thereof and Employment of great Numbers of Her Majesty's Subjects in fadling and perishing such Woolles Manufactures And whereas by the Loss in taking Cockleins cannot be imported but from the Places of its Growth although the same is now sold at cheaper Rates in several Parts of Europe and used as well in dying the said Manufactures of this Kingdom abroad as the Foreign Manufactures at lower Prices than Her Majesty's Subjects can to the Enervement of Foreign Woolles Manufactures the great Prejudice of our own and Impairment of many of Her Majesty's Subjects employed therein Be it therefore enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the 8th and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons who shall reside in Her Majesty's Dominions to import and bring Cockleins into this Kingdom in any Ship or Ships Vessel or Vessels belonging to any Kingdom or State in Amity with Her Majesty Spanish Ships or Vessels or such as are deemed Spanish Ships or Vessels sailing with Spanish Pass or Passes and Colours from any the Ports or Places following (viz) Cadix Seville Port Saint Mary Sable Lucas and Gibraltar or any other Ports in the Kingdom of Spain during this present War and Six Months after Any thing in the Act for encouraging and increasing of Shipping and Navigation made in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second or any other Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

#### CHAPTER LXI. (\*)

Act, Part  
6. Anno, p. 5. c. 12.

An Act for Sending a Title to Persons to come in and make their Claims to any of the forfeited Estates and other Interests in Ireland sold by the Trustees for Sale of those Estates to the Governor and Company for making Hollow Sword Blades in England and divers other Purchasers.

Enacts that hollow  
Sword Blades Com-  
pany did in pur-  
chase of State,  
viz. W. III. c. 1,  
and other Acts,  
purchase certain  
Land, &c. &c.  
herein mentioned;

WHEREAS the Governor and Company for making Hollow Sword Blades in England and divers other Persons did (in pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in the Eleventh Year of the Reign of the late King William the Third of glorious Memory intitled An Act for granting an Aid to His Majesty by Sale of the forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland and by a Land Tax for the Purpose therein mentioned and of several other Acts relating to the said forfeited and other Estates and Interests) purchase of the Trustees appointed by the said Act several Houses Manors Barons Castles Messuages Lands Tenements Rents Reversions Services Reversions Possessions Replicas Franchises Jurisdictions Privileges and Appurtenances thereto belonging (viz.) the Kingdom of Ireland And whereas divers Actions and Suits have been brought against several Purchasers of Estates under the said Acts of Parliament and the Title to the same under the said Trustees both have called in Question and several Judgments have been given in Ireland against some of the said Purchasers and one of these Judgments hath been affirmed on a Writ of Error in Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench in England and also in the House of Peers in England whereby the said Purchasers are in danger of losing their Title to the Estates and Interests so by them purchased further called in Question and disputed Now for the quieting the said Governor and Company and the said other Purchasers in the Possession of the several Estates and Interests so by them respectively purchased of the said Trustees Be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the

and that, divers  
Actions had been  
brought against the  
said Purchasers,  
and Judgments  
given in Ireland.

\* This is Chap. XXXIII. 6. Act. in the Common printed Editions.

\* This is Chap. XXXIV. 6. Act. in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted on the Roll.

Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every Person or Persons whatsoever who shall claim or pretend any Right or Title to any of the Estates or Interests purchased of the said Trustees or any Part thereof or any Interest therein or any Incumbrance thereupon either in Law or Equity on Pretence that the same were not vested in the said Trustees within the true Intent and Meaning of the said several Acts of Parliament some or one of them or on any other Pretence whatsoever shall commence sue and prosecute such his her or their Claims and Possessions within Two Years to be computed from the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and eight in one of Her Majesties Courts of Record in Ireland and in Default thereof the Party or Parties claiming his her or their Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns and any claiming by from or under him her or them or any of them shall be for ever absolutely barred and without Remedy either in Law or Equity

Limitation of Actions by Claims of Lands so purchased.

PROVIDED nevertheless and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons whose Claim is intended to be hereby limited shall be a Feme Covert or within the Age of One and twenty Years Non compos Mentis or in Prison: That then such Person or Persons shall commence and prosecute his her or their respective Claims as aforesaid within Two Years next and immediately after he she or they shall be of full Age discreet or sane Memory or at large as other Persons having no such Impediment are lawfully limited to do in Default or Neglect thereof shall be for ever barred of any such Claim as aforesaid

II.  
Persons for such Claims being Feme Coverts, Infants, &c.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this present Act shall be accepted taken deemed and reputed to be and is hereby declared to be a publick Act of Parliament of which all and every Judge and Judge of this Kingdom and the Kingdom of Ireland and other Persons are to take Notice on all Occasions whatsoever

III.  
Public Act

PROVIDED nevertheless That nothing in this present Act shall extend or be construed to extend to prejudicial the Right Title or Interest of any Person or Persons that are in actual Possession of any Messuages Lands Tenements Hereditaments or other Estates or Interests that were sold by the said Trustees.

IV.  
Persons for Persons in actual Possession.

#### CHAPTER LXII. (\*)

AN Act for the Publick registering of all Deeds Conveyances Wills and other Incumbrances that shall be made of or that may affect any Honors Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within the East Riding of the County of York or the Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull after the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and eight and for the rendering the Register in the West Riding more complete.

For Part.  
6 Annæ, c. 19.

WHEREAS the Lands in the East Riding of the County of York and in the Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull are generally Frosheld which may be so secretly transferred or conveyed from one Person to another that such as are ill disposed have it in their Power to commit Frauds and frequently do so by Means whereof several Persons (who through many Years Industry in their Trades and employments and by great Frugality have been enabled to purchase Lands or to lend Money on Land Security) have been undone in their Personages and Mortgages by pious and secret Conveyances and fraudulent Incumbrances and not only themselves but their whole Families thereby utterly ruined For Remedy whereof may it please Your most Excellent Majesty (at the humble Request of the Judges of the Peace Gentlemen and Freeholders of the said East Riding and of the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull) that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That a Memorial of all Deeds and Conveyances which from and after the Nine and twentieth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight shall be made and executed and of all Wills and Devises in Writing made or to be made and published when the Devisee or Testatrix shall die after the said Nine and twentieth Day of September or of conveying and whereby any Honors Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments in the said East Riding or in the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull may be in any way affected in Law or Equity may be registered in such Manner as is herein after directed and that every such Deed or Conveyance that shall at any Time after the said Nine and twentieth Day of September be made and executed shall be adjudged fraudulent and void against any subsequent Purchaser or Mortgagee for valuable Consideration unless such Memorial thereof be registered as [by] this Act is directed before the registering of the Memorial of the Deed or Conveyance under which such subsequent Purchaser or Mortgagee shall claim and that every such Devises by Will shall be adjudged fraudulent and void against any subsequent Purchaser or Mortgagee for valuable Consideration unless a Memorial of such Will be registered by such Manner as is herein after directed

Reasons for passing this Act.

Memorial of Deeds, and Wills to be registered in books delivered to the East Riding or Hull.

or the same adjudged fraudulent and void against subsequent Purchasers.

\* This is Chapter XXXIV. 6 Annæ in the Common printed Editions.

† inserted in the Roll.

II.  
Office created at  
Beverly.

And for settling and establishing a certain Method with proper Rules and Directions for registering such Minutes as aforesaid be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That One Publick Office for registering such Minutes of and concerning any Houses Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments that are situate lying and being within the said East Riding or the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull shall (at the Publick Charge of the said East Riding to be raised by the Justices of the Peace thereof at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace in such Manner as they are impowered so raise Money for the Repairs of Publick or County Bridges) be erected and established at Beverly the nearest Market Town to the Centre or Middle of the said East Riding to be managed and executed by a fit and able Person to be from time to time elected and appointed in Manner herein after directed or his sufficient Deputy and to continue in the said Office for so long Time as he shall well demean himself therein

III.  
Register to be  
chosen by  
Inhabitants.

Qualifications  
of Electors.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Elections of a Register to be made or appointed by virtue of this Act shall be performed by Balloting in Manner following that is to say All the Freeholders that at the Time of any such Election have an Estate of Freehold of or in any Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within the said East Riding and the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull or in either of them of the yearly Value of One hundred Pounds to be determined by the Oath of the Elector before the Scrutators herein after mentioned if any Doubt arise touching the same (which Oath they are hereby impowered to administer) shall be Electors of the said Register And that the Justices of the Peace for the said East Riding in that Behalf assembled or the major Part of them or any Five of such Justices to be appointed by such major Part shall be Scrutators of the Ballot who shall meet on the Day and Place of Election and there in the Presence of the Electors shall place One or more Glass Votchs to be provided for that Purpose into which each Elector present shall put One open Paper containing the Name of such Person as he approves of to be Register which Papers shall be taken out again in the Presence of the said Scrutators by a Person by them in that Behalf appointed and the Name or Names of every Person therein shall be Once transcribed in distinct Columns and under each Name shall be set down the Number of their Electors which shall be deliberately put up by the said Scrutators and the same shall be read over in the Hearing and set up in the View of the Electors then present and the Person upon whom the Majority shall fall shall be declared Register

IV.  
Time of Election.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Election of a Person to be the First Register shall be made at Beverly aforesaid upon the Thirtieth Day of July in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight in open Court between the Hours of Nine in the Morning and Three in the Afternoon

V.  
On Death, &c. of  
Register, a new  
one to be elected.

Notice of Vacancy  
to Electors.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That when and as often as the said Office shall become vacant by the Death Forfeiture or Surrender of any such Register the Justices of the Peace for the said East Riding assembled at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace next after such Vacancy shall happen or the major Part of them shall in open Court declare the said Vacancy and by Order of the same Sessions shall appoint and publish a certain Day and Time within the Space of One Calendar Month and above Thence Weeks ending the End of such General Quarter Sessions for the Electors to assemble at Beverly aforesaid to choose a fit and able Person in the Manner aforesaid to supply the said Vacancy And to the Intent that all Persons qualified to be Electors may have due Notice of such Vacancy and Time of Election of a succeeding Register the Clerk of the Peace for the Time being for the said East Riding shall forthwith cause Copies of such Order for the publishing the Time of such Election to be delivered to the respective Chief Constables of the several Wapentakes within the said East Riding who shall and are hereby required to publish the same in full Market in every Market Town within their respective Wapentakes on the next Market Day after the Receipt thereof and to affix the same in the most Publick Place of Resort there

VI.  
Register to be  
sworn.

Register's Oath.

And be it further enacted That every such Register before he enters upon the Execution of the said Office shall be sworn before the Justices of the Peace for the said Riding or any Three or more of them that shall be present at his Election (who are hereby impowered and required to administer such Oath) in those Words

YOU shall truly and faithfully perform and execute the Office and Duty that is directed and required by you to be done by Act of Parliament intitled An Act for the Publick registering of all Deeds Consequences With and other Incumbrances that shall be made of or that may affect any Houses Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within the East Riding of the County of York or the Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull after the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and eight and that you have not given or promised directly or indirectly nor authorised any Person to give or promise any Money Gratuity or Reward whatsoever for procuring or obtaining the said Office for you. So help you God.

VII.  
Deputy.

And that when and as often as the said Register shall appoint any Deputy to execute the said Office such Deputy shall before he enters upon the Execution thereof take the said Oath appointed to be taken by the said Register before Two or more of the Justices of the Peace for the said Riding who are hereby impowered and required to administer such Oath

And be it further enacted That upon the Death of any such Register and such another Election of a fit Person to execute that Office shall be made in Manner aforesaid the Executors and Administrators of the Register deceased together with the Surveys for the said Register or their Executors and Administrators shall appoint a proper Person to execute the Office of Register for whose Discharge in the Execution of the said Office the Security given for such Register deceased shall be answerable.

And be it further enacted That the Person to be appointed as aforesaid upon the Death of any Register to execute the said Office during the Time the same shall be vacant as aforesaid shall before he enter upon the Execution thereof take the Oath herein before appointed to be taken by such Register and his Deputy before Two or more Justices of the Peace for the said Riding (who are hereby empowered to administer the same Oath) And that if such Person so appointed shall be lawfully convicted of any Neglect Misdemeanor or Immoderate Practice in the Execution of the said Office during such Vacancy he shall be liable to pay Treble Damages with full Costs of Suit to every Person that shall be injured thereby to be recovered as in herein after directed.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Memorials so to be entered and registered shall be put into Writing in Vellum or Parchment and brought to the said Office and in case of Death and Conveyance shall be under the Hand and Seal of some or one of the Gentlemen or some or one of the Gentlemen his or their Heirs Executors or Administrators Guardians or Trustees attested by Two Witnesses One whereof to be One of the Witnesses to the Execution of such Deed or Conveyance which Witnesses shall upon his Oath before the said Register or his Deputy prove the signing and sealing of such Memorial and the Execution of the Deed or Conveyance mentioned in such Memorial And in case of Wills the Memorial shall be under the Hand and Seal of some or one of the Gentlemen his or their Heirs Executors or Administrators Guardians or Trustees attested by Two Witnesses One whereof shall upon his Oath before the said Register or his Deputy prove the signing and sealing of such Memorial which respective Oaths the said Register or his Deputy is hereby empowered to administer.

And be it further enacted That every Memorial of any Deed Conveyance or Will shall contain the Day of the Month and the Year when such Deed Conveyance or Will hath Date and the Names and Addresses of all the Parties to such Deed or Conveyance and of the Deceased or Testator of such Will and of all the Witnesses to such Deed Conveyance or Will and the Places of their Abode and shall express or mention the Histories Minors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments contained in such Deed Conveyance or Will and the Names of all the Parishes Townships Hamlets Precincts or Extraparochial Places within the said East Riding and the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull or either of them where any such Honors Minors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments are lying or being that are given granted conveyed devised or any way affected or charged by any such Deed Conveyance or Will in such Manner as the same are expressed or mentioned in such Deed Conveyance or Will or to the same Effect And that every such Deed Conveyance or Will or Probate of the same of which such Memorial is so to be registered as aforesaid shall be produced to the said Register or his Deputy at the Time of entering such Memorial who shall endorse a Certificate on every such Deed Conveyance or Will or Probate thereof and therein mention the certain Day Hour and Year on which such Memorial is so entered or registered expressing also in what Book Page and Number the same is entered and that the said Register or his Deputy shall sign the said Certificate when so endorsed which Certificate shall be taken and allowed as Evidence of such respective Registrations in all Courts of Record whatsoever and that every Page of such Register Books and every Memorial that shall be entered therein shall be numbered and the Day of the Month and the Year and Hour or Time of the Day when every Memorial is registered shall be entered in the Margins of the said Register Books and of the said Memorial and that every such Register shall keep an Alphabetical Calendar of all Parishes Extraparochial Places and Townships within the said East Riding and the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull with Reference to the Number of every Memorial that concerns the Honors Minors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments in every such Parish Extraparochial Place or Township respectively and of the Names of the Parties mentioned in such Memorials and that such Register shall duly file every such Memorial in order of Time as the same shall be brought to the said Office and enter as before the said Memorials in the same Order that they shall respectively come to his Hand.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That a Memorial of such Deeds Conveyances and Wills as shall be made and executed or published in London or in any other Place not within Forty Miles of the said East Riding which do or may concern or affect any Honors Minors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments in the said East Riding or the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull shall be entered or registered by the aforesaid Register or his Deputy in case as Affidavit sworn before One of the Judges at Westminster or a Master in Chancery Ordinary or Extraordinary be brought with the said Memorial to the said Register or his Deputy wherein One of the Witnesses to the Execution of such Deeds and Conveyances shall swear he or she saw the same executed and the Memorial signed and sealed as aforesaid or wherein One of the Witnesses to the Memorial of any Will shall swear he or she saw such Memorial signed and sealed as aforesaid and the same shall be a sufficient Authority to the said Register or his Deputy to give the Party that brings such Memorial and Affidavit a Certificate of the registering such Memorial which Certificate signed by the said

VIII.  
Customs of  
deceased Register  
and Executors may  
appoint such  
Person.

IX.

Oath by such  
Person.  
Neglect of Duty  
Penalty.

X.

Memorials to be  
registered in  
Vellum, &c.

Oath of Memorial  
and of Execution  
of Deed.

XI.

What every  
Memorial shall  
contain.

Register to endorse  
and sign Certificate  
on Deed, &c.

and keep Alphabetical  
Calendar of  
Parishes, &c.

and file Memorials

XII.

Memorials, &c.  
made in London,  
&c. may be entered  
on Affidavit.

Certificate of  
Register

Evidence

Register or his Deputy shall be taken and allowed as Evidence of the Regularity of the same Memorials in all Courts of Record whatsoever. Any thing in this Act to the contrary thereof contained in any wise notwithstanding.

XIII.  
In what Case of  
new Writings  
then One, then  
One Memorial  
sufficient.

Provided always and be it enacted That where there are more Writings than One for making and perfecting any Conveyance or Security which do serve evidence or any ways affect or concern the same Honors Minors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments it shall be [a<sup>n</sup>] sufficient Memorial and Register thereof if all the said Honors Minors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments and the Parishes Townships Hamlets or Extrapariish Places wherein the same lie be only once named or mentioned in the Memorial Register and Certificate of any One of the Deeds or Writings made for the perfecting of such Conveyance or Security and that the Dates of the one of the said Deeds or Writings relating to the said Conveyance or Security with the Names and Additions of the Parties and Witnesses and the Places of their Abodes be only set down in the Memorials Registers and Certificates of the same with a Reference to the Deed or Writing whereof the Memorial is so required that contents or express the Parole contained in all the said Deeds and Directives how to find the registering the same.

XIV.  
Memorials of  
Wills registered,  
within what Time  
after Death of  
Devisee, are valid

Provided also and it is hereby enacted That all Memorials of Wills that shall be registered in Manner as aforesaid within the Space of Six Months after the Death of every respective Devisee or Testatrix dying within the Kingdom of Great Britain or within the Space of Three Years after the Death of every respective Devisee or Testatrix dying upon or in any Parts beyond the Seas shall be as valid and effectual against subsequent Possessions as if the same had been registered immediately after the Death of such respective Devisee or Testatrix. Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

XV.  
Persons in case of  
Wills conveyed,  
and other inheritable  
Advowsons.

Provided always That in case the Devisee or Person or Persons interested in the Honors Minors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments devised by any such Will as aforesaid by reason of the contracting such Will or other inevitable Disability without his her or their wilful Neglect or Default shall be disabled to exhibit a Memorial for the Registry thereof within the respective Times herein before limited and that a Memorial shall be served in the said Office of such Consent or other Impediment within the Space of Six Months after the Death of such Devisee or Testatrix who shall die within the Kingdom of Great Britain or within the Space of Three Years next after the Death of such Person who shall die upon or beyond the Seas then and in such Case the Registry of the Memorial of such Will within the Space of Six Months next after his her or their Attainment of such Will or a Probate thereof or Removal of the Impediment whereby he she or they are disabled or hindered to exhibit such Memorial shall be a sufficient Registry within the Meaning of this Act. Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

XVI.  
Stat. 17 J. VIII.  
c. 6. § 1.

And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Twenty seventh Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth intitled For Inrollements of Burgails and Sales it is enacted that no Minors Lands Tenements or other Hereditaments shall pass after or charge from one to another whereby any Estate of Inheritance or Freehold shall be made or take Effect in any Person or Persons or any Use thereof to be made by reason only of any Burgails and Sales thereof except the said Burgails and Sale be made by Writing indented sealed and enrolled in one of the Kings Courts of Record at Westminster or else within the same County or Counties where the same Minors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments so bargained and sold lie or be before the Justices of the Peace and Two Justices of the Peace and the Clerk of the Peace of the same County or Counties or Two of them at the least whereof the Clerk of the Peace to be One which Act hath been found by Experience to be of little or no Use within the said East Riding or the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull for that the Clerks of the Peace thereof respectively for the Time being who have the keeping of the said Inrollements within the said respective Places are not by the said Act enjoined to give any Security for the safe keeping nor under any Penalty for the negligent keeping of the said Inrollements nor is there by the said Act any certain Place appointed for keeping thereof. And whereas by this present Act a Publick Office is intended to be erected and established at Beverly aforesaid at the Publick Charge of the said East Riding for registering and safe keeping Memorials of all Deeds Conveyances and Wills as aforesaid and a Publick Register to be chosen who according to the Directions hereof after mentioned is to give sufficient Security for the due Execution of the said Office for rendering thereof the said Act made in the Twenty seventh Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth more effectual and beneficial to the Inhabitants of the said East Riding and of the Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Nine and twentieth Day of September in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight all Burgails and Sales of any Minors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments situate lying and being within the said East Riding be the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull which shall be enrolled by the said Register or his Deputy for the Time being in the said Publick Office at Beverly shall be as good effectual and available to all Intents and Purposes whosoever as if the same had been enrolled in One of the Queens Courts of Record at Westminster or before the Justices of the Peace and Two Justices of the Peace and the Clerk of the Peace of the said East Riding or of the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull or Two of them according to the aforesaid Act made in the Twenty seventh Year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth or any other Act now in force. And One or more Justices or Justices of the Peace of the said Riding for the Time being shall have Power to take and

Stat. 17 J. H.  
c. 15.

Burgails and Sales  
of Lands needed  
at Beverly, to be  
so effected as if  
enrolled at West-  
minster, &c.

where the Acknowledgment of the Bargains if but One or of One of the Bargainers if more in such Bargains and Sales and the said Register or his Deputy for the Time being shall well and sufficiently bevel by ingrossing in Parchment Books all such Bargains and Sales as shall for that Purpose be acknowledged as aforesaid and shall indorse a Certificate on each Bargain and Sale of the Times of ingrossing thereof and sign the same and the Books thereof shall safely keep in the said publick Office there to remain upon Record amongst the Memorials of Deeds there registered

Also be it further enacted That all Deeds of Bargain and Sale so enrolled in the said Publick or Register Office as aforesaid which shall appear [so'] to be so enrolled by an Indorsement or Certificate on the said Deeds of Bargain and Sale signed by the said Register or his Deputy and that all Copies of the Indorsements thereof remaining on Record in the said Register Office shall be allowed in all Courts where such Bargains and Sales or Copies shall be produced to be as good and sufficient Evidence in any Bargains and Sales enrolled in any of the Courts at Westminster and the Copies of the Indorsements thereof

XVII.  
Deeds so enrolled  
to be sufficient  
Evidence.

Also be it further enacted That every such Indorsement of every such Deed in the [said'] Register-Office as aforesaid shall be deemed and adjudged to be the entering of a Memorial thereof pursuant to this Act and shall have the same Force and Effect upon the Estate therein mentioned in relation to all subsequent Deeds Conveyances and Wills and to all other Intests and Purposes as if a Memorial of such enrolled Deed had been entered in the said Register Office as aforesaid pursuant to this Act.

XVIII.  
Indorsement to be  
deemed entering  
Memorial.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Judgment Statute or Recognisance (other than such as shall be entered into in the Name and upon the proper Account of Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors) which shall be obtained or entered here after the said Nine and twentieth Day of September in the said Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight shall affect or bind any Heirs Minors Lands Tenements or Beneficements situate lying and being in the said East Riding or in the said Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull but only from the Time that a Memorial of such Judgment Statute or Recognisance shall be entered at the said Register Office expounding and containing in case of such Judgment the Names of the Plaintiffs and the Names and Addresses therein of the Defendants the Sumes thereby recovered and the Time of the signing thereof and in case of Statutes and Recognisances expressing and containing the Date of such Statute or Recognisance the [Name] and Addresses of the Cognizors and Cognizors therein and for what Sumes and before whom the same were acknowledged and that in order to the making an Entry of such Memorials of Judgment Statutes and Recognisances as aforesaid the Party and Parties desiring the same shall produce to and leave with the said Register or his Deputy to be filed in the said Publick or Register Office a Memorial of such Judgment Statute or Recognisance signed by the proper Officer or his Deputy who shall sign such Judgment or his Successor in the same Office or by the proper Officer in whose Office such Statute or Recognisance shall be enrolled together with an Affidavit sworn before One of the Judges at Westminster or a Master in Chancery that such Memorial was duly signed by the Officer whose Name shall appear to be thereto and at which Memorial such respective Officer is lawfully required to give such Plaintiff or Plaintiffs Cognizor or Cognizors or his law as their Executors or Administrators or Attorney or any of them be she or they paying for the same the Sum of One Shilling and no more

XIX.  
No Judgment, &c.  
to affect Lands,  
&c. in East Riding  
or Hull, but from  
Memorial entered,  
&c.  
Entry required.

How Entry made.

Affidavit.

Fee.

Also be it further enacted That the said Register or his Deputy shall make an Entry and likewise (if required shall give a Certificate in Writing under his Hand testified by Two credible Witnesses of every such Memorial of any Judgment Statute or Recognisance brought to him to be so registered as aforesaid and therein mention the certain Day on which such Memorial is so registered or entered expressing also in what Book Page and Number the same is entered

XX.  
Register to enter  
Memorial and give  
Certificate, &c.

Also be it further enacted That every such Register shall be allowed for the Entry of every such Memorial as is by this Act directed the Sum of One Shilling and no more in case the same do not exceed Two hundred Words but if such Memorial shall exceed Two hundred Words then after the Rate and Proportion of Six Pence an Hundred for all the Words contained in such Memorial over and above the first Two hundred Words and the like Fee for the like Number of Words contained in every such Bargain and Sale as aforesaid and in every Certificate or Copy given out of the said Office and no more and for every Search in the said Office One Shilling and no more

XXI.  
Fee for Entries of  
Memorials.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Register or his sufficient Deputy shall give due Attendance at his Office every Day in the Week (except Sundays and Holy days) between the Hours of Nine and Twelve in the Forenoon and the Hours of Two and Five in the Afternoon for the Dispatch of all Business belonging to the said Office and that every such Register or his Deputy as often as required shall make Searches concerning all Memorials that are registered as aforesaid and give Certificates concerning the same under his Hand (if required by any Person) testified by Two credible Witnesses

XXII.  
Times of Attendance  
at the Office.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Register at the Time of his being sworn into the said Office as aforesaid shall enter into a Recognisance with Two or more sufficient Sureties (to be approved

XXIII.  
Register to enter  
into a Recognisance  
of &c. &c.





the Execution of such Deed void of the Hereditaments and Premises thereby granted bargained and sold of an indefeasible Estate in Fee Simple free from all Incumbrances (Rents and Services due to the Lord of the Fee only excepted) and for quiet Enjoyment thereof against the Bargainor his Heirs and Assigns and all claiming under him and also for further Assurances thereof to be made by the Bargainor his Heirs and Assigns and all claiming under him unless the same shall be revised and limited by express particular Words contained in such Deed and that the Bargainor his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns respectively shall and may at any Action to be brought assign a Bench or Benches thereupon as they might do in case such Covenants were expressly inserted in such Bargain and Sale.

And be it further enacted That every Leaf of the aforesaid Register Books and Inrolment Books shall be signed by Two Justices of the [Peace of the"] said Riding (to be from time to time appointed by the Justices of the Peace thereof or the major Part of them at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace assembled) who are hereby required to sign the same accordingly and that an Entry thereof shall be made from time to time by the Clerk of the Peace of the said Riding for the Time being in the Order-Book of the said Sessions and signed by the same Justices of the Peace that shall from time to time sign the said Register Books and Inrolment Books to remain upon Record amongst the Records of the said Sessions and that a like Entry shall be made upon Record and signed as aforesaid of the Number of the same Books and how called or marked and how many Pages each of them contain that are at any Time and from time to time used in the said Registry Office.

XXXI.  
Every Leaf of  
Register Books  
to be signed by  
Two Justices  
appointed by  
Quarter Sessions.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Member of Parliament for the Time being shall be capable of being chosen Highsheriff or of executing by himself or any other Person the said Office or have taken or receive any Fee or other Profit whatsoever for or in respect thereof nor shall any Register or his Deputy for the Time being be capable of being chosen a Member to serve in Parliament.

XXXII.  
No Member of  
Parliament to  
be Register.

And be it further enacted That this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts within this Kingdom as a publick Act and all Judges Justices and other Persons therein concerned are hereby required as such to take Notice thereof without special Pleading the same.

XXXIII.  
Publick Act.

(\*) And whereas an Act of Parliament made in the Second Year of Her present Majesties Reign intitled An Act for the publick registering of all Deeds Conveyances and Wills that shall be made of any Houses Manors Lands Tenements or Hereditaments within the West Riding of the County of York after the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and four and also one other Act made in the Fifth Year of Her present Majesties Reign intitled An Act for Inrolments of Bargains and Sales within the West Riding of the County of York in the Registry Office then lately provided and for making the said Register more effectual were of very good Design but have been found by Experience to be defective in several Particulars for which apt Remedy is provided by the Method of this Act in and for the said East Riding of the County of York and the Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull. Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and eight all and every the Foregoing Clauses Articles Matters and Things in this present Act contained concerning the said East Riding and the Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull and not provided for or contained in the said recited Act or either of them shall extend unto and affect all Houses Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments situate lying and being within the said West Riding (the Mortgage or Purchase whereof shall exceed the Sum of Fifty Pounds) as effectually as if the same and every of them were respectively inserted and contained in the said recited Act and that from and after the said Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and eight all and every Person and Persons in the Execution of the said recited Acts respectively within the said West Riding shall conform unto and duly observe the Aforesaid additional Provisions Orders Rules and Directions in this present Act so to the Houses Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments situate lying and being within the said West Riding and every Matter and Thing relating thereto in like Manner as is by this Act required and enjoined to be done within the said East Riding as to the Houses Manors Lands Tenements and Hereditaments situate lying and being within the [said"] East Riding and Town and County of the Town of Kingston upon Hull or any Matter or Thing relating thereto. Any thing in the said recited Act or either of them to the contrary thereof contained in any wise notwithstanding.

XXXIV.  
Sec. 14, 15 Ann. 4-4.

5 Ann. c. 10.

What Provisions,  
&c. in this Act to  
affect the Courts, &c.  
within West Riding,  
as if same were  
inserted in said  
Act.

\* Inserted in the Bill.

\* inserted in the Original Act two separate Substantives.

## CHAPTER LXIII. (\*)

*See Post.  
6 Annæ, p. 8. & 9.*

*An Act for raising the MILES of this Kingdom for the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight although the Months Pay formerly advanced be not repaid.*

*Revol of Stat.  
14 Geo. II. c. 3.  
16.*

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the Thirtieth Year of the Reiga of the late King Charles the Second intitled *An Act for ordering the Forces in the several Counties of this Kingdom* it was amongst other things enacted that in case of Invasions Invasions or Rebellions whereby Ossion should be to draw out the Soldiers mentioned and appointed in and by the said Act into actual Service the Persons charged by the said Act with Horses Horsesmen and Arms should provide each their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Months Pay as should be in that Behalf directed by the respective Lieutenants of the several Counties and in their Absence or otherwise by their Deputies or any Two or more of them for Repayment of which said Month Pay Satisfaction of the Officers for their Pay during each Time not exceeding One Month as aforesaid as they should be with their Soldiers in actual Service it was thereby declared that Provision should be made for the same by His said Majesty His Heirs and Successors out of His or Their publick Treasury or Revenue nevertheless it was thereby further provided and enacted that in case a Months Pay should be provided and advanced as aforesaid that no Person who should have advanced his Proportion thereof should be charged with any other like Months Payment until he or they should be reimbursed the said Months Pay and so from time to time the said Months Pay by him or them last before provided and advanced as aforesaid And whereas upon the Invasion of the Coast of this Kingdom by the French in the late War it was found necessary for the publick Defence and Safety to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to charge the said Persons to provide each their Soldier respectively with Pay in Hand although the Months Pay by several of them before that Time provided and advanced was not now could be reimbursed And whereas it may be necessary for the publick Safety and Defence of this Realm to draw the said Soldiers into actual Service He it therefore enacted by the Queens's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That if at any Time or Times before the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and nine it shall be found by Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors to be necessary for the Defence and Safety of this Kingdom to draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and the same shall be declared and signified to the respective Lieutenants or Deputy Lieutenants and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants by Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors it shall be lawful for the said Lieutenants or their Deputies or any Two or more of them as aforesaid and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports Two ancient Towns and their Members or in his Absence his Lieutenant or Lieutenants in possession of such Orders from Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors notwithstanding One or more Months Pay before this Time advanced be any reimbursed to raise and draw out the said Soldiers into actual Service and to cause the Persons charged as aforesaid to provide each their Soldier with Pay in Hand not exceeding One Months Pay in such Manner as if all the Pay before this Time advanced and provided had been fully reimbursed and paid.

*If before such June 1709 it shall be thought necessary to draw out Soldiers, the same is to be applied to the respective Lieutenants, &c. who may themselves draw out Soldiers and cause the Persons charged to provide for the same, although former Advances not repaid.*

*Enacted for passing this Act.*

## CHAPTER LXIV. (\*)

*See Post.  
6 Annæ, p. 8. & 11.*

*An Act for the Encouragement of the Trade to America*

*Print Office in America suppressed.*

FOR Advancement of the Trade of Her Majesties Kingdom of Great Brittain to and in the several Parts of America for the further Encouragement of Her Majesties Ships and Private Ships of War the increasing and diminishing the Wealth and Power of Her Majesties Colonies in those Parts and for the increase of Shipping and of Services for those and other Services be it enacted by the Queens's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all Print Offices in any Part or Place in America be and are hereby suppressed and taken away to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever from and after the Four and twentieth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and eight.

*It. Officers, &c. in her Majesty's Property in those Ships, &c.*

AND for the better Encouragement also of such Ships and Vessels of War which are or shall be in Her Majesties Pay or Service be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Flag-Officers Commanders and other Officers and Seamen of every such Ship or Vessel of War shall have the sole Interest and Property of and in all and every Ship Vessel Goods and Merchandise they shall take in any Part of America (being first adjudged lawful Prize in any of Her Majesties Courts of Admiralty and subject to the Customs and Duties payable to Her Majesty as if the same had been first imported to any Part of Great Brittain and from thence exported for and in respect of all such Goods and Merchandise) to be divided in such Proportions and after such Manner as Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall think fit to order and direct.

\* This is Chap. XXXVI. 6 Annæ. in the Common printed Editions.

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And for the Encouragement and Increase of private Ships of War be it further enacted That the Lord High Admiral of Great Britain or the Commissioners for continuing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain for the Time being or any Person or Persons in any Port of America by him or them empowered and appointed shall (at any Time during the present War at the Request of any British Owner or Owners of any Ship or Vessel giving such Bill and Security as has been usually taken upon granting Commissions or Letters of Marque except only for the Payment of the Tenth of the Value of the Prize which shall be taken to the Lord High Admiral) cause to be issued forth (in the usual Manner) One or more Commissions or Commissions to any Person or Persons whom such Owner or Owners shall nominate to be Commander (or in case of Death successively Commanders) of such Ship or Vessel for the attacking surprising seizing and taking by and with such Ship or Vessel any Ship or Vessel Goods Ammunition Arms Stores of War or Merchandises belonging to or possessed by any of Her Majesty's Enemies in any Sea Coast Haven or River in America not being within the Space of One hundred Leagues of any Part of Asia or Africa whereto that Trade is already granted to the East India Company and that such Ship or Ships Vessel and Vessels Arms Ammunition Stores of War Goods and Merchandises whatsoever with all their Furniture Tackle or Appurtenances to be taken by or with such private Owner or Owners Ship or Vessel according to such [Commission and?] Commissions being few adjudged lawful Prize in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Admiralty in or for any of Her Colonies or Plantations in America shall (subject to the Customs and Duties payable to Her Majesty as aforesaid for and in respect of such Goods and Merchandises) wholly and entirely belong to and be divided between and among the Owner or Owners of such Ship or Vessel and the several Persons which shall be on board the same and be aiding and assisting in the taking thereof in such Shares and Proportions as shall be agreed on with the Owner or Owners of such Ship or Vessel as shall be the Captor thereof their Agents or Factors in the proper Goods and Charters of such Owner or Owners and the Persons that shall be then entitled thereto by virtue of such Agreements among themselves and that neither Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or any Admiral Vice Admiral Governor or other Person commissioned by or claiming under Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors or any Person or Persons whatsoever (other than the Owner or Owners of such Ship or Vessel being the Captor of such Prize [Ship?] or Vessel Arms Ammunition Stores of War Goods and Merchandises and the Persons claiming under him or them) shall be entitled to any Part or Share thereof (Her Majesty's said Duties and Customs being duly answered and paid) Any Custom Statute or other Law to the contrary notwithstanding.

III.  
Encouragement  
for the Increase  
of private Ships  
of War.

And for the more speedy proceeding to Condemnation or other Determination of any Prize Ship or Vessel Goods and Merchandises taken by any such Private Ship or by any of Her Majesty's Ships of War in such Court of Admiralty as aforesaid and for lessening the Expenses that have been usual in these Cases Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Judge or Judges of such Court of Admiralty or other Person or Persons therein authorized shall within the Space of Five Days after Request to him or them for that Purpose made finish the usual preparatory Examination of the Persons commonly examined in such Cases in order to prove the Capture to be lawful Prize or to enquire whether the same be lawful Prize or not and that the proper Manner usual in such Cases shall be used by the Person or Persons proper to issue the same and shall be executed in the usual Manner by the Person or Persons proper to execute the same within the Space of Three Days after Request in that Behalf made and in case no Claim of such Capture Ship Vessel or Goods shall be duly entered or made in the usual Form and verified upon Oath giving Twenty Days Notice after the Execution of such Motion or if there be such Claim and the Claimant or Claimants shall not within Five Days give sufficient Security (to be approved by such Court of Admiralty) to pay Double Costs to the Captor or Captains of such Ship Vessel or Goods in case the same so claimed shall be adjudged lawful Prize that then the Judge or Judges of such Court of Admiralty shall upon producing to him or them the said Examinations or Copies thereof and upon producing to him or them upon Oath all Papers and Writings which shall have been found taken in or with such Capture (or upon Oath made that no such Papers were found) immediately and without further Delay proceed to sentence either to discharge and acquit such Capture or to adjudge or condemn the same as lawful Prize according as the Case shall appear to him or them upon Perusal of such preparatory Examinations and also of the Writings found taken in or with such Capture (if any such Writing shall be found) and in case such Claim shall be duly entered or made and Security given thereupon according to the Tenor and true Meaning of this Act and that shall appear no Occasion to examine any Witnesses other than what shall be then next to such Court of Admiralty that then such Judge or Judges shall forthwith cause such Witnesses to be examined and (within the Space of Ten Days after such Claim made and Security given) proceed to such Sentence as aforesaid touching such Capture but in case upon making or averring such Claim and the Allegation and Oath thereupon or the producing such Writings as shall have been found taken in or with such Capture at upon the said preparatory Examinations it shall appear doubtful to the Judge or Judges of such Court of Admiralty whether such Capture be lawful Prize or not and it shall appear necessary according to the Circumstances of the Case for the clearing and determining such Doubt to have an Examination of Witnesses that are remote from such Court of Admiralty and such Examination shall be desired and that it be well attended on on the Captors Part that the said Capture is lawful Prize and that the contrary be still persisted in on the Claimant's Behalf that then the said Judge or Judges shall forthwith cause such Capture to be appraised by Persons sworn on the Part of the Captor and sworn truly to appraise the same according to the best of their Skill and Knowledge and shall after such Appraisement made and within the Space of Fourteen Days after the making of such Claim proceed to take good and sufficient Security from the Claimant to pay to the Captors the full Value thereof according to such

IV.  
Manner of con-  
demning Prize  
Ships.

Witnesses.

Security.  
Costs.

Sentence.

In what Case  
Claimants to give  
Security for Pay-  
ment of Costs.

<sup>1</sup> mentioned in the Bill.

Apprehension in case the same shall be adjudged lawful Prize and after such Security duly given the said Judge or Judges shall make an Interlocutory Order for releasing or delivering the same to such Claimant or Claimants or his or their Agents and the same shall be actually released or delivered accordingly.

V.  
Claimants refusing.  
Captains to give  
Security for and  
thereupon Prize  
delivered to  
Captains.

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Claimant or Claimants shall refuse to give such Security the Judge or Judges shall cause the Captain or Captains in like Manner to give good and sufficient Security to be approved of by the Claimant or Claimants to pay to the said Claimant or Claimants the full Value according to the Appraisement in case any such Captains or Captains shall be adjudged not to be lawful Prize and the said Judge or Judges shall thereupon proceed to make an Interlocutory Order for the releasing and delivering of the same to the said Captain or Captains or their Agents.

VI.  
Captains brought  
into America, to be  
examined and  
detained, &c.

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such Captains as aforesaid which shall be brought into any of Her Majesty's Colonies or Plantations in America shall without breaking Bulk stay there and be under the joint Care and Custody of the Naval Officer of the Port or Place where the same shall be brought and of the Captains thereof and their Agents until either the same shall by final Sentence have been cleared and discharged or adjudged and condemned as lawful Prize or that such Interlocutory Order as aforesaid shall have been made for the releasing or delivering of the same and upon the Confirmation or Adjudication thereof as lawful Prize shall (in case the same were taken by any such Privateer Ship or Ships as aforesaid) be immediately delivered unto the Captains thereof and their Agents to be by them disposed as their Goods and Chances and (in case the same were taken by any of Her Majesty's Ships of War) unto such Person or Persons and to be so divided and disposed as Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors shall in that Behalf direct and that if any Judge or Judges or other Officers or Officers to whom respectively it shall appertain shall delay the doing performing making or pronouncing any of the several Proceedings Matters or Things for towards or relating to the condemning or discharging releasing or delivering of any such Captains in Manner aforesaid within the respective Times herein before limited or as soon as the same or any of them ought to be done (according to the Tenor and true Meaning of this Act) all and every such Judge and Judges and other Officer and Officers shall for every such Offence forfeit the Sum of Five hundred Pounds the One Moiety thereof to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors and the other Moiety thereof with full Costs of Suit to such Person or Persons as shall inform or sue for the same in any of the Courts in or for any of Her Majesty's said Colonies or Plantations or in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Record within Her Kingdom of Great Britain.

Judges, or  
Admiral,

Penalty upon

VII.  
Time to Officers  
of Admiralty.

In what Court Judge  
shall be Penalty

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That there shall not be paid unto or among all the Judges and Officers of such Court of Admiralty as aforesaid for towards or relating to the adjudging or condemning of such Captains as aforesaid as lawful Prize above the Sum of Ten Pounds in case such Private Ship or Vessel be under the Barries of One hundred Tons nor above the Sum of Fifteen Pounds in case the same be of that or any greater Barries and that upon Payment of either of the said respective Sums as the Case shall require to the said Judge or Judges or any of them to be by law or them disposed or divided (as he or they shall think fit) among the Officers of such Court such Judges and Officers and every of them shall be liable to all and every the several Penalties hereby imposed for neglecting or delaying to do or perform their several and respective Duties or Offices in and relating to the several Proceedings aforesaid within the respective Times herein for that Purpose limited.

VIII.  
Appeal.

PROVIDED nevertheless and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Captain or Captain Claimant or Claimants shall not rest satisfied with the Sentence given in such Court of Admiralty it shall and may be lawful to the Party or Parties thereby aggrieved to appeal from the said Court of Admiralty to Her Majesty in Her Privy Council such Appeal to be allowed in the like Manner as Appeals to Her Majesty are now allowed from the Court of Admiralty within this Kingdom so as the same be made within Fourteen Days after Sentence and good Security be likewise given by the Appellant or Appellants that he or they will effectually prosecute such Appeal and answer the Condemnation as also pay Twelve Cents as shall be awarded by Her Majesty in case the Sentence of such Court of Admiralty be affirmed and so as Execution be not suspended by reason of any such Appeal Any thing in this Act before contained to the contrary hereof in any wise notwithstanding.

IX.  
Mariners serving on  
board Privateers,  
&c. not liable to  
be impressed, unless  
Directors.

AND it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Mariner or other Person who shall serve on board or be retained to serve on board any Privateer or Trading Ship or Vessel that shall be employed in any Part of America nor any Mariner or other Person being on Shore in any Port thereof shall be liable to be impressed or taken [away or shall be impressed or taken] away by any Officer or Officers of or belonging to any of Her Majesty's Ships of War impressed by the Lord High Admiral or any other Person whatsoever unless such Mariner shall have before departed from such Ship of War belonging to Her Majesty at any Time after the Fourteenth Day of February One thousand seven hundred and seven upon pain that any Officer or Officers so impressing or taking away or causing to be impressed or taken away any Mariner or other Person contrary to the Tenor and true Meaning of this Act shall forfeit to the Master or Owner or Owners of any such Ship or Vessel Twenty Pounds for every Man he or they shall so impress or take to be recovered with full Costs of Suit in any Court where any Part of Her Majesty's Dominions.

And for preventing the Desertion of any Mariners or Seamen from Her Majesties Ships of War to any such Trading or Privateer Ship or Vessel as aforesaid Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Master or Commander of such Trading or Privateer Ship or Vessel as aforesaid shall before he shall receive or accept any Mariner Seaman or other Person to serve on board such Privateer or Trading Ship or Vessel undertake (by all the Ways and Means that he reasonably and conscientiously may or can) to discover whether such Mariner Seaman or other Person hath deserted from any of Her Majesties Ships of War and in case any such Mariner or Commander shall receive or accept any Mariner Seaman or other Person on board such Trading Ship or Privateer as aforesaid without such reasonable Endeavour for such Discovery first had and made or which he shall know or be informed hath deserted from any of Her Majesties Ships of War each Master or Commander shall forfeit to the Queen's Majesty Her Heirs and Successors Twenty Pounds for every Man he shall so receive or accept unless he shall be recovered with Costs of Suit in any Court within any Part of Her Majesties Dominions

X.  
No Person or  
Trading Ship or  
Vessel to receive  
Deserters  
from Ships of War.

Penalty also

And for the more effectual preventing Merchant Ships or Privateers from harbouring or entertaining any Seaman who shall desert Her Majesties Service Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Twenty fifth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and eight every Master of a Merchant Ship or Vessel and Commander of a Privateer shall before he shall set sail from any Port deliver to the Chief Officer of the Customs of the Port from whence he shall set sail an exact List of all the Men belonging to such Merchant Ship or Vessel or Privateer containing their Names Ages and Descriptions of their Persons upon pain that he shall forfeit Ten Pounds to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for every such Man he shall so receive and entertain on board whose Name shall not be inserted in such List to be recovered with Costs of Suit in any Court within any Part of Her Majesties Dominions.

XI.  
Commanding, &c.  
before they leave  
Port, to deliver a  
List of their Men.

Penalty also.

And it is hereby further enacted That each Officer of the Customs do return to such Master or Commander an attested Copy of such List so delivered unto him and that upon the Death or Alteration of any Seaman the said List be immediately altered and delivered in to the Naval Officer or Chief Officer of the Customs in any Port where such Merchant Ship or Vessel or Privateer shall arrive in Manner as aforesaid all which said Lists shall from time to time be produced and shewn to any of the Captains or other Officers of any of Her Majesties Ships of War demanding the same and if any Man or Men belonging to any of Her Majesties Ships of War shall be found on board any Merchant Ship or Vessel or Privateer whose Name shall not be contained in such List as aforesaid the Master or Commander of such Vessel or Privateer shall forfeit to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors the Sum of Twenty Pounds for every such Man which shall be so found on board to be recovered in Manner as aforesaid

XII.  
Officer to return to  
Master or Command-  
ing Copy of such List,  
&c.

If Man not named  
in List found  
on board.

Penalty also.

And for the better furnishing Seamen to serve on board Her Majesties Ships of War which shall be in or about the several Parts of America for annoying the Enemy and protecting the Trade there it is hereby further enacted That the Master or Commander of every Trading Ship or Vessel and every Packet Boat which shall from time to time from and after the said Twenty fifth Day of April be outward bound and going for any Part of America shall be and are hereby obliged (at the Desire of any of Her Majesties Officers thereunto lawfully authorized and at the Charge of Her Majesty) to receive on board and carry to the Port or Place whereunto such Trading Ship Vessel or Packet Boat shall be so bound and deliver to such Officer or Person to whom they shall be assigned any Number of Mariner Seamen or other Persons actually entered into Her Majesties (") Service and Pay (over and above the Complement of Mariners or Seamen which such Trading Ship Vessel or Packet Boat usually carries or which shall be sufficient for navigating the same for such intended Voyages not exceeding the Proportion of a Fifth Part of the Number of such usual or sufficient Complement of Mariners or Seamen) upon pain of forfeiting Twenty Pounds for every such Seaman or Mariner that he or they shall refuse to take on board and carry to be paid and recovered as aforesaid

XIII.  
Trading Ships, &c.  
to America to carry  
Mariners for the  
Queen's Ships  
&c., &c.

Penalty also

And for the more effectual annoying Her Majesties Enemies and assisting their Power and Wealth in the Parts of America by Destroying of Private Ships of War to be equipped and set out in warlike Manner by and at the Charge of Her Majesties Subjects and encouraging Her Majesties Subjects to engage in joint and united as well as separate Expeditions and Adventures for those Purposes Be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Her Majesty be and She Her Heirs and Successors are hereby empowered from time to time during the Continuance of the present War to grant or make any Charter Commission or Grant Charters Commissions or Grants for the better or more effectual enabling any Society or Societies or particular Persons to join in any Expedition or Adventure by Sea or Land for the attacking surprising taking or destroying any Ships Goods Monies and Inalienable Settlements Forts Castles Harbours Places of Strength Lands Forts Castles and Fortifications now or hereafter of or belonging to or possessed by any of Her Majesties Enemies in any Part of Parts of America and for the better making and carrying on any Proposition for such Purpose (and) Purposes and for the making and securing to the Societies and Persons which may be concerned their Her Successors Executors Administrators and Assigns full and adequate Proper Rights and Titles of an Aid to and the full Enjoyment of all and every the Ships Armaments Stores of War Goods Chances Monies and Inalienable Settlements Forts Castles Harbours Places of Strength or Security Lands Forts Castles and Fortifications now or hereafter of or belonging to or possessed by any of Her Majesties Enemies in any of the Parts of America which such Society or Persons shall take or cause (to be taken from) any of Her Majesties Enemies during

XIV.  
The Queen during  
War may give  
Commissions, &c.  
to seize, &c.  
Ships, &c., &c.  
in any Part of  
America, &c.

and assign to them  
what Ships they  
shall so take, &c.

and companies  
trading by Grant,  
Act after the War

this present War together with all the Profits and Advantages which may accrue of or by the same or any of them with and under such Regulations and on such Manner and Form as Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall think fit and at any Time or Times afterwards (although the present War should be then ended) by any further Grants or Charters to confirm, enlarge and further secure the Privileges and every or any of them to the said Societies and Persons concerned there and every of their Successors Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns so as to enable them and every of them to have hold and enjoy the full Benefits thereof according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act.

**XV.**  
Provided always That nothing shall be construed in any Charter Constitution or Grant made in pursuance of this Act to exclude or restrain any of Her Majesty's Subjects from having a full and free Trade to and in any Part of America.

**XVI.**  
Provided nevertheless and it is hereby declared to be the true Intent and Meaning of this Act and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall not be lawful to any Commander of any of Her Majesty's Ships of War Privateer or Merchant Ship having Letters of Marque to attack, surprise seize take destroy or offer any Violence Spoil or Molestation whatsoever between Rio la Platta and the River Chagres on the Spanish Coast in America or within Five Leagues at Sea of any Part of that Shore to any Sloop Bateau Canoe, or other Boat Goods or Merchandises belonging to any of the Subjects of Spain who shall be concerned in any Intercourse of Trade with any of Her Majesty's Subjects or to any Sloop Bateau Canoe or other Boat Goods or Merchandises belonging to any of Her Majesty's Subjects which shall be found going to or coming from any Port or Place within the Limits aforesaid.

**XVII.**  
And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty's Reiga intitled An Act for prohibiting all Trade and Commerce with France it is amongst other Things enacted that the several Contraband Goods or Merchandises therein particularly enumerated shall not be carried by any of Her Majesty's Subjects to any Port or Place belonging to the Crown of Spain nor any Trade whatsoever be permitted or allowed with the Subjects of Spain for the said Contraband Goods or Merchandises And whereas in some Decrees may also concerning the Export of that Clause be it therefore hereby further declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the same shall not extend or be construed to restrain any of Her Majesty's Subjects from carrying any of the said Contraband Goods or Merchandises to any Port or Place within the Limits aforesaid but that it shall and may be lawful to or for any of Her Majesty's Subjects to trade with the Subjects of Spain for the said Contraband Goods and Merchandises or any of them within the Limits aforesaid Any thing in this Act or in the said last recited Act or in any former Act to the contrary hereof in any wise notwithstanding.

**XVIII.**  
And whereas good and necessary Laws have been made and are still in force within several of Her said Majesty's Colonies at Plantations [in America for the preventing the carrying off from the said Colonies or Plantations] any Servant or Slave without the Consent of the Owner or the carrying off from thence any other Person whatsoever and such Person shall have taken out his Ticket from the Secretaries Office within each respective Colony or Plantation in such Manner and under such Penalties and Forfeitures as in and by the said several Laws is declared and provided Be it therefore further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Commanders of Private Ships of War or Merchant Ships having Letters of Marque shall upon their going into any of these Ports or Harbours be subject and they are hereby determined to be subject to the several Directions Provisions Penalties and Forfeitures in and by such Laws made and provided Any thing in this Act contained to the contrary hereof in any wise notwithstanding.

**XIX.**  
And for the better Supply of Mariners and Seamen to serve in Her Majesty's Ships of War and on board Privateers Merchant Ships and Trading Vessels and for the better carrying on the present War and the Trade of Great Britain during the Continuance thereof be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That during the Continuance of this present War and no longer it shall and may be lawful for any Privateer or Merchant or Trading Ship or Vessel to be navigated by Foreign Seamen or Mariners not being Natives of Great Britain or of any of the Colonies or Plantations therein belonging or Her Majesty's natural or naturalized Subjects so as the Number of such Foreign Seamen or Mariners do not exceed Three Fourths of the Mariners in any one Time employed to navigate such Privateer or Merchant or Trading Ship or Vessel and that One Fourth at least of the Mariners or Seamen so employed be at all Times Natives or Her Majesty's naturalized Subjects of Great Britain (provided Death and the Hazard and Casualties of War and the Seas moved and especially) One Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of the Reiga of His late Majesty King Charles the Second intitled An Act for the encouraging and increasing of Shipping and Navigation or any other Statute or Law to the contrary notwithstanding.

**XX.**  
And for the better encouraging of Foreign Mariners and Seamen to come and serve on board Ships belonging to the Kingdom of Great Britain be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Foreign Master or Seaman who shall from and after the said Twenty fifth Day of April have faithfully served on board any of Her Majesty's Ships of War or any Privateer or Merchant or Trading Ship or Ships moved or Vessels which at the Time of such Service shall belong to any of Her Majesty's Subjects of Great Britain for the Space

<sup>1</sup> mentioned in the Bill.

of Two Years shall to all Intents and Purposes be deemed and taken to be a natural born Subject of Her Majesty's Kingdom of Great Britain and have and enjoy all the Privileges Powers Rights and Capacities which such Foreign Merchant or Seaman could or ought to have had and enjoyed in case he had been a natural-born Subject of Her Majesty; and actually a Native within the Kingdom of Great Britain.

And for the more expedient providing of Ships and Vessels to be equipped and used as and for Privateers for the speedy attacking Her Majesty's Enemies and pursuing in Execution the Purpose by this Act intended be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors to grant to any Person or Persons who shall be actually engaged in any Adventure in pursuance of this Act a Licence to buy or procure in any Foreign Parts any Ship or Ships (first giving Security to Her Majesty that such Ship and Ships shall be employed in such Adventures) so as the whole Number of Foreign Ships so to be bought and licensed shall not exceed the Number of Twenty And that such Ships which shall be so bought by Licence of Her Majesty as aforesaid (having been equipped out and employed as Privateers during the Continuance of the present War) shall (after the same War ended) be to all Intents and Purposes deemed and taken as Ships of British Bulk and have all the Privileges of Ships built in any Part of Great Britain and be capable of being used and employed accordingly as and Act made in the said Twelfth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King Charles the Second entitled An Act for the Encouragement and Encouragement of Shipping and Navigation or any other Statute or Law to the contrary notwithstanding.

[Proviso always and be it further enacted and declared That it shall and may be lawful to and for all Her Majesty's Subjects of this Kingdom to trade into any Part of America to which they might lawfully have traded before the making of this Act and not otherwise]

[Proviso always That nothing in this Act shall any Ways extend or be construed to take away or prejudice any of the Extra Rights or Privileges of or belonging to the Governor and Company of Adventurers of England trading into Hudson's Bay.

XXXI  
The Queen may  
license to Ships  
bought in Foreign  
Parts to be used  
for Privateers.

XXXII  
C. 11  
+ 12

XXXIII  
Ditto.

XXXIV  
Hudson's Bay  
Company

ITEM quedam Petitiones private Personarum concernent<sup>ur</sup> in eo Regis Actis continetur exhibitis facient quodam<sup>us</sup> Dones<sup>us</sup> Regis in Parlamento petitis<sup>us</sup> quos<sup>us</sup> Tituli subscribuntur (viz.)

i. An Act for vesting in Ralph Freeman the younger Esquire and His Heirs divers Mannors and Lands in the County of Essex comprised in his Marriage Settlement he having settled other Mannors and Lands in the County of Hertford of greater Value to His Uses in law thereof.

ii. An Act for naturalizing Katharine Clarke Daughter of Sir William Clarke Baronet deceased.

iii. An Act for naturalizing Marcos Dos Santos.

iv. An Act for making good to William Thompson Esquire the Benefit intended to be granted to his Ancestors and their Heirs by certain Letters Patents of King Charles the Second in Res of the Castle of Scarborough and other Things by them surrendered to and now enjoyed by the Crown.

v. An Act for settling the Estate of John now Earl of Exeter pursuant to Agreements made on the Marriage of the same Earl with Elizabeth Countess of Exeter his now Wife subject to such Alterations as are mentioned herein.

vi. An Act to supply a Defect in an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty Queen Anne intitled An Act for raising Fifteen hundred Pounds by Mortgage of Lands in the County of Dorset for Payment of Debts and for a further Provision and Maintenance for the younger Children of Philip Colclough Esquire.

vii. An Act to make the Ship Ambascade (a French Privateer taken by Her Majesty's Ship the Dover and condemned and sold as Prizes) a Free Ship.

viii. An Act for the Revival of the Attainder of Sir Henry Bond Baronet in Ireland.

ix. An Act for making effectual the Provision intended by William Bramley [sic] of Hink Castle in the County of Worcester Esquire for Dorothy Bramley his youngest Daughter.

x. An Act for settling the Estate of Thomas Stephens Esquire in the Counties of Chester and Stafford and for settling of another Estate of as great or greater Value in the County of Gloucester to the same Uses.

xi. An Act for vesting in Roger Tuckfield Esquire several Lands purchased for him by Sir William Derye Baronet deceased.

<sup>1</sup> The Two following Provisions are inserted to the Original Act in Two separate Schedules.

<sup>2</sup> inserted on the Roll



xij. *An Act for making Two large Fly Boats (Randa built) One called the Thomas and Henry the other the Richard and Jane Free Ships to trade to Russia.*

xij. *An Act for naturalizing Peter Des Maisseux Francis Hoffman John Ristess Peter Bouven and others.*

xiv. *An Act to enable The Right Honourable the Countess of Bandon together with The Right Honourable Henry Earl of Bandon her now Husband to make Leases of the Muzoor and Town of Carlow in the County of Cathalagh and Queens County in the Kingdom of Ireland and for the ending of the Gardens made by Henry late Earl of Thomond.*

xv. *An Act for vesting the Equity of Redemption of the Manor and Capital Messuage of Great Hensley with the Appurtenances and divers Messuages Farms and Lands in Hensley and Litchfield in the County of Oxford late the Estate of William Lenthall Esquire deceased (in Trust) to be sold for discharging of Incumbrances thereupon.*

xvi. *An Act for vesting several Messuages Houses Lands and Tenements in the County of Dublin in the Kingdom of Ireland formerly the Estate of Thomas Boyd Esquire in a Trustee to be sold for the Payment of the Debts of Lewis late Countess of Kilmurack deceased and for raising Portions for the younger Children of the said Countess.*

xvii. *An Act to vest the Estate late of Edward Choake Esquire deceased in Somersetshire remaining unsold at his Death in Trustee to be sold to satisfy the Demands of the Lady Russell his Mother and Emma Choake his Sister and to vest the Remainder of the Monies arising by Sale of the said Estate in the Purchase of other Lands to be settled on Edward Choake an Infant and his Heirs.*

xviii. *An Act to enable Sir William Wyndham of Orchard Wyndham in the County of Somerset Baronet to make a Marriage Settlement and for other Purposes therein mentioned during his Minority.*

xix. *An Act for explaining and amending a Provision and Power for enabling Sir John Westworth Baronet and his Brothers to make a Wife a Joyntress.*

xx. *An Act to enable Sir Ralph Milbank Baronet to make a Joyntress and Settlement upon such Woman as he shall marry as if he were of full Age.*

xxi. *An Act for Sale of the Manors of Swinden and several Messuages Lands and Hereditaments in the County of York late Part of the Estate of Christopher Lister Esquire and after of Thomas Lister Esquire both deceased for Payment of the Legacies and Debts of the said Christopher Lister and a Mortgage of the said Thomas Lister.*

xxii. *An Act to empower the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain or Comptroller of the Treasury to compound with Richard Parke Clinkard and late Merchant of London for a Debt due to Her Majesty.*

xxiii. *An Act for the Sale of a Piece of Ground late of John Killingworth Esquire deceased on which stood several old and decayed Tenements and applying the Purchase-Money for the Benefit of his Wife and Daughters.*

xxiv. *An Act for vesting the Settlement made upon the Marriage of Henry Mayne and for making a reasonable Provision for the Maintenance of his only Son (who is an idiot) during his Life.*

xxv. *An Act for Sale of Part of the Estate of James Hamilton Esquire deceased.*

xxvi. *An Act for the Relief of Colonel Richard Sutton and other Aids de Camp.*

xxvii. *An Act for the Relief of Captain James Roth.*

xxviii. *An Act for the Relief of Lieutenant Colonel John Savery.*

xxix. *An Act for naturalizing John Affleck Esquire and Mary Dutty.*

xxx. *An Act for naturalizing Peter Dubourdieu and others.*

## CHAPTER LXV.()

An ACT for the better securing the Trade of this Kingdom by Cruisers and Convoys.

En. Parl.  
6. Annæ, p. 1.

WHEREAS it is necessary for the better securing the Trade of this Kingdom that a sufficient Number of Ships to cruise be appointed in proper Stations to protect the Merchant Ships outward bound and in their return Home &c it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That ever and above the Ships of War for the Line of Batts and for Convoys to remote Parts at least Forty three Ships of War be employed as Cruisers in proper Stations viz. Six Ships of the Third Rate and Twenty Ships of the Fourth Rate and Thirteen Ships of the Fifth Rate and Four Ships of the Sixth Rate from time to time as shall be directed and appointed by the Lord High Admiral of Great Britain or Commissioners for executing the said Office for the Time being as he or they shall deem meet for securing [of] the Merchant Ships in their going out and returning Home and that Twelve of the Ships of War Part of the Forty three Ships hereby appointed to cruise in several Stations to guard the Coast and Trade of this Kingdom shall be appointed to cruise that is to say Nine Ships on the North East Coast of Great Britain and Three Ships on the North West Coast of Great Britain in such Stations as shall be directed by the Lord High Admiral of Great Britain or Commissioners for executing the same for the Time being for the better protecting and preserving such Ships and Vessels as shall be employed in the Trade of Great Britain the aforesaid Men of War to be crewed at least Three Times a Year or oftner if there shall be Occasion and that the Stations on board such Cruiser shall not be turned over into any other Ships but such only as are appointed for cruising.

Number of Ships  
to cruise mentioned  
(over and above  
Ships of the Line,  
As in the foregoing  
to Cruisers.)

as directed by the  
Admiralty

Provided always and be it enacted That nothing herein contained shall restrain or be construed to restrain the Lord High Admiral of Great Britain or Commissioners for executing the Office of the same for the Time being from directing any of the Ships appointed by this Act to be Cruisers to be employed in the Line of Batts (in case of great Necessity) on this Side Cape Finister without which immediate Detention the said Ships shall be always cruising or employed as Home Cruisers except when they are cruising or sailing.

II.  
Admiralty may  
direct such Ships  
to be employed in  
the Line

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Lord High Admiral of Great Britain or Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral for the Time being shall on or before the Twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven authorize and appoint the Commissioner of the Navy or some One or more Person or Persons who shall constantly reside at such Place or Places as Her Majesty shall appoint by Writ of which Appointment such Person or Persons in the Place or Places for which he or they shall be appointed shall supersede and oversee every thing relating to the aforesaid Cruisers and shall take Care that every thing necessary to be immediately provided for any of the aforesaid standing Men of War that shall come into Port by Stress of Weather or to custom or reef and so soon as they or any of them are refitted shall order all or any the said Men of War to put to Sea again as soon as possible.

III.  
Admiralty to  
appoint a Person  
to reside in a Place  
as in the foregoing  
and to direct.

And to the Intent that it may the more easily be known what Service the aforesaid Cruisers shall every Year perform be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Commissioner of the Navy in each of the One Port or such Person or Persons as shall for that Purpose be appointed by the Lord High Admiral or Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral for the Time being do send up to him or them within Eight Days after the Meeting of every Session of Parliament a distinct and separate Account signed and sealed together with the Number of Days out of that each Ship was out upon Duty with an Account how often and the Times when each of the said Ships have been returned every Year and the Reasons of her putting into Port and the Time and Reasons of her Stay there and that the Lord High Admiral or Commissioners for executing that Office for the Time being do cause the said Accounts to be laid before both Houses of Parliament within Eight Days after the Meeting of every Session of Parliament.

IV.  
Commissioners of  
the Navy to send  
to the Admiralty  
an Account of the  
service of Cruisers,  
&c.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Lord High Admiral or Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral for the Time being shall on or before the Six and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight authorize and appoint the aforesaid Number of Men of War of the Rates aforesaid to be Cruisers or Convoys on this Side Cape Finister for the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight and shall afterwards yearly and every Year during the present War between the First Day of November and the First Day of December nominate and appoint the like Number and Rates of Men of War to be Cruisers or for Convoys on this Side Cape Finister for the Year ensuing and as often as any of them shall happen to be taken or otherwise lost shall so soon as may be appoint One other Man of War of the same Rate to supply the Room thereof.

V.  
Admiralty may  
nominate Cruisers  
yearly.

And for the better and more effectual Encouragement of the Sea Service be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Six and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight

VI.  
Regulations for  
sharing Prizes  
among Officers  
and Men

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XIII of Act in the General printed Edition.

<sup>2</sup> marked in the MS.

If any Ship or Ships of War Privateer Merchant Ship or other Vessel shall be taken as Prize by any of Her Majesty's Ships of War or Privateers and adjudged as lawful Prize in any of Her Majesty's Courts of Admiralty the Flag Officer or Officers Commander or Commanders and other Officers Seamen and others who shall be actually on board such Ship or Ships of War as Privateers which shall so take such Prize or Prizes shall then such Condemnation have the sole Interest and Property in such Prize or Prizes so taken and subjected to their own Use without further Account to be given for the same such Prizes to be sold by such Person or Persons as shall be authorized and appointed so to do by the Commander or Commanders and other Officers of such Ship or Ships as shall take such Ship or Ships or the major Part of them under their Hands and Seals and the whole Proceed thereof to be divided or distributed among the said Officers Seamen and others according to their respective Shares in Manner Form and Proportion as by Her Majesty's most gracious Proclamation to be issued for that Purpose shall be directed and appointed Any Law Statute Provision or Declaration to the contrary thereof as any wise notwithstanding

VII.  
Ship of War or  
Privateer taken as  
Prize, taken into  
Her Majesty's  
Service, to be  
appraised.

Upon Appraisement  
and Certificate  
of Delivery, given  
down Bill for the  
Value made out.

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if Her Majesty or the Lord High Admiral of Great Britain or Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain for the Time being shall think fit to take into Her Majesty's Service any such Ship of War or Privateer so taken and condemned as Prize then and in each Case such Ship of War or Privateer so taken into Her Majesty's Service together with her Stores Apparel Guns and Furniture shall be appraised by Officers appointed or to be appointed by Her Majesty or by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Navy for the Time being for that Purpose and also by the like Number of Persons to be appointed for that Purpose by the Majority of the Commanders and Officers amongst the Captains of such Prize upon producing which Appraisement to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Navy for the Time being together with a Certificate of the Delivery of such Man of War or Privateer as taken as Prize with her Stores Apparel Guns and Furniture to Her Majesty's Use a Bill or Bills shall be made out within Fifteen Days by the said Commissioners of Her Majesty's Navy for paying according to the Course of the Navy the full Value according to such Appraisement for such Ship of War or Privateer so taken and adjudged as Prize and taken into Her Majesty's Service as aforesaid together with her Stores Apparel Guns and Furniture unto the Captains thereof to be distributed and divided as aforesaid.

VIII.  
Further Bounty of  
Five Pounds for  
every Man on board  
of Prize paid to  
Captains.

Number proved on  
Oath;

Certificate thereof.

Bills for amount of  
Bounty.

And for the further Encouragement of such Officers Seamen and others who shall actually serve on board any such of Her Majesty's Ships of War or Privateers as shall take any Ship or Ships of War Privateer or Privateers of the Enemies be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That ever and where the aforementioned Encouragement there shall be paid by the Treasurer of Her Majesty's Navy upon Bills to be made forth by the Commissioners of the Navy to be paid according to the Course thereof without Fee or Reward unto the Officers Seamen and others that shall have been actually on board such of Her Majesty's Ship or Ships of War or Privateers as Privateers in each Action where such Ship of War or Privateers shall have been so taken from the Enemy Five Pounds for every Man which was being on board such Ship or Ships so taken at the beginning of the Engagement between them the Number of such Men to be proved by the Oaths of Three or more of the Chief Officers or Men which were belonging to the said Ship of War or Privateer of the Enemies at the Time of her being so taken as Prize before the Mayor or other Chief Magistrate at the Port whereunto such Prize shall be brought which Oaths the said Mayor or other Chief Magistrate of every such Port is hereby empowered and required to administer and shall forthwith grant a Certificate thereof without Fee or Reward directed to the Commissioners of the Navy upon producing which Certificate to the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Navy together with an authentic Copy of the Condemnation by the High Court of Admiralty the said Commissioners of Her Majesty's Navy or such Person or Persons as they shall appoint for that Purpose shall according to the Course of the Navy within Fifteen Days make out Bills for the Amount of such Bounty directed to the Treasurer of the Navy payable to and divided amongst the Officers Seamen and others in Manner Form and Proportion as by Her Majesty's Proclamation to be issued out for that Purpose shall be directed and appointed.

IX.  
Prize Ships or  
Goods to pay  
Customs and  
Duties.

such Goods as be  
warehoused  
until appraised and  
sold.

Buyers to pay for  
Duties.

Provided always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to extend to exempt any Ships Goods or Merchandises which shall be taken as Prize as aforesaid from the Payment of any Customs or Duties or from being subject to such Restrictions and Prohibitions to which the same now are or shall hereafter be liable by virtue of the Laws and Statutes of this Realm but that upon bringing such Goods or Merchandises into any Port of this Kingdom of Great Britain to stand such Goods and Merchandises shall and may be unladen and brought ashore in the Presence of the Officers of Her Majesty's Customs for such Port or some of them and put into Her Majesty's Warehouses at such Port or such Warehouses as shall be for that Purpose appointed by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs and there locked up with Three Locks the Key of One of which Locks to be kept by the Collector of Her Majesty's Customs for the said Port the Key of one other of the said Locks to be kept by the Comptroller of the Customs for the said Port and the Key of the other of the said Locks to be kept by an Agent or Person to be employed for that Purpose by the aforesaid Captains with such Goods or Merchandises can be appraised and sold for which Purpose it shall and may be lawful for the Captains or their Agents to bring such Appraisers Merchants and others to view appraise and contract for the same at all reasonable Times as shall be required and when such Goods and Merchandises shall be sold before Delivery thereof to the Person or Persons buying the same such Person or Persons buying the same shall pay to the Collectors for the Customs and Duties of Excise in such

Parts all such Containers and Duties as shall be then due and payable for such Goods and Merchandise by him as them so bought respectively and shall be further liable to comply with all such Instructions and Prohibitions as are now or hereafter shall be made concerning such Goods or Merchandise Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all Appraisements and Sales of such Ship or Ships Goods Wares or Merchandises as shall be so taken shall be made by Agents or Persons nominated and appointed in equal Numbers by the Commander Officers or Ships Company and others entitled thereto so that as to say that if the Commander or Commanders of such Ship or Ships as shall take any such Prize or Prizes shall nominate and appoint One or more Persons or Persons Agents or Agents to sell or appraise the same as aforesaid then the Officers entitled thereto or the Majority of them shall nominate and appoint the like Number of Persons or Agents to act for them and the Ships Company and others of the same Part of them shall also nominate and appoint the same Number of Persons or Agents to act on their Behalf in such Appraisements or Sales Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That after the Sale or Sales of such Prize or Prizes as shall be taken from the Enemy publick Notification shall be given by the Persons or Agents appointed as aforesaid of the Day appointed for the Payment of the several Shares to the Captains aforesaid after which publick Notification if any More Shares shall remain in the Hands of the Persons or Agents appointed as aforesaid either belonging to such Men as shall die or run from the Service or such as shall not legally be demanded within Three Years then such Share or Shares as remaining in the Persons or Agents Hands shall go to and be paid to the Use of Greenwich Hospital.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That as well the Bill or Bills to be made out for the Value of such Prize or Prizes that shall be taken into Her Majesties Service as the Bill or Bills to be made out for the Bounty hereby granted to the Commanders Officers Seamen and others for taking any of the Enemies Ships of War or Privateers shall be made payable to such Person or Persons as shall be authorized and appointed to appraise or dispose of such Prize or Prizes from the Enemy by the Commander and by the Majority of the Officers and the major Part of such Ships Company and others as shall have taken the same to be distributed and divided by the said Person or Persons so authorized and appointed amongst the Captains in such Master Forms and Proportions as aforesaid the several Shares of which Captains if not legally demanded within Three Years after publick Notification shall go to the Use of Greenwich Hospital aforesaid.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Commander or Commanders Officer or Officers Seamen and others shall hawk hawk on board or indebted any of the Goods Merchandise Tackle Furniture or Apparel or belonging to such Prize or Prizes so taken such Commander Officers Seamen or others shall forfeit for every such Offence the Value of all such Goods Merchandise Tackle Furniture or Apparel as be or they shall so indebted the One Third Part thereof to be to the Use of Greenwich Hospital and the other Two Third Parts thereof to be to the Use of him or them that will sue for the same by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information in any Court of Record in which no Exempt Privilege or Wager of Law nor more than One Impetition shall be allowed.

Also this Act to continue during this War and no longer.

#### CHAPTER XLVI.<sup>(\*)</sup>

An Act for the better Security of Her Majesties Person and Government.

**W**HEREAS the better Security of Her Majesties Person and Government against the Practices and Attempts of all Persons who shall be suspected to be disaffected and dangerous to the same Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all Officers Civil and Military in that Part of the Kingdom of Great Britain commonly called Scotland shall be obliged to take the following Oath

**I** A B do truly and sincerely acknowledge profess testify and declare in my Conscience before God and the World that our Sovereign Lady Queen Anne is lawfull and rightful Queen of the Realm and of all other Her Majesties Dominions and Countries whatsoever and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that I do believe in my Conscience the Person pretended to be Prince of Wales during the Life of the late King James and since his Decease pretending to be and taking upon himself the Title and Title of King of England by the Name of James the Third or of Scotland by the Name of James the Eighth or the Title and Title of King of Great Britain hath not any Right or Title whatsoever to the Crown of this Realm or any other the Dominions

X.  
Appraisements to be made by certain Persons nominated in here mentioned.

XI.  
After Sale of Prize, publick Notice to be given of Day appointed for Payment to Captains and Crew of Shares remaining due.

XII.  
Bills for Value of Prize and also of Bounty, to be made payable as herein mentioned.

XIII.  
If not demanded within Three Years, to go to Greenwich Hospital.

XIV.  
Breaching Bulk or unbreaching Press Goods, &c.  
Penalty

XV.  
Continuance of Act.

For Part 6 above, p. 1 & 2.

Officers, Civil and Military, to take Oath, to take the following Oath

<sup>(\*)</sup> This is Chapter XLV. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

thereunto belonging and I do renounce refuse and abjure any Allegiance or Obedience to him And I do swear that I will bear Faith and true Allegiance to Her Majesty Queen Anne and Her will defend to the utmost of my Power against all traitorous Conspiracies and Attempts whatsoever which shall be made against Her Person Crown or Dignity and I will do my [utmost] Endeavour to disclose and make known to Her Majesty and Her Successors all Treasons and traitorous Conspiracies which I shall know to be against Her or any of them and I do faithfully promise to the utmost of my Power to support maintain and defend the Succession of the Crown against him the said James and all other Persons whatsoever in the same is and stands settled by an Act intitled An Act declaring the Rights and Liberties of the Subject and settling the Succession of the Crown to Her present Majesty and the Heirs of Her Body being Protestants and in the same by one other Act intitled An Act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject is and stands settled and settled after the Decree of Her Majesty and for Default of Issue of Her Majesty to the Princess Sophia Eleventh and Duchess Dowager of Hannover and the Heirs of Her Body being Protestants and all these Things I do plainly and sincerely acknowledge and swear according to these express Words by me spoken and according to the plain and common Sense and Understanding of the said Words without any Equivocation mental Evasion or secret Reservation whatsoever and I do make this Recognition Acknowledgment Abjuration Renunciation and Promise heartily willingly and truly upon the true Faith of a Christian.

So help me God.

II.  
The said Officers  
who have been  
required to take  
the Oath of  
Allegiance and  
Assurance before  
the Privy Council  
in Scotland, also to  
take the said Oath.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all such Persons now having or bearing any the Offices aforesaid and who in respect thereof have been or are obliged and required to take in Scotland as Oath called The Oath of Allegiance and Assurance before the Privy Council there shall be obliged to do so before the Twentieth Day of April One thousand seven hundred and eight to take and subscribe the Oath hereby appointed before that Privy Council while it shall continue and after the Determination thereof before and in the Court of the Lords of Session or the Court of Judiciary or the Court of Exchequer there and all others now in any other the Offices aforesaid who in respect thereof have been and been obliged to take the said Oath of Allegiance and Assurance in any other Court or Place shall be and are hereby required and obliged to take and subscribe the same at the next Quarter Session of the Peace which shall be held for say County or Place in which any such Officer shall be resident or residing.

III.  
The like as to  
Persons hereafter  
appointed to Civil  
or Military Offices.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Person or Persons whatsoever who shall hereafter be admitted into any Office Civil or Military within that Part of Great Britain called Scotland shall within Three Months after his Admission into any such Office take and subscribe the Oath hereby appointed in the Courts abovesaid respectively according to the Directions abovesaid for Persons new in Office so take the same.

IV.  
Courts to receive  
the said Oath to  
Persons offering to  
take it.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said respective Courts shall from time to time administer the said Oath to such Persons as shall tender themselves to take the same and shall keep proper Rolle of Parliament in which the Subscriptions of all Persons taking the said Oaths shall from time to time be made in which all Persons may have free Access without Fee or Reward.

V.  
Officers void, if  
Oath be not taken.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person hereby required to take and subscribe the Oath aforesaid and neglecting or refusing so to do at such Times and in such Manner as is above directed shall be adjudged incapable and disabled in Law to all honours and Purposes so have or enjoy any Office or Offices in respect whereof he is hereby obliged to take the said Oath and the said Office or Offices shall be and hereby are adjudged to be void.

VI.  
Neglecting, he is  
to take the Oath,  
Penalties of Stat.  
13 R. 2. c. 1.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every such Person and Persons who shall neglect or refuse to take the said Oath as aforesaid and shall after such Neglect or Refusal either personally or by Deputy execute any of the said Offices and shall be thereof lawfully convicted shall incur such Penalties Disabilities and Forfeitures as by an Act made in England in the Thirtieth and Fortieth Years of the Reign of the late King William the Third intitled An Act for the further Security of His Majesties Person and the Succession of the Crown in the Protestant Line and for extinguishing the Hopes of the pretended Prince of Wales and all other Pretenders and their open and secret Abettors are enacted enacted and appointed for any Officer his acting after the Neglect or Refusal of such Officer to take the Oath therein prescribed.

VII.  
Two Justices  
residing  
disqualified Persons,  
may administer them  
and tender the  
Oath, and certify  
in Quarter Sessions  
the Names, Age, of  
Persons refusing  
to take the same.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for any Two Justices of the Peace whereof One of them to be of the Quorum within any of the Counties Ridings Divisions Sherwicks Cities or Boroughs within the said Kingdom of Great Britain or any other Person or Persons who shall be by Her Majesty for that Purpose specially appointed by Order in the Privy Council or by Commission under the Great Seal at any Time or Times to summon and convene before them all such Persons within the Limits of their respective Jurisdiction Powers and Authorities as they shall or may suspect to be dangerous or disaffected to Her Majesty or Her Government and shall and may tender to every such Person and Persons the Oath abovesaid and appointed and shall at the next Quarter Session of the Peace to be held for the County or Place in which the said Oath shall be tendered certify the Christian Names and Surnames and Places of Abode of

all Persons refusing to take the said Oath to be there recorded and shall be from thence certified by the Clerk of the Peace of such County Riding Liberty Borough Town Corporation or Place within England into Her Majesty's Court of Chancery or Queens Bench at Westminster and by the Clerk of the Peace of every Shire Ridings Borough or Place in Scotland into the Court of Session there to be recorded in the Register or Rolls of the said respective Courts and if the Person so refusing and certified shall sue within the next Term or Session after such Refusal appear in the Court of Chancery Queens Bench or Session where such Certificate shall be returned and in open Court seditiously and solemnly take and subscribe the Oath aforesaid and refuse or enter his so doing upon the Certificate so returned shall be from the Time of such his Neglect or Refusal taken extended and adjudged a Popish Recusant Convict and as such shall forfeit and undergo such Penalties as a Popish Recusant Convict ought to do by the Laws now in Force within England.

to be recorded.

Persons so refusing are taking the said Oath in the next Term or Session.

adjudged Popish Recusant Convict

## CHAPTER LXVII. (1)

AN ACT to empower Her Majesty to secure and detain such Persons as Her Majesty shall suspect are conspiring against Her Person or Government.

Ed. Pow. 6 Ann. p. 3. a. 1

WHEREAS there hath been a traitorous and detestable Conspiracy lately formed and contrived and is still carrying on by Popish and other wicked and rebellious Persons for invading this Realm from France to the utter Ruin and Subversion of the Protestant Religion and the Laws and Liberties of this Kingdom. For the better Preservation of Her Majesties sacred Person and for securing the Peace of this Kingdom in this Time of imminent Danger against all Attempts and Conspiracies whatsoever Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That every Person or Persons that shall be in Prison within the Kingdom of Great Britain at or upon the Tenth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven or after by Warrant of Her said Majesty most Honourable Privy Council signed by Six of the said Privy Council for Suspicion of High Treason or reasonable Fraction or by Warrant signed by any of Her Majesties Secretaries of State for such Causes aforesaid may be detained in safe Custody without Bail or Mainprize until the Twenty third Day of October in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight and that no Judge or Justice shall bail or try any such Person or Persons so committed without Order from Her said Majesties Privy Council signed by Six of the said Privy Council all the said Twenty third Day of October. Any Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding.

Persons so passing this Act.

Persons so Prison on the tenth March 1707, or after, on Suspicion of High Treason, &c. may be detained as herein mentioned.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Act made in Scotland in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and one intitled For preventing wickedness imprisonment and against undue Delays in Trials until the said Twenty third Day of October be suspended as to all Cases of Treason and Suspicion of Treason.

11. Scotch Act suspended.

PROVIDED always That from and after the said Three and twentieth Day of October the said Persons so committed shall have the Benefit and Advantage of all Laws and Statutes any way relating to or providing for the Liberty of the Subjects of this Realm.

12.

AND that this present Act shall continue until the said Three and twentieth Day of October and no longer.

13.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That nothing in this Act shall be construed to extend to invade the ancient Rights and Privileges of Parliament or to the Imprisonment or detaining of any Member of either House of Parliament during the Sitting of such Parliament until the Matter of which he stand suspected be first communicated to the House of which he is a Member and the Consent of the said House obtained for his Commitment or Detention.

14. Persons so subject Privileges of Parliament.

AND whereas as it may be very expedient That Persons that may be suspected to be addicted to Her Majesties Government should be disabled from effecting any of their wicked Purposes and Designs in this Time of imminent Danger Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the respective Lieutenants or Two or more of their Deputies of all the Counties of this Kingdom of Great Britain or Two or more of such Magistrates who shall be by Her Majesty authorized thereunto shall and are hereby enabled and authorized from time to time until the said Three and twentieth Day of October by Warrant under their Hands and Seals to levy any such Person or Persons as they shall think fit (of which a Commission Officer of the Militia and the Constable or his Deputy or the Tythingman or some other Person bearing Office in the Parish or Town or Precinct where the Search shall be shall be Two) to search for and seize all Houses of the Value of five Pounds or upwards in the County or Possession or belonging to any Person or Persons whom any Lieutenant or Two or more of the said Deputy Lieutenants or other Magistrates to be authorized aforesaid by Her Majesty shall judge to be dangerous to the Peace of the Kingdom and thereof give an Account to such Lieutenant Deputy Lieutenants or other Magistrates which shall be so appointed as aforesaid which said Houses may be kept and detained for any

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16. Lieutenants of Counties and Deputies and Magistrates authorized to search for and seize Houses of the Value of five Pounds or upwards, in the Possession of Persons whom they may judge to be dangerous.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XV. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

The Owner upon whom shall be liable for the same.

Time not exceeding Three Weeks unless by Direction under the Hand of Six of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council they are required to be kept longer and if any such Horses so seized be put into the Possession of any Person or Persons the Owner thereof shall be liable to pay such Person or Persons for the Hire or Keeping of such Horse or Horses not exceeding Five Shillings a Week for each Horse for which such Person or Persons so shall have the Keeping of such Horse or Horses any Person or Persons so seized during the Time they may be detained by virtue of this Act may in case of Inaction or Inexecution and not otherwise be employed by His Majesty within this Kingdom against Her Enemies.

VII. *Horse for Search.* *If Necessary, Entry by Force.* *Parliament* That no such Search be made but between Sun rising and Sun setting either then in Cities and their Suburbs and Towns Corporate and Market Towns and Houses within the Bills of Mortality where it shall be lawful to search in the Night Time by Warrant as aforesaid if the Warrant shall so direct and in all Cases of Resistance in any Search to enter by Force and all Horses so seized during the Time they may be detained by virtue of this Act may in case of Inaction or Inexecution and not otherwise be employed by His Majesty within this Kingdom against Her Enemies.

VIII. *Power for Horse in Field.* *Parliament* always That nothing in this Act shall extend or be construed to extend to give any Power to take or seize any Breeding Mare in Field or having a Colt at her Foot or Colt under Three Years old.

IX. *Sales of Horses to Servants, &c. of or in Trust for Papists, void.* *Act* whereas it may so happen that Sales may be pretended to be made of Horses seized by virtue of this Act on purpose to colour the keeping the same from being detained so by this Act is enacted be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Sale and Sales pretended to be made of any Horse or Horses to any Servant or Servants of any Person or Persons whose Horses are liable to be seized by the Proviso of this Act or to any other Person whatsoever in Trust for any Papist or reputed Papist shall be and is hereby declared to be null and void to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever.

## CHAPTER XLVII (\*)

*Act for the better regulating of Spices and for granting an Equivalence to the City of London by admitting Bracken.* *An Act* for repealing the Act of the First Year of King James the First intitled An Act for the well governing of Spices and for granting an Equivalence to the City of London by admitting Bracken.

*Record of Stat. 1 Jac. 1. c. 10. p. 13.* *13* *repealed.* **W**HEREAS by an Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of King James the First intitled An Act for the well governing of Spices several Druggs Wares Spices and Merchandises are to be gathered within the City of London and the Liberties thereof as therein is mentioned under the Penalties and Forfeitures therein specified and several Powers are thereby given to the Garter for the Time being for that Purpose which Act for the gathering of Spices and other Wares and Merchandises in many Cases is now become useless and in other Cases would be prejudicial and to the Damage of several Wares and Merchandises as to be gathered to the Obstruction and Disconveniences of the Trade of this Kingdom and the Foreign Exportation and to the Vexation of the Subjects by unnecessary Prosecutions in His Majesty's Court of Exchequer Be it therefore enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said Act shall be and from henceforth stand absolutely repealed and all Powers Penalties and Forfeitures therein mentioned or given shall from henceforth be null and void.

II. *Both by direct and indirect.* *And* be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all fines and Informations now depending in His Majesty's Court of Exchequer or in any other Court or which shall at any Time hereafter be brought or prosecuted upon the said Act under Pretence of any Seizure or Forfeiture or Penalty incurred for Breach of the said Act or for any Offence committed or supposed to be committed against the same shall be and are hereby declared to be discharged discontinued and determined and that no Proceedings shall be had thereupon and all Sums upon the said Act made or to be made are hereby declared to be discharged released null and void.

III. *Cooperation of London may appoint a Garter.* *Provided* always That it shall and may be lawful for the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen and Common Council of the City of London for the Time being to appoint from time to time a fit and able Person to execute the Office of Garter within the City of London and the Liberties thereof who as the Request of any Person or Persons Owner or Owners of any Spices Druggs or other Wares or Merchandises gatherable and not otherwise shall gather the same and such Garter shall have and receive for his Pain and Trouble therein as the said Lord Mayor Court of Aldermen and Common Council shall appoint and no more.

IV. *Regulation for Aldermen of Bracken in London.* *And* whereas the Profits of the said Office are Part of the Revenues and Income of the City of London and are now let by Lease to William Stewart under the Name of Three hundred Pounds per Annum the Profits of which Office and the Right of the said William Stewart to the same by repealing the said Act will be very much diminished Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Determination of this present

\* This is Chapter XLVII. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

Session of Parliament all Persons that shall act as Brokers within the City of London and Liberties thereof shall from that time be admitted so to do by the Court of Mayor and Aldermen of the said City for the Time being under such Restrictions and Limitations for their honest and good Behaviour as that Court shall think fit and reasonable and shall upon such their Admission pay to the Chamberlains of the said City for the Time being for the Use herein after mentioned the Sum of Forty Shillings and shall also yearly pay to the said Use the Sum of Forty Shillings upon the New and twelfth Day of September in every Year all which Monies shall in the first Place be applied for and towards the paying and satisfying to the said William Stewart the Sum of six hundred sixty seven Pounds and Ten Shillings for a Compensation for his Interest in the said Office and that from and after the full Payment of the said Sum of six hundred sixty seven Pounds and Ten Shillings to the said William Stewart all the Monies arising by such Admissions and yearly Payments shall go to and be enjoyed by the said Mayor and Commonalty and Citizens of the City of London and that from and after the Determination of this present Session of Parliament the said Lease to the said William Stewart and every Clause therein contained shall cease determine and be absolutely void.

For and yearly  
Payment by each  
Broker,  
Application  
thereof.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons from and after the Determination of this present Session of Parliament shall take upon him to act as a Broker or employ any other under him to act as such within the said City and Liberties not being admitted as aforesaid every such Person so offending shall forfeit and pay to the Use of the said Mayor and Commonalty and Citizens of the said City for every such Offence the Sum of Five and twenty Pounds to be recovered by Action of Debt in the Name of the Chamberlains of the said City in any of His Majesties Courts of Record in which no Protection Ensign or Wager of Law shall be allowed as any more than One Impetator.

Y.  
Persons not  
admitted acting as  
Brokers;  
Penalty.

## CHAPTER LXIX.

An Act for repairing the Harbour and Key of Watchet in the County of Somerset.

Est. Part.  
Edw. 3. c. 3. s. 4.

[Cap. VIII. of the Private Acts of this Year.]

**W**HEREAS the Town and Borough of Watchet in the County of Somerset lying adjoining to the Sea on the North Side thereof was formerly by long Experience found to be a Place of great Convenience and Advantage to the several neighbouring Parts of the said County and other Counties near adjoining for furnishing them with Coals Culm Iron Salt and several other Merchandises and Commodities And whereas there was an ancient Free Harbour or Key of Stone standing adjoining to the said Borough and Town built and erected on the west Ground of and belonging to the Manors of Watchet of which the said Town and Borough has been Time out of Mind Part or belonging which has by the Violence of the Sea been quite subverted and ruined By reason whereof and for want of having the said Harbour or Key repaired and only the Borough and Town have been [in] great danger of being swallowed up by the Violence of the Sea and much impoverished but the Parts adjacent have been much prejudiced for want of convenient landing and shipping off there such Goods Merchandises and Commodities for their Use no Ship or Vessel being able to put in there or at least to continue there for any Time for unloading or lading any Goods or Merchandise And whereas the said Harbour was formerly found to be of great Use and Service to Ships in Duties passing to and from the City of Bristol and Parts adjacent lying on the Sea Coast

Reason for  
making this Act

And whereas there has been several Sums of Money laid out towards the repairing the said Harbour and Key but there could not be sufficient raised for [the] completing thereof for want whereof what has been done is in great danger of being lost And the Inhabitants of the said Borough and Town and Places adjacent (by a small Duty to be laid upon such Goods and Merchandise only as shall go out of or come into the said Harbour) are desirous to endeavour the completing the said Harbour and Key and make the same convenient and serviceable for the Country theretoabouts May it therefore please Your Majesty that a may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That for the rebuilding repairing and perfecting the said Harbour or Key and doing such other Things as may be necessary to make the same useful and convenient to the said Borough and Town and Parts adjacent and for preserving the same from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight for the Term of One and twenty Years and from thence to the End of the next Session of Parliament there shall be paid for all Goods and Merchandises exported shipped or laden or imported landed or discharged at or within the said Harbour or Key the several Rates and Duties following (that is to say)

For every Chaldre of Coals or Culm the Sum of Six Pence  
For every Ton of Wine Oyl Salt Iron Lead Mather Alban Fish Millstones and Grinding Stones the Sum of Two Shillings  
For every Ton of Greasy or Saltery Wares the Sum of Three Shillings and Four Pence

<sup>a</sup> continued on the next.



For every Quarter of Cows and Grains the Sum of Three Pence.  
 For every Score of Sheep Lambs or Hogs the Sum of Ten Pence  
 For every Gross of Bottles above Quart Bottles the Sum of Eight Pence  
 For every Gross of Quart Bottles the Sum of Four Pence  
 For every Gross of Pint Bottles the Sum of Two Pence  
 For every Horse Mare or Bullock old or young the Sum of Three Pence  
 For every Dozen of Lamb or Calves Skins the Sum of One Penny  
 For every Gallon of Butter the Sum of One Penny and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Quantities of the Goods or Merchandises before mentioned.

Duties upon Goods  
 exported and by  
 Reimport  
 Upon Goods  
 imported by  
 Master of Ship.

The said Duties of the said Goods and Merchandises as to be exported shipped or laden to be paid by the Merchant or other Person or Persons so exporting shipping or lading the same And the Duties of the said Goods and Merchandises as to be imported landed or discharged to be paid by the Master or other Person taking Charge of any Ship Hay Bark or Vessel that shall come into the said Harbour or Key.

II.  
 Ship to be paid by  
 Master of Ship the  
 Duties of Wharfe.

And be it further enacted That there shall be also paid for every Ship Hay Bark or Vessel which during the Term aforesaid shall by Stress of Weather be driven into the said Harbour of Wexham or shall otherwise come into the same for Security and Preservation (the said Port or Harbour not being their discharging Port) there shall be paid by the Master or other Person taking Charge and Care of the said Ship Hay Bark or other Vessel the Duties of Tonnage and Keelage following (that is to say)

For every Ship or Vessel using the Coasting Trade of this Kingdom of the Burthen of Thirty Tons and not amounting to Fifty Tons the Sum of One Shilling And

For every Ship or Vessel using the Coasting Trade of the Burthen of Fifty Tons and upwards the Sum of Two Shillings And

For every Ship or Vessel of the Burthen of Thirty Tons and not amounting to Fifty trading to or from Ireland France Spain or other Parts of Europe or to or from any of Her Majesty's Plantations in America the Sum of Two Shillings And Six Pence And

For every Ship or Vessel of Fifty Tons or upwards trading to or from the said Parts or Places the Sum of Five Shillings And

For every Ship or Vessel of the Burthen of [Thirty] Tons and not amounting to Fifty Tons and trading to and from any Place in Asia Africa or America (other than Her Majesty's Plantations) shewhall the Sum of Five Shillings And

For every Ship or Vessel of Fifty Tons and upwards trading to or from Asia Africa or America (other than the said Plantations) the Sum of Ten Shillings and the Master or other Person taking Charge of the said Ship or Vessel and paying the said Duties of Keelage shall have Allowance for the same of the Merchants according to the Rates of the Goods in the said Ship or Vessel by way of Average.

Merchant to allow  
 Master of Ship the  
 Duties of Keelage  
 paid by him.

III.  
 Trustees for  
 Building Harbour  
 appointed.

And for the better collecting and disposing the said several Sums of Money and Duties [hereby made] payable be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid that Sir William Wyndham Sir Thomas Wroth Sir John Trenchard Sir Francis Warren Barons Alexander Lumley Nathaniel Palmer Thomas Palmer George Montgomery William Millett William Blackford Esquires John Blunius John Wakefield Gentlemen and John Wheldon Merchant shall be and are hereby constituted and appointed Trustees for the ordering and directing the Building and making the said Harbour or Key and other Works in and about the said Harbour or Key and the maintaining and repairing the same from time to time during the said Term.

IV.  
 Trustees of  
 Trusts dying,  
 Res. supplied.  
 New Trustees to  
 have the same  
 Power.

And for the ordering and directing the Collection Receipt and Disposition of the said Sums of Money and Duties which from time to time during the said Term by virtue hereof shall be due and made payable and if any of the said Trustees shall happen to dye or refuse to act during the said Term then and in such Case it shall and may be lawful to and for the surviving Trustees to elect nominate and appoint other Trustee or Trustees in the Place or Places of such Trustee or Trustees as dying or refusing to act aforesaid And such Trustee or Trustees so from time to time elected and appointed shall have the same Power and Authority as if they had been nominated and appointed by this Act.

V.  
 Trustee Trustee  
 Lord of the Manor  
 of Wexham to be  
 one.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid that there shall not be more than Thirteen Trustees at any one Time And that the Lord or Lords of the Manor for the Time being of the Manor of Wexham shall be always Trustee or Trustees.

VI.  
 Majesty of Trust  
 may make  
 Orders, for the  
 collecting and dis-  
 posing of Money,  
 Res.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Trustees for the Time being or the major Part of them shall have full Power and Authority and are hereby authorized and empowered to make such Orders and Rules and give such Directions for the collecting receiving and disposing the said Sums of Money and Duties as they shall think most necessary and conducing to the end for which the same are hereby given.

VII.  
 Duties collected by  
 not paid to Person  
 appointed by

And all and every the Sums of Money and Duties before mentioned shall from time to time be paid to and collected and received by such Person and Persons as by a Writing under the Hands and Seals of the said Trustees for the Time being or the major Part of them shall from time to time be nominated and appointed

and the Person and Persons so to be appointed to collect the said Duties shall pay and dispose thereof to such Person and Persons in such Manner and Proportions as the said Trustees for the Time being or the major Part of them shall direct and appoint and to no other Use but as Purposes whatsoever.

And to the Intent the said Duties may be truly answered and paid he it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Customer belonging to His Majesty's Customs in the aforesaid Port of Wanchett Comptroller Surveyor Searcher Waker or other Officer of the Customs whatsoever during the Term and Time hereby granted shall take any Entries grant any Warrants give or make out any Acquittances for the shipping or discharging any Goods whatsoever until the Duties and Payments hereby granted and made payable shall be paid and answered according to true Intent and Meaning of this Act and shall not permit any Ship Hoy or Bark or other Vessel to go out of the said Harbour until the said Master or other Person taking Charge of the same do produce and show forth a Receipt or Acquittance under the Hands of such Officer satisfying the Receipt thereof And that every Customer Collector Comptroller Receiver of Entries of Ships Surveyor Waker or Searcher or other Officer concerned in the Business of the Customs in the Port of Wanchett during the Continuance of this Act making Default in any of the Premises supposed there by this Act shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds unto the Trustees hereby appointed to be recovered together with their Costs of Suit in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record by Action of Debt Bill Fines or Information to be brought or commenced in the Names of the said Trustees for the Time being or the major Part of them wherein no Escoigne Waiver of Law or Protection shall be allowed

And be it further enacted That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons authorized and deputized by Warrant under the Hands and Seals of the said Trustees for the Time being or the major Part of them to go on board any Ship Hoy Bark or other Vessel to demand collect and receive the said Duties by this Act due and payable and for Non-payment thereof to take and detain every such Ship or Vessel and off her Tackle Apparel and Furniture therein belonging or any Part thereof and for same to detain and keep until he or they be satisfied and paid the said Sum of Money and every of them And in case of any Neglect or Delay in Payment of the said Duties for Ten Days after any Distress or Distresses as taken as aforesaid that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collector and Collectors Receivers and Receivers of the said Duties and any of them to sell the said Distress or Distresses so taken and therewith to satisfy him or themselves as well for and concerning the Duty so neglected or delayed to be paid and for which a Distress shall be so taken as aforesaid as also for his or their reasonable Charge in the taking or keeping such Distress resulting to the Master or other Person having the Rule or Command of the Ship or Vessel in or from which such Distress shall be so taken the Overplus if any there shall be

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such Sum and Sums of Money that shall be raised and received by the Duties aforesaid and recovered for any the Forfeitures in this Act appointed other than so much thereof as shall be laid out and allowed for the collecting the said Duties not exceeding Twelve Pence in the Pound and the Cost and Charges of recovering the same shall be by the said Trustees applied and disposed of to the building the said Key clearing the Beach and other Works for the securing preserving amending and maintaining the said Pier and Harbour of Wanchett and to no other Use and Purpose whatsoever

And there shall from time to time be provided and kept by the said Collector or Person appointed to collect and receive the said Duties One or more Books in which all Monies to be received by virtue of this Act and all Payments and Disbursements out of the same shall from time to time be fairly set down and entered expressing the Time when and the Name of the Person or Persons from or to whom the same were so received paid or disbursed and for what Use or Purpose such Payments or Disbursement was made and that Once in every Year (viz) within Ten Days after the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand seven hundred and nine and so successively in every Year during the Continuance of this Act the Account from the said Books shall be fairly drawn out and stated by the said Collector and delivered to the said Trustees and to the Court Leet of the said Manor upon Oath which said Oath the said Trustees or any One of them and the Steward of the said Manor for the Time being are hereby impowered to administer

And for so much as the Money to be raised by the Duties aforesaid will not of a long Time raise such Stock or Sum of Money as may be sufficient for the effecting the Ends and Purposes of this Act be it therefore enacted That the said Trustees or the greater Number of them that shall be then living shall be and are hereby impowered by Indenture under their Hands and Seals to convey and assign the Duties granted by this Act as a Security for any Sum or Sums of Money by them to be borrowed for the Ends and Purposes of this Act intended to any Person or Persons that shall or will advance such Sum or Sums of Money upon such Security all which Monies so to be borrowed shall be employed the Charges of passing this Act and other reasonable Charges of the said Trustees expended or to be expended and laid out in the Management of the said Trust being first dedicated for and towards the building the said Key clearing the Beach and other Works for the securing preserving and amending the said Pier and Harbour of Wanchett.

Writing by  
Magistrate of  
Trenton

VIII.  
Custom House  
Officers not to grant  
Entries, Certificates,  
or such other  
paid,

see justice Vessel  
to depart (11)  
Receipts for Duties  
therein

Proviso after

IX.  
Persons duly  
authorized may  
go on board ships  
to collect Duties,  
and detain;

Proviso after  
therein

X.  
Monies raised after  
Delinquency herein  
mentioned to be  
employed in building  
Quays, and  
other Works herein  
mentioned.

XI.  
Books to be kept  
by Collector

Account from  
said Books to be  
made up yearly.

not delivered to  
Trustees and to  
Court of Leet of  
Manor of Wanchett  
upon Oath.

XII.  
Power to Trustees  
to mortgage the  
said Duties.

How Monies so  
raised to be  
employed.

XIII.  
Lord of the Manor  
of Watchet or a  
Court Leet, to  
appoint a Water-  
Bailiff.

And whereas it is necessary for the better and more orderly Government of the Port that a Water-Bailiff should be appointed with a Power to require all Ships and Vessels to lie at anchor and enter in proper and regular Manner and Places and that they throw out over their Board in the said Harbour to fill up and propound the same, Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the Lord or Lords of the Manor of Watchet their Heirs and Assigns Lords of the said Manor at the next Court Leet to be held for the said Manor after the mid Twenty fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight and so from time to time as Occasion shall require at their Pleasure to appoint and choose a Water-Bailiff for the Purpose aforesaid and so called And the Steward of the Court of the said Manor for the Time being is empowered from time to time to swear the said Water-Bailiff so appointed justly and impartially without Partiality or Affection duly to execute the said Office according to the ancient Custom and Usage.

Water-Bailiff to  
be sworn.

XIV.  
Lord of the Manor  
of Watchet may,  
after the Expiration  
of the said Term,  
appoint a Collector  
of the Duties  
following.

And to the End the said Key and other Works aforesaid when finished and made commodious and useful may not fall to Decay and Ruin for want of constant and necessary Reparations from time to time which will cost more than the said Town and Borough can undergo Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That upon and after the Expiration of the said Term of One and twenty Years and so from time to time so long as the said Pier and Harbour shall be continued or kept up in Repair it shall and may be lawful to and for such Person or Persons as shall be Lord or Lords of the Manor of Watchet for the Time being or the major Part of them who shall and are hereby empowered and authorized to appoint under Hand and Seal One or more fit Person or Persons to collect and receive the several Sums and Duties following for the several Goods and Commodities imported into the said Port of Watchet hereafter mentioned (that is to say)

For every Chaldres of Coals or Cokes the Sum of Three Pence.

For every Ton of Wine Oil Salt Iron Lead Maltster Allum Fish Mill-stones and Grinding-Stones the Sum of One Shilling.

For every Ton of Grocery or Soltery Wares the Sum of One Shilling and Ten Pence.

For every Quarter of Corn or Grain the Sum of Three Half Pence.

For every Score of Sheep Lambs or Hogs the Sum of Five Pence.

For every Gross of Bottles above Quart Bottles the Sum of Four Pence.

For every Gross of Quart Bottles the Sum of Two Pence.

For every Gross of Pint Bottles the Sum of One Penny.

For every Hogs Head or Haddock old or young the Sum of Three Half Pence.

For every Dozen of Lambs or Calves Skins the Sum of One Half Penny.

For every Gallon of Butter the Sum of One Half Penny and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Quantities of the said Goods or Merchandise before mentioned.

The said Sums  
collected and paid  
in the first men-  
tioned Duties—

And that the said Sums and Duties be collected from each Person and Persons and in such Manner as the before mentioned Sums and Duties are to be and that the same shall be levied and [received<sup>\*</sup>] paid and satisfied to such Lord or Lords of the said Manor for the Purposes aforesaid by the Person or Persons so to be appointed as aforesaid and under the same Penalties and Forfeitures as the said first before mentioned Duties which said Penalties and Forfeitures shall be to the said Lord or Lords of the said Manor of Watchet to the Use after mentioned and shall be recovered together with his or their Costs of Suit in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information to be brought or commenced in the Name or Names of the said Lord or Lords of the said Manor for the Time being or the major Part of them wherein no Assigns Wager of Law or Protection shall be allowed or more than One Imparance.

XV.  
And shall not be  
Support, but of  
the Harbour.

And that the said last mentioned Duties so to be collected and the Monies which shall be recovered for Forfeitures (the Charge of collecting and recovering the same deducted) shall from time to time be laid out and disposed of in and for the necessary Reparation and Support of the said Harbour and Key of Watchet and other Works there and to no other Use or Purpose whatsoever.

XVI.  
Public Act.

And it is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act shall be deemed and taken to be a Publick Act of Parliament of which all Judges Justices and other Persons are to take Notice.

XVII.  
In Action for  
distressing Act,  
General Issue may  
be pleaded.  
Double Costs.

And that in case any Action shall be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons for what he or they shall do in pursuance of the Powers hereby granted or any of them such Person or Persons shall and may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence and the Defendant or Defendants shall (in case the Plaintiff be convicted or condemn his Action or a Verdict pass against the Plaintiff) recover his or their Double Costs of Suit in the same Manner as Costs are recovered by Defendants in any other Cases.

\* received &c.

## CHAPTER LXX.

AN ACT for the more effectual making and keeping the River Teme navigable from Bridgewater to Tauxton in the County of Somerset.

Act, Parl. 6. Ann.  
p. 5. c. 7.

WHEREAS by an Act made in the Tenth and Eleventh Years of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third of Great Britain intituled An Act for making and keeping the River Teme navigable from Bridgewater to Tauxton in the County of Somerset several Persons therein named and their Successors are thereby declared and appointed Conservators of the said River and thereby empowered and authorised by themselves their Servants or Agents to cleanse near open make and keep navigable the said River Teme from the said Town of Bridgewater to Ham-Mills and from thence to the said Town of Tauxton for Boat Barges and other Vessels on the said River and for maintaining the said Conservators the Principal Messes by them paid and what shall by them be laid out in the making or keeping the said River navigable or in making or repairing Bridges over the said River or in any other Works together with Interest for the same after the Rate of Six Pence per Centum per Annum until the said Conservators shall be repaid the said Principal and Interest of what they have or shall disburse for the Purposes aforesaid it is thereby enacted that every Boat Barge or Vessel that shall pass up the said River from the said Town of Bridgewater or other Part of the said River or towards the said Mills called Ham-Mills shall pay to the said Conservators or to such Person or Persons as by them or the major Part of them shall be impowered and appointed to receive the same a Toll not exceeding the Sum of Four Pence for every Weigh of Coals contained in every such Boat Barge or Vessel and the further Sum of Two Pence for every Ton of other Goods Wares and Merchandises contained in every such Boat Barge or Vessel so often and every Time as such Boat Barge or Vessel shall so pass and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity to be paid and received at a certain Place on the said River commonly called or known by the Name of Knapp Bridge or Bridges and every Boat Barge or Vessel that shall pass from the said Ham-Mills or other Part of the said River to or towards the said Town of Tauxton shall also pay to the said Conservators or the Person or Persons by them appointed to receive the same at the first or lowestmost Lock that shall be built or made on the said River above a certain Place or House near the said Ham-Mills commonly called or known by the Name of Coal Harbour a further Toll not exceeding the Sum of Four Shillings for every Weigh of Coals contained in every such Boat Barge or Vessel which shall be from time to time set and appointed by the said Conservators or the major Part of them and also in like Manner the further Sum of Two Shillings for every Ton of other Goods Wares and Merchandises contained in every such Boat Barge or Vessel so often and every Time such Boat Barge or Vessel shall so pass up through such Lock so to be built or made as aforesaid and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity and that every Boat Barge or Vessel that shall pass down the said River from the said Town of Tauxton or other Part of the said River to or towards the said Town of Bridgewater shall pay to the Conservators or such Person or Persons as by them or the major Part of them shall be impowered and appointed to receive the same a Toll not exceeding the Sum of One Shilling for every Ton of Goods Wares and Merchandises contained in every such Boat Barge or Vessel and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity so often and every Time as such Boat Barge or Vessel shall so pass down the said River to be paid and received at the first and uppermost Lock that shall be built or made on the said River near the said Town of Tauxton and from and after the said Conservators shall have been fully reimbursed and paid the Principal and Interest after the Rate aforesaid of all Monies advanced and which shall be expended by them respectively in purchasing the Interest of the Heirs of John Mallet Esquire deceased and in making and keeping the said River navigable from Ham-Mills aforesaid to the said Town of Tauxton and maintaining and perfecting the Navigation or Passage on the said River from Bridgewater aforesaid to the said Ham-Mills then the Sum of One Penny for every Weigh of Coals and the Sum of One Penny for every Ton of other Goods Wares and Merchandises contained in [every] such Boat Barge or Vessel passing from time to time on the said River between the said Ham-Mills and the said Town of Bridgewater only and no more shall be paid received or levied in Manner as aforesaid at Knapp Bridge or Bridges aforesaid and the Sum of One Shilling for every Weigh of Coals only and the Sum of Six Pence for every Ton of other Goods Wares and Merchandises contained in every such Boat Barge or Vessel passing from time to time on the said River between the said Ham-Mills and the said Town of Tauxton and no more shall be paid received and levied in Manner aforesaid at the first or lowestmost Lock that shall be built or made on the said River above the said Place called by the Name of Coal Harbour and the said Tolls or Payments together with the Product of all Gifts and Grants to the Conservators of the said River shall be from time to time applied in the repairing such Bridges Wares Turnpikes Ways and Passages for haling Boat Barges or other Vessels passing on the said River as are or shall be built or made by the said Conservators for the maintaining and keeping the said River navigable and be annually accounted for as by the said Act is directed and the Surplus of what shall be received or arise by the Messes aforesaid shall be by the said Conservators employed and disposed of for the only Use Benefit and Advancements of the Poor of the said Town of Tauxton and Parishes of Tauxton St. Mary Magdalen and Tauxton St. James in the County aforesaid in building One or more Hospital or Hospitals for the better educating and maintaining such poor Children as are or shall become chargeable to the Town and Parishes aforesaid as by the said Act amongst several Matters Clauses and Things therein contained more fully and at large is doth and may appear

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II.  
Reason for passing  
the Act.

And whereas the said Conservators having much improved the Navigation on the said River to the great Ease and Advantage of Her Majesty's Subjects near the said River in the said County and the Preservation of the Highways there and have also pursuant to the Trust reposed in them by the said Act diligently applied themselves to the making the said River navigable and have in Part accomplished the same but have not rendered it completely navigable at all Times for want of sufficient clearing digging and deepening the Channel in a certain Shoal called Broad Shoal and erecting a Lock or Half Lock at or near a certain Place called Round Island below a Bridge or Place called Knapp Bridge for the Perfection whereof it will be necessary to advance and expend a considerable Sum of Money notwithstanding the great Sum already disbursed by the said Conservators in the said Work which by an Account when tried and allowed by the Justices at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace held at Bridgewater the Seventeenth Day of July last for the said County of Somerset appears to have been Three thousand five hundred sixty six Pounds Nine Shillings and Five Pence Farthing by which Account it also appears that the annual Income arising by Payments charged by the said Account on all Vessels navigated on the said River is not sufficient to pay the Interest of the said Sum of Money already laid out by the said Conservators towards making the said River navigable

III.  
Further Reasons

And whereas while the said Navigation remains obstructed for want of clearing digging and deepening the said Shoal and of erecting a Lock or Half Lock at or near Knapp Bridge aforesaid the said Town of Taunton and the adjacent Country cannot be supplied with such Quantities of Coal as is necessary for them to be brought by Barge or Vessels on the said River but must be fetched by Land Carriage whereby the Roads are much broken and prejudiced and rendered very inconvenient to Travellers in the Winter or any wet Season Now for the unloading the good Ends and Purposes of the said Act and for the encouraging the said Conservators to advance and disburse such further Sum and Sums of Money as shall be necessary for clearing digging and deepening of the said Shoal and erecting a Lock or Half Lock at or near the said Place or Bridge called Knapp Bridge and for rendering the said River navigable at all Times Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That from and after the building and erecting such Lock or Half Lock at or near Round Island aforesaid an additional Toll shall be collected and paid to the Conservators or to such Person or Persons as they or the major Part of them shall empower and appoint to receive the same at the said Lock or Half Lock to be erected at or near Round Island aforesaid the Sum of One Shilling over and besides the said Four Pence for every such Weigh of Coals or Cakes contained in every Boat Barge or Vessel and the further Sum of Six Pence over and besides the said Two Pence for every Ton of other Goods Wares and Merchandises contained in every such Boat Barge or Vessel so often and every Time as such Boat Barge or Vessel shall so pass up through the said Lock or Half Lock so to be erected at or near Round Island aforesaid and so proportionally for a greater or lesser Quantity to be paid and received at such Lock or Half Lock as to be erected at or near Round Island aforesaid and on Refusal or Default of Payment of the same the said Conservators or the major Part of them or the Person or Persons empowered by them to receive the same shall have the like and more Powers to enforce the Payment thereof as by the said former Act is given for the Recovery of the said Four Pence per Weigh and Two Pence per Ton and to account for and apply the same in the same Manner and to the same Uses mentioned in the said recited Act.

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the Powers of the  
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IV.  
The Conservators  
empowered to  
erect the said  
Locks, &c. by  
the said former  
Act.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Conservators and their Successors or the major Part of them are hereby authorized and empowered to erect such Lock or Half Lock and to cleanse and make navigable such Shoal called Broad Shoal in like Manner as by the said recited Act they are thereby authorized and empowered to do in or near any other Part of the said River on making Satisfaction to the Owner of such Lands in such Manner as the said recited Act is directed Any thing herein or in the said former Act contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding

V.  
Tolls to be there-  
fore paid at the  
said Lock

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That immediately from and after the building and erecting such Lock or Half Lock at or near Round Island aforesaid the Toll aforesaid shall be collected and paid to the said Conservators or to such Person or Persons as they or the major Part of them shall empower or appoint to receive the same at such Lock or Half Lock that is to say

The Sum of One Shilling and Four Pence for every Weigh of Coals and Cakes contained in every such Boat Barge or Vessel that shall pass up the said River through such Lock or Half Lock and

The further Sum of Eight Pence for every Ton of other Goods Wares and Merchandises contained in every Boat Barge or Vessel so often and every Time as such Boat Barge or Vessel shall pass up the said River by Round Island aforesaid and

A Toll of Two Shillings and Eight Pence at the lowermost Lock above Coal Harbour mentioned in the said recited Act for every Weigh of Coals and Cakes and

One Shilling and Six Pence for every Ton of other Goods Wares and Merchandises and so proportionally for a greater [or lesser] Quantity to be paid and received at the lowermost Lock above Coal Harbour and on Refusal or Default of Payment of the said respective Tolls or either of them the Conservators or the major Part of them or the Person or Persons empowered or appointed [by them] to receive the same shall have the like and same

Powers of the said  
former Act to be  
exercised if the  
said Tolls are paid

Powers to enforce the Payment thereof as by the said former Act is given for the Recovery of any Toll or Tolls as given and to account for and apply the same to reimburse themselves in the same Manner and for the same Issues and Purposes as in the said recited Act is mentioned.

And that the Tolls already granted at Knapp-Bridge or Bridges and at the said lowermost [Lock<sup>y</sup>] shall continue all the mowing or building such Lock or Half Lock at or near Round Island aforesaid and

VI.  
Tolls at Knapp-Bridge to continue till the said Lock is erected.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the said Conservators shall be reimbursed their Principal Monies and Issues after the Rate in the before recited Act mentioned already by them expended and to be expended by them and their Successors in making and keeping the said River navigable from Bridgewater to Taunton aforesaid and mowing and repairing the said Locks and Half Locks and in enforcing the said Toll or Duty and perfecting the Navigation or Passage of the said River together with the Costs Charges and Expenses of the said Conservators which the said Justices at the General Quarter Sessions are authorized and hereby required to allow as by the said former Act the same is directed that then the Sum only of Two Pence for every Wagon of Coals and Cakes and One Penny for every Ton of other Goods Wares and Merchandises contained in every such Boat Barge or Vessel shall be paid at the Lock or Half Lock at or near Round Island aforesaid to the said Conservators or to such Person or Persons as they or the major Part of them shall nominate and appoint the better to enable the said Conservators to maintain support and keep the said Locks and Half Locks and the said River navigable and collecting the said Duties and for such other Issues and Purposes as in the said recited Act is mentioned Any Statute Law Custom or Usage to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

VII.  
After the said Conservators are reimbursed the Expenses herein mentioned to be allowed at Quarter Sessions.

that the reduced Tolls herein mentioned be paid.

And furthermore as several Dependants and Controversies since making the said former Act have risen upon Construction of some doubtful Words therein whether Watermen Boatmen or Burghmen and others navigating Vessels on the said River might go upon the Lands of any Person adjoining to the said River between the said Town of Taunton and Hon Mills and by the Strength of Men Horses or other Cattle going upon the Banks or Ground near the said River draw or hale up Boats Barges and other Vessels through the said River or Passage before such Time as the said Conservators had set out a Path or Way for that Purpose and had made Satisfaction for the same to the Owner or Owners of the Land upon which such Path or Way shall be set out for the Loss or Damage he shall sustain thereby for expending thereof Be it further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That it shall not be lawful to and for any Watermen Boatmen or other Persons navigating Vessels on the said River to go upon the Lands of any Person or Persons adjoining to the said River between the said Town of Taunton [and<sup>y</sup>] Hon Mills and by the Strength of Men Horses or other Cattle going upon the Banks or Ground near the said River to draw or hale Boats Barges and other Vessels through the said River or Passage before and until such Time as the said Conservators shall have set out a Path or Way for that Purpose and for the same shall have made Recompense or Satisfaction to the Owner or Owners thereof for his loss or their Loss or Damages hereby according to the Method prescribed by the said recited Act Any thing herein or in the said recited Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

VIII.  
Means for passing the Passengers.

Watermen, Boatmen, &c. not to go upon private Grounds except directed before Conservators have set out a Towing Path and recompensed Owners.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons shall at any Time be used or procured for any thing by him or them done or executed in pursuance of this Act he and they shall and may plead the General Issue and give this Act or any other special Matter or Thing in Evidence for his Defence and if upon the Tryal a Verdict shall pass for the Defendant [or Defendants<sup>y</sup>] or the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs be awarded then such Defendant or Defendants shall have Double Costs to him or them awarded against such Plaintiff or Plaintiffs.

IX.  
In Actions for executing Act, General Issue may be pleaded. Double Costs.

And this Act shall be taken and allowed in all Courts within the Kingdom as a Publick Act and all Judges and Justices are required as such to take Notice thereof without special pleading the same.

X.  
Publick Act.

And all Mayors Justices Sheriffs Bailiffs Constables and all other Officers and Ministers of Justice are hereby required to be aiding and assisting to the said Conservators and so all such Officers Sheriffs and Workmen as shall be employed by them or any of them in the Execution of this Act or any of the Powers or Authorities hereby given.

XI.  
Mayors, &c. to assist Conservators in executing Act.

## CHAPTER LXXI. (\*)

*See Post 8 Ann.* AN ACT for inserting in the English Company trading to the East Indies on account of the United Stock a longer Time in the Fund and Trade therein mentioned and for raising thereby the Sum of Twelve hundred thousand Pounds for carrying on the War and other Her Majesties Occasions.

*Record of Stat.*  
9 W. III. c. 40.

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MOST gracious Sovereign Whereas in and by an Act made in the Ninth Year of the Reign of our late Sovereigns Lord King William the Third (of glorious Memory) intitled An Act for raising a Sum not exceeding Two Millions upon a Fund for Payment of Annuities after the Rate of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum and for settling a Trade to the East Indies it is amongst other Things enacted That all the Monies arising by the several Duties upon Salt and Rack fish and upon [except] Vellon Parchment and Paper in the said Act mentioned should be brought and paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer yearly and every Year according to the First Year to begin from the Ninth and twentieth Day of September One thousand six hundred ninety eight and that One hundred and sixty thousand Pounds per Annum of the Monies so arise by the said several Duties and so be brought into the Exchequer by weekly or other Payments in case the same Payments should exceed thereunto should be the whole and entire yearly Fund and in case the same weekly or other Payments should not exceed to One hundred and sixty thousand Pounds per Annum then the said weekly Monies or Payments not exceed to One hundred and sixty thousand Pounds per Annum should be Part of the yearly Fund for and towards the raising and paying of the Annuities of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum to such Persons or Corporations as should subscribe and pay in their Monies upon the Terms of the said Act And it is thereby further enacted That it should and might be lawful for His Majesty by Commission under the Great Seal of England to authorize and appoint any Number of Persons to take and receive all such voluntary Subscriptions as should be made on or before the said Ninth and twentieth Day of September One thousand six hundred ninety eight by or for any Person or Persons Native or Foreign Bodies Politick or Corporate (the Governor and Company of the Bank of England only excepted) of any Sum of Money whatsoever not less than One hundred Pounds for and towards the raising and paying into the Receipt of the Exchequer the Sum of Two millions of Pounds Sterling And it was therein further enacted that during the Time thereby limited for taking the said Subscriptions it should and might be lawful to and for all and every Person and Persons Native and Foreign Bodies Politick and Corporate by or for themselves or any of them or in Trust for any other Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate or any of them (except as aforesaid) finally to subscribe any Sum of Money not less than One hundred Pounds for or towards the said Sum of Two millions and that all Monies so to be subscribed should be assessed and paid in such Manner and Form as in the said Act is expressed And it was thereby further enacted ordained and declared That every Person and Body Politick who should subscribe as aforesaid and be named or contained in such Book or Books as in the said Act is expressed And it was thereby further enacted ordained and declared That every Person and Body Politick who should subscribe as aforesaid and be named or contained in such Book or Books as in the said Act is expressed should have receive and enjoy for ever out of the Fund by the said Act settled and provided one Annuity or certain yearly Sum for the whole Sum by him her or them subscribed according to the Rate or Proportion of Eight Pounds per Centum per Annum in the Manner thereby prescribed And it is thereby further enacted that it should and might be lawful to and for His said late Majesty by Letters Patents under the Great Seal of England to incorporate all and every Person and Persons Native and Foreign Bodies Politick and Corporate who should subscribe or for whom Subscription should be taken and upon whose Subscriptions such Payment should be made as is therein expressed and all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate who as Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns or by any other lawful Title derived or to be derived from by or under the said original Subscribers at any Time or Times thereafter should have or be entitled to any Part Share or Interest of or in the said yearly Fund so long as they respectively should have any such Part Share or Interest therein to be one Body Politick and Corporate by the Name of The General Society constituted to the Advantage given by an Act of Parliament for advancing a Sum not exceeding Two Millions for the Service of the Crown of England with such Succession Capacity and Powers as in the said Act is mentioned and in such Charters or Letters Patents such further Rules Powers and Clauses for carrying on Trade and managing the Ends and Intents of the said Act were to be inserted as should be lawfully and reasonably desired in that Behalf And it was thereby further enacted that in case the said whole Sum of Two Millions or One Million or any greater Part of the said Sum of Two Millions should be subscribed as aforesaid on or before the said Ninth and twentieth Day of September One thousand six hundred ninety eight that then and from thenceforth all and every the Person and Persons Native and Foreign Bodies Politick and Corporate by or for whom such Subscriptions should be made made and all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate who as Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns or by any other lawful Title derived or to be derived from by or under the said original Subscribers at any Time or Times thereafter should have or be entitled to any Part Share or Interest of and in the said yearly Fund and of and in a proportional Part of the principal Stock of the said General Society so long as they respectively should continue to have any Part Share or Interest therein and all and every Person and Persons who for any Time should be licensed by such Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate to trade in the Stock of them should or lawfully might for ever thereafter by themselves severally or by such Factors Agents or Servants as they severally should think fit to carry finally traffic and use the Trade of Merchandise into and from the East Indies and Parts or Lands in the said Act mentioned in such Manner and by such Proportions and subject to such Resolutions as in the said Act are expressed And it was

\* This is Chapter XVII. of the Act in the Common printed Editions.

\* except 6s.

farther thereby enacted that if the said whole Sum of Two Millions at One Ninety or any greater Part thereof should be subscribed on or before the said fifth and twentieth Day of September One thousand six hundred ninety eight and all or any Corporations or other Persons having particular Shares or Interests in the said principal Stock of the said General Society or in proportionable Annuities or yearly Payments issuing out of the said yearly Fund should be willing and desirous to take and join together such their several Shares and Interests and to be incorporated so as they might be able to manage their Trade (in Proportion to their Interests) as a Company and by a joint Stock that then it should and might be lawful for His said late Majesty by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of England to incorporate all such Persons and Corporations by such proper Names as he should think fit to be One Company with Power to manage and carry on their Trade to the East Indies and other the Limits in the said Act mentioned by a joint Stock and to have perpetual Succession and a Common Seal with Power to grant and take out and he said and to choose their own Managers Directors and Officers from time to time and such other Powers and Clauses as should be necessary or requisite for the carrying on of such Trade and should be reasonable for His said late Majesty to grant notwithstanding such Restrictions as in the said Act is contained and the Directors and Managers and other Members of such Company were to be subject to such further Rules Qualifications and Appointments as His said late Majesty in such Charter should think necessary or reasonable to be inserted And in the said Act there is contained a Provision or Condition of Redemption in such Manner and Form as therein and hereafter in this present Act are expressed And it is also thereby enacted that in case the Duties among or appropiated by the said Act should at any Time or Times appear to be so deficient in the Profits of the same as that within any One Year to be reckoned from the Nine and twentieth Day of September which should be in the Year of our Lord One thousand six hundred ninety and nine the weekly Payments upon the same Duties should not amount to so much as should be sufficient to discharge and satisfy the several said respective Benefits yearly Payments or Advantages by the said Act appointed or intended to be paid within or for the same Year respectively in every such Case every such Deficiency should be answered by or out of the next Aids to be raised and granted by Parliament in the Manner therein contained as by the said Act of Parliament in which are contained divers other Powers Privileges Authorities Privileges and Chances (Relation being thereunto had) more fully and at large is seth and may appear

And whereas in pursuance of the said Act His said late Majesty by a Commission under the then Great Seal of England bearing Date at Westminster the Fourteenth Day of July in the Tenth Year of His said late Majesty did authorize several Persons therein named to be Commissioners with Power to take Subscriptions for and towards the raising and paying the said Sum of Two Millions as by the said Commission Relation being thereunto had may more fully appear And whereas it appeared by Duplicate transmitted into the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts of His said late Majesty's Exchequer that several Sums amounting in the whole to the said Sum of Two Millions of Pounds Sterling were subscribed pursuant to the said Act And whereas the said whole Sum of Two Millions was lawfully assigned to His Majesty's Use And whereas by a Charter under the Great Seal of England bearing Date at Westminster the Third Day of September in the Tenth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign His Majesty granted and established the said Corporation or Body Politick called The General Society called to the Advantages given by an Act of Parliament for advancing a Sum not exceeding Two Millions for the Service of the Crown of England with such Powers Privileges and Benefits as are therein expressed And whereas by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of England bearing Date at Westminster the Fifth Day of September in the said Tenth Year of His said late Majesty's Reign relating that the Subscribers towards the said Sum of Two Millions therein particularly named and expressed were willing and desirous to take and join together their several Shares or Interests in the principal Stock of the said General Society or in their proportionable Annuities or yearly Payments issuing out of the said yearly Funds and to be incorporated so as they might be able to manage their Trade in Proportion to their Interests as a Company and by a joint Stock His said late Majesty did grant ordain and establish that the Subscribers therein particularly named and every of them and all and every Person and Persons Bodies Politick and Corporate who as Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns or by any other lawful Title derived or to be derived from by or under the same Subscribers should have and be entitled to any Part Share or Interest of or in the said yearly Fund by the said Act settled as aforesaid or of or in the proportionable Annuities or yearly Payments issuing out of the said yearly Fund so long as they respectively should have any such Part Share or Interest therein to be One Body Politick and Corporate by the Name of The English Company trading to the East Indies with such Benefits of Trade Powers Privileges and Advantages and subject to such Restrictions Conditions Consents and Agreements as are therein expressed

And whereas by another Act of Parliament made in the Eleventh Year of His said late Majesty's Reign relating that John Dehols of London Merchant had by Direction of and in Trust for the Corporation of the Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies subscribed and paid the Sum of Three hundred and fifteen thousand Pounds as Part of the said Sum of Two Millions it was enacted that the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies should remain continue and be One Body Corporate and Politick by the Name aforesaid subject nevertheless to be dissolved upon Redemption of the Fund by the said Act granted

And whereas by an Indenture Tripartite bearing Date the Two and twentieth Day of July in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and two made between Your Majesty of the First Part the Governor and

II.  
Remains the power  
this Act.

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tember III.

Letters Patent,  
10th June 1698. 222.

III.  
Recall of Stat  
11 W III.

IV.  
Indenture dated  
2nd July 1702.

<sup>1</sup> referred to the Bill



Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies of the Second Part and the English Company trading to the East Indies of the Third Part it was (amongst other Things) agreed with Your Majesties Approbation that the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies should purchase from the Members of the said English Company so much of their Capital Stock as would make the Property of the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies equal to the Property which would then remain to the other Members of the said English Company trading to the East Indies and that the whole Trade which might or should be carried on during the Term of Seven Years to be reckoned from the Date of that Indenture to and from the East Indies and other the Parts within the Limits aforesaid for or in respect of their several Stocks and Funds thereby agreed to be united should be for the Benefit and Relief of all the Members of the said English Company trading to the East Indies proportionable to their Shares in the Capital or Principal Stock thereof and that the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies should have a Right and Power equal to the rest of the Members of the said English Company in the Direction Management and carrying on of the said Trade during the said Term of Seven Years and that after the End or Expire of the said Term of Seven Years the whole Trade to the East Indies and other the Parts within the Limits aforesaid for or in respect of their united Stock and Fund should for ever (subject to the Redemption of the said Fund by Parliament) be wholly managed and carried on by the said English Company trading to the East Indies (by whatsoever Name the same should then be called) according to the said Charter of the Fifth of September in the said Tenth Year of His said late Majesties Reign and not otherwise And to that End and Purpose many Covenants Conditions and Agreements were contained in the said Indenture so by the same relation being thereunto had may more fully appear

Y.  
Further Evidence  
for proving this  
Act.

And whereas the United Stock of the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies and of all the rest of the Members of the said English Company trading to the East Indies in their own Names or in the Names of others in Trust for them doth at this Time amount to One Million nine hundred sixty two thousand eight hundred Pounds Part of the Sum of Two Millions before mentioned and their united Fund doth amount to One hundred fifty nine thousand four hundred twenty four Pounds per Annum Part of the Sum of One hundred and sixty thousand Pounds per Annum before mentioned And as well the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies as the rest of the Members of the said English Company trading to the East Indies are willing to advance to Your Majesty in Manner herein after mentioned for carrying on the present War and other Your Majesties necessary Occasions a further Sum of Twelve hundred thousand Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain upon such Terms Conditions and Advantages as are hereafter in this Act expressed and set down: Now we Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Great Britain in Parliament assembled being desirous not only to supply Your Majesty with such Aids as may enable Your Majesty to carry on the said War with Vigour but also to make the same in such a Manner as may create no new Charge upon Your Subjects do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That the said English Company trading to the East Indies as well for and on the Behalf of the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies as for and on the Behalf of all other the Members of the said English Company shall advance and actually pay into the Receipts of Her Majesties Exchequer for Her Majesties Use the said Sum of Twelve hundred thousand Pounds by such Proportions and at such Times as are hereafter appointed for the Payment thereof (that is to say) Two hundred thousand Pounds Part thereof on or before the Twelfth Day of May which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight Two hundred thousand Pounds more thereof on or before the Twelfth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and eight Two hundred thousand Pounds more thereof on or before the Eleventh Day of September One thousand seven hundred and eight Two hundred thousand Pounds more thereof on or before the Twelfth Day of November One thousand seven hundred and eight Two hundred thousand Pounds more thereof on or before the Twelfth Day of January One thousand seven hundred and eight and Two hundred thousand Pounds more thereof and in full Satisfaction of the said Twelve hundred thousand Pounds on or before the Tenth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight And in case the said English Company trading to the East Indies shall make Failure in any of the said Payments hereby appointed to be made at or before the respective Days or Times before limited in that Behalf the Monies whereof such Failure in Payment shall be made shall and may be recovered to Her Majesties Use by Action of Debt or upon the Case Bill Suit or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Ensign Privilege or Wages of Law shall be allowed or any more than One Impetunator in which Action Bill Suit or Information it shall be lawful to declare that the said English Company trading to the East Indies are indebted to Her Majesty the Monies of which they shall have made Default in Payment according to the Form of this Statute and have not paid the same which shall be sufficient and it is upon such Action Bill Suit or Information there shall be further recovery to Her Majesties Use against the said English Company trading to the East Indies Damages after the Rate of Twelve Pounds per Centum for the Monies so unpaid contrary to this Act besides full Costs of Suit and the said English Company trading to the East Indies and their Successors and the said united Stock and Fund shall be and are hereby made subject and liable thereto

The English Com-  
pany, or Part of  
all the Members, to  
advance the sum of  
120,000*l*.

Time of Payment.

On Non-payment  
Company may be  
sued, &c.

Damages

And for the better enabling the said English Company trading to the East Indies to raise and pay the said Sum of Twelve hundred thousand Pounds to Her Majesty Use as aforesaid it is hereby declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Common Seal of the said English Company now in the Hands of the Managers for the united Trade of the English Company trading to the East Indies shall and may be made use of to borrow any Sum or Sums of Money from time to time upon account of the said united Stock and Fund so as the Sum Total of all the Principal Monies which at any one Time shall be owing upon the Security of the said Seal do not exceed One Million five hundred thousand Pounds over and above the Monies which might lawfully be borrowed thereupon before the making of this present Act.

And it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case the General Court of the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies and the General Court of the said English Company trading to the East Indies at any Time or Times within they shall separately continue shall think fit or if the General Court of the said English Company after the Determination of the other General Court aforesaid shall think fit to call in Monies from their respective Adventurers or Members for or towards the raising the said Sum of Twelve hundred thousand Pounds to be advanced to Her Majesty Use or any Part thereof or for repaying the Monies borrowed for that Purpose or the Interest thereof that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies and the said English Company trading to the East Indies respectively at any Time or Times during the separate Continuance of their General Courts as aforesaid and afterwards to and for the said English Company trading to the East Indies by whatsoever Name or Names the same shall then be called or known to call in or direct to be paid unto them respectively from and by their respective Adventurers and Members for the Time being [proportionally\*] any Sums and Sums of Money which shall from time to time be [in<sup>o</sup>] thought fit for or towards the making up the said Sum of Twelve hundred thousand Pounds to be advanced to Her Majesty Use as aforesaid or for repaying the Monies borrowed for that Purpose or the Interest thereof and that all Executors Administrators Guardians and Trustees shall be indemnified in paying the same.

And in case any Adventurer or Members of the said respective Corporations shall neglect or refuse to pay his her or their Shares of the Monies so called in at the Time or Times appointed for that Purpose by Notice to be fixed upon the Royal Exchanges in London or in case any Adventurer or Adventurers Member or Members of the said respective Corporations shall neglect or refuse to pay his her or their Share of the Monies which the said Companies or either of them shall (in pursuance of the said first recited Act and their respective Charters or any or either of them) call in for the carrying on of their Trade at the Time or Times appointed for that Purpose by the like Notice as aforesaid then and in either of the said Cases it shall and may be lawful for the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies and the said English Company trading to the East Indies respectively and their respective Successors not only to stop the Shares or Dividends which shall from time to time become payable to such Adventurer or Adventurers Member or Members so neglecting or refusing or releasing of the Fund Stock or Profit of the said respective Companies and to apply the same from time to time for or towards Payment of the Shares of the Money so called in and which ought to have been paid by such Adventurer or Adventurers Member or Members so neglecting or refusing to pay the same until the same shall be satisfied but also to stop the Transfers of the Shares of every such Defaulter and to charge such Defaulter and Defaulters with an Interest after the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum for the Monies so by him and them neglected to be paid from the Time the same were appointed to be paid until the Payment thereof and the Share and Stock of such Defaulter and Defaulters shall be liable to make good and answer the said Monies so appointed to be paid and the Interest thereof and that in case the Principal and Interest shall not be paid within the Space of Three Months then the said Governor and Company and the said English Company and their Successors respectively as aforesaid shall have Power to sell so much of the Stock of such Defaulter or Defaulters as will suffice and pay the same.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Sum of Twelve hundred thousand Pounds agreed to be advanced and paid as aforesaid shall be and be called deemed and taken to be a further Addition to the Capital Stock of the said English Company and shall be and be hereby exempted from any Taxes Rates Impositions or Assessments whatsoever.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the united Stock and Fund of the said English Company and their Successors by whatsoever Name or Names they shall be called or known shall be and be by this present Act made subject and liable to the Payment and Satisfaction of all such Debts as are or shall be contracted by the same Company for or upon account of the said United Stock or Trade.

And whereas by the said former Acts and Charters it was provided that at any Time upon Three Years Notice after the Ninth and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and eleven upon Repayment of the said Two Millions and all Dividends of the said Annuities or yearly Payments the said Debts upon Sale and Stock Sale and the said Duties upon stamp Vellum Parchment and Paper and the said yearly Fund charged

VI.

4<sup>th</sup> proviso may be borrowed upon the Common Seal of the said English Company.

VII.

The Two Companies may call in Monies for advancing £1200000.

as for repaying the Monies borrowed.

Executors, &c. indemnified in paying the same.

VIII.

Members refusing, &c. to pay.

Company may stop their Dividends, &c.

and the Transfers of Shares of such Defaulters, and charge them with an Interest at 6<sup>th</sup> per Cent. If Principal and Interest not paid at Three Months, Company may sell Stock of Defaulters.

IX.

Advanced Monies to be a further Addition to the Capital Stock, &c. &c.

X.

The united Stock liable to all Debts contracted.

XI.

Provided that by the said former Acts and Charters it was provided that in the Queen's house

\* proportionally Q

\* mentioned in the Bill

measured the risk.  
Corporations should  
not.

Former Prisoner for Redemption and Determination of Corporation, Inc. (referred to as the Debt) having mortgaged and the said Clayton, OMA, Inc. to continue as herein mentioned.

subject to the  
Restrictions, Inc.  
in the full text,  
Cheney, Inc.

thereupon and the said Assentles issuing out of the same and the Duty of Five Pounds in the Handred upon improved Goods therein expressed and all the Corporations to be created by or in pursuance of that Act and the Benefits of Trade thereby given or intended to be given to them or any of them should absolutely cease and determine: Now to the intent that the said English Company and their Successors may be encouraged to proceed in their Trade and may have Time to settle Families and perform such other Matters and Things as are necessary for carrying on the said Trade to their best Advantage and Profit it is hereby declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the last mentioned Proviso for Redemption and Determination of the said said Duties yearly Fund Assentles Corporations and Benefits of Trade shall be and is hereby repealed and made void and also the said Duties upon Salt and Rock Salt and the said Duties upon strange Valuers Parchments and Paper and the said Duty of Five Pounds in the Handred upon improved Goods shall continue and the said English Company willing to the East Indies and their Successors by whatsoever Name or Names they shall be called or known shall have and enjoy the said yearly Sum of One hundred fifty nine thousand four hundred twenty four Pounds per Annum and all the Benefits of Trade Franchises Privileges Profits and Advantages whatsoever in respect thereof given [or] granted or intended to be given or granted unto them by the said Act of the Ninth Year of His said late Majesties Kings or by the said Chapter of the Fifth Day of September in the Tenth Year of His said late Majesties Kings or by the said Indenture Tripartite of the Two and twentieth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and two and every or any of these freed and discharged of and from the said former Proviso or Condition of Redemption and all other Promises Powers Acts Matters or Things heretofore had made done or committed for relieving determining or making void the said Duties yearly Fund Benefits of Trade Franchises Privileges Profits and Advantages or any of them subject nevertheless to the Resolutions Covenants and Agreements in the said Act first recited and the said recited Charters and Indenture Tripartite or any of them contained now in force and also subject to the General Provisions or Condition of Redemption hereafter in this Act contained.

### III.

AND whereas several Persons who did subscribe or do derive under Persons who did subscribe several Sums amounting in the whole to Seven thousand two hundred Pounds Part of the said Two Millions are in respect thereof entitled to Five hundred seventy six Pounds per Annum Part of the said Sum of One hundred and thirty thousand Pounds per Annum and to a proportional Part of the Trade to the East Indies and other the Parts aforesaid have not taken their Stock and Fund to the Stock and Fund of the said Corporations incorporated in Trade by a joint Stock as aforesaid but do by themselves or others by them licensed carry on their Trade for their own separate Use and Account it is hereby provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Persons entitled to the said Stock amounting to Seven thousand two hundred Pounds their Executors Administrators and Assigns shall and may possibly and quietly have hold and enjoy their said Proportion of the said yearly Fund and Trade as fully and effectually as they might have done if this Act had never been made Notwithstanding it shall and may be lawful to and for the said English Company and their Successors at any Time after the Nine and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and eleven by Writing to be signed by their Secretary and to be affixed upon the Royal Exchange in London to give Notice of their Intention to repay the said Sum of Seven thousand two hundred Pounds to the Persons who shall be licensed thereon or entitled thereunto at the End of Three Years after such Notice given And in case the said English Company at the End of the said Three Years do fully pay and satisfy to such Persons the said Sum of Seven thousand two hundred Pounds at the Guildhall of London together with all Arrears (if any) of the said yearly Sum of Five hundred seventy six Pounds which shall be due then to the said Persons respectively then and upon such Payment made or lawful Tender thereof the said Stock of Seven thousand two hundred Pounds and the proportional Trade and Fund belonging thereunto shall be and are by virtue of this Act vested and settled in the said English Company and their Successors subject nevertheless to the general Provision or Condition of Redemption hereafter in this Act contained and to no other Provision or Condition of Redemption whatsoever Any thing in this Act contained or any other Matter or Thing to the contrary notwithstanding

XIII.  
The Duty of all  
per Cent., after  
14th Sept. 1794.  
in 1800.

Provisional duty and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the before mentioned Duty of Five Pence per Centum for or in respect only of such Goods and Merchandizes as shall be imported into Great Britain by the said English Company trading to the East Indies from and after the Ninth and twentieth Day of September One thousand seven hundred and fourteen shall cease determine and be no longer collected or paid Any thing in this or in the said first recited Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

XIV  
After 19th March  
1945, upon the  
Yankee Machine, the  
Bryantown, the  
Congressional 19

THEY further always and it is hereby declared and entered by the Authority aforesaid That in any Year upon Three Years Notice after the Five and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and twenty six upon the Expiration of the said Three Years and upon Repayment by Payment as well of the said Sum of Two Millions formerly advanced as of the said Sum of Twelve hundred thousand Pounds to be advanced as aforesaid making in the whole Three millions and two hundred thousand Pounds so much Companies Corporations or Persons as shall be then entitled thereto and of all Arrears which at the End of the said Three Years shall be due for or upon the said yearly Fund of One hundred and sixty thousand Pounds per Annum then and from thenceforth as well the said Duties upon Salt and Runk Salt as the said Duties upon Stamps Vellum Parchment and Paper and also the said yearly Fund of One hundred and sixty

shewen, Pounds and all the Corporations erected by or in pursuance of this or the said former Acts and the Benefit of Trade by this and the said former Acts and Charters or any of them given or intended to be given so that or any of them shall absolutely cease and determine any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Provided always and he it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this Act or any thing herein contained shall not be deemed taken or construed to repeal or alter an Act made in the Eleventh and Twelfth Years of the Reign of the late King William the Third of glorious Memory intitled An Act for the more effectual employing the Poor by encouraging the Manufactures of this Kingdom or any Cloase Matter or Thing therein contained but that the said Act and every Cloase Matter or Thing therein contained shall stand remain and be in full Effect and Force in all Intents and Purposes whatsoever so if this Act had never been made Any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

Provided also and it is hereby further enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the First and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight upon any Importation of any Goods or Merchandises by the said English Company trading to the East Indies it shall and may be lawful for the Commissioners and Officers of the Customs for the Time being and they are hereby required from time to time to take One or more Bonds or Bonds under the Common Seal of the said English Company for all such of the Duties and Duties chargeable and to be charged on the Goods and Merchandises so to be imported as are bondable or for which Bonds have usually been given Any Law Statute or Provision to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

And whereas the Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies and the rest of the Members of the English Company trading to the East Indies are desirous that a speedy and complete Union may be had and perfected pursuant to the before mentioned Indenture Tripartite and have agreed to refer all Matters in Difference concerning the same and the completing the said Union unto the final Determination of the Right Honourable Sir Henry Earl of Godolphin Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain. Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Matters in Differences between the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies and the rest of the Members of the said English Company and the settling the Terms of said perfecting and completing the said Union shall be and is hereby referred to the Judgment Award and final Determination of the said Sir Henry Earl of Godolphin to proceed upon and settle the Terms and Conditions of the same as his Lordship shall think fit so as the whole be made settled perfected and completed on or before the Twenty sixth Day of September in the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight by Writing attested under His Lordships Hand and Seal which said Award being so made settled and completed within the Time aforesaid shall in all Parts thereof be binding and conclusive as well on the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies as to the rest of the said Members of the said English Company and shall be by them complied with and observed accordingly.

Provided always and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the making the said Award and Surrender of the Charter of the said Governor and Company of Merchants of London trading into the East Indies in pursuance to the said Indenture Tripartite then the Persons who at the Time of such Surrender shall in pursuance of the same Indenture be the Managers for the united Trade of the English Company trading to the East Indies and none others shall be the Directors of the said English Company (which Company shall then be called The United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies) and such Time as new Directors shall be chosen for the same in pursuance of the said Charter bearing Date the Fifth Day of September in the Tenth Year of His said late Majesties Reign.

And he it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That this present Act and the Acts herein before recited and all Parts thereof shall be construed adjoined and taken to be Publick Acts to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever.

XV.  
From the Stat.  
(1707. III. c. 30)

XVI.  
Custom House may  
take the Company's  
said Bonds for  
Goods imported.

XVII.  
Respect to the  
said Indenture.

All Differences  
between the said  
Company referred  
to the Earl of  
Godolphin.

Award final.

XVIII.  
After such Award  
the Managers for  
the united Trade to  
be Directors of the  
English Company.  
All new ones to  
be chosen, &c.

XIX.  
Publick Acts

## CHAPTER LXXII. (\*)

*In Part  
of Act, p. 5. n. 5*

An Act for the more effectual Discovery of the Death of Persons pretended to be alive to the Prejudice of those who claim Estates after their Deaths.

*Reasons for passing  
this Act.*

*Testimony, for  
evidence upon  
Discontinuation of  
Life Estate, upon  
Affidavit of Petition  
of Death of Infant  
or other Trustee for  
Life or Interest  
mentioned, and  
that such Death  
is attended by  
Guardian, &c.,  
may yearly come  
for and return in  
Order at Chancery  
for the Production  
of such Testimony  
for Life.*

*and upon Refusal,  
for to produce  
such Testimony for  
Life, unless he be  
dead.*

*II.  
If such Infant, &c.,  
Trustee for Life,  
appears to be in  
fact, Party pro-  
secuting such Order  
may call upon to  
swear such Infant,  
and of Guardian,  
&c. will not pro-  
duce such Testimony  
for Life, then he  
is due to be taken  
in Oath.*

*III.  
If it appears after  
such discovery that  
we be brought then  
such Trustee for  
Life was alive at  
the Time of the  
Order made, then  
he is also to be  
sworn, and here  
Act, for Rest,  
&c.*

WHEREAS divers Persons as Guardians and Trustees for Infants and Husbande in Right of their Wives and other Persons having Estates or Interests determinable upon a Life or Lives have continued to receive the Rents and Profits of such Lands after the Determination of their said particular Estates or Interests And whereas the Proof of the Death of the Persons on whose Lives such particular Estates or Interests depended is very difficult and several Persons have been and may be thereby defrauded For Remedy whereof and for preventing such fraudulent Practices Be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That any Person or Persons who hath or shall have any Claim or Demand as or to any Remainder Reversion or Expectancy in or to any Estate after the Death of any Person within Age Married Woman or any other Person whatsoever upon Affidavit made in the High Court of Chancery by the Persons so claiming such Estate of his or her Title and that he or she both agree to believe that such Minor Married Woman or other Person is dead and that he or her Death is attested by such Guardian Trustee Husband or any other Person shall and may Once a Year if the Person agreed shall think fit move the Lord Chancellor Keeper or Commissioners for the Custody of the Great Seal of Great Britain for the Time being to order [and they are hereby authorized and required to order] such Guardian Trustee Husband or other Person attending or appearing to counsel such Person at such Time and Place as the said Court shall direct on Personal or other due Service of such Order to produce and show to such Person and Persons (not exceeding Two) as shall in such Order be named by the Party or Parties prosecuting such Order such Minor Married Woman or other Person aforesaid And if such Guardian Trustee Husband or such other Person is shewn shall refuse or neglect to produce or show such Infant Married Woman or such other Person on whose Life any such Estate doth depend according to the Directions of the said Order that then the Court of Chancery is hereby authorized and required to order such Guardian Trustee Husband or other Person to produce such Minor Married Woman or other Person concerned in the said Court of Chancery or otherwise before Commissioners to be appointed by the said Court at such Time and Place as the Court shall direct Two of which Commissioners shall be nominated by the Party or Parties prosecuting such Order at his her or their Costs and Charges [And in case such Guardian Trustee Husband or other Person] shall refuse or neglect to produce such Infant Married Woman or other Person so concerned in the Court of Chancery or before such Commissioners whose Return shall be made by such Commissioners and such Return filed in the Petty Bag Office in either or any of the said Courts the said Minor Married Woman or such other Person so concerned shall be taken to be dead and it shall be lawful for any Person claiming any Right Title or Interest in Remainder or Reversion or otherwise after the Death of such Infant Married Woman or such other Person so concerned as aforesaid to enter upon such Lands Tenements and Hereditaments as if such Infant Married Woman or other Person so concerned were actually dead

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if it shall appear to the said Court by Affidavit that such Minor Married Woman or other Person for such Life such Estate is holden in or lady was at some certain Place beyond the Sea in the said Affidavit to be mentioned it shall and may be lawful for the Party or Parties prosecuting such Order as aforesaid at his her or their Costs and Charges to send over one or both the said Persons appointed by the said Order to view such Minor Married woman or other Person for whose Life any such Estate is holden and in case such Guardian Trustee Husband or other Person attending or appearing to counsel such Person as aforesaid shall refuse or neglect to produce or procure to be produced to such Person or Persons a personal View of such Infant Married Woman or other Person for whose Life any such Estate is holden then and in such Case such Person or Persons are hereby required to make a true Return of such Refusal or Neglect to the Court of Chancery which Return shall be filed in the Petty Bag Office and thereupon such Minor Married Woman or other Person for whose Life any such Estate is holden shall be taken to be dead and it shall be lawful for any Person claiming any Right Title or Interest in Remainder or Reversion or otherwise after the Death of such Infant Married Woman or other Person for whose Life any such Estate is holden to enter upon such Lands Tenements and Hereditaments as if such Infant Married Woman or other Person for whose Life any such Estate is holden were actually dead

Provided always That if it shall afterwards appear upon Proof in any Action to be brought that such Infant Married Woman or other Person for whose Life any such Estate is holden were alive at the Time of such Order made that then it shall be lawful for such Infant Married Woman Guardian or Trustee or other Person having any Estate or Interest determinable upon such Life to re-enter upon the said Lands Tenements or Hereditaments and for such Infant Married Woman or other Person having any Estate or Interest determinable upon such Life their Executors Administrators or Assigns to maintain an Action against those who claim the said Order against the Profits of such Lands Tenements or Hereditaments or their Executors or Administrators and therein to recover full Damages for the Profits of the same received from the Time that such Infant Married Woman or other Person having any Estate or Interest determinable upon such Life were seized of the Possession of such Lands Tenements or Hereditaments

\* This is Chapter XVIII. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

\* inserted in the Roll.

(\*) *Provided always* That if any such Guardian Trustee Husband or other Person or Persons holding or having any Estate or Interest determinable upon the Life or Lives of any other Person or Persons shall by Affidavit or otherwise to the Satisfaction of the said Court of Chancery make appear that he she or they have used his her or their utmost Endeavours to procure such Infant Married Woman or other Person or Persons on whose Life or Lives such Estate or Interest doth depend to appear in the said Court of Chancery or elsewhere according to the Order of the said Court in that Behalf made and that he she or they cannot procure or compel such Infant Married Woman or other Person or Persons so to appear and that such Infant Married Woman or other Person or Persons on whose Life or Lives such Estate or Interest doth depend is or were living at the Time of such Return made and filed as aforesaid then it shall be lawful for such Person or Persons to continue in the Possession of such Estate and receive the Rents and Profits thereof for and during the Infancy of such Infant and the Life or Lives of such Married Woman or other Person or Persons on whose Life or Lives such Estate or Interest doth or shall depend as fully as he she or they might have done if this Act had not been made.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person who as Guardian or Trustee for any Infant and every Husband when in Right of his Wife only and every other Person having any Estate determinable upon any Life or Lives who after the Determination of such particular Estate or Interest without the express Consent of him her or them who are or shall be next and immediately entitled upon and after the Determination of such particular Estate or Interest shall hold over and continue in Possession of any Manner Messuages Lands Tenements or Hereditaments shall be and are hereby adjudged to be Trespassers and that every Person and Persons his her and their Executors and Administrators who are or shall be entitled to any such Manner Messuages Lands Tenements and Hereditaments upon or after the Determination of such particular Estate or Interest shall and may recover in Damages against every such Person or Persons so holding over as aforesaid and against his her or their Executors or Administrators the full Value of the Profits received during such wrongful Possession as aforesaid.

IV  
Provided the  
Guardian, &c. who  
shall make it appear  
that the Infant  
has been seduced  
procure the appearance  
of such Infant  
and Trustee for Life

V.  
Guardian, Trustee,  
&c. holding  
over without con-  
sent of Remainder  
Man, &c. deemed  
Trespassers.

Damages

#### CHAPTER LXXIII. (\*)

AN ACT for continuing the Half Subsidies therein mentioned with several Impositions and other Duties to raise Money by Way of Loan for the Service of the War and other Her Majesties necessary and important Occasions and for charging of Prizes Goods and Salvages and for taking off the Drawbacks of Foreign Carriages and to obviate the clandestine Importation of Wrought Silks.

**M**OST GRACIOUS Sovereign We Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects the Commons of Great Britain in Parliament assembled duly considering the Necessity of making an ample and complete Provision to enable Your Majesty to carry on the present War and to defray Your other necessary Expenses here for this End and Purpose cheerfully and unanimously given and granted and do by this Act give and grant to Your Majesty the several and respective Subsidies Impositions and Duties herein after particularly described for and during the Term herein after expressed that is to say Whereas several Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties and Sums of Money upon Wines Goods and other Merchandises were given and granted unto His late Majesty King Charles the Second of blessed Memory for His Life by an Act of Parliament made in the Twelfth Year of His Reign (intituled A Statute granted to the King of Tonnage and Poundage and other Sums of Money payable upon Merchandises exported and imported) and by the Book of Rates therewith annexed which Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties and Sums of Money upon Wines Goods and Merchandises as well exported as imported (with some Alterations) were by several subsequent Acts of Parliament granted to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and ten and by an Act of Parliament made in the Fifth Year of Your Majesties Reigns (intituled An Act for continuing several Subsidies Impositions and Duties and for making Provisions therein mentioned to raise Money by way of Loan for the Service of the War and other Her Majesties necessary and important Occasions and for securing the Wine-Measures) the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties and Sums of Money last-mentioned were annexed to continue and be payable to Your Majesty for and upon all Wines Goods and Merchandises which should be imported at any Time or Times between the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and two and the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve (Now we Your Majesties most dutiful and loyal Subjects do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by Authority of the same That over and above all other Subsidies additional Duties Impositions and Payments whatsoever by any former or other Act or Acts of Parliament or other wise howsoever already due or payable or which might be paid to Her Majesty for or upon any Wines Goods or Merchandises whatsoever imported or to be imported there shall be raised levied collected paid and received unto Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors for and upon all Wines Goods and Merchandises which at any Time or Times from and after the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and twelve and before the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen shall be imported or brought into Great Britain One Moleys or Half Part of such

Ext. Part.  
6 Ann. p. 3. c. 9.

Revised list

12 Geo. II. c. 4.  
17.

continued by Stat.  
6 Ann. c. 10.

Half Subsidies  
continued from  
1st July 1707, to  
1st Aug. 1711

\* inserted in the Original Act in Two separate Schedules.

\* This is Chapter XIX. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions

except Goods  
imported by  
former Acts.

II.  
The same Draw-  
backs to be  
allowed as by the  
said Act of June  
1707 and former  
Acts.

Former Powers  
renewed.

and the like several and respective Subsidies Duties and Sums of Money as by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign are charged or payable within or during the Terms thereby granted or limited for or upon the like imported Wines Goods and Merchandises respectively except such Goods and other Merchandises as by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign or by any Law now in force are exempted from the Payment of the Subsidies or Duties which were first granted in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second as aforesaid.

And it is hereby enacted That in all Cases where by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign or by any Act relating thereto any Drawbacks or Allowances are to be made of the Whole or any Part of the Duties thereby imposed on any Wines Goods or Merchandises whatsoever these shall be in the like Cases proportional Drawbacks and Allowances made of the Whole or Part of the Duties by this Act imposed upon the same Wines Goods and Merchandises respectively and that the several Subsidies and Duties by this Act granted during the Continuance thereof shall be raised collected levied assessed and paid within and throughout the Kingdom of Great Britain by the same Ways Means and Methods and under such Provisions and Forfeitures and with such Allowances and subject to such Rules and Directions as is and by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign or by any other Act or Acts therein referred unto are prescribed or appointed for the raising collecting levying assessing and paying the said Subsidies and Duties granted by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign during the Continuance thereof and that every Article Rule and Clause contained in the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign or in any Act or Acts of Parliament therein mentioned or thereby referred unto for raising collecting levying assessing and paying the said Subsidies and Duties thereby granted during the Continuance thereof are and shall be by Force of this Act revived and shall be used exercised and put in practice for the raising levying collecting and assessing the Subsidies and Duties granted or imposed by this present Act during the Continuance thereof and all Arrangements of the same from time to time as fully and effectually as if the same Articles Rules and Clauses and every of them were again particularly and at large recited and contained in the Body of this present Act except only as to such of the said Articles Rules and Clauses touching which other Provisions Alterations or Exceptions are made by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in being which other Provisions Alterations or Exceptions shall be observed with respect to the Duties hereby granted during the Continuance of this Act in the same Manner as they are to be observed with respect to the said Subsidies formerly granted as aforesaid.

III.  
Duties on Wines  
and Vinegar of  
Great Britain II s 3  
continued from  
25th July 1713 to  
1st August 1714.

The said Act is  
revived.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Impositions and Duties upon Wines and Vinegar granted by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King James the Second (intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty an Imposition upon all Wines and Vinegar imported between the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand six hundred eighty five and the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand six hundred ninety three which said Act by several subsequent Acts of Parliament since made was continued and is to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve shall by virtue of this Act be further continued to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and twelve to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen and no longer And that the said Act so made in the First Year of the Reign of the said late King James the Second and all Powers Provisions Penalties Articles and Clauses therein contained for or concerning the said Impositions on Wines and Vinegar shall continue and be in full Force and Effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen and shall be applied practised and executed for raising levying collecting assessing and paying the said Duties upon Wines and Vinegar hereby continued and all Accrues thereof according to the Tenor and Intent of the present Act as fully to all Intents and Purposes as if all and every the Clauses Matters and Things in the said Act of the First Year of the Reign of the said King James the Second contained had been again in this Act repeated and particularly enacted.

IV.  
Duties on Tobacco  
of Great Britain II s 4  
continued to  
1st Aug. 1714.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Rates Duties and Impositions upon all Sorts of Tobacco granted by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of the said late King James the Second (intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty an Imposition upon all Tobacco and Sugar imported between the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand six hundred eighty five and the Twenty fourth Day of June One thousand six hundred ninety three) which said Act as for and concerning the said Duties and Impositions upon Tobacco only by several subsequent Acts of Parliament since made was continued and is to continue until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and paid to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and twelve to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen and no longer.

V.  
And he is further  
enacted by the  
said Act of the  
5th and 6th of  
July 1707, III c. 22.

Parliament always and he is enacted and declared by the Authority aforesaid That the said Duty upon Tobacco which shall be imposed during the Times by this Act limited and all Accrues thereof shall be secured collected raised levied assessed and paid to Her Majesty in such Manner and with such Discretion and Allowances and according to such Rules and Directions as are mentioned referred to or prescribed as to the Duties or Impositions upon Tobacco in and by the Act made in the Parliament holden in the Seventh Year of the Reign of King

William the Third (of glorious Memory) intended An Act for continuing several Duties granted by former Acts upon Wine Vinegar and upon Tobacco and East India Goods and other Merchandises imported for carrying on the War against France) and not otherwise.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several additional and other Rates Impositions Duties and Charges upon the several Sorts of Goods and Merchandises granted by an Act made in the Second Year of the Reign of King William the Third and Queen Mary (intituled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain Impositions upon all East India Goods and Manufactures and upon all Wrought Silks and several other Goods and Merchandises to be imported after the First and twentieth Day of May One thousand six hundred and ninety and which thereby and by several subsequent Acts of Parliament already made have Continuance until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve shall be further continued to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and twelve to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen and no longer and that the said Act made in the Second Year of Their said late Majesties Reign concerning East India Goods and other Things therein charged and all Powers Provisions Penalties Articles and Clauses therein contained shall continue and be of full Force and Effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen and shall be applied practised and executed for the raising levying collecting answering and paying the said respective Duties hereby continued and all Arrears thereof according to the Tenor and Intent of this present Act as fully and to all Intents and Purposes as if the said last mentioned Act and all [and] every the Clauses Matters and Things therein contained had been again repeated and particularly enacted except only as to such Part of the said Act concerning the said Impositions on White Vinegar Tobacco East India Goods and other Merchandises imported touching which other Provisions or Alterations are made by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in being which other Provisions or Alterations are to be observed and to continue during the Continuance of this present Act and the said Act (intituled An Act for continuing several Duties granted by former Acts upon Wine and Vinegar and upon Tobacco and East India Goods and other Merchandises imported for carrying on the War against France) and every Article Clause Matter and Thing therein contained for the raising levying collecting answering and paying the Impositions and Duties on the Merchandises and Commodities thereby charged and which are by this Act continued shall be of full Force and Effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the additional and other Rates Duties and Impositions and Charges upon the several Sorts of Goods and Merchandises granted by an Act of Parliament made in the Fourth Year of Their said late Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for granting to Their Majesties certain additional Impositions upon several Goods and Merchandises for prosecuting the present War against France) which by several subsequent Acts of Parliament already made have Continuance until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve shall by virtue of this Act be further continued and be paid and payable to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and twelve to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen and no longer and that the said Act last mentioned and all Powers Provisions Penalties Articles and Clauses therein contained (except as hereinafter is excepted and provided) as far and concerning the said Rates Duties and Impositions shall continue and be of full Force and Effect until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen and shall be applied practised and executed for the raising levying collecting answering and paying the said Duties hereby continued and all Arrears thereof according to the Tenor and Intent of this present Act as if the said last mentioned Act and all and every the Clauses Matters and Things therein contained had been again repeated and particularly enacted in this present Act.

Provided also That in all Cases where any other Provision or Alteration is made by any Act or Acts of Parliament now in being in or about any other Matter or Thing contained in the said Act of Parliament for the Impositions last mentioned such other Provisions or Alterations shall be observed during the Continuance of the Term hereby granted Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

And it is hereby further enacted That the several Impositions and Duties for and upon all Whale Fish imposed which by an Act of Parliament in the Ninth Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third (intituled An Act for taking away Half the Duties imposed on Glass Wares and the whole Duties lately laid on Stone and Earthen Wares and Tobacco Pipes and for granting in lieu thereof new Duties on Whale Fish and Scotch Linen) were granted to His said late Majesty King William and by subsequent Acts already passed have Continuance until the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve shall and are hereby continued to Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors from the last Day of July One thousand seven hundred and twelve to the First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen and no longer and shall be raised levied collected and paid in such Manner and Form and by such Ways and Means and under such Penalties as are mentioned in the said Act for granting the said Impositions on Whale Fish and Scotch Linen which Act with all the Powers Provisions Penalties Articles and Clauses therein contained or thereby referred to shall continue and be in full Force until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and fourteen and shall be

VI.  
Duties on East  
India Goods,  
Wrought Silks,  
&c. of 1691.  
2 W. & M.  
Ann. c. 4.  
continued to the  
1st Aug. 1714.

and the said Stat.  
2 W. & M.  
Ann. c. 4.  
continued until the  
1st Aug. 1714.

but where Pro-  
visions as to Im-  
positions on Wine,  
Vinegar, &c.  
which Act to  
continue during  
Stat. 2 A. & W. 11.  
c. 15. and the Act.

VII.  
Additional Imposi-  
tions of a W. &  
M. c. 15. continued  
to 1st Aug. 1714.

The said Act  
(excepted)  
continued and  
16 Aug. 1714.

VIII.  
Proviso for new  
Provisions and  
Alterations.

IX.  
Duties on Whale  
Fish of 1691  
2 W. III. c. 4.  
continued to 1st  
Aug. 1714.

To be read as by  
the said Act.



applied granted and put in Execution for raising and levying the said Duties on Whale Fin hereby confirmed and all Annures thereof as fully and effectually as if all the Charter Masters and Things therein contained concerning the said Duties on Whale Fin were repealed and again enacted in the Body of this present Act.

2.  
Reasons for passing  
this Enactment.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 27.

After the Principal,  
to be charged by  
Stat. 6 Ann. c. 27,  
shall be discharged,  
the said Duties,  
to be appropriated  
for the Use of the  
Act.  
Stat. 12 Geo. II.  
c. 4.

Stat. 7 & 8 W. III.  
c. 25.

Stat. 8 & 9 W. III.  
c. 24.

Declaration of Her  
Majesty, 1711 June,  
1 Ann.

Recital of Stat.  
7 & 8 Ann. c. 12

French Prize Wine  
and Spirits 10 pcy  
41s per Ton.

AND whereas the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and the said other Duties granted therewith in the said Twelfth Year of King Charles the Second as aforesaid as to Wines Goods and Merchandises imposed and the said Impositions on Wine Vinegar and Tobacco which were first granted to King James the Second in the First Year of His Reign and the said Impositions on East India Goods and other Goods charged therewith which were first granted to Their late Majesties King William and Queen Mary in the Second Year of Their Reign and the said additional Impositions which were first granted to Them in the Fourth Year of Their Reign and the said Duties on Whale Fin imposed which were granted to His said late Majesty King William in the Ninth Year of His Reign were by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for continuing several Subsidies Impositions and Duties and for making Provisions therein mentioned to raise Money by Way of Loan for the Service of the War and other Her Majesties necessary and important Occasions and for securing the Wine Monies) continued as aforesaid until the said First Day of August One thousand seven hundred and twelve in the Manner therein mentioned and are by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign made subject and liable to the Satisfaction of the Principal and Interest Monies therein mentioned which are to be paid and discharged in the first Place out of the Subsidies Impositions and Duties granted or continued by the Act last mentioned Now it is hereby further declared and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and immediately after the Time that all the Principal and Interest Monies which by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign are charged upon the several Subsidies Duties and Impositions last mentioned shall be fully paid off and satisfied or that sufficient Money shall be reserved in the Exchequer for that Purpose then all the Monies which shall from thenceforth arise by One Moiety or Half Part of the said Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wines Goods and Merchandises imposed (which were first comprehended in the said Act of the Twelfth Year of King Charles the Second) and all the Monies which from and after such Payment made or receiving Money to discharge all such Principal and Interest as aforesaid shall arise by the said Impositions upon [Wine] Vinegar Tobacco East India Goods and other Goods therewith charged and by the said additional Impositions on Goods and Merchandises and by the said Duties upon Whale Fin for the Remainder of the Term hereafter granted and therein then to come and unexpired (except the necessary Charges of raising levying collecting and accounting for the same) shall from time to time be paid into the Receipt of the Exchequer distinctly for the Purposes in this present Act expressed and for no other Use Intend or Purpose whatsoever

AND whereas all Wines of the Growth and Product of France or of any Dominions under the French King are by several Laws and Statutes liable to the Payment of several Duties upon the Importation thereof and particularly by an Act of Parliament made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty King William the Third (intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty an additional Duty upon all French Goods and Merchandises) it was enacted (amongst other Things) that for every Ton of French Wine imported within the Time therein mentioned there should be paid Twenty five Pounds above the Duties before charged thereupon but by another Act made in the Eighth Year of the same Kings Reign (intituled An Act for granting to His Majesty a further Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage upon Merchandises imported for the Term of Two Years and Three Quarters and an additional Land Tax for One Year for carrying on the War against France) it was provided that nothing in the said Act of the Seventh Year of His said late Majesty Reign should charge any Merchandise of the Growth of France which should be bona fide sold or taken and condemned as Prize with any further or other Duties (than\*) what they were or ought to have been charged withal before the making of the Act last mentioned and Her Majesty by Her Royal Declaration bearing Date the First Day of June in the First Year of Her Reign for the Encouragement of Her Ships of War and Privateers was pleased to subject all Ships Vessels and Goods which should be taken and condemned as lawful Prize to the Payment of such Customs and Duties only as are therein mentioned And Whence by an Act made in the Second Year of Her Majesties Reign (intituled An Act for granting to Her Majesty an additional Subsidy of Tonnage and Poundage for Three Years and for laying a further Duty upon French Wines condemned as lawful Prize and for securing the Values of wrecked Goods imported from the East Indies) it was enacted that for every Ton of any Wines of the Growth or Product of France or of any Dominions under the French King seized or taken or to be seized or taken by any Her Majesties Ships or by any Privateers or otherwise and which at any Time or Times during the Term of Three Years which commenced from the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and three should be condemned or adjudged as lawful Prize there should be paid to Her Majesty the Sum of Fifteen Pounds over and above the Duties before that Time charged thereupon without Deduction and so proportionally for a greater or lesser Quantity which Duty of Fifteen Pounds per Ton expired on the Eighth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six Now it is hereby enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for every Ton of any Wine of the Growth or Product of France or of any Dominions under the French King seized or taken or to be seized or taken by any Her Majesties Ships or by any Privateers or otherwise and which at any Time or Times from and after the Fifth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven during the present War shall be condemned or adjudged as lawful Prize and for every Ton of any Wines of the Growth or Product of France

\* Wines O.

\* there O.

or of any Denominations under the French King which after the said Fifteenth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven during the said present War shall be seized and condemned for unlawful Importation or for being brought into any Part of Great Britain by Collection there shall be paid to the Queens Majesty the Sum of Five and twenty Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain without Deduction and so proportionably for a greater or lesser Quantity.

And it is hereby declared That (ever and above the said Duty of Five and twenty Pounds per Ton on Prize-Wines by this Act imposed) all Ships Vessels Wines and other Goods and Merchandises which shall be taken from the Enemy and condemned as lawful Prize and all Wines Goods and Merchandises which shall be seized and condemned for unlawful Importation or for being brought in by Collection as aforesaid during the present War shall be subject and liable to such or the like Customs and Duties to which Ships Goods and Merchandises taken and condemned as Prize were subjected or intended to be subjected by Her Majesties Declaration aforesaid And that all the Duties by this Act chargeable upon Ships Wines Goods and Merchandises taken or seized as aforesaid shall and may be demand and satisfied out of the net Proceed of such respective Prizes and Securities upon Sale of the same and if any net Proceed or Securities shall not be sufficient by its net Produce to answer all the said Duties thereupon then the said net Produce shall be applied [proportionately] towards discharging the said Duties so far as the said Produce will extend thereto and so much as shall arise by this Act of or for the said Duty of Five and twenty Pounds per Ton upon Wines taken or seized as aforesaid shall be applied towards Payment of the Principal and Interest to be borrowed upon this Act and the rest of the Money arising by the said Duties upon such Prizes or Securities as aforesaid shall be apportioned and vent to the same several Uses and Purposes whatsoever the like Duties upon the like Goods or Merchandises imposed are applicable by virtue of the [several] Laws relating thereto.

And for encouraging the Manufacture of Cordage in Great Britain be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That Foreign Cordage or Cable Yarn imported or to be imported into Great Britain upon Exportation thereof at any Time as Yarns from or after the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight for any Part beyond the Seas shall have no Allowance or Drawback of any Duties paid or secured by this or any other Acts Laws or Statutes whatsoever upon the Importation thereof Any thing in this or any other Act or Acts of Parliament or any other Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary notwithstanding.

And whereas notwithstanding the several Laws now in force for preventing of clandestine Importation of Foreign Goods great Quantities of Wrought Silks mixed with Gold and Silver and other Silks some of late been imported contrary to Law to the great Prejudice of the Manufactures of this Kingdom: For Remedy thereof be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight all and every such Person and Persons whatsoever who shall secretly or clandestinely import bring or convey into this Kingdom any Wrought Silk or Silks mixed with Gold or Silver or any other Materials and all and every their Aides Abettors and Assistants shall for every such Offence forfeit Two hundred Pounds over and above the Penalties to which the same are liable by any Laws now in force and the Person or Persons in whose Custody or Possession such Silks shall be found or who shall sell or offer the same to Sale knowing thereof and all and every Person or Persons who shall conceal such Silks with intent to prevent the Forfeiture of the same shall over and above the Loss of the said Silks for every such Offence forfeit One hundred Pounds One Moiety thereof to the Queens Majesty Her Heirs and Successors the other Moiety to such Person or Persons as shall sue for the same to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plea or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no Express Privilege Protection or Wager of Law shall be allowed nor any more than One Imparance.

And be it further enacted That all such Silks so forfeited as aforesaid in that Part of Great Britain called England shall be sold at the Custom House at London by Inch of Candle to the highest Bidder and such of them as shall be so forfeited as aforesaid in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland shall be sold at the Custom House in Edinburgh in like Manner and not otherwise.

Provided also and it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for any Person or Persons Natural or Foreignen Bodies Politick or Corporate to advance or lend to Her Majesty at the Receipt of Her Majesties Exchequer as well upon Credit of the several Subsidies Impositions and Duties by this Act granted or continued as also upon Credit of the Monies which by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reiga after Satisfaction of the Principal and Interest thereupon as aforesaid shall arise by the Subsidies Impositions and Duties thereby granted any Summ which shall not exceed in the whole Seven hundred twenty nine thousand six hundred and thirty five Pounds Shillings and Six Pence Three Farthings for the Service of the War and other Her Majesties Occasions And moreover the Treasurer of the Exchequer for the Time being or any Three or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being are hereby authorized and directed to cause the Officers of the said Receipt of Exchequer to receive from time to time by Way of Loan from any Person or Persons Bodies Politick or Corporate willing to make the same at the said Receipt any further Sum and Summ of Money over and above the said Summ of Seven hundred twenty nine thousand six hundred thirty five Pounds Shillings and Six Pence Three Farthings as shall be sufficient to make good the Payment of all the Interest

## XII.

Over and above the Duty of this Act, Ships, but taken as Prize, this shall be in the like Manner as by Her Majesty's Declaration.

to be paid out of the net Proceed upon Sale.

If not sufficient, this to be applied proportionately, &c.

## XIII.

Foreign Cordage, as exported, is here no drawback.

## XIV.

Clandestinely importing Wrought Silks, &c.

Proby

selling and conveying.

Proby of 100.

## XV.

Forfeited Silks sold at Custom House.

## XVI.

Charge of Loan for aforesaid 170.

and for a further Sum for making good the interest thereon.

\* proportionately O.

\* inserted in the Roll.

Monies appointed or allowed by this Act every Three Months until the said Subsidies Impositions and Duties arising by this or the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign or either of them first happening shall come into the Exchequer and be sufficient for that Purpose pursuant to the tenor and Meaning of this Act and that all the Lenders as well of the said Sum not exceeding Sixteen hundred twenty nine thousand six hundred Pounds fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Three Farthings as of the said further Sums for making good the Payments of the immediate Interest as aforesaid shall have and receive Interest for the Forbearance thereof after the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum and that no Money to be lent upon the Security of this Act shall be taxed rated or assessed by any Act of Parliament whatsoever.

at six per Cent  
per Ann. Taxable

XVII.  
Tallies and Orders  
to be struck, &c.

And it is hereby further enacted That all and every Person or Persons who shall lend any Money upon such Credits as aforesaid and pay the same into the said Receipt of Exchequer shall immediately have a Talley of Loan struck for the same and an Order for his her or their Repayment bearing the same Date with his her or their Talley in or upon which Order shall be also contained a Warranty for Payment of Interest for the Forbearance thereof at the Rate aforesaid and to be paid every Three Months until the Repayment of the Principal

payable every  
Three Months.

XVIII.  
Orders to be  
registered and paid  
in course, &c.

And that all such Orders for Repayment of Money to be lent shall be registered in course according to the Date respectively without other Preference of One before another and that all and every Person and Persons shall be paid in course according as their Credits shall stand registered in the said Register Book so as the said Person Lender or Foreigner his her or their Executors Administrators Successors or Assigns who shall have his her or their Order or Orders first entered in the said respective Books of Register shall be taken and accounted the first Person to be paid out of the Monies to come in by this Act and he she or they who shall have his her or their Order or Orders next entered shall be taken and accounted to be the second Person to be paid and so successively and in course

XIX.  
The said Duties  
and those of Great  
Britain & 17.  
(Exemption)  
shall be paid by the  
said Lender.

And that the Monies to come in of or for the several Subsidies Impositions or Duties by this Act granted or confirmed as aforesaid and also the Monies which by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesties Reign (after Satisfaction of the Principal and Interest thereupon as aforesaid) shall arise by the Subsidies Impositions and Duties thereby granted as aforesaid (except the said Duties to arise by Prizes and Seizures other than the Duty of Five and twenty Pounds per Ton before mentioned) shall be liable in the same Order to the Satisfaction of the Monies to be lent as aforesaid to the respective Parties their Executors Administrators Successors and Assigns respectively without undue Preference of one before another and not otherwise and shall not be diverted or disburseable to any other Use Intake or Purpose whatsoever and that no Fee Reward or Gracuity directly or indirectly be demanded or taken of any Her Majesties Subjects for providing or making of any such Books or Registers or any Entries Views or Search in or for Payment of Money lent or the Interest thereof as aforesaid by any of Her Majesties Officers or Officers their Clerks or Deputies on Pain of Payment of Treble Damages to the Party grieved by the Party offending with Treble Costs of Suit or if the Officer himself take or demand any such Fee or Reward then to lose his Place also

without undue  
Preference of  
One, &c.

Penalty.

XX.  
Undue Preference,  
Penalty on Officers  
or Deputies

And if any undue Preference of one before another shall be made either in point of Registry or Payment contrary to the true Meaning of this Act by any such Officer or Officers then the Party offending shall be liable by Action of Debt or on the Case to pay the Value of the Debt with Damages and Costs to the Party grieved and shall be forfeigned of his Place or Office and if such Preference be lawfully made by any his Deputy or Clerk without Direction or Privy of his Master then such Deputy or Clerk only shall be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs and shall be for ever incapable of his Place and Office

XXI.

And in case the Auditor of the Receipt shall not direct or the Clerk of the Peils record or the Teller make Payment according to such Persons due Place and Order as before directed then he or they shall be adjudged to forfeit and the respective Deputies and Clerks therein offending to be liable to such Action Debt Damages and Costs in such Manner as aforesaid All which said Penalties Forfeitures Damages and Costs to be incurred by any of the Officers of the Exchequer or any their Deputies or Clerks shall and may be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Sub or Information in any of Her Majesties Courts of Record at Westminster wherein no English Protection Privilege or Wager of Law Imposition or Order of Retraint shall in any wise be granted or allowed.

XXII.  
Tallies bearing  
Date the same  
Day, at value  
Preferred.

Provided always and he it hereby declared That if it happen that several Tallies of Loan or Orders for Payment as aforesaid bear Date or be bought the same Day to the Auditor of the Receipt to be registered then it shall be interpreted no undue Preference which of those be entered first so as he enters them all the same Day.

XXIII.  
No Priority of  
Auditors direct  
Payments, &c.

Provided also That it shall not be interpreted any undue Preference to incur any Penalty in point of Payment if the Auditor direct and the Clerk of the Peils record and the Tellers do pay subsequent Orders to Persons due come and demand their Monies and bring their Orders before other Persons that did not come to take their

Monies and being their Orders as to as there be no such Money reserved as will suffice persons Orders which shall not be otherwise disposed but kept for them Inmost upon Loan being to come from the Time the Money is so reserved and kept in Bank for them.

And be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons to whom any Monies shall be due for Loans to be repaid by virtue of this Act after Order entered in the Book of Registry as aforesaid his Executors Administrators or Assigns by proper Writs of Assignment to be endorsed and written upon his Order may assign or transfer his Right Title Interest and Benefit of such Order or any Part thereof to any other which being notified in the Office of the Auditor of the Receipts aforesaid and an Entry or Memorial thereof also made in the Book of Registry aforesaid for Orders (which the Officer shall upon Request without Fee or Charge accordingly make) shall enable such Assignee his Executors Administrators and Assigns to the Receipt thereof and Payment thereof: And such Assignee may in like Manner assign again and so often again and afterwards it shall not be in the Power of such Person or Persons who have or hath made such Assignment to make void release and discharge the same or any the Monies thereby due or any Part thereof.

XXIV.  
Orders assignable.

Memorial

Assignee may assign

And whereas in and by the Act of the Fifth Year of Her said Majesty's Reign a Credit was given for any Sum not exceeding Eight hundred twenty two thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Farthing to be borrowed at an Interest after the Rate of Six Pounds per Centum per Annum upon the several Subsidies Impositions and Duties in that Act mentioned And the Lord High Treasurer or any Times or more of the Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being are thereby authorized and directed to cause the Officers of the Exchequer to receive from time to time by Way of Loan at the like Interest at the said Receipt any further Sum [or] Sums of Money over and above the said Sum of Eight hundred twenty two thousand three hundred eighty one Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Six Pence Farthing as should be sufficient to make good the Payment of all the Interest Monies appointed or allowed by that Act every Three Months until the Subsidies Impositions and Duties therein mentioned should come into the Exchequer and be sufficient for that Purpose pursuant to the Interest and true Meaning of that Act: Now it is hereby provided and enacted by the Authority aforesaid That nothing in this Act contained shall extend or be construed to extend to the taking away abating or limiting the said Power and Direction of borrowing [Monies] to make good the Payment of the said Interest every Three Months until the said Subsidies Impositions and Duties in the said recited Act mentioned shall come in and be sufficient for that Purpose as aforesaid or in any wise to alter or prejudice the Security given by the said Act of the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign for the Repayment or Satisfaction of the same or any other the Principal and Interest Monies which were secured or intended to be secured by that Act ('') that the Orders for the same shall be registered in course and paid in the same Manner as if this Act had never been made this present Act or any thing therein contained or any other Matter or Thing whatsoever to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

XXV.  
Record of Debt  
6 Ann. c. 23.

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The Power of borrowing and Security given by the said Stat. are limited by this Act.

And be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Monies lent and to be lent unto Her Majesty on one Act of this Session of Parliament (intituled An Act for granting an Aid to Her Majesty to be raised by a Land Tax in Great Britain for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight) and so much Money (if any such be) of the Tax thereby granted as shall arise and remain (after all the Loans made or to be made upon that Act and the Interest thereof and the Charges thereby allowable for raising the said Tax shall be repaid or Money sufficient shall be reserved to discharge the same: And all the Monies lent and to be lent unto Her Majesty upon one other Act of this Session of Parliament (intituled An Act for changing and continuing the Duties upon Salt Mast Cyder and Perry for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight) and so much Money of the said Duties of Salt Mast Cyder and Perry thereby granted as shall arise and remain after all the Loans made or to be made upon that Act or thereby transferred or disposed to be transferred therewith and the Interest thereof and the Charges thereby allowable for raising the said Duties thereby granted shall be satisfied or Monies sufficient shall be reserved to discharge the same: And the Sum not exceeding Five hundred and forty thousand Pounds stereotyped and intended to be raised by another Act of this Session of Parliament (intituled An Act for raising a further Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight and other Uses by Sale of Annuities charged on a Fund not exceeding Forty thousand Pounds per Annum to arise by appropriating several Surplusses and by granting further Terms in the Duties on Low Wines and on Hawkers Pedlars and Perry Chapman the Stamp Duties the One Third Subsidy the Duty on Sweets and One of the Branches of Excise and by making other Provision in that Act mentioned) And the Sum not exceeding One million and twenty thousand Pounds mentioned and intended to be raised by another Act of this Session of Parliament (intituled An Act for continuing One Half Part of the Subsidies of Tonnage and Poundage and other Duties upon Wines Goods and Merchandises imported which were granted to the Crown in the Twelfth Year of the Reign of King Charles the Second and for settling a Fund thereby and by other Ways and Means for Payment of Annuities not exceeding Eighty thousand Pounds per Annum to be sold for raising a Supply to Her Majesty for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight and other Uses therein expressed) And the Sum of One million two hundred thousand Pounds agreed to be advanced by the English Company trading to the East Indies pursuant to an Act of the Session of Parliament for settling the said English Company trading to the East Indies on account of the United Stock a longer Time in the Fund and Trade therein

XXVI.  
Monies lent upon  
Stat. 6 Ann. c. 23

and c. 24.

and all places by  
Stat. 6 Ann. c. 25

and all places by  
Stat. 6 Ann. c. 26.

and all places by  
Stat. 6 Ann. c. 27.

Company, pursuant  
to c. 1. s. 4. 1706  
and afterwards 1711  
1716. For this Act  
appropriated to  
service mentioned

mentioned And the Sum not exceeding Seven hundred twenty nine thousand and sixty seven Pounds Fifty Shillings and Six Pence Three Farthings intended to be raised on this present Act shall be appropriated toward and applied, and the same are hereby appropriated for or towards the several Uses and Purposes herein after expressed (that is to say)

For or towards the defraying the Charge of the Ordinary of His Majesties Navy and for Vessels Wagon Wear and Tear and other Services of the Navy and the Victualling thereof performed and to be performed and

For the Sea Service in the Office of the Ordnance performed and to be performed and

For or towards making of a Wharf and Storehouse at Portsmouth and

For or towards the Land Service performed and to be performed by the Office of Ordnance and

To and for Subsidies Off reckonings and Clearings for One Year from the Three and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and seven to His Majesties Guards and Garrison in Great Britain and the contiguous Charges of the same and

For Payment of Invalids for the said Year beginning from the said Three and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and seven and

For or towards the defraying the Charge of His Majesties Army and such Forces as are or shall be added thereto in the Low Countries or Germany within or for One Year to be reckoned from the said Three and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and seven and the contingent Charges thereunto belonging and

For or towards His Majesties Proportion of the Charge of Three thousand Palatine formerly taken into the Service of Her Majesty and the States General for the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight and

For or towards His Majesties Proportion of the Charge of Four thousand six hundred thirty nine Saxons formerly taken into the Service of Her Majesty and the States General for the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight and

For or towards His Majesties Proportion of the Charge of Bohemian Regiment of Dragoons consisting of Eight hundred Men formerly taken into the Service of Her Majesty and the States General for the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight and

For maintaining His Majesties established Forces at arms in Spain and Portugal including the Pay of General Officers and the Charge of Contingencies and

For Forage Wagon Money and Baggage Money and

For the Charge of the Garrison of Gibraltar and

For the Augmentation of Her Majesties Forces in order to strengthen the Army of the Duke of Savoy

For making good the Alliance with the King of Portugal and

For the official carrying on the War for Recovery of the Spanish Monarchy to the House of Austria and

For or towards the Payment of His Majesties Proportion of the Subsidies due upon Taxes made or to be made with His Majesties Allies and other Charges for the Service of the War for any Time before or until the Five and twentieth Day of December One thousand seven hundred and eight and

For the Payment of a Year and a Quarter Interest further on the unsatisfied Debentures charged upon the Irish Forfeiture and

For or towards the Transportation of Land Forces performed and to be performed and

For or towards discharging the Penalties and other Charges for circulating for another Year the Bills commonly called the Exchequer Bills which were issued before the last Session of Parliament and

For or towards the paying of an extraordinary Subsidy to the Duke of Savoy for special Service in prosecuting the War against France in the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven and

For or towards the making good of a Sum not exceeding Twenty two thousand nine hundred fifty seven Pounds Two Shillings to complete the Sum of Forty two thousand nine hundred fifty seven Pounds Two Shillings for an additional Subsidy to the Landgrave of Hesse Cassell for augmenting his Troops and enrolling them into Italy and for defraying their Expense of Bead Waggon and Carriages and of Hospitals for their Sick and Wounded for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and seven and

For or towards the making good a Sum not exceeding Twelve thousand two hundred eighty four Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Eight pence Half pence to defray the Charge of the Fortifications and other Service of the Garrison at Gibraltar in the Year One thousand seven hundred and six and to no other Uses Intents or Purposes whatsoever

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1798. 1799. 1800.

Parliament always That out of the Monies to be issued to the Guards and Garrison as aforesaid there shall and may be taken and applied any Sum not exceeding Eighty seven thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds and Ten Shillings towards the Charge of maintaining the Soldiers raised and to be raised for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges thereunto belonging and out of the Monies to be issued for the Service of the Navy and Sea Service as aforesaid there shall be taken and applied such Sums as together with the said Sums not exceeding Eighty seven thousand one hundred twenty five Pounds and Ten Shillings shall be necessary for the Charge of maintaining the said Soldiers for Sea Service with their Officers and the contingent Charges thereunto belonging Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

CHAPTER LXXIV.<sup>(1)</sup>

AN ACT for continuing an Act made in the Third Year of Her Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and false Monitors and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters.

*See Post  
5 Ann. c. 7. p. 10.*

*Reason for passing  
the Act*

*Stat. 2 & 4 Ann.  
c. 10.*

*continued by Stat.  
4 & 5 Ann. c. 10.*

*and by Stat.  
6 Ann. c. 10.*

*The said Stat.  
2 & 4 Ann. c. 10  
repealed.*

*II.  
Officers in Pay  
and Soldiers listed  
under Stat. 2 & 3  
Ann. c. 10. and  
c. 11. 1702, subject  
to the Rules, Acts  
of the said Stat.  
2 & 4 Ann. c. 10.*

*III.  
Record of Stat.  
2 & 4 Ann. c. 10  
c. 11.*

*If Justice upon  
Matters do not  
attend Matters,  
Commissary may  
proceed.*

*Each of these*

WHEREAS it is judged necessary that the Forces already raised should be continued and others raised for carrying on the present War and it being requisite for the retaining such Forces as well Officers as Soldiers in their Duty that an exact Discipline be observed and that Soldiers who shall mutiny and stir up Sedition or shall desert Her Majesty's Service be brought to a more exemplary and speedy Punishment than the usual Forces of the Law will allow and for that End in the Session of Parliament holden in the Third and Fourth Years of Her said Majesty's Reign an Act of Parliament was made and passed intituled An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and false Monitors and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters which Act was to continue and be in force from the Four and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and four until the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six And in and by one other Act made in the Session of Parliament held in the Fourth and Fifth Years of Her said Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for continuing an Act made in the Session held in the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and false Monitors and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters the said first recited Act was continued and to stand unaltered and be in force from and after the Four and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and five until the Five and twentieth Day of March in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven and in and by one other Act made in the Session of Parliament held in the Fifth Year of Her said Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for continuing an Act made in the Third and Fourth Years of Her Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and false Monitors and for the better Payment of the Army and Quarters the said first recited Act was continued and to stand unaltered and be in force from the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six to the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight and for the Ends and Purposes in the said first recited Act mentioned it is necessary to be further continued and to be again in force Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That all and every the Provisions Clauses Articles Matters and Things in the said first recited Act contained which were thereby enacted and to be in force from and after the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and four unto the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and six shall be and are hereby re-enacted and shall be observed performed practised and put in Use in all the Parts of Great Britain and Ireland in the same Manner and by the same Method Rules and Directions and under the like Penalties and Forfeitures and with such Powers and Authorities in all respects as in the said first recited Act are prescribed mentioned and expressed from the Four and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven to the Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and nine and during the said Time shall be of the same Force and Effect as if the several Clauses Matters and Things therein contained and specified were particularly and at large repeated in this present Act.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That any Person now being in Her Majesty's Service in the Army or mentioned as in Pay as an Officer or which have been listed or in Pay as a Soldier according to the Directions of an Act made in the Fourth and Fifth Years of Her Majesty's Reign intituled An Act for the better recruiting Her Majesty's Army and Marines or which shall or may be listed and in Pay as a Soldier according to the Directions of an Act passed in this Session of Parliament intituled An Act for the better recruiting Her Majesty's Land Forces and the Marines for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and eight shall be in all Respects subject to and under the same Powers Jurisdiction Authorities Rules and Directions Penalties and Forfeitures as are prescribed and mentioned enacted and contained in the said first recited Act touching or concerning any Person then being in Her Majesty's Service in the Army or mentioned as in Pay as an Officer or listed and in Pay as a Soldier according to the Directions of an Act passed in the same Session of Parliament intituled An Act for the better recruiting Her Majesty's Land Forces and the Marines for the Year One thousand seven hundred and five.

And whereas by the said first recited Act it is enacted That no Commissary shall assist any Forces within the City of Westminster Borough of Southwark and Liberties thereof but in the Presence of Two Justices of the Peace not being Officers of the Army under the Penalty mentioned in the said Act and although due Notice hath been given to Justices in order to their being present at such Matters yet several of them have neglected and others refused to come whereby the recruiting of such Regiments Troops and Companies have been delayed and hindered Be it therefore enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case such Justices of the Peace shall not upon Four eight Hours Notice given them attend such Matters that then such Commissary may proceed to raise such Regiment Troop or Company although such Justices do not attend without incurring the Penalty in the said Act Provided that Oath be made before any of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace within Forty eight Hours after such Notice was taken that such Notice was given to Six of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace residing within the City and Liberties aforesaid respectively.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chapter XX. of Acts in the Common printed Edition.

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Roll.

IV.  
High Constables  
An Act to amend  
the Statute in that  
behalf made, 14  
Edw. 3. c. 2.  
1320.

Forfeiture.

May be required of  
by Ten Jurors.

V.  
High Constables,  
or, in their  
Absence, the  
Justices of the  
Peace.

VI.  
Officers without  
Warrant of Justice  
breaching the  
Peace, by  
searching Houses,  
cellars, &c.

Statutes for  
the Relief of  
the Poor.

Statutes for  
the Relief of  
the Poor, made  
in the first Year  
of King Henry  
the Eighth.  
1534.

II.  
Persons for  
Offences at or  
before 24th March  
1707.

III.  
Power to the  
Queen during her  
Life to alter, &c.  
Statutes.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any High Constable or Petty Constable shall wilfully neglect or refuse to execute such Warrants of the Justice of the Peace as shall be directed to them pursuant to a Clause in the said Act of the Third and Fourth Year of Her Majesty's Reign for providing Carriages for Her Majesty's Forces in their Marches or any other Person or Persons whatsoever shall wilfully do any Act or Thing whereby the Execution of the said Warrants shall be hindered or frustrated every such Constable or other Person or Persons so offending shall for every such Offence forfeit any Sum not exceeding Forty Shillings nor less than Two Shillings to the Use of the Poor of the Parish where such Offence shall be committed and all and every such Offence and Offences shall and may be inquired of heard and finally determined by any Two or more of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace dwelling in or near the Place where such Offence shall be committed who have hereby Power to cause the said Penalty to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Offenders Goods and Chattle residing the Offenders if any be

And whereas several Constables within the City and Liberties of Westminster have refused and daily do refuse to quarter Her Majesty's Regiments of Foot Guards within the said City and Liberties (upon Pretence that the said Guards are not upon their March and consequently not included within the said Act) Be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the High Constables Petty Constables Headboroughs and Tithingmen within the said City and Liberties of Westminster and Places adjacent when lawfully required to billet and quarter the Officers and Soldiers of Her Majesty's said Regiments of Foot Guards (in such Houses only as by the said Act are named) in and about the said City and Liberties of Westminster and Places adjacent (except the City of London) during the Continuance of this Act.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That from and after the Twenty fourth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven every Commission Officer who shall without Warrant from One or more of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace (which said Warrants the said Justices or Justices are hereby empowered to grant) forcibly enter into or break open the Dwelling house or Out houses of any Person whatsoever under Pretence of searching for Debtors shall upon due Proof thereof be punished.

#### CHAPTER LXXV. (\*)

An Act for the settling of Doubts and Questions touching the Statutes of diverse Cathedral and Collegiate Churches.

WHEREAS several Doubts and Questions have arisen and may hereafter arise in relation to the Validity and Force of the Statutes of diverse Cathedral and Collegiate Churches founded by [King] Henry the Eighth of famous Memory which Doubts and Questions have been occasioned partly by a temporary Act of Parliament made in the First Year of the Reign of Queen Mary the First in relation to such Statutes made by the said late King Henry the Eighth and in order to deface the true and plain Ends and Designs of the said Foundations and partly by reason of the known Loss of many Records and Evidences during the late Rebellion in this Kingdom And whereas the said Doubts and Differences may in time not only turn to the great Disgrace and Prejudice of the said Foundations but may prove a scandalous Obstruction to the Peace Order good Government and Discipline of the Church unless some speedy and effectual Remedy be provided Be it therefore enacted and declared by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That in all Cathedral and Collegiate Churches founded by the said King Henry the Eighth such Statutes as have been usually received and practised in the Government of the same respectively since the late happy Reformation of King Charles the Second and to the Government whereof the Deans and Prebendaries and other Members of the said Churches from the said Time have used to be sworn at their Installments or Admissions shall be and shall be taken and adjudged to be good and valid in Law and shall be and be taken and adjudged to be the Statutes of the said Churches respectively nevertheless so far forth only as the same or any of them are in no Manner repugnant to or inconsistent with the Constitution of the Church of England as the same is now by Law established or the Laws of the Land

(\*) PROVIDED always and be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Person or Persons shall at any Time hereafter be liable to any Prosecution Censure or Punishment whatsoever for not having observed any of the Statutes hereby enacted and confirmed or for having done any thing contrary to the same as or before the Ninth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and seven Any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted That it shall and may be lawful for Her Majesty during Her Life (which God long preserve) from time to time as often as she shall think fit to make new Statutes and Ordinances for the said Cathedral and Collegiate Churches and for removing or settling the Local Violations of them or any of them in such Manner from time to time as to Her Majesty shall seem meet.

\* This is Chapter XXI. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Edition  
\* inserted in the Original Act as a separate Schedule

\* inserted in the Bill.

## CHAPTER LXXVI.

AN ACT for the better Amendment of that Way which leads from Chertill through Calce to Stedley Bridge in the County of Wilts.

See Part II. above, p. 2. & 34.

WHEREAS the Highway from Chertill leading through Quenford Common and the Town of Calce to Stedley Bridge in the County of Wilts in the Parish of Calce being above Three Miles in Length and the ancient and ancient Highway and Post Road from the City of London to the several Cities of Bath and Bristol and (')Southern Parts of Wales by reason of the many great and heavy Loads that are daily passing that Way and the Drugginess of the Soil is become very ruinous and dangerous to all Her Majesty's Subjects that pass that Way and for that the ordinary Course appointed by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm is not sufficient for the efficient repairing and mending of the same and that the Inhabitants of the said Parish have endeavoured all several Times there charged and levied but are not of Ability to repair the same without some other Provision be made for the repairing thereof May a please Your Majesty therefore that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That for the surveying ordering mending and keeping in Repair the said ruinous Part of the said Road the Justices of the Peace of the said County of Wilts or any Five of them shall and may at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the said County next after the First and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight and so from Year to Year as long as according to the true Intent and Meaning of this present Act there shall be Occasion of it nominate and appoint First at least sufficient and able Persons residing and inhabiting within the said Parish to which the said ruinous Part of the said Highway doth of Right belong to be the Surveyors of the said Highway from Chertill aforesaid to Stedley Bridge aforesaid for One Year from thence next coming and of such their Election shall give or cause to be given Notice at Writing to the Persons so nominated and appointed who within Fourteen Days after such their Election and Notice thereof given as is aforesaid shall meet at some convenient Place near to the said Highway to be appointed by the major Part of the said Surveyors to the intent to survey the said ruinous Place and to consider the Defects thereof and the best Method and Means that can be used for the repairing of the same and shall report or certify their Opinions thereof to the Justices of the Peace at the next General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be hold for the said County who shall thereupon make such Order or Orders in or about the same as to them shall seem reasonable and most effectual for the speedy Repair of the said Highway which said Order or Orders so to be made shall be observed and performed by the said Surveyors and all other Persons concerned in putting this Act in Execution

Reason for passing this Act.

Five Justices in Quarter Sessions may appoint Surveyors.

Notice of Appointment of Surveyors, who are within Fourteen Days to meet for the Purpose of this Act, to certify to Quarter Sessions. Proceedings thereon.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the several Surveyors so to be appointed as is aforesaid shall and may from time to time have access and do within any Parish or Place wherein any Part of the said ruinous Part of the said Highway doth lye the same Powers Authorities and Materials as to the mending of any Highway to the said Way among of Devises as digging for Stone Sand or Gravel for the Repair thereof in any Place of the said Parish as the Surveyors of the Highways of any Parish generally appointed by any Law or Statute now in force might exercise or do in Cases of the like Nature and where there is not sufficient Gravel Sand or Stones conveniently to be had within the said Parish or Place wherein the ruinous Place of the said Highway do lye it shall and may be lawful for the said Surveyors and their Workmen to dig take and carry away any Stones Sand or Gravel out of the Waste or Common of any neighbouring Parish or Place without paying any thing for the same but levelling and filling up as well as may be the Pits or Places where such Materials were digged and where there is not sufficient of such Materials in any Common or Waste Gravel thereunto now subjecting them to dig or pick them up in the several Grounds or any Person or Persons (Gardens Orchards Bucklands Meadow Grounds and Avowies in any House excepted) where any such Materials are or may be found and from time to time to take and carry away such and so much thereof in the said Surveyors shall judge necessary for the said Repairs paying only the Tenant and Owner of the Soil where such Materials shall be taken such Damages or Satisfaction and in each Proportion as by the said Justices of the Peace of the said County at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace shall be awarded in case it can't be otherwise adjusted between the said Surveyors and the Tenant and Owner of the said Soil

II. Powers of such Surveyors in certain Acts as digging Gravel, &c. or other Surveyors generally have.

And for and towards the defraying the extraordinary Charges that must of necessity be laid out and expended in and about the Repairs of the said ruinous Place of the said Highway be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Justices of the Peace at the Quarter Sessions aforesaid shall and may from time to time as there shall be Occasion choose and appoint One or more fit Person or Persons to be Receiver or Receivers Collector or Collectors of such Sums of Money in the Name of Toll to be paid for all such Waggon Carts Carriages Mules and Drills of Cattle as from and after the erecting the Turnpike or Gates herein authorized to be set up [and] during the Continuance of this present Act shall pass be led or driven in and by the said Highway to and beyond the said Town of Calce as are herein after limited and appointed (that is to say)

III. Quarter Sessions to appoint Collectors of the Toll.

For every Horse or Mule not drawing any Coach Waggon or other Carriage One Penny  
For every Waggon One Shilling  
For every Coach Chariot and Calash with more than Two Horses One Shilling and

Tolls.



For every Coach Chariot Calash or Chaise with no more than Two Horses Six Pence

For every Cart or other Carriage Six Pence

For every Score of Oxen or Best Cattle Fifteen Pence and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Number

For every Score of Hags or Hogs Ten Pence and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Number not being under Four and

For every Score of Sheep Five Pence and so in Proportion for any greater or lesser Number not being under Four

IV.  
Persons to pay  
such Tolls  
accordingly.

And every Person who shall travel with Horse Coach Chariot Wagon Calash or Chaise or with Cart or other Carriage or shall lead or drive any Horses Males Oxen or other Cattle before mentioned in and through the said Highway to or beyond the said Town of Colne or being Inhabitants of the said Town shall have Licence to pass either of the said Turnpikes or Gates shall and are hereby required from time to time to pay to the said Collector of the said Toll for every Horse Male Ox or other Cattle or for every Coach Chariot Wagon Calash Chaise Cart or other Carriage according to the Rates aforesaid.

V.  
Surveyors to erect  
Turnpikes as  
directed by  
Quarter Sessions.

And the better to secure the Payment of the said Toll be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Surveyors so to be appointed as is aforesaid in some convenient Place upon the said Highway at each End of the said Town of Colne to erect or set up a Turnpike or Gate Turnpikes or Gates or otherwise at the Justice of the Peace (in their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace<sup>1</sup>) for the said County shall direct and appoint and the same so to continue as long as the said Toll shall be payable by virtue of this Act

VI.  
Persons refusing  
to pay Toll,  
Directed by  
Collector.

And if any Person or Persons upon Demand made of the said Toll by the Collectors for that Purpose to be appointed as aforesaid shall refuse or neglect to pay the same it shall and may be lawful for the said Collector to detain such Wagon Coach Chariot Horse Calash Chaise Cart or Carriage Oxen Hags and other Cattle together with such reasonable Charges and Damages as the Party or Parties so detaining shall sustain in and about the making such Detention and the keeping thereof shall be fully satisfied and paid

VII.  
Surveyors may  
employ Tolls.

And Burroughs as the said Toll will not at present amount to such Sum as will be sufficient or needful for the speedy repairing of the said Highway be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Surveyors for the Time being upon the Credit of the said Toll from time to time to borrow and take up as Interest of any Person or Persons who shall be willing to lend and advance the same any such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be found necessary and wanting for the carrying on of the said Work to the best Advantage and by Indenture under their several Hands and Seals by and with the Consent and Approbation of the said Justices of the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the said County or any Three of them under their Hands to transfer money and engage the said Profit arising by the said Toll for any Time or Term not exceeding Twenty Years to secure the Repayment of the Money so lent together with the Interest that shall be thereupon due to such Person or Persons as shall advance the same

VIII.  
Collectors every  
Fortnight to  
account before  
Justices of the  
Peace upon Oath,  
and deliver the  
same when appointed  
and signed by  
Surveyors, who are  
to signify to  
them passing their  
said Accounts.

And the said Collector or Collectors of the said Toll are hereby required Once at least in every Fortnight and oftner if there shall be Occasion to make a true perfect and particular Account upon Oath before One or more of the Justices of the Peace of the said County (which Oath the said Justices of the Peace have hereby a Power to administer) of the Profits of the said Toll from the Time of the last Account thereof made which said Account of the said Collector or Collectors if being first signed by the said Justices together with the several Sums of Money therein mentioned and contained the said Collector or Collectors are hereby charged and commanded to deliver without Delay to One or more of the said Surveyors who are hereby required to produce the said several Accounts of the said Collector upon the passing of their own Accounts at the Time and Place herein after limited and appointed for that Purpose.

IX.  
Surveyors to  
account in Quarter  
Sessions upon Oath.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Surveyors and every of them shall upon their several Oaths if thereon required at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the said County next after the Determination of the Year for which they are appointed to be Surveyors give a true and full Account in Writing of all such Sums of Money as have been by them received for and towards the Repairs of the said Highway and of the Disbursements they have made to the End that if there shall be any Overplus of the Money by them received it may be by them paid to the Surveyors chosen or to be chosen for the Year ensuing

X.  
Collector not  
accounting or not  
delivering Accounts  
to Surveyors or  
Surveyors not  
accounting.

And if any Collector of the said Toll shall refuse or neglect to give an Account of the Monies arising by the said Toll in the Manner he is herein before directed to do or to deliver such Account with the Money thereupon due to the said Surveyors for the Time being or to give any of the said Surveyors shall refuse or neglect to make such Account at the said General Quarter Sessions or to pay the Overplus (if any) as it is herein before directed it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Justices at any Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the said County for any such Default upon the Proof thereof by the Confession of the Party or the Oaths of Two or more credible Witnesses to commit the Party or Parties so offending to the Common Goal of the said

<sup>1</sup> mentioned on the Roll.

County well be or they shall by delivering his or their Accounts as aforesaid according at the said Quarter Sessions or otherwise by Payment as the Court whosoever it be shall happen to require in all Things conferred him or themselves to and complied with the true Intent and Meaning of this Act.

continued in  
County Goals

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person or Persons not having any lawful Excuse to be allowed of by any Three or more of the said Justices of the Peace of the said County shall neglect or refuse to take upon him or them the said Office of Surveyor being thereunto nominated and chosen as by this Act is appointed or to do and perform his or their Duty in the due and speedy Execution thereof it shall and may be lawful for the said Justices at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to impose upon the Person or Persons so offending refusing or neglecting such Fine or Fines upon each Person not exceeding Five Pounds as to them it shall seem meet and to cause the same to be levied by Distress and Sale of the Goods of the Person or Persons so refusing or neglecting and to be paid to the said Surveyors for the Time being for and towards the Repair [of] the said Highway leading to the Party the Overplus if any and then and in each Case or in the Case of the Death of any of the said Surveyors some other Person or Persons living or residing as aforesaid to be appointed by Two or more of the said Justices of the Peace of the said County that live near to the said Highway shall and are hereby required to take upon him or them and for the remaining Part of that Year to continue that Office in such Manner and under such Fines and Penalties as if he or they had been nominated by the said Justices at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace as aforesaid.

XL.  
Persons refusing  
to take the Office  
of Surveyors, to  
be fined.

Penalty.

In that Case and  
in case of Death  
other Persons  
appointed.

And for the better securing of any such Person or Persons as shall upon the Credit of this Act lend or advance any Sum or Sums of Money for the repairing of the said Highway be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That as well the said Justices of the Peace at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace aforesaid as the said Surveyors shall take and provide in the Execution of this Act that the Profits of the said Toll be applied in the first Place for the Payment of the whole Interest of the Money so lent as it shall become due from time to time and the Overplus or so much thereof as to the said Justices it shall seem convenient Regard being had to the Repayment of the whole Principal Money so lent with the Interest within Twenty Years to be accounted from the said Five and twentieth Day of March One thousand seven hundred and eight during which Term or Time and no longer the said Turnpike and Toll is by virtue of this Act to be continued shall and may be applied from Year to Year to the Repair of the Highway within the Boundaries aforesaid and for the Discharge of such reasonable Expenses as the said several Surveyors shall or may be at in the Execution of this Act to be allowed of by the said Justices in their Sessions aforesaid and for a convenient yearly Salary for the said Collector or Collectors and to no other Use Intent or Purpose whatsoever.

XII.  
How Profits of the  
Tolls applied.

Provided always That if at any Time before the End and Expiration of the said Term of Twenty Years the ruinous Places in the said Highway shall be sufficiently mended and repaired and so to be adjudged by the Justices of the Peace of the said County of Wilts at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for that County that then and from thenceforth and from and after the Repayment of all such Sum and Sums of Money as shall be borrowed upon the Credit of this Act for the Repair of the said Highway together with the Interest this shall be due for the same the Toll aforesaid shall cease and determine any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

XIII.  
In what Cases  
Tolls to cease  
before the End  
of 20 Years

Provided also That no such Person or Persons having Occasion to pass where the said Toll is taken and to return the same Day with Coach Wagon Cart or other Carriage or with Cattle shall be compelled the same Day to pay the said Toll a Second Time for the same Wagon Coach Carriage or Cattle

XIV.  
Persons against  
Payment of Tolls  
Twice in One Day.

And that all and every Person and Persons passing through the Place or Places appointed for the receiving [of] the said Toll and coming from any Parish or Place next adjoining to the said Road shall and may carry and convey any Quantity of Stones Lanes or Gravel Dung Manure or Compost of any Nature or Kind whatsoever Hay not sold or Corn in the Straw Ploughs Harrows and other Implements of Husbandry and Stock of Cattle belonging to the Lands lying and being in the said Parish to which any Part of the said ruinous Part of the said Highway belongs and that all Soldiers upon their March and all Horses Waggon Carts Coaches or Trunks of the like Nature that shall be attending of them and all Persons riding Post shall and may pass and repass through the said Turnpike or Place without paying any thing for their so passing or repassing any thing herein before contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding.

XV.  
And for Persons  
carrying Manure,  
Husbandry, &c.

Soldiers upon  
March, &c.

Provided also That nothing in this Act shall exempt or excuse any of the Inhabitants of the said Parish from doing their Work or Statute Labour in the Highways as before the making of this Act they were by Law obliged to do.

XVI.  
Persons exempted  
from or  
Exempted from  
Highway Duty in  
certain Cases.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Suit shall be brought or commenced against any Person or Persons for any thing done in pursuance of this Act the said Action shall be had in the said County of Wilts and not elsewhere And that the Defendants in such Action may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the Special Matter in Evidence in any Trial or Trials to be had thereupon and that the same was done

XVII.  
Where Actions  
for executing Act  
to be had.  
General Issue.

in pursuance and by the Authority of this Act and if it shall appear so to have been done or that such Action or Actions be or are brought in any other County than the Jury shall find for the Defendant and upon such Verdict or in case the Plaintiff shall become Nonsuit or discontinue his Action after the Defendant shall have appeared or in case upon Demurrer Judgment shall be given against the Plaintiff then the Defendant or Defendants shall have and recover his Treble Costs and Charges and have the like Remedy for them as any Defendants can or may have in other Cases by the Law.

Treble Costs.

# CHAPTER LXXVII

*Act Paul 5 done.* An Act for repairing the Highways from Old Stratford in the County of Northampton to Donchurch in the County of Warwick.

Reason for passing this Act.

The Persons here named as Trustees are provided to erect Turnpikes.

**W**HEREAS the ancient Road between the Cities of London and Westminster (and new and for many Years last past the common Post Road towards Ireland) is so very narrow and almost impossible for above Twenty two Miles in Length from a Place called the Sarum Head Inn in Old Stratford in the County of Northampton to the Town of Donchurch in Warwickshire that it is become dangerous to all Persons that pass those Ways and for that the ordinary Course appointed by the List of this Realm now in Force are not sufficient for the effectual repairing and mending the same and for that the Inhabitants of the several Parishes in which the said ruinous Roads do respectively lie are not able to repair the same without some other Provision there being so Materials for the Amendment thereof to be had but at great Distances from the said respective Places For Remedy whereof and to the Issue the same may be speedily and effectually attended and kept in good Repair may it please Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queens most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and the Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall be in the Power of Sir John Mordaunt Sir Justinian Isham Sir Thomas Care Sir William Boughton Sir John Stockbridge Sir Pope Dunsen Sir Folke Skipworth Sir Orlando Bridgman Sir William Wheeler Sir Thomas Wagnall Sir John Whetwag Baronets Sir Robert Clarke Knight William Brouncker Thomas Cartwright Andrew Acheson George Mordaunt Francis Arundell senior Francis Arundell junior Lucy Knightly Charles Howe Edward Stratford William Wood Bevil Feilding William Palmer Robert Harvey Nicholas Benson Simon Biddolph William Boughton Thomas Viner Tobey Chassey senior Thomas Lazen Thomas Twiss Henry Longcorle Joseph Ashby Edward Bayly John Hanninge John Cressell Waverworth William Ives Robert Andrew John Parkhurst Thomas Thomas Henry Benson Arthur Gregory John Anley Wilkes Wesley Knightly Dunsen Henry Wells John Weston Thomas Hancock Nathaniel Parkhurst Allen Barham George Bacon Henry Noile Edward Hopkyn Francis Myth Edward Boughton John Stockbridge and John Andrews Esquires John Radborne George The Edward Adams Valentine Lane George Clarke George Benson William Gurney John Backs Jacob Dunsen Richard Freeman William Floughman Samuel Locke Thomas Hewes Doctor in Physick Edward Beorchrich Leonard Thompson Thomas Theod Goulston who are hereby nominated and appointed Trustees for putting this Act in Execution and the Surveyors of them or any Five or more of them to erect as often as to be erected Two Gates or Turnpikes cross any Part or Parts of the said Road between the Sarum's Head Inn in Old Stratford and Donchurch aforesaid and to receive and take at every such Place

Tolls.

For every Coach Chariot or Calash before they shall be permitted to pass through the same One Shilling and  
For every Waggon Cart or Carriage loaded with Grain Six Pence and  
For every other Waggon One Shilling and  
For every other Cart Six Pence and  
For every Pack Horse One Half penny and  
For every other Horse One Penny and  
For every Chain with a Single Horse Six Pence  
For every Score of Oxen and Neat Cattle Six Pence  
For every Score of Sheep or Lambs One Penny and so in Proportion for any Number exceeding Seven and  
For every Score of Hogs Three Pence and so in Proportion for any Number exceeding Seven in the Name of or as a Toll

How Tolls to be applied.

Which Money so to be raised as aforesaid is hereby vented in the said Turnpikes and the same or any Part thereof to be paid applied disposed or assigned to and for the several Uses and Purposes and in such Manner as is herein after mentioned

II.  
Trustees to Re-  
payment of Toll  
may detain

Also that the said Trustees or any Five or more of them are hereby empowered by themselves or any Person or Persons by them or any Five or more of them under their Hands and Seals do whatsoever authorized to levy of any such Person or Persons who shall after Demand thereof made refuse to pay the same each and every of the said Sums of Money by this Act required to be by them respectively paid as aforesaid by detaining any Horse or Horses or other Cattle or Goods upon which such Toll or Duty as by this Act imposed or upon any other of the Goods and Chariots of such Person who ought to pay the same and may detain and keep the same until such Toll or Duty with the reasonable Charges of such Detainers and keeping shall be paid and it shall

and may be lawful for such Person or Persons to distrain after the Space of Five Days after such Default taken to sell the Goods so distrained containing the Overplus upon Demand after such Toll Duty and reasonable Charges for distraining and keeping the same shall be deducted

Proceedings  
thereon, if Toll  
not paid.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That they the said Trustees or any Five or more of them by Writing under their Hands and Seals shall and may from time to time choose and appoint One or more fit Person or Persons to be Receiver or Receivers Collectors or Collectors of such Money in the Name of such Toll as shall be due and payable by virtue of this Act and also one or more fit Person or Persons to be Surveyor or Surveyors to see the Money to be raised and expended by virtue of this Act duly applied and all such Person and Persons as is or are by this Act liable to pay the same are hereby required to pay unto the said Collector or Collectors Receiver or Receivers of Toll in that Behalf from time to time to be appointed as aforesaid after the Rate aforesaid

III.  
Trustees empowered to appoint  
Collectors and  
Surveyors.

Persons liable  
to pay to such  
Collectors.

And the Person or Persons Receiver or Receivers Collector or Collectors appointed as aforesaid for the receiving of the said Toll and also such Surveyor or Surveyors as aforesaid (if thereunto required by the said Trustees or any Five or more of them) shall upon Oath before such Justice or Justices of the Peace who doth or shall at such Time dwell near to the Roads aforesaid as the said Trustees or any Five or more of them shall from time to time under their Hands and Seals direct which Oath each Justice and Justices is and are hereby empowered to administer upon the First Tuesday in every Month monthly or at such other Time and Times and at such Place and Places as such Justice or Justices shall appoint during the Continuance of this present Act give in a true [exact<sup>1</sup>] and perfect Account in Writing under their respective Hands what Sum or Sums of Money he they carry or any of them shall at such Time have received paid and disbursed by virtue of this Act by reason of their respective Offices and in case any Overplus of Money so received shall remain in their or either or any of their Hands shall pay the same to the said Trustees or any Five or more of them or to such Person or Persons as they or any Five or more of them shall by any Writing under their Hands and Seals authorize and empower to receive the same to be delivered and laid out in mending the said Roads according to the true Meaning of this Act and not otherwise Witness said Trustees or any Five or more of them shall or may out of the Money arising by the said Toll make such Allowance unto the said Surveyor and Surveyors Collector and Collectors for and in consideration of their Care and Pains taken in the Execution of the said respective Offices and to such other Person and Persons who shall have been [or<sup>2</sup>] shall be residing in and about mending the said Highways to be assessed as aforesaid by assessing or laying out any Monies or otherwise relating thereto as to them shall seem good

IV.  
Collectors and  
Surveyors to account Monthly  
upon Oath before  
Justices of Peace.

Overplus paid to  
Trustees or at  
they shall appoint,  
for the Purpose  
of the Act.

Allowance to  
Surveyors and  
Collectors.

And in case the said Collectors or Receivers of the aforesaid Toll to be paid as aforesaid or any of them shall not make such Account and Payment unto such Person and Persons according to the Order and Direction of the said Trustees or any Five or more of them as aforesaid that then the Justices of the Peace at any Special Sessions of the Peace to be holden for any Place in which the said Highway both in the Counties of Northampton or Warwick or either of them shall make Enquiry for and concerning such Default as well by Confession of the said Parties themselves as by the Testimony of one or more credible Witnesses or Witnesses upon Oath which Oath such Justices are hereby empowered to administer and if any Person or Persons shall be thereof convicted the said Justice [shall<sup>3</sup>] upon such Conviction commit the said Party or Parties to the Common Goal of the County aforesaid or either of them where such Offender shall be committed there to remain without Bail or Mainprize until he or they shall have made a true and perfect Account and Payment as aforesaid

V.  
If Collectors do  
not make Account  
and Payment,  
Proceedings by  
Special Sessions.

committed to  
County Goal.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Surveyor or Surveyors and such Person and Persons as they shall appoint by Direction of the said Trustees or any Five or more of them in Writing under their Hands to digg gather and take away any Gravel Sand or Stones out of any Waste or Common in any Parish Town Village or Hamlet wherein the said Landless Places of the said Roads do severally lie and for want of sufficient Gravel Sand or Stones there out of the Waste or Common of any neighbouring Parish Town Village or Hamlet without paying any thing for the same and where there is not a sufficient Quantity of such Materials in any Common or Waste Grounds near adjoining to dig [or<sup>4</sup>] gather in the several Grounds of any Person or Persons (not being an House Garden Orchard Yard or Meadow or Avenue to the House) where any such Materials are or may be found and from time to time to carry away such and so much thereof as the said Surveyor or Surveyors in their respective Places shall adjudge necessary for the repairing the said Roads without paying any thing for such Materials are only such reasonable Satisfaction to the Owner or Occupier of the Ground where the same shall be so digged gathered and carried away as for the Damage which he or they shall thereby sustain shall be assessed and adjudged by the said Justices of the Peace at the Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the said Counties in case of Difference concerning the same and the Pit from which such Materials shall be digged and carried away for the Repairs aforesaid shall with all convenient Speed if adjudged by the said Justices of the Peace as aforesaid or desired by the Person owning such Ground be filled up and [levelled<sup>5</sup>] with Earth or other Materials.

VI.  
Surveyors may dig  
for Gravel, &c.  
in Wastes, &c.

if necessary as  
private Grounds  
(Exempted)

making Satisfaction  
to the Owner to  
be assessed if  
Quarter Sessions.

Pit made to be  
filled up.

<sup>1</sup> exacted on the Roll.

<sup>2</sup> layed G.

VII.  
Power to the  
Trustees to sur-  
rogate the Toll.

AND for as much as the Monies so to be collected by each Receipt of the said Toll will not at present raise such a Stock or Sum of Money as may be sufficient for the speedy satisfying of the Premises it is hereby further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the said Trustees or any Five or more of them shall or may from time to time by Writing under their Hands and Seals assign over the said Toll or any Part thereof for any Time or Term for which the same is hereby enacted to be paid or any Part of such Time or Term for any Sum or Sum of Money, by them to be borrowed for the Purpose to or in Trust for such Person or Persons who shall advance and lend the same to secure the Repayment thereof with Interest after the Rate of Six Penns per Centum per Annum which said Money so borrowed shall be so applied to the said Toll should have been applied by this Act.

VIII.  
Where Action for  
surrogate Act to  
be held?  
General Issue.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Suit shall be commenced against any Person or Persons for any thing done in pursuance of this present Act that in every such Case the Action shall be laid at the said Counties of Northampton or Warwick and not elsewhere and the Defendant in such Action to be brought may plead the General Issue and give this Act and the special Matter in Evidence at any Trial to be had thereupon and that the same was done in pursuance and by the Authority of the said Act and if it shall so appear to be done or that such Action shall be brought in any other County than then the Jury shall find for the Defendant and upon such Verdict or if the Plaintiff shall be convicted or discontinue his Action after the Defendant shall have appeared or if upon Demurrer Judgments shall be given against the Plaintiff the said Defendant shall and may recover his Treble Costs and have the like Remedy for the same as any other Defendant hath in such Cases by Law.

IX.  
Tolls not to be  
paid Twice on the  
same Day.

PROVIDED always That no Person or Persons having Occasion to pass the Place where the Toll is taken and return the same Day before Ten of the Clock at Night between the Months of March and September and before Eight of the Clock at Night during the other Months of the Year with the same Horse Coach Wagon Cart or other Carriage or with other Cattle for which he had once paid such Toll as aforesaid shall be compelled the same Day to pay the said Toll a Second Time.

X.  
Exception from  
Toll,  
Persons from  
certain Places  
Money, by  
Carr, Impediment  
of Husbandry, &c.

AND be it further enacted That all and every Person and Persons passing through the Place appointed for the receiving the Toll aforesaid and coming from any Parish next adjoining to the said Road respectively shall have liberty to carry away any Quantities of Stones Sand Lime or Gravel Dung Mold or Compost of any Nature or Kind whatsoever Brick or Clank or any Wood not going to any Market or Curn in the Shire of Herts or Hertford Plow Harrows and other Implements of Husbandry and all other Things whatsoever employed in Husbandry mowing and mowing of these several and [respectively] Lands in the said several and respective Parishes shall pass through the said Place where such Toll is to be received without paying any thing for their respective passing through the same and that it shall and may be lawful also for all and every Soldier and Soldiers upon their March and all Carts and Waggons assembling them and all Persons riding Pace to pass through the said Place where the said Toll is to be collected without paying any thing for their passing any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any law notwithstanding.

XI.  
Persons themselves  
chargeable to the  
Highways, to  
maintain the.

PROVIDED also That all and every Person and Persons who by Law are chargeable towards the repairing of the said Highways shall still remain chargeable and do their respective Works in the said Highways as before they used and ought to do therein. Any thing aforesaid to the contrary notwithstanding.

XII.  
Commencement  
and Continuance of  
Toll.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Toll hereby granted shall take Place and have Continuance only from the First Day of May next ensuing for and during the Term of One and twenty Years Provided also that if at any Time before the Expiration of the said Term of One and twenty Years aforesaid the said Road shall be sufficiently amended and repaired or adjudged by the Justices of the Peace for the said Counties of Northampton and Warwick respectively at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the said Counties that then from and after such Adjudication made and Repayment of such Monies so shall have been borrowed with Interest for the same the aforesaid Toll shall cease and determine. Any thing hereto before contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

XIII.  
Quarter Sessions  
may appoint  
Persons to survey  
the various Roads,  
and assess them  
separately,  
and to survey into  
the Application of  
the Toll.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Justices of the Peace at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be holden for the Counties of Northampton and Warwick yearly and every Year after the End of Three Years if they shall think fit to appoint Three or more Person or Persons of each County respectively to survey and view the said various Roads and Ways by this Act directed to be amended and to enquire of the Deben and Toll received in pursuance of this Act and in case they find any Multiplication of the Monies levied by this Act or any Abuse of the Power and Authority hereby granted as aforesaid thereupon to certify the same to the Justices of Assize at the next Assize to be held for the said Counties of Northampton and Warwick or either of them who are hereby authorized and empowered to hear examine and finally determine the same without any further or other Appeal.

XIV.  
Violence of  
Trustees here  
applicable.

AND be the Continuance of a competent Number of fit and able Persons to be Trustees for passing in Execution all and every the Powers and Authorities in this Act contained during the Continuance thereof be it further enacted

by the Authority aforesaid That at such Time and Times as the Number of them the said Trustees shall by Death Resigned or refusing to act in the said Trust be reduced to the Number of Ten or under it shall and may be lawful to and for each of them the said Trustees as shall remain or the major Part of them by any Writing under their Hands and Seals to elect nominate and appoint so many more fit Persons living in the said Counties of Northampton and Warwick or One of them as they shall judge reasonable and convenient to be added to and joined with the then remaining Trustees for the Execution of all and every the Powers and Trusts hereby before enacted and granted and all and every Power and Powers as as aforesaid to be continued to join in putting in Execution the Powers and Authorities aforesaid shall and may and is and are hereby empowered to act and do so all Intests and Purposes in as full large and ample Manner as they the said Trustees herein before named are by this Act empowered to act and do

And for supplying some Defects in an Act made in the Fifth Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty intitled An Act for repairing the Highway between Fenshill in the County of Bedford and the Town of Stony Stratford in the County of Bucks be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Trustees in the said Act named or any Five or more of them shall and may execute all and every the Powers Trusts and Authorities in and by the said Act vored in the said Trustees or any Seven or more of them in any Place or Places in the Road called Watling Street Road between Stocklife in the said County of Bedford and Stony Stratford

XV.  
Stat. 6 Ann. c. 4.

Trustees chosen  
to execute the  
trusts in the  
Fenshill and  
Stony Stratford

And that such Toll as in and by the said Act is made payable for Oxen shall be paid for all Sorts of Cattle.

XVI.

#### CHAPTER LXXVIII. (')

AN ACT to make further Provision for electing and returning Sixteen Peers of Scotland to sit in the [House of Peers"] in the Parliament of Great Britain and for trying Peers for Offences committed in Scotland and for the further regulating of Votes in Elections of Members to serve in Parliament.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 14.

WHEREAS by the Two and twentieth Article of the Treaty of Union for uniting the Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland ratified and confirmed by the respective Parliaments of each Kingdom it was amongst other Things provided that when Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors should declare Their Pleasure for holding the First or any subsequent Parliament of Great Britain until the Parliament of Great Britain should make further Provision therein Writs should issue under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain directed to the Privy Council of Scotland commanding them to cause Sixteen Peers who were so in the House of Lords to be summoned to Parliament in such Manner as by an Act of the then present Session of Parliament of Scotland was or should be settled in which Session of the Parliament in Scotland an Act was accordingly passed for that Purpose intitled An Act settling the Manner of electing the Sixteen Peers and Forty five Members to represent Scotland in the Parliament of Great Britain which Act was afterwards confirmed by the Parliament of England and declared to be as valid as if the same had been Part of and incorporated in the said Articles of Union by which Act it is amongst other Things provided and enacted that the Sixteen Peers who should have a Right to sit in the House of Peers in the Parliament of Great Britain on the Part of Scotland by virtue of the said Treaty should be named by the said Peers of Scotland whom they represent their Heirs or Successors to their Disputes and Honours out of their own Number and that by open Election and Plurality of Voices of the Peers present and of the Peers for such as should be absent the said Peers being Peers and possessing a Mandate in Writing duly signed before Witnesses and both the Consent and Proxy being qualified according to Law and that such Peers as were absent being qualified as aforesaid might send to all such Meetings a List of the Peers whom they judged fittest to be named by the said absent Peers which should be returned in the same Manner as if the Parties had been present and given in the said List and in case of the Death or legal Incapacity of any of the said Sixteen Peers that the aforesaid Peers of Scotland should nominate another of their own Number in Place of the said Peer or Peers in Manner as therein is mentioned and it was thereby further enacted that until the Parliament of Great Britain should make further Provision therein the said Writs so to be issued should contain a Warrant and Command to command the said Privy Council to issue out a Proclamation in Her Majesty's Name requiring the Peers of Scotland for the Time to meet and assemble at such Time and Place within Scotland as Her Majesty and Her Royal Successors should think fit to make Election of the said Sixteen Peers and requiring the Lord Clerk Register or Two of the Clerks of Session to attend all such Meetings and to administer the Oaths as were or should be by Law required and to ask the Votes and having made up the List in Presence of the Meeting to return the Names of the Sixteen Peers chosen certified under the Subscription of the said Lord Clerk Register Clerk or Clerks of Session attending to the Clerk of the Privy Council of Scotland to the End that the Names of the Sixteen Peers being so returned to the Privy Council might be returned to the Court from whence the Writ did issue under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom conform to the said Twenty Second Article And whereas by an Act of the present Session intitled An Act for amending the Union of the Two Kingdoms more more and complete it is declared and enacted that from and after the First Day of May One thousand seven hundred and eight the Privy Council of Scotland shall cease and determine whereby it is become necessary that some further Provision should be made for the electing and returning the said Sixteen Peers that

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 14.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 14.

Stat. 6 Ann. c. 14.

<sup>1</sup> This is Chap. XXIII. 6 Ann. in the Common printed Editions.

<sup>2</sup> inserted in the Roll.

A Proclamation  
to call for the  
Electors of Scottish  
Peers of Scotland

are to sit in the House of Peers in the Parliament of Great Britain pursuant to the said Treaty He is therefore  
enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and  
Temporal and Commons in Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That at all Times hereafter  
when Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall declare Her or Their Pleasure for summoning and holding any  
Parliament of Great Britain that in order to the electing and returning the Scottish Peers of Scotland a Proclamation  
shall be issued under the Great Seal of Great Britain commanding all the Peers of Scotland to assemble and meet  
at Edinburgh or in such other Place in Scotland and at such Time as shall be appointed in the said Proclamation  
to elect by open Election the Scottish Peers to sit and vote in the House of Peers in the Parliament of Great  
Britain in such Manner as by the before recited Act and heires after is appointed

II.  
To be published  
whenever necessary.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Proclamation issued for the Purpose aforesaid  
shall be duly published at the Market Cross at Edinburgh and in all the County Towns of Scotland Five and twenty  
Days at the least before the Time hereby appointed for the Meeting of the Peers to proceed to such Election.

III.  
Oaths to be taken  
by the Peers who  
meet thereon.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all the Peers who meet on such Proclamation shall  
before they proceed to the Election and in Presence of the Peers assembled for such Election take the respective  
Oaths following

I A B do sincerely promise and swear That I will be faithful and bear true Allegiance to Her Majesty Queen  
Anne So help me God.

I A B do swear That I do from my Heart abhor detest and abjure as heinous and heinous that damnable  
Doctrine and Position that Persons excommunicated or deprived by the Pope or any Authority of the See of  
Rome may be deposed or excommunicated by their Subjects or any other whatsoever and I do declare that no Foreign  
Prince Person Prince State or Potentate hath or ought to have any Jurisdiction Power Superiority Preeminence or  
Authority Ecclesiastical or Spiritual within this Realm. So help me God.

not Declaration  
to be made and  
subscribed.

And shall also make repeat and subscribe the Declaration following videlicet.

I A B do solemnly and sincerely in the Presence of God profess testify and declare That I do believe that is  
the Sacrament of the Lords Supper there is not any Transubstantiation of the Elements of Bread and Wine  
into the Body and Blood of Christ at or after the Consecration thereof by any Person whatsoever and that the  
Invention or Addition of the Virgin Mary or any other Saint and the Sacrifice of the Mass as they are now  
used in the Church of Rome are superstitious and idolatrous And I do solemnly in the Presence of God profess  
testify and declare that I do make this Declaration and every Part thereof in the plain and ordinary Sense of  
the Words read unto me so they are commonly understood by English Protestants without any [Evangelical] Equivocation  
or mental Reservation whatsoever and without any Dispensation already granted me for this Purpose by the Pope  
or any other Authority or Person whatsoever and without any Hope of any such Dispensation from any Person or  
Authority whatsoever or without thinking that I am or can be acquitted before God or Man or absolved of  
this Declaration or any Part thereof although the Pope or any other Person or Persons or Power whatsoever  
should dispense with or absolve the same or declare that it was null and void from the Beginning.

and also the Oath  
following.

And also take and subscribe the Oath following videlicet

I A B do truly and sincerely acknowledge profess testify and declare in my Conscience before God and the  
World That our Sovereign Lady Queen Anne is lawful and lawful Queen of this Realm and of all other  
Her Majesties Dominions and Countries thereto belonging and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that I do  
believe in my Conscience the Person pretended to be Prince of Wales during the Life of the late King James  
and since his Death pretending to be and taking upon himself the Title and Title of King of England by the  
Name of James the Third or of Scotland by the Name of James the Eighth or the Title and Title of King of  
Great Britain hath not any Right or Title whatsoever to the Crown of this Realm or any other the Dominions  
thereunto belonging and I do renounce refuse and abjure any Allegiance or Obedience to him. And I do swear  
that I will bear Faith and true Allegiance to Her Majesty Queen Anne and Her will defend to the utmost of my  
Power against all traitorous Conspiracies and Attempts whatsoever which shall be made against Her Person Crown  
or Dignity And I will do my best Endeavour to disclose and make known to Her Majesty and Her Successors  
all Treasons and traitorous Conspiracies which I shall know to be against Her or any of Them And I do  
faithfully promise to the utmost of my Power to support maintain and defend the Succession of the Crown against  
him the said James and all other Persons whatsoever as the same is and stands settled by an Act intituled An  
Act declaring the Rights and Liberties of the Subject and settling the Succession of the Crown to Her present  
Majesty and the Heirs of Her Body being Protestants and as the same by One other Act intituled An Act for  
the further Limitation of the Crown and better securing the Rights and Liberties of the Subject is and stands  
settled and enquired after the Decree of Her Majesty and for Default of Issue of Her Majesty to the Princess  
Sophia Electress and Daughters Dowager of Hanover and the Heirs of Her Body being Protestants And all these  
Things I do plainly and sincerely acknowledge and swear according to these express Words by me spoken  
and according to the plain and common Sense and Understanding of the same Words without any Equivocation mental  
Reservation or mental Reservation whatsoever And I do make this Recognition Acknowledgment Abjuration Renunciation  
and Promise heartily willingly and truly upon the true Faith of a Christian. So help me God.

AND that such Peers that live in Scotland but shall not be present at such Meeting as appointed may take the said Oaths and make and subscribe the said Declaration in any Sheriff's Court in Scotland and every Sheriff or his Deputy before whom such Oaths and such Declaration shall be so made subscribed and repeated shall and is hereby required to return the original Subscription of such Oath and Declaration signed by the Peer who took the same and make a Return in Writing under his Hand and Seal to the Peers so assembled of such Peers taking the said Oaths and making and subscribing the said Oath and Declaration and such Peer shall be deems enabled and qualified to make a Proxy or to send a signed Letter containing the Names of the Sixteen Peers of Scotland for whom he giveth his Vote and such of the Peers of Scotland as at the Time of signing such Proclamation reside in England may take and subscribe the said Oaths and make repeat and subscribe the said Declaration in Her Majesty's High Court of Chancery in England Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench Common Pleas or Court of Exchequer in England which being certified by Writ to the Peers in Scotland at their Meeting under the Seal of the Court where such Oath and Declaration shall be made repeated and subscribed shall be sufficient to enable such Peer to make his Proxy and to send a signed Letter as aforesaid and in case any of the said Peers of Scotland who at any Time before the making of such Proclamation have taken the said Oaths and made and subscribed the said Declaration in England or Scotland to be certified as aforesaid and if taken in Parliament to be certified under the Great Seal of Great Britain shall at the Time of signing such Proclamation be absent in the Service of Her Majesty Her Heirs or Successors such Peer may make his Proxy or send a signed Letter.

PROVIDED always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That such Peers of Scotland as are also Peers of England shall sign their Proxies and Letters by the Title of their Peerage in Scotland.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Peer shall be capable of having more than Two Proxies at One Time.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That at such Meeting of the Peers they shall all give in the Names of the Persons by whom nominated to sit and vote in the House of Peers in the Parliament of Great Britain and the Lord Clerk Register or Two of the principal Clerks of the House appointed by him to officiate in his Name shall after the Election is made and duly examined certify the Names of the Sixteen Peers so elected and sign and attest the same in the Presence of the Peers which Certificate so signed and attested shall by the Lord Clerk Register or Two of the principal Clerks of the House be returned into Her Majesty's High Court of Chancery of Great Britain before the Time appointed for the Meeting of the Parliament.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That the Peers shall come to such Meetings with their ordinary Attendants only according to and under the several Statutes in that behalf made and Statutes now in force in Scotland which prescribe and direct with what Numbers and Attendants the Subjects there may repair to the publick Courts of Justice.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall not be lawful for the Peers so assembled and met together for the electing Sixteen Peers to sit and vote in the House of Peers in the Parliament of Great Britain to set propose debate or treat of any other Matter or Thing whatsoever except only the Election of the said Sixteen Peers and that every Peer who shall at such Meeting presume to propose debate or treat of any other Matter or Thing contrary to the Direction of this Act shall incur the Penalty of Perjury expressed in the Statute of the Sixteenth Year of King Richard the Second.

AND be it further declared by the Authority aforesaid That all and every Manner and Things for or concerning the Election of Sixteen Peers of Scotland to sit and vote in the House of Peers in the Parliament of Great Britain directed and appointed to be observed and done by the Articles of Union and the said second Act of Parliament in Scotland intitled An Act setting the Manner of electing the Sixteen Peers and Forty five Members to represent Scotland in the Parliament of Great Britain which Act by an Act of Parliament in England in the Fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign intitled An Act for an Union of the Two Kingdoms of England and Scotland was declared to be as valid as if the same had been Part of and incorporated in the Articles of Union thereby ratified and approved shall be observed and performed except only wherein this Act has further declared and provided.

AND be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That in case any of the Sixteen Peers so chosen shall die or become otherwise legally disabled to sit in the House of Peers of the Parliament of Great Britain that Her Majesty Her Heirs and Successors shall forthwith after such Death or Disability issue a Proclamation under the Great Seal of Great Britain for electing another Peer of Scotland to sit in the House of Peers of the Parliament of Great Britain in the Room of such Peer deceased or otherwise legally disabled which Proclamation shall be published at such Time and Place as is herein enacted touching Proclamations issued upon summoning a Parliament of Great Britain and the Peers of Scotland being qualified as is hereby directed shall proceed to elect a Peer

IV.  
Peers for taking the Oaths, &c. and making Proxies by Peers who reside in Scotland, and do not attend such Meeting.

Proxy  
The Peer to be Proxy making in England.

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VII.  
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Presumptive Peers.

VIII.  
Number of Attendants upon Peers at such Meeting.

IX.  
No other Matter than the Election to be treated of at the said Meeting.

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X.  
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XI.  
Peers for the Death or Disability of Peers chosen, and Proclamations thereupon.



of Scotland to sit in the House of Peers of the Parliament of Great Britain in the Room of each Peer deceased or otherwise legally disabled in such Manner and under such Retestations and Regulations as are by this Act directed to be observed upon the deceased Sixteen Peers of Scotland to sit in the House of Peers of the Parliament of Great Britain.

**XII.**  
Proceedings upon the Trials of Peers of Great Britain for Treason, are continued by these in Scotland.

Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That for the more effectual Trial of any Peers of Great Britain that hath committed or shall commit any High Treason Petit Treason Murther or other Felonies in Scotland Commissions or Commissions may issue under the Great Seal of Great Britain to be directed to such Person and Persons as shall be therein named constituting them and such a Number of them as shall be therein mentioned Justices of the Queen Her Heirs and Successors to enquire by the Oaths of good and lawful Men of such County and Countess of Scotland as shall be named therein of all Treasons Murders of Treason Murders and other Felonies committed in such County by a Peer or Peers of Great Britain which Inquisition shall be taken and made in the same Manner as Indictments found and taken before Justices of Oyer and Tenour of any County of England and shall be of the same Effect and proceeded upon in the same Manner as any Inquisition found before Justices of Oyer and Tenour in England whereby any Peer is indicted for any such Offence and such Justices shall issue Warrants or Precepts to the Sheriffs of the respective Counties of Scotland to return to them at such Day and Place as they shall appoint such and so many good and lawful Men of the same County as may be sufficient to enquire of the Offences aforesaid and Twelve or more of them so returned being sworn shall be sufficient to make such Enquiry and find any Indictment and if the Sheriff of such County shall not summon a sufficient Number of Men to make such Inquisition the Justices that do proceed upon such Commission may impose a Fine upon such Sheriff which shall be levied by Process out of the Exchequer and if any of the Persons committed by the Sheriff to enquire as aforesaid shall not appear the Justices may in like Manner impose a Fine upon such Person to making Default to be levied in Manner aforesaid.

Justices to issue Precepts to Sheriffs, who are to return Jury.

Process not attending.  
Fines.

**XIII.**  
Persons refusing to take the Oath, or of Quakers to affirm, as by Stat. 7 & 8 W. III. c. 36. 11.

(C) Also be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That every Person who shall refuse to take the Oath last herein before recited or being a Quaker shall refuse to declare the Effect thereof upon his solemn Affirmation as directed by an Act of Parliament made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William entitled An Act for the solemn Affirmation and Declaration of the People called Quakers shall be accepted in stead of an Oath in usual Form (which Oath or Declaration the Sheriff President of the Meeting or Chief Officer taking the Poll at any Election of Members to serve in the House of Commons for any Place in Great Britain or Commissioners for choosing Burgesses for any Place in Scotland at the Request of any Candidates or other Persons present at such Election are hereby empowered and required to administer) shall not be capable of giving any Vote for the Election of any such Member to serve in the House of Commons for any Place in Great Britain or Commissioner to choose a Burgess for any Place in Scotland.

Incorporated to vote in Elections of Members of Parliament.

**XIV.**  
Persons for Quakers allowing refusal of taking the Oath, as by Stat. 7 & 8 W. III. c. 36.

Provided always and be it enacted by the Authority aforesaid That if any Person being a Quaker shall refuse to take the said Oath being tendered to him in pursuance of an Act made this present Session of Parliament intitled An Act for the better Security of Her Majesties Person and Government but shall instead thereof declare the Effect of the said Oath upon his solemn Affirmation as directed by an Act of Parliament made in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Third intitled An Act [for] the solemn Affirmation and Declaration of the People called Quakers shall be accepted instead of an Oath in usual Form which Affirmation shall be administered to such Quaker instead of the said Oath such Quaker shall not be liable in any the Penalties or Forfeitures for refusing the said Oath when tendered to him contained or mentioned in the said Act intitled An Act for the better Security of Her Majesties Person and Government.

Stat. 7 & 8 W. III. c. 36.

## CHAPTER LXXIX.

An Act for securing a Harbour and Key at East Turbet in the Shire of Argyll.

For Part II. ch. 3. s. 10.

Archibald MacAlister was appointed to erect a Harbour, &c. at East Turbet.

General Heriot, together with Wharfedale.

**WHEREAS** there [may] be a necessary and convenient Harbour or Key made at East Turbet in the Shire of Argyll for Ships Bays Vessels Barks or Boats using the Fishing Trade and other Vessels and Boats to anchor in Be it enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majesty by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the Authority of the same That it shall and may be lawful to and for Archibald MacAlister Esquire (Proprietor of the Soil of East Turbet aforesaid) his Heirs and Assignes to erect and make or cause to be erected and made a Harbour or Key at East Turbet aforesaid to extend from the Point of Garvall on the North to the Oldhead to the South and such Wharfen and Buildings as shall be thought necessary by the Three next Justices of the Peace to the said East Turbet the Sheriffs Principal of the Shire and the said Archibald MacAlister his Heirs and Assignes

\* The Two following Provisions are inserted in the Original Act in Two separate Schedules.

\* Stat. 10.

\* Intituled in the Roll.

or six Three of them the said Archibald Mack-Alder his Heirs or Assigns to be always One for the anchoring of all Ships Vessels Boats and Boats which shall come into the same and for the landing and lading any Fish or other Goods and Merchandise as shall be brought in or discharged there.

And he is further enacted That for the making and from time to time keeping in good and sufficient Repair the said Harbour and Key and Wharves thereto belonging it shall and may be lawful for the said Archibald Mack-Alder his Heirs and Assigns or such Person or Persons as he or they shall authorize and empower from and after the five and twentieth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eight to demand take and receive of and from all and every Person and Persons Master or Masters of any Ship Vessel Bark Hoy or Boat which shall come into and anchor within the Haven of the said Harbour or Key and that all and every such Master and Masters of any Ship Vessel Bark Hoy or Boat do pay the respective Sums and Sums of Money herein after mentioned that is to say

II.  
Mr. Mack-Alder  
imposed on  
said Tolls of  
Masters of Ships,  
for

Tolls.

For every Ship Vessel Bark Hoy or Boat the Sum of One Halfpenny per Ton. And

For every Ship Vessel Bark Hoy or Boat under Eight Tons the Sum of Fifteen Pence per Tunnage upon their first anchoring the said respective Sums to be in lawful Money of Great Britain

III.  
And upon  
Collection.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful for the said Archibald Mack-Alder his Heirs and Assigns to make and take their respective Harbours according to the Solemnities of the Laws of Scotland such Persons and Persons from time to time as he or they shall think fit to collect and receive the said Moneys

And to the intent the said Duties may be truly answered and paid he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That no Customs belonging to Her Majesty's Customs in the aforesaid Harbour or Key Comptrolles Surveyor Searcher Water or other Officer of the Customs whatsoever shall take any Essais grant any Warrants give or make out any Comports for the shipping or discharging any Goods whatsoever until the Duties and Payments hereby granted and made payable shall be paid and answered according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act shall see permit any Ship Hoy or Bark or other Vessel to go out of the said Harbour until the said Master or other Person taking Charge of the same do produce and shew forth a Receipt or Acquittance under the Hands of the said Archibald Mack-Alder his Heirs or Assigns his or their Collector or Receiver of the said Duties or Sums of Money testifying the Receipt thereof and that every Customs Collector Comptroller Receiver of Entries of Ships or Vessels Surveyor Water or Searcher or other Officer concerned in the Business of the Customs in the said Port of East Yarmouth making Default in any of the Premises appointed there by this Act shall forfeit the Sum of Five Pounds unto the said Archibald Mack-Alder his Heirs and Assigns to be recovered together with their Costs of Suit before the Lords of Session or any other Judge competent within Scotland or else where within Her Majesty's Dominions by Bill Fines or Information or other Form of Process to be brought or commenced in his or their Names wherein an Exigent Warrant of Law or Protection or more then one Imparience shall be allowed and when such Sums or Process or intended in Scotland that all such Process shall be privileged and summary and shall not abide the Course of any Roll

IV.  
Officers not to  
grant Comports,  
for, until Duties  
paid

no person Vessel  
to depart off  
Receipt of Duties  
given

Penalty six and  
Costs.

Process or  
Scotland privileged.

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Archibald Mack-Alder his Heirs or Assigns or the Person or Persons authorized and appointed to collect and receive the said Duty to go on board any Ship Hoy Bark Vessel or Boat to demand collect and receive the said Duties by this Act due and payable and for Negligence thereof to take and detain every such Ship Hoy Bark Vessel or Boat and all her Tackle Apparel and Furniture thence belonging or any Part thereof until the same in default and keep until he or they be satisfied and paid the said Sums of Money and every of them and in case of any Neglect or Delay in Payment of any of the said Duties for Five Days after any Detention or Detention so taken as aforesaid that then it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Collector and Collectors Receiver and Receivers of the said Duties and any of them to sell the said Detention or Detentions so taken and thereof to satisfy him or themselves so well for and concerning the Duty so neglected or delayed to be paid and for which a Detention shall be so taken as aforesaid as also for his or their reasonable Charge in the taking or keeping such Detention pending to the Master or other Person having the Rule and Command of the Ship Hoy Bark Vessel or Boat in or from which such Detention shall be so taken the Overplus of any there shall be

V.  
Collector may go  
on board and  
demand Tolls

and on Mon.  
payments, to detain  
Ship, etc.  
and in Five Days  
after, if Payment  
delayed, may sell,  
for.

How Detention  
of Ship applied

And he is further enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all and every such Sums and Sums of Money that shall be raised and received by the Duties aforesaid and recovered for any the Forfeitures by this Act appointed shall be by the said Archibald Mack-Alder his Heirs and Assigns applied and disposed to the making the said Harbour and Key and other Works for the securing preserving amending and maintaining the said Harbour and Key of East Yarmouth in such Manner as he and they shall think most convenient his necessary Charges in collecting the said Forfeitures and in putting this Act always first deduced

VI.  
How the Tolls  
received to be  
applied.

And for as much as the Money to be raised by the Duties aforesaid will not of a long Time raise such a Stock or Sum of Money as may be sufficient for the effecting the Ends and Purposes of this Act he is therefore

VII.  
Power to mortgage  
Tolls

enacted by the Authority aforesaid That it shall and may be lawful so and for the said Archibald Mac-Alister his Heirs and Assigns and they are hereby empowered from time to time by Indenture made under his or their Hands and Seals or by any Form of Obligation or Contract solemn according to the Laws of Scotland to convey and assign the Duties granted by this Act as a Security for any Sum or Sums of Money by him or them to be borrowed for the Ends and Purposes of this Act intended to any Person or Persons that shall or will advance such Sum or Sums of Money upon such Security for and towards the erecting building and mending of the said Harbour and Key clearing the [Breach] and other Works for the securing preserving and amending the said Harbour and Key of East Tarbert.

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